

## **POOL LIFEGUARD**

#### **BGCG AT A GLANCE**

For over 100 years, the Boys & Girls Club of Greenwich (BGCG) has offered Greenwich kids a safe place to learn and grow. Every day over 325 kids come to BGCG after school. Programs focus on academic enrichment, healthy lifestyles and character development. In addition, the organization runs summer program at its downtown location and at Camp Simmons.

Location: Greenwich, CT

Employees: 15 full-time and 50 part-time/seasonal

Vision Statement: BGCG—where youth go to find their greatness

Mission Statement: BGCG's mission is to prepare young people, through enrichment opportunities and

supportive relationships, to be responsible, caring, and productive community members.

### **POSITION DESCRIPTION**

The lifeguard has a professional and moral obligation to prevent potential accidents and dangerous situations by enforcing the rules and regulations of the Boys & Girls Club of Greenwich and reacting to emergencies that may occur. Lifeguard primary responsibility of protecting lives by constantly scanning the aquatic facility to recognize swimmers in distress; wearing rescue tube and carrying mask/gloves while on stand or patrolling aquatic area edge. Lifeguard maintains aquatic area including pool deck, observation area, and the female/male locker room.

### **KEY RESPONSIBILITIES**

Lifeguards are responsible for the hours in which they are scheduled. Lifeguard will arrive a minimum of 10 minutes prior to their scheduled shift time and sign in. Once shift begins, guard is already on the lifeguard stand.

- Maintains active and aggressive surveillance of all aquatic areas.
- Checks for aquatic area for hazardous conditions when arriving, throughout shift, and at shift completion.
- Knows, understands, and consistently applies safety rules, policies, and guidelines for the pools and all aquatic areas.
- Knows and reviews all emergency procedures and responds to emergency situations immediately in accordance with the Boys & Girls Club of Greenwich policies and procedures. Once complete, will complete related reports as required.

- Administers First aid, CPR, AED, and emergency oxygen (if certified) when needed without hesitation.
- Responds to challenges with possible solutions in a timely manner, while being professional at all times
- Guard will understand and follow all opening and closing procedures, including but not limited to moving lane lines, testing pool chemicals, etc.
- Lifeguard will be in proper uniform for entire shift. Guards must wear whistle, hip pack containing CPR mask and gloves, staff shirt, and shorts.
- Lifeguard's cell phone will not be on during their shifts.
- The lifeguard MUST attend all staff meetings and training events.
- The lifeguard will NEVER leave the pool deck unattended for any reason.

# **QUALIFICATIONS**

Education: High school diploma or equivalent (Preferred)

Experience: Lifeguard: 1 year (Preferred)

License/Certification: Lifeguard Certification (Required)

Hours Available: Monday - Friday 3:30 - 7:30pm

Job Type: Part-time

Pay: \$13.00 - \$15.00 per hour

This job is ideal for someone who is: Dependable, People-oriented, Adaptable/flexible

Applicants should reply with a resume and cover letter that references their experience in relation to the core competencies of the job. All resumes should be sent to Ashley Culver, Aquatics Coordinator at aculver@bgcg.org

Visit the Boys & Girls Club of Greenwich's website at www.BGCG.org