

JOIN OUR TEAM TO WORK THIS POPULAR EVENT!

JOB TITLE: EVENT STAFF (TICKET TAKERS/PARKING ATTENDANTS)
DEPARTMENT: OPERATIONS
REPORTS TO: EVENT MANAGER

ABOUT USDAN:

Usdan opens up a world for children to joyfully express their creativity and develop their artistic skills. Each summer, Usdan brings professional teachers and artists – actors, directors, playwrights, painters, sculptors, musicians, composers, dancers, poets, and novelists – to teach and collaborate with our campers, ages 5 to 18. Set on 140 acres of natural beauty in Wheatley Heights, Long Island, NY. Usdan is a safe, welcoming place within which campers have the freedom to build new friendships, explore nature, develop personal independence, and have fun, alongside their art making.

POSITION SUMMARY:

Event Staff are entry-level positions to join the small team at Usdan Summer Camp for the Arts on our 140-acre architecturally significant campus. We are looking for Event Staff to work irregular hours for live events in outdoor spaces around campus. No prior experience is required, we are willing to train!

Responsibilities include:

- Pre-season event set up - includes heavy lifting, careful placement of pumpkins, and plugging in pumpkins.
- In-season event set up - during events, guide cars in parking lots, take tickets, direct patron questions to “The Rise” staff, identify problems that need technical support
- Maintaining cleanliness of the all used spaces on campus including trash removal.
- Setting up tables, chairs, signage, pop-up tents, temporary lighting, and all other ancillary equipment for events.
- Directing patrons to the appropriate areas when arriving on campus.
- Other duties as assigned.

Successful candidates will have the ability to be professional and courteous and the ability to work nights, weekends and irregular hours. Perhaps most importantly, successful candidates consistently demonstrate empathy and respect for children and colleagues.

To perform this job successfully, you must be able to work in an outdoor camp environment and communicate effectively. Usdan provides staff with protocols at the beginning of the season that they are expected to read and follow. At the same time, Usdan staff understand that new challenges may arise and often work together to problem solve and determine solutions as we go.



JOB REQUIREMENTS:

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Must be at least 16 years old.
- Ability to meet physical demands of the duties which includes standing and walking for long periods of time and lifting heavy loads up to 50 pounds.
- Ability to work nights, weekends, and irregular hours.
- Strong interpersonal skills needed.
- Willing and able to work in all weather conditions.
- Capacity to work both independently and as a team.
- Ability to follow instructions from supervisors.
- Honest and ethical.
- Can-do attitude with the ability to find “yes”.
- Ability to maintain a positive outlook and a “go with the flow” attitude.
- Have a reliable means of transportation.
- Ability to be punctual and reliable.

SCHEDULE:

- Pre-Season: September 6 - 28, 2022, Monday through Friday, 8am - 5pm
- In-Season: September 29 - November 6, 2022, Wednesday through Sunday, 6pm - 12am
- Post-Season: November 7-11, 2022, Monday through Friday, 8am - 5pm

COMPENSATION:

- \$17 per hour

TO APPLY:

- Please apply through our online application: <https://www.usdan.org/employment>
- PDF files are preferred attachments. No phone calls please.

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