



2017 MINISTRY TEAM INFORMATION

PHILOSOPHY

Camp Warwick is a Christian Camp affiliated with The Reformed Church in America (RCA). Our main purpose is to let our campers experience life in a community where Christ is the central figure. By integrating Christian values and routines into daily life, our Ministry Team can emulate and campers can see that being a Christian means living a joyous, rewarding, and meaningful life. Camper-counselor interaction is viewed as the best means of providing the optimal opportunities for this development. Hiring counselors that are positive role models is the key to achieving our purpose.

Everyone at Camp Warwick will take on the responsibility of developing meaningful relationships with both campers and counselors and genuinely showing ultimate respect for one another. In so doing, we will experience the value and transforming power of being part of the one Family of God. We challenge you to take a positive step with us in 2017 as a Ministry Team applicant.

LOCATION

Founded in 1959, Camp Warwick is located in Warwick, New York, 55 miles northwest of New York City. Our facility is nestled on 465 acres in Orange County, New York, on rolling hills overlooking the picturesque Warwick Valley!

WHERE OUR CAMPERS COME FROM

Most of our campers come from the tri-state area - New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania. We minister to youth between the ages of 5 and 17. We also minister to youth and adults, ages 8 through 55, in Camp Sunrise, a camp for the specially-abled.

OUR DIFFERENT PROGRAMS

There are different types of summer camps for youth to choose from. We offer two types of overnight camps: In-Camp and Camp Sunrise. We also offer two day programs: Day Camp and Adventure Camp. Our camps are unique because we believe in the inclusion of specially-abled children.

In Camp

Campers arrive on Sunday afternoon and leave on Friday evening. Campers live in cabins that hold eight campers and two counselors. In-Camp activities include Bible study, worship, singing praise songs, swimming, arts and crafts, challenge course with a 30' climbing wall, hiking, and recreation.

Camp Sunrise

Camp Sunrise is a Christian camping ministry for children and adults with physical, cognitive, and/or mental disabilities. Our purpose is to create opportunities for individuals with disabilities to know and experience Jesus Christ. Children (age 8) through adults (age 55) are welcome. Activities include swimming, hiking, campfires, recreational games, talent show, dance, and off-site trips to a local park and bowling alley. Our camping program is designed to provide a safe and healthy environment in which campers with special needs may experience new challenges and opportunities for growth.

Day Camp

Our Day Camp is designed for 5 to 11 year olds who are here during the day for one to eight weeks. Campers are placed in groups according to their age. They enjoy a variety of games and activities throughout the day, in addition to a daily Christian Education component.

Adventure Camp

Adventure Camp is an exciting program for youth who have completed 7th or 8th grade. Adventure Camp takes all of the usual camp activities and combines them with fun, educational experiences, and exciting off-site trips.

SALARY & LIVING ACCOMMODATIONS

All positions are salaried and include room and board. All counselors live in a cabin with 8-10 campers. All cabins have their own bathroom with showers. All cabins are set up with five sets of bunk beds or eight to ten individual beds.

TIME OFF

The usual time off is one evening each week (6:00 p.m. - midnight) and from 9:00 p.m. on Friday evening (or after the staff worship which ends no later than 9:00 p.m.) to 1:00 p.m. Sunday. All staff will be required to work one weekend during orientation.

ARE YOU READY FOR THIS ADVENTURE?

Do you have what it takes to be an outstanding staff member of our large but close-knit staff team? Are you ready for the challenges and opportunities listed below?

- Share the Good News message and assist others in growing in their faith.
- Gain personal satisfaction and grow as a person by helping kids grow and develop.
- Kids and staff are active from before breakfast until well after dark.
- Be a positive role model 24 hours a day, seven days a week.
- Limited time off.

Before filling out this application, prayerfully consider if you want to spend eight weeks of your summer in ministry. If you are ready to take your faith to the next level and are willing to be a Christian role model through your thoughts and your deeds, we want you to be a part of the Camp Warwick ministry.