

## Program Team Member

Northern Will County Special Recreation Association (NWCSRA) enhances lives by providing meaningful recreational opportunities for individuals with disabilities. We serve the residents of the Romeoville Recreation Department and Bolingbrook, Lockport and Plainfield Park Districts as an extension of these member agencies. Employees at NWCSRA can expect to experience a variety of benefits including a sense of community, ongoing training, flexible work schedule, recognition, and the ability to make a difference in someone's life.

## Description

This position is a part-time year-round position. Staff are assigned to work either 1:1 or in small groups with individuals with disabilities in NWCSRA recreation programs. Candidates will be working in a team environment, providing fun and engaging activities and experiences for all, and adapting activities and experiences to meet the needs of participants.

Starting pay rate is \$13.00/hour and increases depending on experience and job knowledge.

- This is an hourly, part time non-exempt position.
- Flexible hours will be set in collaboration with Staff Development & Outreach Manager and will vary depending on program availability. Programs run Sunday through Saturday throughout the day.
- Candidate must be able to work one of the following swimming programs:
  - Mondays: 5-7pm at Pelican Harbor in Bolingbrook
  - Saturdays: 1-3pm at Pelican Harbor in Bolingbrook
  - Saturdays: 8:30-10:30am at Heritage Falls in Romeoville
- Coaching experience is highly preferred.
- Locations: At the NWCSRA office in Romeoville and throughout the communities of Romeoville Recreation Department and Bolingbrook, Lockport and Plainfield Park Districts.

## Qualifications

- Must be at least 16 years of age.
- Must support the mission, vision, and values of the agency.
- Experience or desire to work with individuals with disabilities.
- Must have transportation to and from program sites.
- Ability to display a positive attitude and appropriately interact with individuals with disabilities.
- Ability to be dependable, flexible, and punctual in all programs.
- Must be able to perform the duties and responsibilities independently of others.

## Experience & Willingness to Learn/Grow:

- Willingness to learn and grow in providing recreation opportunities for individuals with disabilities.
- Ability to make accommodations for individuals with disabilities of various ages.
- Certification in First Aid/CPR preferred (training will be made available).
- Certification in CPI preferred (training will be made available).

Please see attached job description for more details

Date Posted: 6/29/2023

Closing Date: Open until filled

Inquires can complete the application at [nwcsra.org](http://nwcsra.org) and return to Gina Petkus, Staff Development & Outreach Manager at [gpetkus@nwcsra.org](mailto:gpetkus@nwcsra.org)