

# Photographer

## Job Description



### Goal

- Serve Still Water by using your artistic talents in photography
- Paint a clear picture of camp, especially camper transformation for those that are not involved with the camp or are not in attendance.
- Provide organized photos of AAC, AAS, MP, Staff, Families, Campers, Sports, and Marketing on time.

### Chain of Communication

- Report to the Hospitality Director
- Collaborate with Program Director for slide-show presentations
- Collaborate with Communication Coordinator on filing system

### Pre-camp Responsibilities

- Be present at all necessary staff training
- Prepare yourself spiritually, mentally, and physically prior to coming out to camp
- Make sure that all hardware and software necessary for accomplishing your job with excellence is available- at least 2 weeks prior to camp. Visit with Communication Coordinator if you need anything purchased- camera, batteries, memory sticks, carrying case, laptop, etc.
- Go over job description and E-Camp training with Communication Coordinator in detail

### Pre-Game Responsibilities (Saturday and Sunday Training)

- Staff photos (mug shots and action photos)
  - Goal: 3 good pics of staffers in action shot. Don't forget families!
- Familiarize yourself with schedule and staff. Know where to be & when to be there, and who people are.
- Make sure you are ready to roll with E-Camp.

### Camp Responsibilities

- Be present at staff devotionals in the mornings
- Meet with Program Director to set up slide show before every PM worship
- Take head shots of all campers and group shots of all groups (cabin, all camp, tribe, sport)
- Make schedule of all camp photo, cabin photo, etc for Tuesday Picture Day
- Capture Spiritual aspect of camp with shots of worship, prayer, Bible study, quiet time, etc.

#### Still Water Sports Camp

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- Capture physical aspect of camp with action shots of sports, water, competition, etc.
- Capture fun part of camp (skits, bloopers, other silly shots, etc.)
- Upload a minimum of 100 photos per day and one Daily Summary on to E-Camp; download emails to be printed & distributed to TLC (which will then be passed out to tribal leaders, then to campers).
- File pictures into specific folders for easy access -- get this approved by Communication Coordinator
- Take head shots of all STAFF members as they check in the day before camp starts. Take pictures of the staff the same as you do the campers - action shots, spiritual shots, etc...
- DO NOT HAND CAMERA OFF TO ANYBODY ELSE FOR PICTURES UNTIL YOU HAVE CLEARED IT WITH CAMP DIRECTOR

### **Post-Camp Responsibilities**

- Capture campers leaving, assist with breakdown and clean-up of camp.
- Make sure camp photos are broken up into folders called:
  - Fun
  - Worship
  - Campers
    - sorted by name (Registrar provides day before camp)
  - Multi-cultural
  - Sport
  - Water
  - Crazy
  - Golgotha
  - Marketing
  - Groups
  - Close-ups
  - Staff
    - sorted by name (Registrar provides day before camp)
  - Nature
  - Slide Show
- Hand deliver jump-drive to Communication Coordinator no later than the day following camp

### **Sample Daily Summary entries for E-camp:**

Following are some sample daily summaries to use as examples for creating your own. For more past entries, log in Thrive, go to Tools, eCamp, News Manager, then type in the dates you want to see.

#### Example 1:

Hey everybody!

This first day of camp was awesome! Everyone arrived and settled in to their cabins. Right after all the parents left we had our 2 minute drill which entails the kids going to different stations for 2 minutes and practicing different things. For dinner, in case you were wondering, we were served some amazing BBQ! So good! The kids were certainly full and smiling. Next, Chalk talk, which consisted of worship and the speaker, Samuel Bernal, passionately speaking about creation and hoping to get the kids really excited about God's word! Cabin time was next where they just reflect on what was talked about during Chalk Talk. Before the night was over, they had a snack and played dodgeball in the! Today has been awesome and your kids are great! Excited for the week!

#### Example 2: Girls camp, day 4

Good evening parents!

Your girls had a great time today. Sport was finished up today with scrimmages and best practices. The girls have improved so much over the last three days! After lunch we encountered some rain and therefore the girls got a longer FOB (Flat On Back...nap) time than planned, but they did not complain one bit. We have been running non-stop since Sunday.

Golgatha came next, and though it was a little wet from the rain, the run was challenging and a wonderful experience. The girls got a lot out of it. Ask them about it! Next came the awards banquet and then chalk talk, followed by cabin time. The girls came back for snack and ended up in a glow stick neon dance party which was a ton of fun. They were ready for bed!

We were so glad they got to come to camp this and we are counting down the days until next time!

#### Example 3: Boys Football Camp

Hello Hello!

Parents, Tuesday was amazing! It started off with BOC, breakfast of champions; and it was a real breakfast of champions the way it all went down. NUEYO (never underestimate your opponent), which is a time for the campers to have mission briefing with God, allowing him to speak to them for the day and seeking him in his truth,

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happened after breakfast. Honestly it's such an amazing sight to see!

Football time!!! Tuesday was all about defense. Defensive lineman, line backers, defensive back, corner back, and safety; they all had drills to go through. The coaches worked with them individually as well as a whole. I might not know much about football, but it all looks intense especially when Jehreme Urban is the head football coach! (Former NFL player)

Water time! The campers got time to cool off and play at the water front, which is full of inflatables and kayaks for them to enjoy! They had fun and if you take a look at the pictures you will see that for sure.

Football continued as they have 3 a days for camp and coach Urban wants them to get as much as he can offer them, to take with them, out of camp. Chalk talk was amazing as Matt Uzzell our speaker spoke on the cross and what Christ did and stood for. It was amazing to see all the campers to be so interested in the talk and asking questions to their tribal leaders about it. The night ended really well with the campers getting a good night sleep for today's full packed schedule.

Hope y'all have an amazing day!