

Youth Programs Overview

The youth programs at The Center for Wooden Boats explore small craft maritime skills and heritage in a dynamic hands-on environment on Lake Union. Instructors teach beginner to intermediate skills in after school sailing and weekend programs for youth ages 8-16. CWB's youth programs promote self-confidence and foster skills in observation, decision-making, and team work while sailing in 8'-12' classic wooden boats.

As a junior instructor you get to learn a variety of skills and gain work experience

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The Center for Wooden Boats

Join Our Youth Team as
a Junior Instructor!



The Center for Wooden Boats promotes northwest maritime heritage through education, interpretation and hands-on experience in building, maintaining and using historic small craft.

Summer Camps

JUNIOR INSTRUCTOR ROLE

Reports To:
Youth Programs Manager

Hours:
Monday - Friday
8:30am-4:30pm

Type:
Seasonal, June - August
(potential for school year
positions)

-Must be able to commit
to a minimum of 2
summer camp weeks or
one off season (spring/fall)-

This is a volunteer position
for students aged 14 years
and above.

Hours and days can be
flexible but must be
discussed in advance.

Responsibilities & Qualifications

- Assist sailing & woodworking instructors in delivering summer programs
- Assist with camp activities such as running field games, setting up activities
- Work with Youth Sailing & Boat Building staff to evaluate program
- Passion for working with students & wooden boats
- Able to lift light to medium weight (20-50 lbs) solo and/or heavy objects (50-100 lbs) with assistance
- Ability to problem solve and work independently and as a team member
- Preferred: CPR/AED/First Aid Certification

What YOU Gain

- Training in on the water safety & boat safety
- Volunteer experience / hours
 - Potential to earn The Presidential Volunteer Service award
- Letter of Recommendation upon request
- CPR/First Aid Training
- Access to our fleet of rentable boats for FREE
- Amazing friendships with other Junior Instructors & Instructors!
- Free CWB membership 45+ logged hours volunteered

To apply or for more
information please contact
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