



<b>Job Title:</b>	<b>Entertainment Team Lead</b>
<b>Location:</b>	Mount Gilead, OH
<b>Job Class:</b>	Seasonal, Temporary
<b>Job Timeline:</b>	May-August 2023
<b>Reports to:</b>	Program Manager

## Entertainment Team Lead

The Entertainment Team Lead will provide supervision, coaching and support to the entertainment team in the delivery of full group program entertainment and theme development. This may include emceeding full group programs, leading songs and dances, and coordinating mealtime team leaders. The Entertainment Team Lead is responsible for coordinating daily camp logistics including the delivery of full group programs and meal times.

### **Team Overview:**

The Program Team brings the camp experience to life by creating programs, building community and ensuring the safety and wellbeing of all camp participants. The team creates accessible and developmentally-appropriate programs and recruits, processes and supports a large team of volunteers and seasonal staff. In adherence with laws and camp governing bodies; they develop, plan and implement camp emergency procedures and policies.

### **Responsibilities:**

- Attend Seasonal Staff Training (May 30 - June 8)
- Attend Ropes Training (May 19-21)
- Support in the intentional design on village and full-camp thematic programs
- Coordinate with seasonal and full time staff to create a mealtime lead schedule including training
- Support and lead the entertainment team in the facilitation of programs, games, and songs
- Provide regular feedback and evaluate Entertainment Specialists
- Ensure campers' medical and psychosocial needs are met in village and full group programming by supporting in the implementation of appropriate adaptations
- Support entertainment team in the development and implementation of inclement weather plans
- Fill role on the emergency staffing table as needed

### **Required Skills, Qualifications & Experience**

- Ability to move across camp grounds and between buildings and activity areas multiple times each day
- Ability to perform job functions outside during summer months (humidity, heat, rain)

- Ability to coordinate a multi-faceted program for campers aged 8-16 years with varying physical and developmental abilities
- Demonstrate flexibility, creative problem-solving and optimism in the face of obstacles
- Confidence in public speaking and leading large groups
- Ability to independently manage tasks and workload in a fast-paced environment
- Ability to provide support and lead peers and children
- Ability to live on site

### **Preferred Skills, Qualifications & Experience**

- At least 1 season of summer residential camp (or comparable youth programming) experience
- Peer leadership experience

### **Expectations & Requirements for all Flying Horse Farms Staff**

We live our Values. We are each responsible for knowing our values and nurturing our culture:

- We are All In. We demonstrate a willingness to do what it takes to get the job done, we are supportive and loyal, show up present and ready and we are passionate about "Campers First."
- We have an Attitude of Optimism. We find what is working and make more of that happen, demonstrate adaptability within ambiguity, spread joy and hope and ensure everyone we interact with feels "Welcomed Home."
- We are Trustworthy. We are consistent, dependable, and steady, truthful and operate with transparency, take ownership for our work and "See the Best" in others.
- We Take Initiative. We are driven, work towards goals with fortitude, pay attention to details and find innovative solutions with "Fearless is Free" attitudes.

### **How to Apply:**

<https://flyinghorsefarms.org/get-involved/seasonal-positions/>

*Flying Horse Farms provides magical, transformative camp experiences for children with serious illnesses and their families - free of charge. Located on 200 acres in Mt. Gilead, Ohio, camp first opened its gates in 2010 and hosts about 900 children and families each year.*

*Flying Horse Farms is the first camp in the Midwest to become a full member of the SeriousFun Children's Network. Founded in 1988 by actor, philanthropist and Ohio native Paul Newman, the Network is a community of independently managed and financed camps and programs creating opportunities for children with serious illnesses and their families. The Network has evolved from one camp to a global community serving one million children and families across five continents.*

*The children who attend camp have illnesses including cancer, heart conditions, rheumatoid arthritis, blood disorders, asthma, gastrointestinal disorders and facial anomalies.*

*At Flying Horse Farms, for a weekend or week at a time, being sick takes a backseat to being a kid. And fun is priority number one. Campers participate in activities like swimming, boating, fishing, archery, high ropes and arts*

*and crafts. Campers receive first-rate care at our on-site health center, staffed 24/7 by medical professionals from children's hospitals across Ohio and beyond.*

*Flying Horse Farms is an ACA-Accredited Camp with the American Camp Association.*