



MISSISSIPPI BAND OF CHOCTAW INDIANS

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JOB ANNOUNCEMENT# 198198

POSITION TITLE: Group Leader
SUPERVISOR: Boys & Girls Club Standing Pine Unit Director
JOB LOCATION: Boys & Girls Club Standing Pine Unit
SALARY: Grade 4
OPENING DATE: APRIL 04, 2023 APR 04 2023
CLOSING DATE: APRIL 18, 2023 OR UNTIL FILLED
EMPLOYMENT TYPE: Regular Full Time

SCOPE OF SERVICE AND EFFECT:

The Group Leader helps to plan, develop, and implement a comprehensive program of service and curriculums for youth enrolled in the Boys & Girls Clubs of the Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians. The Group Leader is involved in all aspects of Club activities as an instructor, community liaison person, program coordinator, and administrator.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Serves as an instructor and planner for the Boys & Girls Clubs of the Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians programs and curriculums that are reflective of those provided by the national level of Boys & Girls Clubs.
2. Solicits and utilizes input from members and staff in the process of planning, developing and scheduling programs and activities.
3. Prepares program outlines and develops or secures program materials appropriate for curriculum or program being implemented.
4. Develops and implements methods of recognition for participation and achievement.
5. Maintains positive working relationships with community agencies, parents, and community stakeholders for the purpose of team building and the effective use of resources and services.
6. Performs program evaluation activities, maintains accurate and complete records on activities and attendance, requisitions supplies and equipment as needed, and performs related administrative tasks as required.
7. Must be willing to travel locally/nationally for training seminars, meetings, events related to Boys & Girls Club.

8. Must be able to work day/evening hours with availability to work after hours or on weekends for field trips and special events sponsored by Boys & Girls Club Program.
9. Must conduct self in a professional manner in dress and mannerism.
10. Must work during the Annual Choctaw Indian Fair as assigned.
11. Must be reliable and possess good work ethics: ability to work well with coworkers, able to follow instructions and directives by supervisors, arrive to work station on time and good attendance.
12. Performs other duties as assigned by supervisor.

WORK ENVIRONMENT:

Work will be performed in the community and club the employee is assigned. Work may also be performed in other clubs on the reservation as well as locations off reservation as needed.

PHYSICAL DEMAND:

There will be some physical exercise required in club activities. Must be able to lift and move objects and/or materials weighing 50 pounds or less.

QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Must have a high school diploma or GED. A degree from an accredited college or university is preferred.
2. Must be familiar with Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians culture, lifestyles, and health risks. Ability to speak Choctaw is preferred.
3. Must have one year previous work experience with children and young people in a health and human services related field.
4. Must have an understanding of children and youth behavioral needs, good interpersonal skills, good verbal and written communication skills, and the ability to establish sound, positive working relationships with program participants, volunteers, and the community.
5. Must possess or obtain first aid and CPR certification.
6. Must have dependable transportation, state driver's license, automobile insurance as required by state law, and clearance to operate Tribal vehicles.
7. Must submit to a background check pursuant to Public Law 101-630, Title IV, Indian Child Protection and Family Violence Prevention Act of 1990.
8. Must maintain a code of behavior as outlined in the Tribal Code of Behavior.
9. **Must not have been convicted of any misdemeanor or felony against children, including child pornography.**

Note: The Administrative Personnel Policy & Procedures of the Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians, Native American Preference, Section II, (A), have been revised and approved as follows:

Further bolstering this Native American Preference to promote employment of MBCI members, it is the policy of MBCI to employ person(s) who are not members of MBCI only when no qualified member of MBCI, who has applied for the position, can be trained or upgraded to fill a given job vacancy within a reasonable period of time at a reasonable cost, and then only when a Waiver of Native American Preference has been secured from the Committee on Human Resources, Training and Development on a case-by-case basis.

The authority to waive Native American Preference laws can only be exercised by the Committee on Human Resources, Training and Development. The Committee will exercise its discretion to do so only when a motion is made by a committee member to support such waiver and the Committee determines by reviewing the facts and appropriate written documentation that a waiver is justified. A waiver to allow the employment of a person who is not a member of MBCI, or to employ a person who is Native American outside the order of preference set forth in this Policy, can be made by the Committee only for as long as the person who is granted the waiver remains in the position for which the waiver was granted. That waiver does not apply to other openings which the person who is granted the waiver may request a promotion or transfer for, or apply for. The Committee only has the right to approve or disapprove a waiver that has been requested by Executive Branch supervisors, and has no right to direct, demand, or coerce any Executive Branch supervisor or personnel that any specific applicant other than the one for which waiver is sought, be employed. Supervisors who do not follow the Native American Preference Policy are subject to disciplinary action up to termination.

IF INTERESTED, REQUEST OR SUBMIT APPLICATION TO:

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