RECREATION DEPARTMENT 2023 SUMMER EMPLOYMENT APPLICATION

All summer seasonal positions are listed with the job title, hours of operation and description of responsibilities. Complete the City of Waltham's application, CORI request form, and schedule an appointment for an interview.

Please bring all completed forms and a photo ID with you to your interview.

Carefully read the entire application.

2022 Returning Staff - Returning employees do NOT need to schedule an interview, unless they are requesting a change in position. The completed application should be submitted to the Recreation Department, 510 Moody St. by **Friday, April 28, 2023.**

New Applicants – New applicants will need to complete an application and are required to schedule an interview before **Friday, April 28, 2023!** Interviews can be scheduled by contacting the Recreation Department Office at (781) 314-3475. It is the responsibility of the applicant to schedule an interview.

All applicants must complete the enclosed CORI (Criminal Offender Record Information) request form. This form should be completed and submitted with your application. A copy of your photo ID, license or valid Passport is also required. If you are under 18 years of age, your parents must also sign the CORI request form.

Review the attached list of summer positions to determine which one you are most interested in. Any questions you have about a position can be answered during your interview.

If selected for a position, you will be required to be certified in child CPR/First Aid/AED. If you are currently not certified, or need to recertify, a few scheduled classes will be offered. If you are unable to attend any of the scheduled classes, you must register for one at your own expense. All employees must be certified prior to the start of the summer season. Former employees will need to submit verification of certification. CPR/First Aid/AED certifications are valid for two years.

All 2023 available positions as described in this packet are dependent upon Fiscal Year 2024 budget appropriations. It may be necessary to adjust hours of employment, wages, and/or period of time applicants will be employed.

Any questions? Call the Recreation Department Office at 781-314-3475



Waltham Recreation Department

During the summer months, the Waltham Recreation Department offers a variety of recreational programs for children entering kindergarten in September through grade nine.

Supervisory Staff must accept a full (8 weeks) summer commitment.

The Waltham Recreation Department has openings for supervisory staff, program instructors, as well as spray park, amusement attendants and special event staff. Those applicants selected will help us provide enjoyable and memorable summer experiences to all participants in a safe, nurturing, and healthy environment.

The following is a list of available positions for 2023:

1. Supervisory Positions

Assistant Director for

Kaleidoscope Program

(Participants are entering Kindergarten through grade six)

Summer Fun at Prospect Hill Program

(Participants are entering grade one through grade six)

Summer in the City Program

(Participants are entering Kindergarten through grade six)

Teen Tripz Program

(Participants are entering grade seven through grade nine)

LEAP Director

Teen leadership experience within the Summer Fun at

Prospect Hill Program

(Participants are entering grades seven, eight, and nine)

2. Program Instructors

Kaleidoscope Program

(Participants are entering Kindergarten through grade six)

Summer Fun at Prospect Hill Program

(Participants are entering grade one through grade six)

Summer in the City Program

(Participants entering Kindergarten through grade six)

Teen Tripz Program

(Participants are entering grades seven through grade nine)

- 3. Spray Park Attendants at various locations
- 4. Amusements Attendants at Prospect Hill Park (must be 18 or older)
- 5. Special Event Program Instructor (May 20th and July 4th)

Summer Program Supervisors

Assistant Director – Kaleidoscope Program
Assistant Director – Summer Fun at Prospect Hill Program
Assistant Director – Summer in the City Program
Assistant Director – Teen Tripz

LEAP Director – Summer Fun at Prospect Hill Program
(Teen Leadership Program)

Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. June 26 through August 18 (8 weeks)

Supervisory staff are responsible for assisting with planning, organizing, implementing, and delivering full day summer recreational programs designed to serve Waltham youth between kindergarten and grade nine.

Supervisory staff must demonstrate leadership skills necessary to ensure all program participants and staff members are safe and engaging in appropriate activities for their age and skill level.

Supervisory staff assist full time Recreation Supervisors with a variety of tasks including proper supervision of seasonal staff members, registered program participants, and the delivery of a well-balanced offering of summer recreational activities.

Supervisory staff are required to assist full time Recreation Department staff members with program needs and organizational aspects of the program being offered including but not limited to the following:

- Providing a safe and healthy environment for all participants and staff; including modifying activities to be inclusive to all participants
- Possessing the ability to supervise, direct, teach, and demonstrate skills to subordinates and engage in activities being offered to program participants
- Providing discipline as necessary, according to Recreation Department Policies and Procedures
- Program planning based on program goals, participants needs and for special assignments within weekly themes
- Supervising special events
- Effective communication with parents/guardians, program participants, program instructors and full time Recreation Supervisors
- Assisting with the schedule and regulating daily work assignments
- Accountability for equipment and facility security
- Supervision and implementation of all health and safety protocols
- Teen Tripz Assistant Director is required to have a valid drivers license and will be required to drive a passenger van

Supervisory staff must have knowledge of departmental standard practices and operating policies and procedures. They must have the ability to work independently and in combination with others as well as exercise good judgment in making decisions required on a daily basis.

Supervisory staff may be required to cover work assignments of all other staff positions if the situation warrants.

These positions require an active, healthy and energetic person capable of working in summer weather conditions, primarily outdoors. The work environment may at times be very hot and humid, loud and noisy, and fast paced.

Program Instructors

Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. July 3 through August 18 (7 weeks)

Program Instructors are assigned to work in a multi grade level outdoor program. Throughout the day, instructors will be engaged in facilitating and encouraging youth to participate in activities including sports, dancing, arts and crafts, games, and a variety of special events. A schedule provides the instructor with the basic structure for a well-balanced day.

Program Instructors are required to:

- Provide quality supervision to Waltham boys and girls with an emphasis on the children's social, emotional, and physical well being
- Provide a safe atmosphere for participants and other staff
- Supervise and participate in a structured program that provides a balance of recreational activities in summer weather conditions, primarily outdoors
- Create and modify activities to best meet the age and skill of the participants in their assigned groups
- Demonstrate frequent and open communication with staff, participants, and parents
- The instructor's responsibility is to adapt activities to be inviting and developmentally appropriate to the grade range they are working with
- Instructors will be responsible for organizing and leading activities for their specific group and at times
 for all youth within the program. Instructors will assist with social skills; interaction with peers,
 participation in sports, games, other leisure activities, and daily organizational skills
- Program Instructors are responsible for program set up and clean up each day. They are responsible for the care of all supplies and equipment used
- Implementation of all health and safety protocols

Instructors will have to model appropriate social behavior, modify activities to meet the needs of the youth and the group, and facilitate social interactions, if necessary. Instructors will work to include all youth to the best of their ability within each activity throughout the day. This position includes supervision of the children while at the Water Spray Park.

Program Instructors report directly to the full time Recreation Supervisors and Assistant Directors.

Must be CPR/AED and First Aid certified by an authorized provider.

Spray Park Attendants

Monday through Friday 12:00 noon – 7:00 p.m. July 3 through August 18

Attendants are assigned to water spray parks at the following locations:

Drake Playground Hazel Street

Fitch Aquatic Spray Facility Corner of Ash and Crescent Street

Graverson Playground Pinevale Road
Lazazzero Playground Lake Street
Monsignor McCabe Playground Charlotte Road

McDonald Playground Cutter St

Spray Park facilities are open seven days a week. The facilities will open in early June if weather conditions warrant. The season may be extended beyond the August 19, 2023 date, if hot and humid conditions exist. Additional hours could be available weather depending.

<u>Spray Park - Hours of operation</u> Subject to change, weather permitting.

Monday through Friday 10:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Sunday 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Spray Park Attendants are responsible for:

- Supervision of the facility
- Ensuring a safe environment for all participants
- Inspection of grounds prior to the start of the day and basic maintenance as necessary throughout the day
- Effective communication with parents/guardians, users visiting the facilities, Recreation Department summer season staff and supervisors

Please review the list of facilities and mark your preference on the employment application. Spray park location assignments are provided at orientation, prior to the start of the summer season.

Amusements Attendant

Attractions at Prospect Hill are located within Prospect Hill Park. Attendants would help with supervision of attractions, amenities and the facility.

Hours of operation

Subject to change, weather permitting

Saturday/Sunday 12:00 p.m.- 6:00 p.m.

Special Event – Program Instructors

Available to assist with afterschool, weekend or special events offered. (May 20th and July 4th)

WALTHAM RECREATION DEPARTMENT SUMMER EMPLOYMENT APPLICATION

Name:	
Cell Phone Number:	Email Address:
School Currently Attending:	
School Attending, Sept. 2023	Grade Level:
	Preferred T-shirt size
Explain why you are applying for this position	and what you could offer to the children of Waltham:

Those applicants previously employed (summer of 2022) by the Waltham Recreation Department and recommended for rehire by their supervisors, are not required to have an interview, unless they would like to change positions.

* ALL NEW APPLICANTS MUST MAKE AN APPOINTMENT FOR AN INTERVIEW *

Appointments for interviews can be made at the Recreation Department office, Monday through Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., or by calling (781) 314-3475 during business hours.

NO APPLICANT CAN BE CONSIDERED FOR EMPLOYMENT WITHOUT FIRST FILING A COMPLETE APPLICATION AND BEING INTERVIEWED.

Please choose the position you are most interested in.
Then select in order of priority #1, #2, etc. your preferred position/location.

SUPERVISORY POSITIONS					
Assistant Director Kaleidoscope					
Assistant Director Summer Fun at Prospect Hill					
Assistant Director Summer in the City					
Assistant Director Teen Tripz					
LEAP Director					
PROGRAM INSTRUCTOR POSITIONS					
KALEIDOSCOPE (Monsignor McCabe Playground, 90 Charlotte Road)					
SUMMER FUN at Prospect Hill (Prospect Hill Park, 314 Totten Pond Road)					
SUMMER IN THE CITY (Nipper Maher Park, 65 Dartmouth St)					
TEEN TRIPZ (Waltham Recreation Dept. 510 Moody Street)					
SPRAY PARK					
Drake Playground (Hazel Street)					
Fitch Aquatic Spray Facility (Corner of Ash and Crescent Street)					
Graverson Playground (Pine Vale Road)					
Lazazzero Playground (Lake Street)					
Monsignor McCabe Playground (Charlotte Road)					
McDonald Playground (Cutter St)					
Amusements Attendant					
Special Event – Program Instructor					

The summer season is seven weeks; July 3, 2023 – August 19, 2023.

It is highly encouraged that the applicant can work all seven weeks of the summer season.

1	July 3 – July 7 (Monday, Wednesday – Friday)	5	July 31 – August 4
2	July 10 – July 14	6	August 7 – August 11
3	July 17 - July 21	7	August 14 – August 18
4	July 24 – July 28		

I understand all information provided is ac	ccurate and my summer availability is listed above.	

CITY OF WALTHAM POSITION 119 School Street Waltham, MA 02451 (781) 314-3355 Fax (781) 314-3358



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This form is not to be faxed. Please return form to organization . **Criminal Offender Record Information (CORI) Acknowledgement Form**

To be used by organiza	ations conducting CORI checks for employment	or licensing purposes.
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SUBJECT INFORMATION Please complete this section using the information of the person whose CORI you are requesting. The fields marked with an asterisk (*) are required fields. * First Name: ______ Middle Initial: _____ * Last Name:______ Suffix (Jr., Sr., etc.): ______ Former Last Name 1: Former Last Name 2: Former Last Name 3: Former Last Name 4: _____ * Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY): ______ Place of Birth: _____ * Last SIX digits of Social Security Number: ____ -- ___ __ _ _ _ DNo Social Security Number Sex: _____ Height: ____ ft. ____ in. Eye Color: _____ Race: _____ Driver's License or ID Number: ______ State of Issue: _____ Father's Full Name: ______ Mother's Full Name: **Current Address** * Street Address: _____ Apt. # or Suite: ______ *City: _____ *State: ____ *Zip: _____ SUBJECT VERIFICATION The above information was verified by reviewing the following form(s) of government-issued identification: Verified by: Print Name of Verifying Employee

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