

WAUKEGAN PARK DISTRICT

PRESS RELEASE

Waukegan Park District Job Fair
Wednesday, March 24
11am-7pm
Field House Sports, Fitness & Aquatics Center
800 N Baldwin Avenue

Waukegan, IL (March 20, 2017) –The Waukegan Park District is holding a Job Fair on Wednesday, March 22, 11am-7pm at the Field House Sports, Fitness & Aquatics Center, located at 800 Baldwin Avenue.

Persons looking for full time, part time and seasonal work are encouraged to attend. Hiring staff will be on hand to answer questions and possibly interview candidates for the following positions:

- Parks Maintenance Staff
- Summer Camp Staff
- Lifeguards
- Swim Instructors
- Front Desk Clerks
- Recreation Staff
- Custodial Staff

All Waukegan Park District open positions are posted online at www.waukeganparks.org/employment.

All employment applications must be made online. There will be a computer onsite at the job fair to complete online applications. For additional information, please contact Mike Mayfield at 847-360-4710 or mmayfield@waukeganparks.org.

About the Waukegan Park District

Established on December 26, 1916, the district has 48 sites and more than 735 acres of land, including the 18-hole Bonnie Brook and 9-hole Greenshire Golf Courses. Properties are managed to the highest environmental and conservation standards. Facilities operated by the district include the Field House Sports and Fitness Center, the Jack Benny Center for the Arts, the Waukegan SportsPark, the Waukegan Skate Park, the Waukegan BMX Track, recreational centers, an outdoor swimming pool, disc golf course, dog exercise area and agility course, outdoor sports fields, picnic areas, playgrounds, and sports courts including basketball, tennis and pickleball. A full range of programs and services are offered year round for all ages, from

infants to seniors as well as special needs populations. Healthy lifestyles, wellness initiatives, and a connection with the outdoors and nature are integrated throughout programs, services, and special events. Cultural events are provided by the Waukegan Symphony Orchestra and Concert Chorus, and the Waukegan History Museum. There is something for everyone! The award-winning District employs 61 full-time and over 230 part-time, year round, seasonal, and temporary employees. The District is a member of the National Recreation and Park Association (NRPA), Illinois Association of Park Districts (IAPD), and Illinois Park and Recreation Association (IPRA). The district maintains national accreditation from the NRPA Commission for Accreditation of Park and Recreation Agencies (CAPRA), Illinois Association of Park Districts (IAPD) Distinguished Agency accreditation and Park District Risk Management Agency (PDRMA) accreditation and maintains a Level A Loss Control Program. The district was a NRPA Gold Medal Finalist in 2012 and 2013, and awarded the NRPA National Gold Medal Award for Excellence in Park and Recreation Management in 2013.

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