Position Description

CLIMBING WALL FACILITATOR
University Recreation & Sport Facilities (UR & SF)
Hilltop Recreation Center, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire

Accountability
Reports to Environmental Adventure Center Manager

Responsibilities
The Climbing Wall Facilitator is responsible for providing safe access to the McPhee/Ade Olson sports complex climbing wall.

Specific Duties
- Demonstrate knowledge of ALL workings of the climbing wall operations, safety protocol, systems and procedures necessary to teach participants proper belay skills consistent with UWEC policy and procedures
- Conduct climber orientations and skills checks
- Understand aspects of the physical structure (breaking strengths, equipment, equipment wear, knot tying, etc.)
- Document participant records, i.e. activity waiver, orientation/skills check
- Establish goals and objectives with students (reference skills sheet)
- Inspect equipment prior to use
- Maintain use log for all ropes according to UWEC policy and procedures
- Report any equipment damage to Environmental Adventure Center Manager
- Secure the climbing wall when not in use
- Enforce UWEC policy and procedures to ensure safety of all climbers
- Have a general knowledge of the Adventure Education philosophy

Certification and Training:
- 2 ½ day PCIA Climbing Wall Instructor Certification (provided upon employment)
- Knowledge of ALL LOP’S (Local Operating Procedures) and systems necessary to set up and lead participating individuals through the climbing wall
- Demonstrate satisfactory proficiency on all technical skills including spotting and belaying techniques
- CPR/First Aid and AED certifications are required.
- Criminal Background Check will be required.

Qualifications and Salary
Applicants must be self-directed individuals with a strong work ethic, a positive attitude, good customer service skills and the ability to work well with others. Applicants must be at least a part-time student (6 credits for federal work study, 1 credit for non-federal) with at least two semesters remaining at UWEC.

Base Wage
Division III: $9.00 per hour

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