The YMCA of Brandon has the following Job Opening:

Lifeguard and/or Swimming Instructor

Starting Salary: $10.50 **Position start date**: Ongoing

Nature and Scope

Reporting to the Aquatic Director, this full time or part time position provides a flexible schedule and the opportunity to work outside at the Kinsmen Pool and the Kiwanis YMCA Keystone Pool this summer. A staff membership is provided to all staff. Join our Aquatics team and maintain a safe environment at all times, educate the public regarding safe swimming habits and provide progressive swimming instruction in the YMCA aquatic system.

Responsibilities

- Ensure all safety and life guarding procedures are adhered to, and in the event of an emergency respond as trained in accordance with the NLS standards set out by the Lifesaving Society Manitoba Branch and your Standard First Aid training.
- Attend regular staff trainings and be able to perform the NLS standards set out by the Lifesaving Society Manitoba Branch and Standard First Aid standards.
- To keep all certifications up-to-date as a condition of employment
- Enforce all rules and regulations and maintain order in his/her designated area as a proactive approach to ensuring safety and accident prevention.
- Keep Daily Logs up to date and accurate.
- Cleaning Duties as required.
- Safety checks of lifesaving equipment prior to each shift.
- Plan, organize and implement core lesson plans/daily lesson plans, progress reports and evaluations.
- Maintain accurate, up to date progress sheets and records for participants.
- Set up and take down recreational, program and other equipment as required – at the same time checking that equipment is safe and in good repair (reporting immediately all malfunctions and removing the damaged equipment immediately from circulation).

Qualifications

NLS Certification – every two years
YMCA and/or Red Cross Lifesaving Instructor Certification
First Aid and CPR C certification – every two years
Excellent oral and written communication skills
1-3 months of life guarding/instructing experience (an asset)
Criminal Record Check
Child Abuse Registry Check

If you are interested in this position please send a letter of application and resume to:

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