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## YMCA OF LANSING

### Rockwall Attendant, Westside YMCA

**General Function:** Under general supervision, safely and professionally facilitate use of the climbing wall.

#### **Duties and Responsibilities:**

- Maintain a positive attitude at all times and act in a professional manner when interacting with members, program participants, and other staff.
- Check the wall, boulder, floor, and equipment according to the safety checklist prior to each session.
- Remove any equipment deemed unsafe and report it to supervisor.
- Assist in safety orientation for members, program participants, and other staff.
- Help all participants use climbing harness, helmet, and shoes; enforce safety policy at all times.
- Maintain accurate records of participation for each session and activity.
- Adhere to all policies and procedures in the rock wall manual.
- Prepare accident, missing item, and incident reports as required, contacting appropriate personnel in case of emergencies within the required time frame.
- Maintain strict adherence to safety procedures and attend safety meetings as scheduled.
- Monitor climbing wall and related activities; record/log test results into software program..
- Maintain a high level of knowledge in proper belay standards.
- Communicate/teach buddy check, belay commands/motions/techniques, knot craft, and Dos/DON'Ts.
- Assist the Coordinator with performing and logging monthly and quarterly safety inspections.
- Proficiency in belaying, tying in with a figure 8 knot, and movement on a climbing wall.
- Clean and store setting equipment and climbing holds.
- Other duties as assigned.

**Salary & Hours:** \$13 per/hour; maximum 28 hrs. per week. Monday-Friday 5:00 – 8:00 p.m.; Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

#### **Benefits:**

- FREE adult membership to the YMCA! A member of any YMCA in Michigan may visit any Y in the state as a membership benefit.
- A 50% discount on child care (not camp) at one of the Lansing YMCA's centers!
- A 25% discount on program fees (including camp) for themselves up to \$300 per year.

#### **Job Requirements:**

- Must be at least 21 years of age.
- Willing to learn/be trained in proper climbing, knot craft, and proficient rock wall skills.
- Ability to maintain strict safety standards, procedures, and proper technique to reduce risk.
- Must be comfortable working safely from height on a fixed line.
- Ability to learn.
- Ability to communicate at a high level on detailed climbing processes and safety standards.
- Ability to effectively communicate in a clear and concise manner, both verbally and in writing.
- Ability to work a flexible schedule including evenings and weekends.
- Completion of YMCA trainings within required time frame.

#### **Physical Demands**

While performing the duties of this job, the employee is often required to: bend, stoop, kneel, twist, reach with hands, sit, stand for an extended period of time, lift and/or move up to 40 pounds, have finger dexterity, grasp, perform repetitive motions, speak, hear, and have visual acuity.

#### **Disclaimers:**

- Must complete successful background screening.
- This job description may not be all-inclusive and employee is expected to perform all other duties as assigned by direct management.
- Job descriptions and duties may be modified when deemed appropriate by management.

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