



Camp ENCORE! Camp Music Director

Prescott Park Arts Festival, a well-established and dynamic non-profit organization, is looking to hire an enthusiastic and qualified Camp Music Director for its summer theater day-camp program, Camp ENCORE! This position will join the experienced, award-winning, fun and fast-paced team responsible for organizing this popular summer tradition that offers a diversity of performances from June to October each year. Events include weekly concerts, food and music festivals, national touring acts, film and a full production musical presentation, and more.

Prescott Park Arts Festival is a cultural leader in the Seacoast, and reaches nearly 150,000 people through its events, all offered by suggested donation in Portsmouth's beautiful downtown Prescott Park. The festival's contribution to the local economy in show and visitor related spending has swelled to \$7.5 million annually.

Position Detail:

The Camp ENCORE! Camp Music Director will work under the supervision of the Camp Director. The Music Director needs to be available for camp sessions Monday through Friday; June 17th through August 4th, from 9:00am to 4:00pm; additionally for one day of training leading up to the start of the first camp session.

- Skills

The successful candidates will possess the ability to work well under pressure, demonstrate strong leadership skills, and have a genuine passion for working with children and teamwork in a camp setting. Additionally, the music director will have a mastery of teaching music and playing the piano. Ideally looking for candidates that are

personable, dynamic, and motivational. These persons must be extremely organized with excellent communication, a formidable work ethic and strong problem-solving skills. Responsible and ethical are absolutely critical characteristics for this candidate because of the nature of the work with children.

Candidates with background in theater, musical productions, performing arts, have some experience/familiarity with camp and/or theatre are strongly encouraged to apply.

- Duties

Some duties include, but are not limited to:

- Perform daily music lessons with campers, teaching music fundamentals as necessary, as well as teaching the music for our show
- Teaching and working outdoors with a keyboard, potentially to campers who are singing through masks
- Teach music for three different shows within the six weeks of camp
- Communicates effectively with staff and parents/guardians on daily basis
- Helps to create/manage daily theatre lessons, instruction of show materials and camp games
- Serve as a positive role model who supplement the positive environment that is *Camp ENCORE!*
- Passion for Theater, Singing, Music, Dance
- Must be over the age of 18 to apply

2024 Camp Session Dates:

Session 1 – June 17 – July 7
Performance: July 8 and 9

Session 2 – July 8 – July 21
Performance: July 20 and 21

Session 3 – July 22 - August 4
Performance: August 3 and 4

Prescott Park Arts Festival is deeply committed to creating a diverse and inclusive environment and is proud to be an equal opportunity employer. We strongly encourage those with the following identities to apply: Black, local Indigenous, people of color and people with intersecting identities including LGBTQIA+, women and non-binary people, people living with disabilities and others with lived experience being part of marginalized communities.

Apply Here: please submit your application to camp@prescottpark.org.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST!