

# DOMESTIC MISSION OPPORTUNITY - 2019



## Positions Needed: Family Camp Volunteers

June 16 - June 22, 2019

July 14 – July 20, 2019

August 11 – August 17, 2019

Looking for a domestic mission opportunity? Look no further than Camp AweSum, located at Moon Beach Camp, in St. Germain, Wisconsin! Camp AweSum offers an affordable and multi-generational domestic mission experience that allows members of your congregation to interact with and serve youth on the autism spectrum and their families. Read below for more information about this amazing opportunity!



There are 3 Camp AweSum Family Camp events each summer that provide a recreational, safe, and secure camp environment for individuals on the Autism Spectrum and their families. Under the supervision of Autism Specialist, Dr. Glenis Benson, as well as other professionals, volunteers for family camps are expected to provide respite care daily in the morning (9:15am-12:15pm), after lunch (1:30pm-2:30pm), and Monday evening (5:45-7:30pm). Additionally, volunteers support camp by setting tables prior to each meal and helping clean up camp on Friday afternoon and Saturday morning.

Information regarding training opportunities will be made available at the time of registration. Training will cover camp's philosophies, respect-based support strategies, and visual supports.

On-site, in addition to enjoying the opportunities a camp environment has to offer (swimming, boating, hiking, archery, etc.), volunteers will increase their understanding of individuals on the autism spectrum and gain information to use in their own school, church, career, or community by having the opportunity to:

- Observe & work alongside experienced professionals in the field of autism
- Utilize respect based practices through the use of visual supports and strategies
- Engage with individuals on the autism spectrum and their families

**Do you have questions or are you interested?**

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**ELIGIBILITY:** Volunteers must be 14 years or older, however, volunteers 14-17 years old must be accompanied by a guardian or an approved youth group leader. Volunteers must be able to have sufficient mobility in order to move around camp with campers during daily activities.

COST INFORMATION: Suggested Donation for volunteers staying overnight, to cover cost of housing/food/afternoon programming: \$290.00. Cost is SUGGESTED and does not apply to local volunteers. If you are unable to pay, please contact us, as we do not want cost to prohibit anyone from participating.