

**Recruiting Day held the third Saturday of September
for "Facilitators in Training" (F.I.T.)**

There are a limited number of positions open. These positions are paid positions in the summer (8 weeks). We meet one weekend a month for training , service projects and FUN.

Questions Call Carly Robinson - 706-795-2098

MEMBER REQUIREMENTS:

- * Current member of the club.
- * Have transportation to & from Brookhaven Boys & Girls Club
- * Been a L.I.T. , Junior Leader, Member of Keystone or age 14-17 member of BGC
- * Have the Club Director or other BGC staff approval
- * Desire to work and play at Camp Kiwanis
- * Desire to work and teach other youth about the out of doors
- * Available 1 weekend a month to go to Camp Kiwanis for training and trips.

Qualities looking for in the Candidates: These qualities will be looked at and brought out in the activities we do. The current L.I.N.K. members and I will make the decision and inform the clubs and candidates within three days after the workshop.

Adaptability ~ Creativity ~ Enthusiasm ~ Aptitude to Learn ~ Safety Consciousness ~ Ability to deal with peers and adults ~ Takes the Initiative ~ Dependable ~ Good Attitude ~ Leadership abilities ~ Desire to Learn and Social and Employment skills.

**Logistic: Meet at Brookhaven from 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Saturday, September 18, 2010**

BRING YOUR LUNCH !

Agenda: Introductions, program overview, paperwork, interviews, new games workshop, volleyball, team building exercises and goal setting.

Directions to Brookhaven Boys & Girls Club: (404) 237-0765

I 85 North to North Druid Hills Road exit. The exit splits take the road that go under the bridge and loops back onto North Druid Hills road. At the red light at the end of the exit turn right continue straight and go through the intersection with Buford Hwy stay on North Druid Hill road stay in the right hand lane because the road splits again and continue until you pass the third red light you should see a ball field on the right go another block the Boys & Girls Club will be on the right.

Camp Kiwanis



L.I.N.K.

“Leaders In Nature Kingdom”
Brochure



BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS
OF METRO ATLANTA

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L.I.N.K. PROGRAM
(A Leadership Development Program)

Purpose: To train campers for future environmental jobs.

Programs:

L. I. T. (Leaders In Training) Each club sends 2 Junior Leaders {LIT} to camp during their session at Camp Kiwanis. The LIT's will assist the FIT's and will attend training programs in Kayaking & Communication skills. For ages 13-15

F. I. T. (Facilitators In Training) A year round program consisting of ten weekends trips during the school year and eight weeks during the resident camping program. The weekly schedule during the summer consists of being with an assigned group on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Tuesday and Thursday are set aside for training, working and playing; as are the school year weekends. They must be 14 years old.

A. L. O. T. (America's Leaders of Tomorrow) These youth have successfully graduated from the FIT program and are ready to refine their skills while providing vital services for the operation of camp. During the school year program they attend workshop and are role models for the FIT's. A nine week work experience (2d or 3rd year) in kitchen or maintenance. If skilled these members may assist in program areas (lifeguard). They must be at least 15 years old.

L. I. N. K. (Leaders In Natures Kingdom) These youth have gained both the hard skills (i.e. Kayaking) and soft skills (i.e. group dynamics) and are ready to demonstrate these skills with youth in the FIT/ALOT programs and campers. They have the opportunity to work on weekends in the kitchen and as junior counselors. LINK members most likely are graduates of the F.I.T. & A.L.O.T. Programs and are not ready to be a Facilitator (due to age or experience level). They must be 16 years old.

Alumni (Graduates of the Leadership development program -

L.I.N.K.) They are contracted to work on weekends and during the summer as staff.

K. I. T. (Kitchen aids) A work experience for members that may not be ready for FIT or A LOT programs. (or space limits)

Outward Bound (North Carolina School) We have a great relationship with this outstanding program. We are able to offer two to four scholarships per year to this school. We attempt to send our A.L.O.T.'s this helps us prepare them for future roles at camp.

Annual Training

1. Provide Outdoor Skills in instruction for Leader in Training (L. I. T.'s) and Falitators in Training (F.I. T.'s). F. I. T.'s. will be expected to learn, demonstrate and share them with campers at Camp Kiwanis.

- 1.1 Archery 1.2 Orienteering 1.3 Canoeing and Kayaking
- 1.4 Camp Poetry 1.5 Indian Games (Lacrosse) 1.6 The Body Works 1.7 Tubing 1.8 Ultimate Journey 1.9 Fishing
- 1.10 Group Initiative Games 1.11 Trip Planning (Camp Out)
- 1.12 Campfire Programs (Story Telling) 1.13 Night Hike
- 1.14 Cooking on Open Fire 1.15 Volleyball 1.16 Rope Course
- 1.17 Camp Natural History 1.18 Photography (digital & 35 mm)
- 1.19 Campcraft A. Fire Building B. Camp Site Selection
- C. Pitching Tents/Tarps D. Cooking E. Personal Hygiene
- F. Survival Technique G. Clothing to Wear

2. Provide "PEOPLE" skills needed to become a Camp Kiwanis ALOT with an emphasis on positive relationships.

- 2.1 Achievement Motivation 2.2 Group Dynamics and Crowd Control
- 2.3 Human Relations Skills A. Communications (Non-Verbal & Verbal) B. Listening Skills C. Systematic Helping Skills
- 2.4 Leadership Styles and Techniques 2.5 Developmental Stages of Youth (Physically & Mentally) 2.6 Problem Solving
- 2.7 Guidance as it Relates to Camper Discipline
- 2.8 Teaching Skills A. Teaching Methods (Experiential)
- B. Camp Curriculum C. Teachable Moments D. Evaluation
- 2.9 Camp Counselor (Responsibilities) 2.10 Setting and Creating a Climate for Programs 2.11 Camp's Impact on Self Concept
- 2.12 BIFF Score Card 2.13 Life's Laws 2.14 Resume
- 2.15 College prep

3. To provide needed information to become a "Safety Oriented" ALOT at Camp Kiwanis.

- 3.1 River Safety and Rescue 3.2 CPR and First Aid 3.3 Safety Briefings 3.4 Emergency Procedures (Disaster Control) A. Tornado B. Accidental Death C. Flood D. Missing Person E. Intruder
- F. Electrical Storm G. Fire H. Earthquake 3.5 First Aid Procedures 3.5 Transportation Guidelines A. Walking B. Van
- 3.6 Facility Standards 3.7 Camper Supervision 3.8 Campfire Safety