



2017 CAYUCOS BEACH JUNIOR LIFEGUARD VOLUNTEER AIDE PROGRAM

Cayucos Beach Junior Lifeguard (CBJG) Volunteer Aides is the first step in beach lifeguard training. Volunteers assist lifeguard staff in the daily operations of the CBJG Program. We consider our Volunteer Aide Program as a 3-week interview for lifeguard employment so our expectations are high. If for any reason the Volunteer Aide is not meeting our standards they will be dismissed from the program.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Volunteer **MUST** be a **minimum age of 14 years by June 1, 2017...no exceptions!**
2. Volunteer **MUST** be available to work a full 3-week session...*no exceptions!*
3. Volunteer **MUST** be available to attend MANDATORY Lifeguard Beach In-Services – *TBD*
4. Volunteer **MUST** have been in the Cayucos Beach Junior Lifeguard Program for 2 years (or equivalent).
5. Volunteer **MUST** submit a Volunteer Application form to sking@co.slo.ca.us or fax to 805.781.1102.

TRY-OUTS: Depending on the number of registrations for Volunteer Aides we may conduct try-outs. You will be notified prior to the beginning of the session if they occur. Try-outs may consist of a run-swim-run which must be completed in under 20 minutes, In & Out skills, and interview with lifeguard staff.

MANDATORY IN-SERVICE TRAINING:

Volunteers will be contacted by Beach Lifeguard Staff to update volunteers on In-Service Training dates. In-Services are typically on Saturday mornings prior to the towers opening up at Cayucos Beach. **NO MAKE UP DATES WILL BE OFFERED** as you will be training with Cayucos Beach Lifeguard Staff. Come prepared to swim.

OUR EXPECTATIONS FOR A VOLUNTEER ARE TO:

- Be on time, work, and not just hang out with friends
- Not sit around on the beach unless instructed to do so by lifeguard staff
- Take a **pro-active leadership role** by engaging CBJG's in skill building and activities
- Wear a clean, appropriate uniform daily (you will be given a t-shirt to wear)
- Follow directions in a timely manner and be responsive to constructive criticism
- Show appropriate respect for yourself and others by **being a good role model** for the participants
- Communicate concerns promptly to Instructors, CBJG Program Coordinator or Head Lifeguard

BENEFITS:

- Junior Lifeguard Program Registration fee is waived
- Community Service hours earned
- Develop strong work habits and leadership skills
- Prepare for possible employment with the County of San Luis Obispo Parks & Recreation

If you have any questions please contact Stacey King at sking@co.slo.ca.us or 805.781.4385



VOLUNTEER AIDE REGISTRATION

NAME: _____ **DOB:** _____

ADDRESS: _____ **CITY:** _____ **ZIP:** _____

PARENT / LEGAL GUARDIAN (Please Print): _____

MOM CELL: _____ **DAD CELL:** _____ **ALT:** _____

PARENT E-MAIL: _____ **ALT EMAIL:** _____

If there are any medical conditions that we should be aware of please explain: _____

___ CBJG Session I: June 26 - July 14 *Registration Deadline - FRIDAY, JUNE 9, 5:00pm*

___ DISCOVER: July 17 - July 21 *Registration Deadline - FRIDAY, JUNE 9, 5:00pm*

___ CBJG Session II: July 24 - August 11 *Registration Deadline - MONDAY, JULY 3, 5:00pm*

T-SHIRT (One Free): ADULT S M L XL XX *(ADDITIONAL T-Shirts \$15 each)*

HOODED SWEATSHIRT (\$30 EACH) ADULT S M L XL XXL

PAYMENT METHOD: We accept personal checks, money orders, and/or credit cards (Visa, MC, DISC). Make checks payable to: SLO County Parks

CARD#: _____ - _____ - _____ - _____ **EXP:** ____/____ **Name on card:** _____

WAIVER AND LIABILITY RELEASE IN CONSIDERATION OF THE ABOVE NAMED MINOR'S PARTICIPATION IN THE COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY'S ("COUNTY") JUNIOR LIFEGUARD PROGRAM, I ACKNOWLEDGE AND AGREE TO EACH OF THE FOLLOWING:

1. I RELEASE, WAIVE, DISCHARGE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE THE COUNTY, ITS ELECTED OFFICIALS, EMPLOYEES, BOARD MEMBERS, OFFICERS, AGENTS AND VOLUNTEERS (collectively, "County") from all liability to the participating minor for any loss, damage, or claim, now or in the future, on account of injury (including paralysis and dismemberment) or death to the person or property of the participating minor, whether caused by any gross, passive or active negligent act or omission of the County, to the extent such waiver and release is permitted by California law, while the participating minor is participating in the County activity or using any County facilities in connection with the activity.
2. I AGREE TO INDEMNIFY, DEFEND AND HOLD HARMLESS the County for all liability, claims, demands, causes of action, charges, expenses and attorney fees resulting from the participating minor's involvement in this activity whether caused by the passive or active negligent or careless acts or omissions of the County or otherwise.
3. I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE COUNTY DOES NOT PROVIDE MEDICAL INSURANCE for injuries that may arise out of the participating minor's involvement in the Junior Lifeguard program or use any County facilities in connection with the activity. I understand that while County staff may be trained in basic first aid and CPR, they are not medical professionals and are not trained to diagnose, monitor or treat chronic or acute medical conditions. I represent that the participating minor has no known medical condition which may pose a risk to his/her health and safety or to others by participating in the activity and warrant that no physician, surgeon, or other licensed health care practitioner has advised me, after due inquiry, that the minor shall not participate in the activity. I agree to inform the participating minor that he/she shall follow all safety rules and instructions for the activity as well as any other rules or directions given during participation in the activity. I recognize that the minor's participation in all activities is voluntary, that I am responsible for providing transportation to and from such activities, and that the County assumes no liability or loss or injury resulting from such transportation of the participating minor.
4. I ASSUME FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR AND RISK OF BODILY INJURY, DEATH, DISABILITY to the participating minor and his/her property while participating in the activity or using any County facilities and equipment whether caused by any negligent acts or omission of County or otherwise. I expressly agree that the foregoing waiver and release, indemnity agreement and assumption of risk are intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by California law. I acknowledge that I have read the foregoing and I am aware of the legal consequences of waiver and liability release, including that it prevents me from suing the County if the participating minor is injured or damaged for any reason as a result of his/her participating in the activity.
5. IF THE PARTICIPANT IS A MINOR: I hereby warrant and represent that I am the legal guardian, caregiver or custodial parent of the minor child who is named below, that I have the legal authority to sign this release, and agree, on my own behalf and said minor's behalf, to each and every term and condition of this waiver and liability release.
6. CONSENT TO TREAT: In the event of sudden illness, accident or injury (medical and dental) that the participating minor may experience while participating in this activity, I authorize the County to arrange for transportation to a medical or dental facility, and authorize any emergency first aid, medication, medical treatment or surgery deemed necessary by attending medical personnel if the minor is not able to act on his/her own behalf. The County does not assume responsibility to take any of these actions and that any expenditure incurred for the care and transportation of he participating minor is my sole responsibility.
7. THIS RELEASE IS BINDING on the undersigned's personal representatives, assigns, heirs, spouse & next of kin.
8. PHOTO RELEASE WAIVER: I understand that the County will occasionally take pictures and/or video during activities for use in County brochures, flyers, and other publicity developed by the County. I grant permission to the County for the participating minor to be photographed, videotaped or recorded for such uses, and waive all claims for compensation for the use of the pictures or videos of the participating minor.
9. The participating may take a physical test of swimming skills and will engage in various physical activities on the beaches and in the waters of the Pacific Ocean and/or County lakes. The County shall not be held accountable for the minor's safety after program hours, which have been provided to the undersigned.

Parent/Guardian Name (Please Print): _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____