

Nature Staff

Woodruff Scout Camp - Summer 2026

Reports To: Nature Director

Department / Area: Nature and Ecology / Conservation / Fishing

Classification: Seasonal Summer Staff

Pay Range: \$300 per week

Employment Dates: May 23 - July 19, 2026

Minimum Age: 16+

Position Summary

Teaches ecology, wildlife, conservation, and fishing programs; manages live animal exhibits; supports the Nature Lunch Spot; and helps host Nature Night.

Key Responsibilities

- Teach ecology and conservation merit badges.
- Safely handle and care for snakes, turtles, frogs, and other display animals.
- Operate and maintain the camp Fishing program.
- Maintain nature displays, teaching materials, animal enclosures, and fishing equipment.
- Support Nature Night, conservation projects, night hikes, and ecology activities.

Qualifications & Requirements

- Minimum age 16.
- No prior experience required; training provided.
- Interest in ecology, biology, animal care, or environmental education preferred.
- Comfort handling live animals safely and confidently.

Compensation & Benefits

- Uniforms, housing, and food provided.
- Training and advancement opportunities.

Work Environment

Outdoor nature area with animal habitats, classrooms, fishing docks, water, and varied weather.

General Staff Expectations

All Woodruff Scout Camp staff share responsibility for camp operations, safety, service, and spirit. Staff may assist with meal service, facility upkeep, ceremonies, campfires, special events, and other campwide duties while serving as positive role models for Scouts and leaders.

Source: <https://www.campwoodruff.org/summercampstaff>
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