WEST COAST KIDS CANCER FOUNDATION

EXTRA SUPPORT VOLUNTEER SPRING BREAK CITY CAMP

About us:

West Coast Kids Cancer Foundation (WCK) exists to deliver timely, practical support to BC families navigating childhood cancer and blood disorders during and beyond treatment. We do this through our varying connections, food, and mental health programming.

About City Camp:

City Camp is the only day camp in B.C. where kids aged 5-12 and siblings of kids with cancer and blood disorders can join in on all the magic of camp while being able to sleep in their own bed at night. Hosted in close proximity to the hospital and with a medical team on-site, kids on treatment never have to miss out on the camp experience.

Spring City Camp 2026 Dates:

- New Volunteer Training | Tuesday 10th Feb or Wednesday 11th Feb
- In-Person Training | Saturday 21st Feb or Saturday 28th Feb
- Set Up & Onsite Training | Thursday 19th March & Friday 20th March
- Camp Dates | Monday 23rd March Friday 27th March
- Takedown | Saturday 28th March

Commitment:

New Volunteer Training	Tuesday/Wednesday February 10th/11th 2026 6pm	Zoom	
Training & Orientation	Saturday February 21st/28th 2026 9am - 4pm	WCK office in Burnaby	
Set-up	Thursday - Friday March 19 - 20, 2026 9am - 4pm		
Camp	Monday - Friday March 23 - 27, 2026 Between 8.30-5pm	School in Surrey	
Clean-up	Saturday March 28, 2026 9am - 2pm		



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About you:

You love to take initiative and can anticipate the needs of those around you. You love creating an inclusive environment where every camper feels supported, seen, and celebrated. You're adaptable and quick to respond to changing needs, whether that's offering a quiet moment to a camper who needs a break, joining in on a group game, or stepping in to support a teammate. You bring patience, empathy, and a steady energy that helps campers with diverse needs thrive. You're a great communicator who works closely with the Behaviour Team to ensure every camper has the support they need to succeed. You love variety, connection, and being the dependable, encouraging presence that keeps camp running smoothly for everyone.

Shift Time	Break Time(s)	Green Group	Red Group	Purple Group
9:00 - 5:00 PM	Break 1: 12:30 - 1:00 PM Break 2: 1:00 - 1:30 PM	ES1 ES2	ES1 ES2	ES1 ES2

In this role, you will:

- Support campers on a 1:1 basis as needed
- Support other staff and volunteers in managing group dynamics
- Work with Behaviour Team to positively manage behavioural challenges with campers, using tools such as support plans and reward charts
- Assist Activity Leaders and Group Leaders with equipment setup, program facilitation, clean-ups, and transition between activities
- Help foster connection and friendships between campers
- Maintain and organize equipment and supplies
- Utilize effective listening and communication skills to identify problems, needs, and opportunities
- Collaborate with staff and volunteers to ensure campers' safety, health, and hygiene

What you bring to the role:

- Available for all dates listed above
- Reliable transportation to Surrey
- 16+ years of age
- Willing to undergo a Vulnerable Sector Criminal Records Check (we will provide guidance)
- Up-to-date immunizations (we will provide guidance)
- Dedicated, reliable, collaborative, and flexible
- Highly energetic and enthusiastic
- Strong communication skills, listening skills, and the ability to ask questions
- Strong ability to work independently as well as work dynamically within a team
- Strong decision-making, problem-solving, and critical-thinking skills

Still have questions?

 If you have any questions, please reach out to our volunteer coordinator: volunteer@wckfoundation.ca | 604-394-2029 ext. 4

How to apply:

- New Volunteers: https://airtable.com/appOHQ8qDq2JtEGCH/pagd8wXKNUBGNwD03/form
- Returning Volunteers: email our volunteer coordinator



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Camp Staff + Volunteer Flow:

