

The Hamden Recreation Department is announcing that job applications for summer camp employment are now available. Candidates interested in applying for any of the Town's part-time/seasonal positions (camp director, site supervisor, arts & crafts specialist, counselors) may pick up an application at the Recreation Department located at the Hamden Government Center, 2750 Dixwell Avenue, Monday through Friday from 8:30am to 4:30pm beginning March 14, 2022. Candidates are encouraged to download the application form from our website at [www.hamden.com](http://www.hamden.com). Completed applications can be dropped off at our "Parks & Rec" mailbox located outside of the Government Center Building. We **do not** mail out applications and positions are limited and may close unexpectedly.

Applicants must be at least 16 years of age by June 27<sup>th</sup> for a paid position. Each year we may have a variety of positions to fill depending on the needs of each individual camp. Camp positions can range from working with pre-preschoolers, (ages 2 – 4) up to age 15. **If selected, you are required to commit to the entire length of the program, June 27<sup>th</sup>-July 29<sup>th</sup>. Subject to change due to BOE Schedule.** Some training will take place June 22<sup>nd</sup> -24<sup>th</sup> for all summer help and specific training dates will be provided upon hire.

If you are interested in our **Counselor in Training program (CIT)**, applications are also available at this time. This **volunteer** program is an excellent opportunity for aspiring camp counselors to gain hands-on experience in a fun and supportive environment. Participants assist with a group of campers and are paired with counselors who serve as mentors throughout the session. Completion of the CIT program enables eligible participants to apply for a paid position that may become available next year, however you are **NOT** guaranteed a position in the future. Candidates must be 14 or 15 and commit to the entire length of camp. **This is a non-paying position.**

All applications should be returned to Recreation Department by **April 22, 2022**. Mailed applications postmarked after April 22th will not be accepted. Applicants selected for interview will be notified via e-mail. If you have any other questions, please call the office at 203-287-2579. The Town of Hamden is committed to Equal Employment Opportunities.

For further information, please contact Recreation Supervisor, Laura F. Luzzi, at (203) 287-2584 or by email at [lluzzi@hamden.com](mailto:lluzzi@hamden.com).

