

Seasonal Summer Positions Available:

Waterfront Instructor

Want to spend your summer exploring beautiful Onset Bay? Enjoy paddling the waters, sailing the seas, digging for shellfish, dropping lines for crabs, and snorkeling! Join our waterfront team at the Onset Bay Center!



The BEST Summer Job:

The Onset Bay Center seeks Waterfront Instructors to assist in the delivery of on-the-water and outdoor recreation programs at the new Onset Bay Center in Onset, MA. Waterfront Instructors lead our Bay Explorers and partner programs. The position reports to the Onset Bay Center Waterfront Manager.

Fill Your Days With FUN!

Responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- Provide hands-on, outdoor waterfront exploration programs for youth, ages 8-14 at the Onset Bay Center and its supporting properties. Lead activities designed to provide an introduction to coastal ecology, sailing, snorkeling, kayaking, paddle boarding, and building a connection between youth and their local environment.
- Coordinate and communicate with OBC senior staff & sailing instructors as well as program partners regarding weather conditions, equipment needs, and logistics pertaining to the programs.
- Ensure a safe environment for all on-the-water and shore-side activities. This includes assisting with drop-off and pick-up as well as carrying out other tasks related to running on-the-water programming.
- Work with OBC senior staff to maintain the program equipment and supplies.



Qualifications:

- American Canoe Association Level 1 or Level 2 Paddle Certification or being willing to get the certification (at no expense to staff).
- Comfort with, and enthusiasm for, outdoor activities, including swimming, paddling, snorkeling, shell fishing, etc.
- Experience delivering youth programs.
- Strong communications skills including comfort with learners of all ages and strong communication & interpersonal skills.
- Comfort working outdoors in various weather conditions.
- CPR and First Aid certification. • A CORI check will be required.
- Knowledge of Buzzards Bay, watershed ecology, and familiarity with local and regional environmental issues preferred.



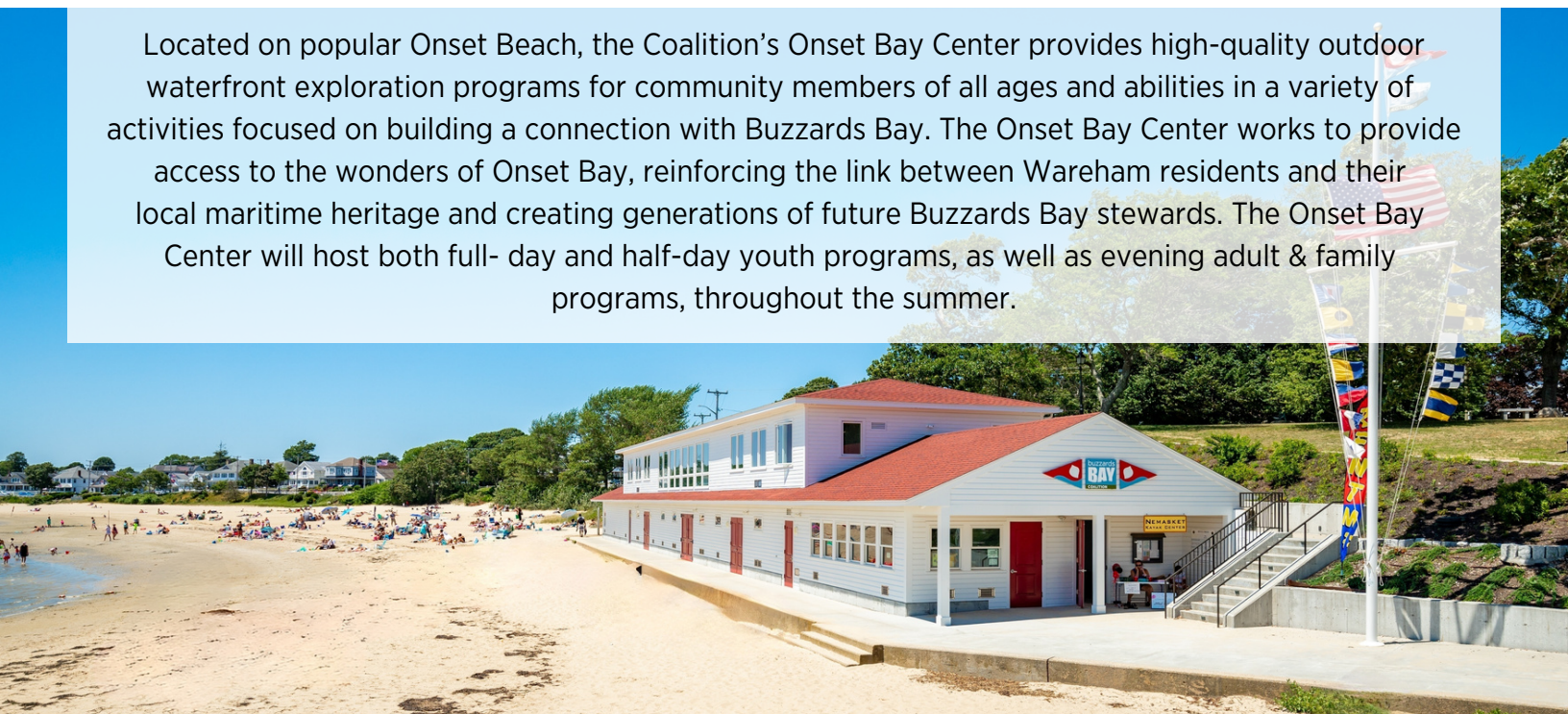
Compensation & Schedule:

This is a seasonal, full-time summer position. Detailed schedule will be discussed with OBC senior staff. Salary is commensurate on experience. No employee benefits are provided. Staff Training will run from June 19 through June 23. A typical work week will be Monday-Friday from 8:00am – 4:30 pm, with programs taking place June, 26 through August, 25. Weekend, evening and early morning programs may be scheduled.

Where You'll Work:

Buzzards Bay Coalition is a non-profit, membership organization dedicated to the protection, restoration, and sustainable use and enjoyment of Buzzards Bay and its watershed. The organization works to improve the health of the Bay ecosystem for all through education, conservation, research and advocacy.

Located on popular Onset Beach, the Coalition's Onset Bay Center provides high-quality outdoor waterfront exploration programs for community members of all ages and abilities in a variety of activities focused on building a connection with Buzzards Bay. The Onset Bay Center works to provide access to the wonders of Onset Bay, reinforcing the link between Wareham residents and their local maritime heritage and creating generations of future Buzzards Bay stewards. The Onset Bay Center will host both full- day and half-day youth programs, as well as evening adult & family programs, throughout the summer.





100% Covid Vaccination Policy:

All new employees at Buzzards Bay Coalition must receive the final dose of the COVID-19 vaccine before they begin work. All employees must also receive a COVID-19 booster within thirty (30) days of becoming eligible. Exceptions to this policy may only be granted by the Coalition President.

Buzzards Bay Coalition is proud to be an Equal Opportunity employer.

All qualified persons are encouraged to apply and will be considered without regard to race, national origin, gender, gender identity or expression, sexual orientation, disability, age, religion, or veteran status.

To Apply:

Please send a resume and cover letter, via email, to:
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