



Worthington Area YMCA

Rockwall Attendant

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General Function: Under general supervision, the Rockwall Attendant will safely and professionally facilitate patron usage of the climbing wall, teaching proper skills for all clientele.

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Check the wall, floor, and equipment per safety checklist prior to each climbing session.
- Help remove any equipment deemed unsafe and report it to supervisor.
- Give age-appropriate safety orientation.
- Instruct all participants in the proper use of climbing harness and proper dress code.
- Enforce safety policies at all times.
- Responsible for preparing accident/incident reports as required and contacting appropriate personnel in case of emergencies within the necessary time frame.
- Must maintain strict adherence to safety procedures and attend safety meetings as scheduled.
- Monitor climbers at all times.
- Provide customer service.
- Maintain a high level of knowledge in proper belay standards. (*If certified in using the belay*)
- Able to communicate and teach buddy check, belay commands, knot craft, belay techniques, belay motions, and do's and do not's. (*If certified in using the belay*)
- Conduct a high-level belay test ensuring thorough knowledge of belay process. (*If certified in using the belay*)
- Proficiency in belaying, tying in with a figure 8 knot, and movement on a climbing wall. (*If certified in using the belay*)
- Properly clean and store setting equipment and climbing holds.
- If you are not belay certified, the middle section of the wall will remain closed.
- Perform other duties as assigned.

Hours:

- Adjustable hours
 - Open Climb: Fridays: 5-7:30pm; Saturdays: 11am-2pm
 - Private rentals: As needed

Benefits:

- Discounted YMCA membership
- 10% discounted program fees
- Paid YMCA risk management required trainings
- Paid First Aid/CPR/AED classes when available
- Flexible hours

Job Requirements:

- Must be at least 16 years of age
- Indoor climbing experience preferred
- Ability to maintain strict safety standards, procedures, and proper technique to reduce risk
- Must be comfortable working safely from height on a fixed line
- Must be able to learn knot crat and demonstrate rock wall skills with proficiency
- Must be able to communicate in a clear and concise manner, both verbally and written
- The ability to work a flexible schedule including evenings and weekends
- Completion of YMCA trainings within a required time frame

Physical Demands: While performing the duties of this job, the employee is often required to: bend, stop, kneel, twist, reach with hands, sit, stand for an extended period of time, lift and/or move up to 50 pounds, have finger dexterity, grasp, perform repetitive motions, talk, hear and have visual acuity.

Disclaimers:

- Must complete successful background screening
- This job description may not be all-inclusive and employees are expected to perform all other duties as assigned by direct management
- Job description and duties may be modified when deemed appropriate by management