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### **Job Announcement/ Description Lifeguards**

The Hamilton Wenham Recreation Department is now accepting applicants for the seasonal position of lifeguard(s) for the Veterans Memorial Pool at Patton Park. The pool is set to open early to mid-June and run until Labor Day weekend. Pre-season responsibilities are also required.

Lifeguards will be responsible for the overall supervision of the children and staff swimming in the pool and assisting with swim lessons when not guarding. Lifeguards will be familiar with the Aquatics Safety Procedures and need to attend all trainings and meetings prior to the pool season starting and throughout the summer.

#### **Desired Qualifications**

- Minimum of 16 years of age
- Current Lifeguard Certification
- Current Certification in CPR/AED and First Aid for the Professional Rescuer
- Flexible schedule to include the ability to work some evenings (up to 8pm) and weekends

#### **Responsibilities**

- To supervise the activities of swimmers by enforcing rules and regulations
- To warn swimmers of improper activities and hazards
- To rescue patrons in distress or in danger of drowning and provide rescue breathing, CPR and First Aid
- Enforce all facility rules, policies, and regulations
- Complete any incident or accident reports immediately
- Conduct swim tests when needed
- To assist cleaning and maintaining the pool and related areas and facilities
- To perform other duties assigned by the Pool Director
- Ability to assist with swim team and/or teach swim lessons preferred but not required

#### **Skills**

- Thorough knowledge of lifeguard and rescue techniques, emergency preparation, and lifesaving techniques and first aid.
- Effective communication skills and engage positively with the public
- Effective decision making skills
- Mobility and the ability to sit, kneel, stand, stop, communicate, reach and manipulate objects
- Ability to pass pre-employment physical and rescue skills in water evaluation

Hourly Salary \$18.00 - \$19.50 based on experience

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