

Island of Hawaii YMCA Beach Assistant

Location: South Kohala District

Overview

The Island of Hawaii YMCA is looking to offer youth sailing instruction for the summer of 2021 out of Kawaihae, Hawaii. We are looking for a shore-based assistant to support the sailing instructor with up to 12 students per class.

Qualifications

Must have strong swimming skills, first aid and CPR certification, be able to lift at least 50 lbs, and have a positive, enthusiastic, flexible attitude. Must be able to adapt to changing program needs depending on weather, number of students, number of boats, number of volunteers, etc.

Proof of COVID-19 vaccination is required for employment with the YMCA.

Responsibilities

- 1. The Beach Assistant must be able to support the sailing instructor in loading boats, managing students, and ensuring the safety of classes while around an active boat ramp.
- 2. The Beach Assistant will remain on shore during sailing classes to monitor the safety of students while launching and returning to the ramp. A handheld VHF radio will be used to communicate with the instructor on the water.
- 3. The Beach Assistant is responsible for secure storage of all equipment at the end of the day.

Schedule

Sailing classes will be held Monday through Thursday from June 14 to July 22, 2021. Workdays will be between 6 and 8 hours. 8 am to 4 pm, Monday through Friday.

Compensation

\$16 per hour, 35 hour work week.