

# Turf Management Specialist

**Location**: East Otis, Massachusetts **Type**: Private residential soccer camp

Compensation: commensurate based on experience

**Dates**: Approximately June to late August

Benefits: Travel stipend, comfortable housing, delicious meals, access to camp facilities,

regularly scheduled time-off

**Description**: The Berkshire Soccer Academy is an overnight soccer camp for girls. We offer an elite training experience for girls, ages 10-16, in a traditional camp setting on a private lake in the Berkshires.

The Turf Management Specialist will work under the Facilities Manager to maintain two natural grass soccer fields and one turf field. This includes, but is not limited to, watering, seeding, grooming, and lining. The Turf Management Specialist will maintain and care for all of the field equipment. A typical day for a Turf Management Specialist can begin as early as 6:30AM and end as late as 8:30PM. The Turf Management Specialist will live in a staff-only.

## **Job Qualifications:**

- Education background in agronomy, horticulture, field management, and/or landscaping
- At least 1 year experience working in field maintenance
- Proven ability to learn and use field equipment and tools
- Attention to detail and organized
- Ability to perform physical duties, lift 60 pounds
- Must be hard-working, enthusiastic, and a fast-learner
- Must be reliable, mistake-averse, and a self-starter
- Must be friendly and personable with staff and campers
- Must be excited about living in a rugged mountain setting with simple accommodations, and limited access to phone/internet

### WELL-BEING:

- Must be committed to the safety and well-being of our campers at all times; physically, psychologically and socially
- Must model healthy habits and safe behavior consistently for long periods of time

# • CONNECTION:

Proven ability to engage with, appeal to, and be sensitive with kids and adults

### PROFESSIONALISM:

- Must be able to manage multiple responsibilities and the needs of others
- Must have proven success working within a team, meeting deadlines, being punctual, and collaborating with others

# • POSITIVITY:

- Must have proven experience as a positive role model to kids and peers
- Must be able to demonstrate optimism and flexibility in the face of adversity

**To Apply**: Please visit our website <u>www.berkshiresocceracademy.com</u> and complete the Staff Application as thoroughly as possible.