



## YOUTH SQUAD MEMBER

Program Site Location:

	SITE NAME	ADDRESS
	Pannell Community Center	2450 Meadowview Road, Sacramento, CA 95832

### **PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:**

The Sacramento Summer Night Lights (SSNL) is a program for youth and families implemented in a community setting. As a violence reduction and community development program, SSNL provides summer programming in neighborhoods historically impacted by violence. SSNL provide extended programming between the hours of 6 p.m. and 10 p.m., 2-3 days a week throughout the summer months. All SSNL activities are provided free of charge to attendees.

### **DESCRIPTION OF THE ROLE AND RESPONSIBILITIES:**

Reporting to a Youth Squad Leader, you will be responsible for setting up the site, running the sports programs, participating in the games and workshops, serving food, and mediating disagreements. You will help develop the outreach plan to market SSNL to area residents and will assist in the implementation of the program calendar. As a key member of the SSNL team you will be a professional ambassador for the program at all times. Even when you are not at work, you will embody the code of ethics of the Youth Squad. You will be comfortable interacting with all members of our community and will problem solve effectively while remaining a calm in the face of many challenges. Conflict resolution skills are a must. Even if you've been in trouble in the past, as long as you're on the right path now, we won't hold that against you. If this sounds like you, read on and then apply!

### **JOB REQUIREMENTS**

- Must be between the ages of 16 and 21
- Live or attend school in site designated zip code (95823, 95832, 95831, & 95822)
- Must currently be in high school, high school equivalency, has a High School Diploma or GED
- Understands the immediate Meadowview neighborhood where the SSNL program is being offered
- Ability to work with people from different cultures, neighborhoods and ethnic groups
- Must be willing to participate in life skills and youth development training to establish short and medium range personal development goals
- Ability to work as part of a team that includes city departments, community organizations, community peacemakers, and law enforcement
- Work with SSNL program staff to help plan and implement summer program and events at assigned SSNL site
- Act as a community liaison or neighborhood representative between the program, youth, community residents, local businesses, and law enforcement in promoting safety
- Attend and participate fully in all program trainings, meetings, & planning sessions
- Conduct data collection and data entry after receiving related training
- Carry out the logistics of setting up, breaking down, and closing the SSNL program each night
- Participate in all activities related to food preparation, food delivery, and clean-up for SSNL participants on a daily basis

**APPLICATION SUBMISSION PROCESS:** To apply for the Youth Squad Member position, you must attend one of the hiring events at Pannell Community Center with a resume and cover letter:

Friday, April 26, 2019	5pm-8pm
Thursday, May 2, 2019	5pm-8pm

**HOURLY WAGE:** Hourly wage is \$11-\$11.50 per hour depending on experience. Benefits are not available and this is a limited term, summer job only.

**SAMPLE WORK WEEK SCHEDULE:** Hours may vary but will encompass 20-25 hours per week. The program runs on some Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays (not all Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays throughout the summer). Some days will include training which will occur at odd times.

General Schedule: Thursdays – Saturdays      5pm – 10pm

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