



## **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

### **Head Lifeguard**

**Closing Date:** Tuesday, April 7, 2026, at 4:00pm (Yukon Time)

**Job Type:** Seasonal (May to August/September)

**Department:** Parks and Recreation

**Pay Range:** \$29.45 - \$32.18 (dependent on experience and certification)

**Hours:** Up to 40 hours/week

Lifeguards are responsible for ensuring a safe and enjoyable swimming environment for all patrons while providing aquatic programming for all ages. The Head Lifeguard will assist the Aquatics Supervisor with supervisory duties in their absence as well as with aquatic programs that are held at the Dennis Ball Swimming Pool and Lucky Lake Recreational Area, which include lane swim, swimming lessons, aquafit, public swim, family swim, and the Lucky Lake Waterslide.

Duties include but not limited to:

- Maintain a high level of safety supervision, ensuring proper safety procedures are followed and in cases of emergency, competently administer emergency procedures
- Instruct a variety of Red Cross and aquatics programs
- Perform daily maintenance duties including pool chemistry checks and record keeping under the direction of the Aquatics Supervisor
- Perform daily safety and preventative maintenance checks and ensure the Aquatics Supervisor is aware of any hazardous situations.
- Perform cleaning duties, including cleaning of the pool, change rooms, and deck, as required
- Receive and handle cash, and complete end of day cash out duties
- Comply with all safety standards as per Town of Watson Lake policies and practices, and;
- Perform other related duties as directed by the pool supervisor.

Qualifications and Experience:

- Must have Bronze Cross Certification
- Must have National Lifeguard certification
- National Lifeguard Instructors certification an asset
- Must have or be willing to obtain Standard First Aid certification
- Experience with supervision of employees
- Ability to follow direction and work with limited supervision
- Energetic, positive, and motivated, and;
- Willingness to work a flexible work schedule.

***Training and certification may be made available and paid for by the Town of Watson Lake.***

**The successful candidate is required to provide a Vulnerable Sector Check and copies of their credentials prior to their start date.**

To apply for this position, please submit a resume and cover letter, clearly outlining qualifications and experience as it relates to this position to Shannon Bergeron by:

Email: [csrec@watsonlake.ca](mailto:csrec@watsonlake.ca)

In Person: Town Office, 710 Adela Trail, Watson Lake

**We thank all applicants for their interest, however only those individuals selected for an interview will be contacted.**