

## di Rosa Center for Contemporary Art

**POSITION TITLE:** Art & Nature Assistant

**REPORTS TO:** Manager of Education & Civic Engagement

**CLASSIFICATION:** Part-time hourly, non-exempt

RATE: \$20/hour

#### **SUMMARY**

Join the team as a di Rosa Art & Nature Assistant for our summer camps! We are hiring assistants for all weeks of Camp di Rosa.

Summer camp weeks are June 19-23, June 26-30, July 10-14 & July 17-21.

Art & Nature Assistants report to the Manager of Education & Civic Engagement and are supervised by Camp di Rosa's Art & Nature Instructors. Assistants are responsible for helping Instructors with visual art and nature lessons, camper supervision and group management. The position works with staff to ensure the smooth and safe implementation of exciting and innovative lessons that are fun, informative, and inspire the creative potential in participants. Visual art lessons utilize media such as painti, clay, and printmaking, and are generated from artworks and ideas on view at di Rosa; nature lessons involve activities such as fishing, archery, bird watching, hiking, plant and flower identification.

Protected in perpetuity under the Napa County Land Trust, the site features multiple galleries, a sculpture park, and a 35-acre lake, all located on 217 scenic acres in Napa Valley's famed Carneros region. di Rosa originated as the vision of Rene di Rosa (1919-2010), a prolific collector whose famed vineyards enabled his development of a world-class art collection. Together with his wife Veronica di Rosa (1934–1991), he used the sale of his vineyards to build an "art park" for the greater public. The organization was incorporated as a nonprofit public trust in 2000.

Today di Rosa presents contemporary exhibitions by Bay Area-based artists and an array of educational programs for all ages, in addition to maintaining a permanent collection of notable works by artists with ties to the Bay Area from the midtwentieth century to the early 2000's. For more information, visit dirosaart.org.

### **KEY RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Help set up and break down art and activity supplies, including cleaning and organizing supplies.
- With the Art & Nature Instructor, supervise and manage a camp group of up to 12 children.
- Ensure camper safety during all activities; immediately communicate any safety to camp management.
- Obtain a CPR/First Aid certification and background check fingerprinting. (Paid for by di Rosa.)
- Attend all training sessions and meetings.

# **SKILLS & QUALIFICATIONS**

- Experience working with groups of children ages six to fourteen.
- Interest in art.
- Interest in nature, hiking, and nature-related activities.
- Excellent group management and communication skills, high energy and positive attitude.
- Proven resourcefulness and a problem solver.

## To Apply, Please Provide the Following:

- Resume with employment history and contact information for 2 references.
- Application materials should be emailed, in PDF format, to hugo.corro@dirosaart.org with

"Application: Art & Nature Assistant" in the subject line.

Please note: di Rosa Center for Contemporary Art is an Equal Opportunity Employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, ancestry, religion, sex, gender or gender identity, national origin, disability, age, citizenship status, marital status, Vietnam era or special disabled veteran's status, sexual orientation or other bases protected by law. di Rosa makes reasonable accommodations for qualified applicants and employees with disabilities as defined by and in compliance with California law.