campOUT! Is a leadership and learning summer camp for queer, trans, Two Spirit & allied youth ages 14 - 21 from BC & the Yukon.

July 2-5 • 2020

Social Change!

Fun & Friends!

Support & Resources!

Learning from Nature about building Community!

Health & Well-Being!

New Skills!

COST
Only $60, thanks to the generosity of community partners and donors! Travel reimbursements available.

ONLINE APPLICATION DATES
Cabin Leaders —— Feb 1 - Mar 1
Volunteers ———— Feb 1 - Mar 15
Campers ———— Feb 15 - Mar 30

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THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
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Hello Community Members!

Greetings from CampOUT!, a leadership and learning summer camp for queer, trans, Two-Spirit, questioning, and allied youth ages 14-21 from across BC & the Yukon. The camp is held on Gambier Island, unceded Squamish territories. In affiliation with the University of British Columbia, the camp provides opportunities for youth to develop leadership skills, build self-esteem, foster hope and resilience, and connect with resources to support health and well-being (physical, mental, social, sexual, educational, and spiritual). Participants return to their home communities with new skills, resources, and friendships. CampOUT! provides a supportive space for LGBTQ2S+ youth to celebrate and be celebrated for who they are.

We are looking for amazing individuals to help make CampOUT! a reality for 2020. Please encourage a diverse range of fantastic people to apply before March 30th. We are looking for:

- 12 Cabin Leaders ages 19-25
- 10 Volunteer Community Mentors ages 19 and above (you can’t be too old to apply!)
- 5 Care Team members (two medical professionals, a lifeguard, and two child and youth mental health workers)
- 65 Campers ages 14-21 from BC & the Yukon!

The only camper cost for participating is a $60 commitment fee thanks to the generosity of our community partners and donors. Travel reimbursements are available for campers and leaders. See our website (http://campout.ubc.ca/) and FAQ section for more information on camp details.

Please display and distribute the enclosed posters and postcards in your communities.

Contact us with any questions, for travel assistance, and for digital posters to circulate to your online networks.

*Application deadlines on reverse of page...*
Upcoming application deadlines & camp dates:

February 1 - Volunteer Community Mentor, Care Team, and Cabin Leader Applications open (position descriptions & applications online at https://campout.ubc.ca/)
February 15 - Camper applications open

March 1 - Cabin Leader applications close
March 15 - Volunteer and Care Team applications close
March 30 - online Camper applications close (contact us to add campers to the waitlist after this date)

May 15-18 - Training camp for Cabin Leaders (@ Camp Fircom on Gambier Island)

June 6 & 7 - Leadership Team planning meeting (@ a central location in Vancouver)

July 2-5 - CampOUT! at Camp Fircom on Gambier Island near West Vancouver (July 1-6 for leaders)
July 2 - Parent/Caregiver Community building day in North Vancouver for caregivers of CampOUT! campers. Contact us for assistance with travel costs.

Yours in Camping,

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