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Press Release

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Silver Bay YMCA Introduces Workcation Opportunities

Silver Bay, NY: Silver Bay YMCA is starting a Workcation (work vacation) Program that allows volunteers to share their time and talents while Silver Bay provides the housing and meals in return.

“The goal of the Workcation Program is to encourage individuals who may only be able to serve as part of the Silver Bay team for a week, two weeks or even a month to reach out and know that they can do so without worrying about lodging and meals,” said Lindsey Butler, Director of Sales and Marketing. “If you can work 30 hours in one week, then we will house you, provide you 3 meals per day, and allow you to enjoy the programs and events that Silver Bay offers for the remainder of your time with us.”

The Workcation Program idea was born out of a conversation regarding staffing and logistics for what is shaping up to be a busy year at Silver Bay YMCA. “We know that Silver Bay has so many talented individuals who wish they could work as part of our team year round but have homes and full-time jobs elsewhere,” added Butler. Continuing on, “This is Silver Bay looking for creative solutions that benefit our volunteers, the guests we’re serving and also our staff.”

If you’re interested in joining Silver Bay for a little work and a lot of fun, reach out to the Director of Human Resources, Kelsey Nobis at knobis@silverbay.org to setup your workcation!

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Note to the Editor:

Silver Bay YMCA was founded in 1902 and is located in Silver Bay, NY, just minutes south of Hague, NY. Its 700-acre campus along one mile of Lake George shoreline offers a wide breadth of programs for all ages. Silver Bay YMCA presently employs 45 full-time staff members with a seasonal staff of 200. Silver Bay YMCA is consistently ranked one of the top ten family reunion sites in the country and is on the National Register of Historic Places with the U.S. Department of the Interior. As a mission based charity, Silver Bay YMCA offers outreach programs in addition to its

core activities as a premier conference and family retreat center. Those activities include:

Silver Bay YMCA Teen Center in Ticonderoga (Free access for local teens)

Open Pathways (Access to Silver Bay YMCA for the underprivileged)

Youth and Government Program (covering Queensbury to Ticonderoga)

Cancer Respite Program (Free respite for local cancer patients)

Military R and R Program (Free getaway for recently deployed veterans and their families)

Brookside Trinity Ministry (Free respite and sabbatical getaways for clergy)

Vacations Made Possible (Free getaways for local underprivileged families)

Silver Bay's Annual Community e-Waste day collects over 3,000 lbs. of unwanted electronics for recycling.

Our MISSION: To foster relationships, strengthen communities and nurture spirit, mind and body for all.

Our IMPACT: Because of Silver Bay YMCA, connections between people and family are stronger. People are more connected, respectful and caring. They have the confidence to develop to their full potential and to positively impact the communities in which they work and live. As a result, communities are more dynamic, inclusive and diverse. As stewards of Lake George, we inspire people to be stewards of the environment while they are visiting our magnificent campus and in their home communities.

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