



## **Program Manager position with a Difference**

**How about a fresh adventure ? A big challenge? A place to develop your personal and professional skills in the spectacular setting of the Victorian High Plains & Glen Valley?**

**Mittagundi currently has an opportunity for a skilled outdoor leader to join our team in the senior Program Leader role**

This position is designed for a person with solid outdoor and group leading experience to take their skills to the next level. Your key responsibilities will be to support the Director in all Program related duties and team management. The immense opportunity for professional development at Mittagundi would be invaluable to the right professional outdoor educator.

Mittagundi is a unique outdoor education centre that believes in simplicity, community and people as the most important part of our organisation. There is an exciting opportunity for an outdoor leader of experience and qualifications to join our close knit team that supports life changing experiences for young people from diverse backgrounds in the Bogong High Plains and at our pioneer style working farm in the picturesque Glen Valley. The right outdoor leader will be sharing their skills and supporting a diverse and enthusiastic leadership team.

So, if you have a desire to live in a simple, honest and happy way, an urge to do something just a bit different, and a deep sense of the value of working with young people and leaders in challenging environments to achieve amazing outcomes this could be an opportunity for you.

The position is for 12 months (commencing sometime April to June 2010) and in exchange for your awesome energy Mittagundi provides a great salary package including all your food and board (including many additional living expenses), intensive training and professional skills development that continues for the entire year, and a some cash to keep the wheels turning.

### **Key Selection Criteria**

- Team Leading experience
- Experience leading groups of young people in the outdoors.
- Passion for empowering young people to learn and grow.
- Strong sense of maturity and solid work ethic. Sense of confidence to 'have a go'.
- Positive attitude to life and challenges, ability to cope with stress and pressure.
- Committed to working as part of a close team and to working through differences with open and honest communication.
- Ability to manage emergencies and lead critical incident response

### **More Info & Applications**

The contact for this position is Tom Hay (Mittagundi Council Chair) [tom@mittagundi.org.au](mailto:tom@mittagundi.org.au) or 0417 345 181.

If you haven't ever been to Mittagundi we recommend heading up and helping out for a few days. Chat to Tom details and to arrange a visit.

**Applications close 18th of April or when the position is filled.**

To Apply, Please send a CV and cover letter, and your response to the questions *'What can you offer Mittagundi?'* and *'What can Mittagundi offer you?'*.

Applications can be sent to [tom@mittagundi.org.au](mailto:tom@mittagundi.org.au)