

## SERVING IN MSM

### TECH OP

A Tech Op helps create an engaging large group environment that sets up small groups for success. Tech Ops manage the sound and screens as part of the message at the beginning of each week's MSM gathering as well as troubleshoot our online presence as needed. **Tuesdays 6:30 – 8:00 pm**



### WINS

You win when pre-teens experience an inspiring and distraction-free large group environment so the message is more likely to stick.

### CHARACTERISTICS

#### Professional

Glitches with technology are just a part of life, but how we react when things don't work the way they should is in our control. Tech Ops need to respond to challenges and difficulties that happen in a calm, controlled way. Every effort should be made to minimize the impact of such glitches and to find a solution so that the gathering can move on.

#### Team-oriented

Tech Ops support the communication of the Presenter & Host for that week by helping them use music and visual aids to make the message more engaging. While there is a script that is followed, Tech Ops must be flexible and able to follow along any changes the Presenter & Host needs as it happens. Recognizing that the primary goal is to communicate the Good News of Jesus Christ in a way that inspires pre-teens to become life-long disciples, Tech Ops works with the entire MSM Team to present an engaging message.

### QUALIFICATIONS

You love God and are actively practicing your faith at SPX.

You care about pre-teens.

You're committed to doing your part in creating an excellent and engaging large group experience.

You are comfortable with technology.

You are VIRTUS certified or are willing to become certified at Church expense.

## **EXPECTATIONS**

Be reliable.

- Commit to a regular schedule.

- Communicate with the Kids & Students Coordinator in advance if your plans change.

Come prepared.

- Check your email weekly to look over the script for the upcoming weekend.

- Follow the script provided by the MSM Team.

- Know your cues.

- Wear the t-shirt provided for you.

- Come well rested. We need your best energy.

Give your all.

- Show up on time.

- Ensure all media elements (sound, computer, screens) are functioning and ready.

- Stay engaged with the gathering; you never know when you'll need to improvise.

- Attend the appropriate training events and meetings.

## **ORIENTATION & TRAINING**

Tech Ops will participate in training before starting each year.

## **EQUIPPING & ENCOURAGEMENT**

The MSM Team will provide opportunities for growing in your role through sharing articles, blogs, and in person events on a regular basis. The MSM Team is always available to provide support.

## **ATTIRE**

T-shirts are provided so that the Team is clearly identified for anyone entering the space. We ask that t-shirts are worn every Tuesday with whatever other modest clothes you like.

## **VOLUNTEER IDENTIFICATION AND APPLICATION**

We recruit Tech Ops year round.

Those who are interested can contact our Kids & Student Coordinator, Jen Buter, at [youth@spxbowie.org](mailto:youth@spxbowie.org). We'll schedule a time to meet up and learn more about this ministry.