



## **AEE MEMBERSHIP**

### **BENEFITS FOR ACCREDITED ORGANIZATIONS**

#### **Improved Program Quality**

- Programs that achieve AEE Accredited status can be confident that they meet or exceed the highest recognized industry standards.
- AEE accreditation significantly increases program quality and risk management practices through internal review, external peer review, and regular evaluation.
- Research has shown that AEE accredited outdoor orientation programs report approximately 50% fewer medical evacuations compared to similar non-AEE accredited programs.<sup>1</sup>

#### **Knowledge and Connections for your staff**

- 25 “sub-memberships” to be used by your staff and other employees to gain the benefits of membership (please invite your colleagues today using your on-line login!)
- Discounts on registration for the AEE International Conference and Regional Conferences.
- Network with colleagues through AEE Regions, Professional Groups, and Affiliation Groups
- Discounts on other AEE professional development opportunities
- Up to two print copies of the *Journal of Experiential Education* and online access for all sub-memberships.
- Members Only section of AEE website featuring newsletter archive, board updates, discount opportunities, and calendar of events.

#### **Promotion of your program**

- AEE promotes accredited programs by listing your organization on our website, in our e-news, and through referrals.
- 2 free job postings in our Jobs Clearinghouse and then 25% off all other postings
- Discounts on exhibit hall rates at AEE conferences.
- Search candidate resumes through AEE Jobs Clearinghouse
- Listing in AEE’s online “Find A Program” directory

Questions about your member benefits? Please contact Dan Miller at (720) 573-4223

1: Bell, Brent J., Gass, Michael A., Nofzeiger, Christopher S., & Starbuck, J. D. (2014). The State of Knowledge of Outdoor Orientation Programs: Current Practices, Research, and Theory. *The Journal of Experiential Education*, 37(1), 31-45