Summer Employment for Students

Rockwood is located at 161 Fall St S Rockwood ON, just east of Guelph. We are seeking energetic, hardworking individuals that want to join our team.

Reporting to the Park Superintendent the park maintenance students are responsible for various duties related to the operation and maintenance of Rockwood during the summer months.

Responsibilities:

- Assist with the day to day operational duties in the park such as cleaning / sanitizing public washrooms, collecting garbage and maintaining grounds and beach areas and cutting grass
- Perform trail maintenance and rehabilitation
- Ensure the safe operation and daily inspection of GRCA owned and operated equipment
- Operate various hand tools and powered equipment
- Carry out all assigned duties in accordance with accepted safety practices of the Authority
- Provide quality customer service
- Maintain a thorough knowledge of park facilities and activities
- Assist with Conservation Area special events
- General grounds and building maintenance
- Rake and maintain the beach
- Required to help gate and boat rental staff during busy periods
- Frequent sanitization of work areas and following GRCA’s COVID safe working policies

Qualifications:

- Must be currently enrolled as a full time student
- Interested in outdoor recreational programs
- Previous experience working outdoors is preferred
- Valid Ontario driver’s license
- Experience with equipment operation including trucks, gators, riding mowers grass trimmers and hand tools an asset
Good interpersonal skills with the ability to work in a team environment
Ability to work with minimum supervision
Some heavy lifting is required, i.e. picnic tables
Must be available to work weekends, evenings and holidays

All successful applicants must possess their own Green Patch CSA approved safety boots, be able to work outdoors in all weather conditions and be available to work the duration of the season, 40 hours per week. The GRCA offers comprehensive health and safety training.

TO APPLY:
Please send your resume and cover letter (referencing Student Maintenance Rockwood) by e-mail to: careers@grandriver.ca. Please send your resume and cover letter as an MS Word document.

The deadline to apply for the first round of interviews is February 1, 2021. This posting will remain open until March 8, 2021. Applications submitted after February 1 2021, will only be reviewed on an as needed basis.

Accessibility accommodations are available for all parts of the recruitment process. Applicants need to make their needs known in advance.