Job Title: Seasonal Naturalist

Reports to: Naturalists

Location: Benton County Nature Center

Pay Range: $15.00-$17.00 per hour, 20-32 hours per week.

Position Information: Work beside the professional environmental education team by planning, developing, and executing: programming, outdoor recreation, summer camps, and natural interpretation.

This position will run from April through September with flexible start and end times.

Position Responsibilities:

- Animal care and nature center cleaning
- Contributing to written publications
- General area maintenance consisting of mowing, trimming, painting, light construction
- Litter control, restroom and facility cleaning, trail maintenance
- Provide public relations throughout the summer
- Program development and implementation
- Other duties as assigned
- Working some weekends, evenings, and holidays may be required

Qualifications:

To perform this job successfully, an individual must be able to perform each essential duty satisfactorily. The requirements listed below are representative of the knowledge, skill, and/or ability required.

Education, Experience and Skills Required:

- High school diploma or GED
- 18 years of age
- Valid driver's license with clean driving record
- Must pass a background check
- Ability to operate mowers, small hand tools, and chain saws

Preferred Skills:
Preference will be given to applicants working towards a degree in the Natural Resources or related field.

Physical Demands/Work Hours:

The physical demands described here are representative of those that must be met by an employee to successfully perform the essential functions of this job.

While performing the duties of this job, the employee is regularly required to stand and walk. The employee frequently is required to use hands to finger, handle, or feel; reach with hands and arms; climb or balance; and sit, stoop, kneel, crouch, or crawl. The employee must frequently lift and/or move up to 25 pounds and occasionally lift and/or move up to 50 pounds.

This position will sometimes require working non-traditional hours, weekends, and holidays.

Work Environment:

The work environment characteristics described here are representative of those an employee encounters while performing the essential functions of this job.

While performing the duties of this job, the employee may be asked to work in adverse weather including extreme heat and rain in the summer months.

Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

THE ABOVE DECLARATIONS ARE NOT INTENDED TO BE AN "ALL-INCLUSIVE" LIST OF THE DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE JOB DESCRIBED OR OF THE SKILLS AND ABILITIES REQUIRED TO PERFORM THE JOB. RATHER, THEY ARE INTENDED ONLY TO DESCRIBE THE GENERAL REQUIREMENTS OF THE JOB.

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