

Job Description:

Student will work with Resource Technicians to conduct maintenance and to implement Management Plans on Conservation Area properties. Work will involve restoration, rehabilitation, and protection of Conservation Area land based on natural heritage goals, as well as maintenance and construction of public facilities. Specifically:

- assist staff in providing park visitor service
- assist staff in preparing Conservation Areas for public use, including Day-use Picnic Areas, Group Camping sites for non-profit groups, Trails, etc.
- interact with public in courteous manner
- assist staff in building and ground maintenance required in Conservation Areas
- assist staff in park projects, including park construction work, development and maintenance of public trails and public signage
- receive ongoing training for health and safety, WHMIS, equipment use and skills development
- student must be able to perform outdoor, physical labour and be able to work weekends if required
- student must wear green patch safety boots and other safety equipment as prescribed in the Health & Safety Manual
- must follow Authority policies, procedures, directives and ensure public and staff safety

Qualifications:

- working knowledge of a variety of equipment an asset (lawn mowers, grass whips, carpentry tools etc)
- interest in and/or attending related college/university courses in parks and recreation
- good communication and public relations skills
- must have valid driver's license
- current First Aid / CPR Certification
- comply with CLOCA's Health & Safety Policies and Procedures
- must be comfortable working in adverse conditions (heat, insects, inclement weather)
- ability to work independently or in a team environment

NOTE: Position is pending employment program funding approval. The successful candidate must be between the ages 15-30 years old (inclusive); must be registered as full time students in the previous year and intend to return to school on a full-time basis in the next academic year; be a Canadian citizen, legally entitled to work in Canada.

Total Wage Rate Per Hour: \$8.75

Hours Per Week: 35 hours per week

Send resume and cover letter, no later than Friday, April 4, 2008, to:

Mr. Mike Hrynyk
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100 Whiting Avenue, Oshawa, ON L1H 3T3
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We thank all applicants for their interest, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.