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GROUNDSKEEPING SPRING 2022

YMCA Blue Ridge Assembly is committed to delivering exceptional experiences for our 33,000 annual guests who come from a wide variety of backgrounds. We believe our guests' experiences shape them into the leaders of tomorrow. We are seeking an enthusiastic groundskeeper to help maintain our 1,200 acre woodland campus. A love of the outdoors is a must!

QUALIFICATIONS AND SKILLS

- One year's experience with outdoor landscaping preferable
- Involves physically strenuous work requiring a high level of fitness
- Must enjoy working in the outdoors throughout the seasons
- Have a positive attitude and a willingness to work in a team environment
- Be hardworking, responsible and of sound character
- Possess good time management and problem solving skills
- Have experience with routine maintenance and repair
- Previous experience or the ability to cross-train in outdoor adventure programs is a plus
- Commitment to the mission of the YMCA and upholding its values and ethics
- Outgoing and engaging personality along with the ability to connect with people from a diverse array of backgrounds. We are seeking a dynamic candidate who truly enjoys working with and serving our diverse clientele
- Must be willing to work a variety of different shifts, including mornings, evenings and weekends
- Valid driver's license preferable

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Maintain well-kept and groomed outdoor grounds spaces, including all athletic fields, trails, building entrances and roads
- Primary duties include lawn mowing, weed eating, trash removal, storm damage cleanup, wood splitting, leaf blowing
- Working knowledge of mechanized grounds equipment is required, including zero-turn riding mowers, weed eaters, leaf blowers and wood-splitters

COMPENSATION AND BENEFITS

- Hourly pay is \$9.00-\$10.00.
- Free on-grounds housing in a private furnished room. All utilities, Wi-Fi, and common areas including a fully equipped kitchen and dining room are included. NO BILLS.
- Discount on YMCA Blue Ridge Assembly staff activities.
- Discounted stays at YMCA Blue Ridge Assembly.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Interested candidates should send their resumes, along with three references, to the Director of Leadership Development, Bruno Vandorsee at bvandorsee@yblueridge.org. References will be checked on all final candidates.

The application can be also submitted through the link below:
<https://blueridgeassembly.org/join/employment-application>