

THE TOWN OF RIDGEFIELD

TITLE: Lifeguard – Seasonal Position

JOB FUNCTIONS & RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Supervises the general public to ensure patron safety and appropriate policies and procedures are being followed
- Enforces all rules and regulations established by Parks and Recreation regularly and consistently
- Responsible for keeping accurate reports, i.e. daily logbook, pool chemical readings, cleaning check lists, gate/boat fees, membership, etc.
- Ensures all necessary paperwork (Accident/Incident Reports) are properly completed and forwarded to supervisor in a timely manner
- Maintains a sanitary pool/beach area free from defective equipment and unsafe or unhealthy conditions. May include maintenance duties during slow periods.
- Handle public issues as needed
- Regular attendance as required by the position
- Reports hazards to the Head Lifeguard
- Performs other duties as assigned

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

Ability to maneuver around a 25-meter indoor pool or seasonal fresh water pond with typical rescue equipment. Must be able to communicate rules and regulations to pool/beach patrons, and have full mobility in order to quickly respond to emergencies and rescue any patron in distress. Ability to sit, stand, bend, reach, swim, dive, climb and lift up to 50 lbs. When working at fresh water pond environment, must easily move on sand, climb guard chairs, walk uphill to location and guard shack, move lifeguard and pond equipment (sometimes with assistance).

EXPERIENCE/QUALIFICATIONS:

- Minimum 18 years of age or older
- Must be certified in Lifeguard Training, First Aid, CPR/AED for the Professional Rescuer
- Basic knowledge in and around water
- Must have a valid driver's license in order to move between facilities

HOURLY STARTING RATE: \$13.00, up to \$15.00 Depending on Experience

APPLICANT POSTING DATES: Until filled

To Apply: please send a completed Town Application to recwellness@ridgefieldct.org