



Greenskeeper - Job Description

About Us:

Kokanee Springs Resort is an iconic, bucket-list-worthy destination featuring one of the finest golf courses in British Columbia. Since 1968, our par-71 course, crafted by the legendary Norman H. Woods, has been serving up more than just birdies — it's pure, unfiltered magic. The course-side luxury villas, the 60-room lodge and the new RV Park at Kokanee Springs offer a mixture of casual elegance and affordable relaxation for those desiring mountain-side peace and tranquillity. The resort's restaurant, REFRESH Kitchen & Bar, serves up innovative casual cuisine to suit a variety of tastes.

Summary:

As a Greenskeeper your role will be to assist with the daily maintenance of Kokanee Springs Golf Course and surrounding areas so that it is always presented at the highest possible standards.

Duties and Responsibilities:

- To assist with the maintenance of all aspects of the Golf Course related grounds including the Clubhouse and Golf Shop areas. This will include but not be limited to spring cleanup (gravel removal, sod repair), collection and disposal of litter, clean-up of fallen trees, tree limbs and other tree-related debris, precision mowing (with both "ride-on" and push mowers), trimming, precision sand grooming, raking and shoveling as required, fall shut down and Golf Course winterization.
- To assist with the maintenance of Golf Course area-related patios, sidewalks, other walkways and cart paths. This includes but is not limited to weed control, cleanup of gravel and grass clippings, removal of encroaching shrub and tree branches, grading and litter removal.
- To assist with the maintenance of Golf Course drainage channels and dry streams including trimming, removal of excess silt and soil build-up, and ensuring that pop-up drains and catch basins are clear and functioning.
- To assist with the maintenance of Golf Course waterways including trimming and removal of debris that may impede flow.
- To assist with the maintenance of Golf course grounds areas with placed rocks, gravel or wood mulch including weed control, trimming and ensuring an overall tidy appearance.
- Safe operation and care of all Golf Course grounds maintenance equipment including transport equipment, hauling equipment, tractors, mowers, bunker groomers, golf carts, trimmers, blowers and hand tools.
- To perform multiple other tasks related to all aspects of the maintenance of the Golf Course grounds emphasizing safe working procedures.
- To assist with Golf Course projects and renovations as required.
- To help maintain the function and cleanliness of the Kokanee Springs Golf Course equipment maintenance facility and the Atco staff/office building including the general cleaning of these facilities.
- To perform other non-turf related duties as required.

Successful Candidates will possess the following:

- Related experience in high-end golf course maintenance and operation is a plus.
- Familiarity with resort operations is a plus.
- Being a golfer is a plus.
- This position is an outdoor job. Greenskeepers must be able to work outdoors in many different types of weather conditions, be able to focus on the task at hand for 8-hour days and be physically capable of carrying out all golf course maintenance-related tasks such as repeatedly lifting 25kg objects as well as having the ability to stand, walk, kneel, bend, use landscaping tools or operate turf maintenance equipment for up to 8-hour shifts.
- Ability to start work as early as 4:30 am daily and work at least one weekend day.
- Excellent interpersonal skills.
- Analytical skills; accurate; highly detail oriented.
- Organizational and time management skills.
- Strong oral communication skills.
- Valid Driver's license (BC class 5 or equivalent) and transportation to work are required.
- Steel-toe boots are required.
- A variety of work clothing is recommended, i.e. work gloves, and rain gear.

Benefits of working here:

- Free Golf
- Discounts on food at the on-site restaurant, REFRESH Kitchen & Bar
- Discounts at the Pro Shop
- Family & Friends discounts in the Lodge
- On-site Staff Accommodation available
- Rural location in a valley surrounded by mountains
- Walking distance to Kootenay Lake
- Wildlife is abundant here, so sightings are promised

Wage: \$17.50 - \$20.50 per hour

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