

PART-TIME Farm Crew Member Job Description

Sassafras Creek Farm is a USDA certified-organic, highly diversified vegetable farm in Leonardtown, Maryland. We grow year-round 10 acres of vegetables including ½ acre of high tunnel production and 35 acres of cover crops. We use modern, scale-appropriate equipment, facilities and systems for production efficiencies and high product quality. We are dedicated to producing exceptionally delicious organic foods, providing meaningful employment, and teaching employees about small-scale sustainable farming. We take great pride in protecting our natural resources, serving our local community, and operating a profitable farm business. We sell at a seasonal farmer's market and year-round to natural food stores, farm-to-table restaurants, and other farms.

Duties & Responsibilities

- Assist in harvesting produce (winter months)
- Assist in washing produce
- o Assist in sorting, grading, packaging and labeling produce;
- o Assist in managing inventory and recordkeeping of stored produce; and
- o Assist in fulfilling customers' orders and associated records.
- Assist in greenhouse work (e.g., potting up seedlings; filling trays with potting mix), transplanting seedlings, and weeding crops.

Starts: May Ends: Open App Deadline: Open

Days/Hours

 \circ Part-time, seasonal: 2 - 3 days/week; typically, 8 am to 3 - 3:30 pm

Qualifications & Preferences

- High School Diploma or GED required
- o Work accurately in a fast-paced team environment
- o Focus on quality and attention-to-detail
- o Ability to work efficiently doing outdoor physical labor; lift and carry up to 45-lbs
- o No farm experience required; we will train you.

Compensation

o Part-time, Seasonal: \$18.00 / hour

Benefits

- o Free organic produce for your own use
- You will learn small-scale organic vegetable production on a mechanized, modern, year-round, diversified, profitable market farm
- o Opportunities for increased responsibility and year-round employment

To Apply

Please e-mail your resume and cover letter to: sassafrascreekfarm@gmail.com

Thank you!

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Come Join our Farm Team!

