

## **Job Description**

### Kayaking Guide

Lead and; Assistant positions available

Guides are needed for our 2021 season, May-October.

Dependent on schedule and desire, guides work 1-8 tours per week, sometimes two per day if desired.



### Assistant Kayak Guide

#### Assistant Guide Qualifications:

- Current First Aid and Adult & Child CPR
- Beginning knowledge of natural history (wildlife, geology, marine environment)
- Experience leading groups, preferably in an outdoor setting
- Knowledge of or willingness to learn about local cultural history, natural history, and conservation issues
- Experience in kayaking, rescues and navigation. (will train)

#### Assistant Guide Responsibilities:

- Utilize outdoor leadership, group management, and people skills to facilitate a positive safe experience.
- Help clients adjust gear & boats and provide basic paddling tips
- Help lead guide with rescues and group management on the water
- Be Familiar with local waterways, weather patterns
- Help with clean up of kayaks and gear.

Trip Pay: is based on tour length, (3-6 hrs) and guide level: \$115-\$160 per tour. Overnight tours also available.

### Lead Kayak Guide

#### Lead Guide Qualifications:

- Current Wilderness First Aid and Adult & Child CPR
- Weekend or midweek availability.
- Basic knowledge of natural history (wildlife, geology, water/outdoor environment)
- Experience leading groups, preferably in an outdoor setting
- Training and experience in kayaking, rescues and navigation. (will train)
- Excellent outdoor leadership, group management, and people skills.
- Able to be flexible, well organized and pay attention to all details while keeping the larger picture in focus.
- Lead kayak guides must have a Oregon drivers license and drive with a trailer.

In addition to our public tours, we offer customized private tours, team-building tours, and environmental education tours for school groups, scout troops, corporate groups, and other private groups. Experience in these areas is a plus.

Pay Scale: is on a per tour basis and based on guide level: \$105-\$135

### How to Apply

To Apply: Please send your schedule, your resume and cover letter detailing your kayaking and leadership experience to: [skylakeswild@gmail.com](mailto:skylakeswild@gmail.com) You can also call Mark at 541-591-0949 for more information