



Seasonal Horticulturalist
(20-week contract beginning in May, 2017, with the possibility of extension)

The Town of Renfrew is seeking applications from qualified individuals for the summer contract position of Seasonal Horticulturalist.

Reporting to the Recreation Director, this position is responsible for:

- Conducting the day to day maintenance, operation and inspections of Town Parks and park facilities including: trails, playgrounds, turf areas, landscaped areas, parks fixtures and other Town owned lands.
- Carrying out all horticultural duties. Grass cutting and turf maintenance requirements, including: lining of fields, turf maintenance, weed eating, etc.
- Implementing sustainable maintenance plans and schedules to ensure the long term viability and strength of the botanical collection.
- Managing, operating and maintaining department related hand and power equipment.
- Assisting in special event set up, tear down and clean up.
- Design, prepare and maintain annual and shrub beds and plants.
- Prune, maintain and transplant trees and shrubs.
- Maintain Town owned areas including litter and debris pick up, garbage removal and painting over graffiti.

The successful applicant will:

- Working toward a College Diploma in Landscape, Horticultural Science and/or Parks Operation-related discipline.
- One year practical experience in parks operations, landscaping, horticulture, greens keeping or gardening environment.
- Current First Aid/CPR
- Additional Parks related courses/training will be considered an asset.
- Valid Class "G" Drivers License.
- Demonstrate ability to work effectively with co-workers and the public and work well with minimum supervision.

Hourly range: Depending on experience and qualifications.

Qualified candidates are requested to forward their resume by April 10, 2017 at 1:00p.m. to:

Kevin Hill
Director of Parks and Recreation
127 Raglan Street South
Renfrew, Ontario
K7V 1P8
E-mail: khill@renfrew.ca

We thank all those who apply and acknowledge that only those selected for an interview will be contacted. . Personal information is collected under the authority of the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act and is used to determine eligibility for potential employment.

The Town of Renfrew will attempt to provide reasonable accommodation for a known disability for an applicant or employee if requested.