



Job Description

Title

Snowmaker

Reports To

Snowmaking Manager or Crew Lead

Start Date

Mid to End of October

Wage

\$18 an hour

Position Summary

The **Snowmaker** is a vital member of the operations team at Rabbit Hill Snow Resort, responsible for assisting in the production of high-quality snow to ensure excellent on-hill conditions. Reporting to the Crew Lead and Snowmaking Manager, Snowmakers are accountable for executing snowmaking assignments efficiently and safely while learning the technical aspects of the snowmaking process.

This hands-on role involves operating, maintaining, and relocating various types of snowmaking equipment, all while working in challenging winter conditions. Snowmakers are expected to always uphold Rabbit Hill's safety standards and core values. **This role requires full-time availability. Part-time hours are not offered for this position.**

Key Responsibilities

- Set up, operate, and take down snowmaking equipment, including snow guns, hoses, pumps, and generators.
- Safely transfer snow guns and hoses to designated locations around the hill as directed.
- Perform daily equipment checks and routine maintenance on snowmaking machinery.
- Maintain detailed records of snowmaking operations and conditions.
- Monitor and address safety concerns proactively to prevent workplace hazards.
- Assist in emergency situations, following Rabbit Hill's safety and emergency response protocols.
- Operate resort vehicles, including snowmobiles, quads, and side-by-sides, in a safe and responsible manner.
- Shovel snow, clear ice, and perform manual tasks related to snowmaking and site maintenance.
- Roll, pack, and manage hoses during snowmaking operations.
- Use tools such as propane torches safely and appropriately.
- Follow all Rabbit Hill policies, procedures, and safety protocols without exception.
- Model and promote Rabbit Hill's core values—**Accountability, Innovation, Adaptability, Passion, and Community**—through teamwork, reliability, and daily operational responsibilities.
- Perform other duties as assigned to support snowmaking operations and resort needs.

Requirements

- Must be at least 18 years old.
- Valid Class 5 driver's license and reliable transportation required.
- Must be available to start near the **end of October** and work through **December** (there is potential for reassignment within the resort for the remainder of the season).
- Physically fit and capable of lifting up to 50 lbs.
- Willingness to work outdoors, day or night, in extreme winter weather conditions.
- Available for rotating shifts, including overnight shifts, weekends, and statutory holidays.
- Mechanically inclined with the ability to learn and operate snowmaking equipment.
- Self-motivated, dependable, and quick to learn in a high-demand environment.
- Comfortable working independently or within a team setting.
- Previous experience in snowmaking or a related field is an asset.
- Strong commitment to safety, teamwork, and personal accountability.

Working Conditions

- Physically demanding work with exposure to harsh winter conditions.
- Extended periods of standing, walking, and performing manual tasks.
- Frequent reaching, kneeling, bending, twisting, pushing, pulling, and lifting.
- Overnight work and variable shift schedules.
- Outdoor work on variable terrain, including snowy, icy, hard-packed, or wet surfaces.
- Working around heavy machinery, snow cats, snowmobiles, and side-by-sides.
- Use of potentially hazardous tools and equipment.
- Potential for long shifts during peak snowmaking operations.