



Job Title: Sous Chef
Location: Mt. Gilead, OH
Job Status: Seasonal, May-November, 2019
Reports To: Food Services Director
Function/Team: Food Services

Position Overview:

The Sous Chef will be responsible for providing support to the Food Services Director, while exhibiting leadership and a strong work ethic in the Kitchen. The Sous Chef will have the option to live on site during the summer camp season.

Function/Team Overview:

The **Food Services Team** supports all camp participants through the preparation and creation of fresh meals while catering to a wide variety of dietary and health needs. This team supports volunteers and educational partners (residential) each session in order to meet their goals of providing healthy food options for all. In adherence with laws and camp governing bodies; they implement policies and procedures in addition to leading food-related health inspections.

Responsibilities:

- Attend Seasonal Leadership Training (June 3-12,2019)
- Prepare a wide range of foods and baked goods
- Maintain a clean, sanitary and safe culinary environment
- Support, lead and evaluate food service staff and volunteers
- Manage the camp vegetable garden
- Adhere to all sanitation and food handling procedures in accordance with the Morrow County Health Department
- Lead the kitchen with a volunteer crew in the absence of the Food Service Director
- Perform administrative duties including (but not limited to) food ordering, menu pricing, recipe/menu writing, phone communications, email correspondence, data entry, filing and creating electronic reports, etc.

Key Requirements:

- Ability to cook for persons with serious food allergies and dietary restrictions
- Possess an interest in emergency policies related to food service
- Demonstrate proficiency in all of the areas of the kitchen and dining hall, such as cooking and cleaning
- Ability to self-manage and work independently
- Demonstrate leadership, team work and delegation skills to achieve results

Required Skills, Qualifications & Experience:

- Ability to work a non-traditional work schedule including evenings and weekends
- Ability to lift 50lbs
- At least 4 years of comparable high volume cooking experience
- Valid drivers license and reliable transportation

Expectations & Requirements for all Flying Horse Farms Staff

- We live our Core Values - we are each responsible for knowing our values and nurturing our culture
- We practice Safety First - we are each responsible for knowing and adhering to the policies and procedures as described in the FHF staff manual
- We See the Best in Each Other - we are each responsible for ensuring our working relationships with co-workers, volunteers, Board members, families, campers and other stakeholders are positive and professional
- We show up - we are each responsible for our schedules, meetings and any other duties

Why work at Flying Horse Farms? Quotes from the team:

- *“Camp doesn’t just change the lives of the campers for the better. It also changes the lives of every person involved. It helps us see the value of the human person, spreading a culture of acceptance to every person who passes through the gates.”*
- *“This was one of the most cohesive staffs I have been a part of. I felt comfortable around everyone and thought the team did a great job of supporting one another. I enjoyed the opportunity to work with a variety of staff members and felt welcomed right away.”*

How to Apply:

<https://flyinghorsefarms.org/get-involved/seasonal-positions/>

Flying Horse Farms provides magical, transformative camp experiences for children with serious illnesses and their families – free of charge. Located on 200 acres in Mt. Gilead, Ohio, camp first opened its gates in 2010 and hosts about 900 children and families each year.

Flying Horse Farms is the first camp in the Midwest to become a full member of the SeriousFun Children’s Network. Founded in 1988 by actor, philanthropist and Ohio native Paul Newman, the Network is a community of independently managed and financed camps and programs creating opportunities for children with serious illnesses and their families. The Network has evolved from one camp to a global community serving one million children and families across five continents.

The children who attend camp have illnesses including cancer, heart conditions, rheumatoid arthritis, blood disorders, asthma, gastrointestinal disorders and facial anomalies.

At Flying Horse Farms, for a weekend or week at a time, being sick takes a backseat to being a kid. And fun is priority number one. Campers participate in activities like swimming, boating, fishing, archery, high ropes and arts and crafts. Campers receive first-rate care at our on-site health center, staffed 24/7 by medical professionals from children’s hospitals across Ohio and beyond.

Flying Horse Farms is an ACA-Accredited Camp with the American Camp Association.