

Snowmaking Supervisor

Reports To: General Manager, Director of Operations

PURPOSE OF THE JOB

Under the direction of the General Manager and Director of Operations, the main purpose is to be responsible for all the snowmakers and snowmaking operations at Mount St. Louis-Moonstone Ski Resort.

DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES

- Instruct Snowmaking Shift Lead and/or crew on (and during) daily snowmaking operations
- Update and follow training manuals for department
- Ensure all Snowmaking Crew timecards are completed and calculated correctly at the end of each week as well as ensuring scheduling and punctuality of Snowmaking Crew
- Ensure proper training of Snowmaking Shift Lead and crew.
- Follow Snowmaking crew's progress (ability to follow direction, etc). Make any changes deemed necessary
- Responsible for effective training and operation of Snowmaking plant
- Ensure Snowmaking Shift Lead and crew are trained fully and responsibly in the use of snowmobiles and snowmobile routes. Lead by example (ie. safe and responsible operation of snowmobiles)
- Supervise and perform duties involving snowmaking, snowmaking maintenance and plant maintenance
- Form daily and optional snowmaking plans based on available information
- Make weekly plans, if necessary, for the operations and maintenance of snowmaking
- Assume Snowmaking Shift Lead's duties and responsibilities if shift lead is absent
- Responsible for maintenance and repair to all snowmaking equipment
- Health and safety responsibilities and duties are to identify hazards and train employees on such hazards and take every reasonable precaution to prevent hazards
- Ensure work and lunch areas are kept clean
- Perform tasks as set out in the training manuals set out by the Snowmaking Department
- Read, understand and comply with all Resort policies and procedures
- Other related duties as assigned

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SKILLS & EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

- Experience as a Supervisor
- Knowledge and training of OH&SA
- WHMIS
- Knowledge of the ski industry
- Snowmaking guns (ie. Ratnik Baby, Ratnik, Snow Giant, HKD Towers, McKinney Towers and Ratnik Towers, V3 Towers, T/A Fan Guns)
- Snowmaking systems and instrumentation as well as snowmaking software and databases
- Weather interpretation to maximize snow production,
- Lift Evacuation training or experience
- Operation of snowmobile at an expert level
- Self-motivated individual with strong communication and problem solving skills

PHYSICAL & TIME REQUIREMENTS

- Day Shift Hours 0700 – 1900
- Night Shift Hours 1900 – 0700
- Be on call and available, if required, on days off
- Follow lunch, washroom and break procedures as directed

- Work outdoors, sometimes in extreme weather conditions
- Physically fit and able to lift, push and pull heavy loads; willing to ask for assistance when required
- Lift up to 40 lbs, assisted lifts with anything over 40 lbs
- Stability to walk on uneven surfaces and icy conditions
- Ability to ascend/descend a ladder and comfortable working from heights
- Communicate, converse with and exchange accurate information with fellow crew members and other departments in a polite and professional manner

Employee Signature

Date

Andre Huter

Andre Huter, Director of Operations