

Job Postings



Season: June – September 2020

Apostle Islands Kayaking is pleased to announce that we are hiring 3 positions in 2020!

Lead Sea Kayak Guide and Assistant Sea Kayak Guide: We are hiring passionate, enthusiastic, and responsible guides to lead remote sea kayaking trips in Lake Superior's beautiful Apostle Islands National Lakeshore. You will be responsible for natural history interpretation and group safety while exploring the rugged and picturesque shoreline of Lake Superior by sea kayak. Sea Kayak guides are trusted to handle all aspects of a successful trip including equipment, group management, safety and decision making. This is a unique opportunity to join an outstanding team of outdoors professionals, learn exciting and valuable skills, and explore the Apostle Islands by sea kayak!

Qualifications and Requirements:

- Able to make conservative decisions and ensure group safety on the water
- Enthusiastic about sharing history, science, and cultural information with groups
- Dedicated to outstanding customer service
- Strong work ethic
- Excellent leadership skills
- Ability to lift 50 lbs repeatedly
- Preference for experienced kayakers, outdoor leaders, and ACA certified instructors
- Must successfully complete Guide Training June 6-9, 2020 in Bayfield, WI
- Provide copies of current First Aid and CPR certification by June 6, 2020

Boathouse Manager: Responsible for the care, repair, and maintenance of our fleet of high quality sea kayaks, associated equipment, and the buildings and grounds at our beautiful Lake Superior kayaking base. A successful candidate will be highly organized and self-directed with prior experience maintaining tools, kayaking equipment, and grounds. The boathouse manager is responsible for identifying equipment and grounds needs, and managing boathouse staff to ensure cleanliness and functionality. In the boathouse, it's a big plus to be skilled with hand tools and power tools and be creative in your building/repair skills!

Office/Reservations Specialist: A friendly and outgoing individual with a "can-do" attitude will succeed in the fun and fast-paced environment of the Apostle Islands Kayaking office. Prior knowledge of the Apostle Islands National Lakeshore and/or the sport of sea kayaking are a big plus. Outstanding customer service is our priority, so get ready to answer specific questions, meet guests from around the world, and connect people with a sea kayaking experience that fits for them!

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Apostle Islands Kayaking, LLC is an Equal Opportunity Employer



Employment Application

- ✓ Please complete this application by typing or printing in ink. *INCOMPLETE* or *UNSIGNED* applications will not be considered.
- ✓ We are an equal opportunity employer. We do not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, color, sex, age, national origin, marital status, or disability.
- ✓ Do you need an accommodation to participate in the application or interview process? Yes No

Return completed application with your resume and up to three references.
Email to zach@apostleisland.com.

Name: _____ Email: _____

Phone: (____) ____ - ____ Address: _____

Indicate the position(s) you are applying for: _____

(Lead Sea Kayak Guide, Assistant Sea Kayak Guide, Boathouse Manager, or Office/Reservations Specialist)

1. Please briefly describe your related work experience.

2. Why do you want to work at Apostle Islands Kayaking?

3. If applying for the Lead Sea Kayak Guide or Assistant Sea Kayak Guide position: describe your risk-management strategy. What kind of information do you need to make decisions about group safety on the water?

4. Please list any current certifications that you hold along with their expiration date. Include CPR and First Aid certifications.

5. If you do not hold current First Aid and CPR certifications, will you complete them and submit certification cards prior to Guide Training June 6-9, 2020?

6. Do you hold a current valid driver's license?

6. Please describe any other qualities or skills that would help you succeed in the position you are applying for.

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