

Career Fact Sheets

Park Patrol Captain (seasonal position)

DESCRIPTION

Park Patrol Captains work under the direction of a district Conservation Officer and are responsible to supervise and participate in the Park Patrol Officer program. Persons hired at this level are usually current seasonal employees who have previously worked as a Park Patrol Officer. Park Patrol Captains will ensure the safety, security and enjoyment of the public by promoting compliance with the rules and regulations of campgrounds and other public areas in Provincial Parks. They investigate violations and complaints, gather evidence, prepare court documents, issue written warnings and offence notices, attend court as necessary and conduct evictions. Park Patrol Captains provide guidance and coaching to Park Patrol Officers as well as make program recommendations and prepare reports. As a key front line staff member they will provide visitor services and may perform maintenance tasks. Depending on the district you are stationed, you may carry out other resource related duties such as angler checks, problem wildlife control and back country patrols. The usual period of employment is from the beginning of May to the middle of September.

QUALIFICATION & SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

- Graduate from a recognized resource management diploma or degree program or a recognized law enforcement diploma program or a degree in the studies of Law or Environmental studies. An equivalent combination of education, training and experience may be considered
- a recognized college or university in an approved program relating to conservation, renewable resource or law; or an equivalent combination of education, training and experience
- Minimum of one season experience as a Park Patrol Officer (RO1) and have completed the department's Seasonal Officer Orientation Course
- Good communication skills both oral and written
- Demonstrated leadership skills
- Ability to work under stress, make decisions and problem solve
- Must possess a valid full Manitoba class 4 drivers licence(an equivalent out of province licence is acceptable)
- Must have valid standard first aid, CPR and Canadian Firearms Safety Certificates
- Must possess a clear criminal records check (must not have been convicted of a criminal offence for which a pardon has not been granted)
- Must not be on the Manitoba Child abuse registry
- Must be physically able to perform duties assigned (completion of the PARE Test is an asset)