Seasonal State Worker - Naturalist Aide - Hardy Lake

**Job ID:** 601402

**Apply Before:** 08/29/2016

**Location:** Scott

**Full/Part Time:** Full-Time

**Salary:** $14,378.00

**City/County/St:** Scottsburg, Scott County, IN

**Hire Salary:** $9.89 per hour

To Apply

**Job Description:**

The position is responsible for providing nature education for the general public at Hardy Lake as well as around the State of Indiana and will work as a Bird of Prey Rehabilitation Assistant at the Dwight Chamberlain Raptor Center. The successful candidate will assist property staff with the duties listed under the responsibilities section below. The Naturalist Aide must be able to communicate effectively, both orally and in writing. Job responsibilities are performed according to the policies, rules and regulations of the Department of Natural Resources.

The incumbent for this position will be required to work afternoons, evenings, weekends and holidays. The successful candidate must be willing to work outside in potentially inclement weather. The Naturalist Aide will be required to wear a DNR provided uniform.

**Responsibilities:**

Lead environmental educational programs including talks, hikes, and crafts, nature games both on and off of Hardy Lake property.

Care and handling of the birds of prey (Hawks, Owls, Eagles, Falcons)

Care and handling of amphibians and reptiles.

Care and handling of feeder rodents.

Develop brochures, publish monthly activities and write media releases.

Assist in planning and hosting special events.

Other duties as assigned.
Preferred Experience:

Valid high school diploma or GED; or one (1) year of work experience.

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