

Terrain Park Ranger Job Description

Position: Terrain Park Ranger Updated: September 2021

Supervisor: Terrain Park Manager

Overview: Set up and maintain terrain park course.

Job Description:

Always make sure that all takeoffs corners are properly painted (12"x12" 90 degree angle).

- Make sure there are no scuff marks (jagged edges or burrs sticking up that will catch an edge)
 on all copings and rails from possible groomers hitting them or wear and tear, also plastic not
 secured down from broken hardware on boxes that a rider can get hurt on.
- Always make sure every takeoff and landing stays safe and ride-able (no big butt-cracks before takeoff and keep landings from getting too washed out) and keep ride-on takeoffs from having to ollie on so not so good riders don't nose dive from getting front tip stuck.
- Keep snow pushed up to skirting (plywood) on all features. We never want to see through the bottom of a feature for safety reasons.
- Always check copings and rails for rust and stickiness. If you do come across one that's rusted, spray pam on it and wipe it down with steel wool.
- If a feature has to get closed down for any reason (fix butt-crack, push snow up to skirting to cover bottom gaps, etc...). Close off that feature with bamboo and do your work. When done, remove bamboo to open back up to public. Keep an eye on that feature you fixed rest of day to make sure it doesn't happen again. Might have to throw salt to harden if you think it will not harden up.
- Never let the public set up their own rail or box set-ups.
- Try to keep people from standing on or near a feature, especially on the jump decks, so other riders don't not see them and land on them or near them.

What we expect of you:

- Always be on time for your shift and if you are going to be late please call ahead to either Chad or Ryan.
- If for any reason you can't work your shift please call Chad or Ryan 24 hours in advance to let us know so we can make changes to get another Ranger to switch shifts.
- Always park in employee lot, even if you're coming to free ride.
- When on duty, always wear your Park Ranger jacket. That way you will have no problem getting on lifts.
- Always make sure you have your Daily Checklist completed as soon as you get finished your
 morning and afternoon run through of every feature and signed and in the Daily Checklist folder in
 lab. Should be 2 completed for every day, 1 for AM shift and 1 for PM shift.
- If you ever get injured while on duty, call Chad or Ryan to let us know so we can fill out proper paperwork, then go straight to First Aid.
- Always keep lab clean of trash, tools, backpacks, etc.
- Always put tools back where you got them from so next person doesn't have to waste time searching for them.
- If sporking features in AM before we open, check every rail and box for possible dents from groomer's night before. Sometimes the rails and boxes can get touched by tiller or blade of cat and operator won't feel it or know. If you notice it's been hit and is dangerous to public, close with bamboo and call Ryan or Chad.

Requirements:

- Ability to work in extreme temperatures and extreme weather
- Ability to work nights and weekends
- Ability to work and ski on all terrain including ice.
- Daily task include lifting, moving, and carrying 50+ pounds and skiing while carrying equipment.
- Strong outdoor skills
- Maintain a strong physical condition
- Proper clothing for all tasks and weather conditions, including footwear to carry out daily functions.
- Reliable transportation.
- Self-motivated, team player, and strong communication skills.

What to expect from us:

Generally work schedules vary, six days a week. Schedules are influenced by weather conditions, and guest attendance. We offer free skiing, rentals and lessons; meal discounts and discounts in our retail shop.