



The Alaska SeaLife Center, a non-profit organization generating and sharing scientific knowledge that promotes understanding and stewardship of Alaska's marine ecosystems is seeking applications for the following:

Life Support Technician

This position is responsible for the operation, maintenance and repair of the life support, building, and mechanical systems at the Alaska SeaLife Center.

Responsibilities (include but are not limited to):

1. Maintain animal life support systems (LSS).
2. Follows scheduled routine for LSS rounds and mechanical checks.
3. Maintains familiarity with all aspects of LSS including electrical, plumbing, and mechanical systems.
4. Visually monitors water quality in habitats and aquarium systems.
5. Demonstrates an excellent working knowledge of the safe and proper use of hand tools, power tools and test equipment used in daily activities.
6. Assists in the fabrication and repair of exhibits.
7. Assists with the maintenance, repair and overhaul of major plant equipment.
8. Must be fully capable of reading technical drawings, technical specification and written repair/maintenance procedures with minimum supervision.
9. Works a rotating shift, an on-call schedule, and/or overtime as needed.
10. Supports the routine preventive and breakdown maintenance on all aspects of the ASLC building and its operating systems. Including but not limited to electrical, plumbing, HVAC, and building construction.
11. Supports the maintenance of the grounds, roof, sidewalks, and pier in safe and clean condition.
12. Works with other relevant departments to ensure that exhibit galleries are always clean, and well maintained.
13. May be asked to assist with operation of pickup based snow plow.
14. Works with the entire maintenance team to ensure that all outside trafficable areas are safe and free from snow and ice. Shovels snow and dispenses ice melt and/or grit as required.
15. With supervisor's approval, assists Research Departments with mechanical tasks.
16. Keeps proper records in accordance with ASLC policies and permits.
17. Maintains familiarity with MSDS system and hazardous communications
18. Maintains a valid driver's license.

Requirements:

High school diploma or GED with completion of an apprenticeship as a carpenter, electrician, plumber or other recognized trade; or high school diploma or GED and five years experience in a similar position.

This is a regular, full-time position. The SeaLife Center offers a competitive wage (DOE) with great benefits.

Start Date: 08/23/2010

Apply by: Open until filled

Send resume & application (downloadable at www.alaskasealife.org) to Human Resources, Alaska SeaLife Center, P. O. Box 1329, Seward, AK 99664-1329, or fax 907-224-6320, or email to HR@alaskasealife.org.

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