

DORENBURG ORCHARDS

LAKE COUNTRY, BC

Job Title:	# of Positions:	Application Deadline:
Crew Leader / Orchard Worker	1	April 15 th , 2018
Company Profile:		

Dorenberg Orchards is a family owned and operated business in Lake Country, BC. We have been producing tree fruits since 1949 and are known for our innovative practices and high quality products. We have 45 acres of high density apples including Sunrise, Gala & Ambrosia. We also have a 10 acre wine grape vineyard. Our farm is west facing overlooking Okanagan Lake.

Job Description:		
<p>This position runs from June to mid-November as an orchard & vineyard worker. During the months of June and July this position functions as the Crew Leader for the thinning crew. The Crew Leader reports directly to the Orchard Manager and is the liaison between thinners and the management team. The Crew Leader works with the thinning crew and informs management of crew questions, concerns or other issues. The Crew Leader also provides the crew direction regarding parking and facility location. This position also cleans and restocks toilet and hand washing facilities.</p>		

Duties:	Skills:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Report incidents and hazards to management daily - Move crew and ladders to new blocks when necessary - Direct crew to nearest location of facilities (drinking water, toilets, hand washing) - Restock and clean toilet supplies weekly - Restock and clean hand wash facilities daily during harvest - Other duties include: thinning, picking, pruning, tree & vine training, shoot thinning, & leaf removal - Safe use of ladders on slopes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Strong communication skills - Strong leadership skills - Be a flexible team player who works well in a busy and demanding environment - Ability to self-motivate while doing repetitive tasks - Able to bend, lift, twist and stand/walk for 8 hours per day - Ability to lift 50 lbs - Consistent attendance and punctuality - Valid driver's licence - Fluent in English (second language an asset) - Ability to distinguish red and green colours
Hours:	Experience:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 40 – 65hrs/week depending on the season - June to mid-November 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - One season of horticultural experience - Clean driving record - Level 1 First Aid an asset
Wage:	Employment Status:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - \$14.75/hour 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Seasonal
Please note:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Applicants must be legal to work in Canada and possess valid Social Insurance Numbers (SIN) - Overtime provisions do not apply for agricultural positions - Work hours are dependent on weather and crop volume 	
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