

We're Hiring!

The Forest Meadows Farm is hiring a part-time, farm and garden assistant for the current season. We have a burgeoning organic garden/agritourism business that feeds our friends, family, and extended neighborhood. We grow flowers, fruit, herbs, salad greens, leafy greens and vegetables of all kinds.

JOB DESCRIPTION

This is a seasonal position commencing now and continuing until the end of October. There is the potential for this to become a year-round position for the right person. Physical fitness is essential for this role. You must be able to stand, squat, carry and lift up to 50 pounds repeatedly over a 3-4 hour period. This role is a good opportunity to earn internship points for agriculture or horticulture-focused units or majors, and a perfect entry-level position for people interested in the Agri industry.

DUTIES INCLUDE:

- Hand watering
- Composting
- Planting, harvesting & post-harvest tasks
- Fruit tree and flower pruning
- Building a greenhouse and developing / maintaining the nursery
- Creating and implementing organizational systems for:
 - seeds, soil and plant materials
 - tools, supplies, and equipment
- Assisting with the planting schedule
- Assisting with the neighborhood market garden

THE FOLLOWING SKILLS ARE DESIRABLE:

- An understanding of regenerative agriculture practices and agrotourism
- Experience with hard & softscape design, building and minor construction
- Experience with social media management and marketing
- Experience with irrigation installation and maintenance

BENEFITS:

- Part-time monthly stipend in the range of \$400-\$800 based on hours negotiated
- End-of-season bonus.
- Percentage of market sales
- Free produce.

TO APPLY

We encourage anyone with an interest in agriculture, horticulture or agrotourism to apply. Please forward your resume, letters of recommendation and a list of professional references to forestmeadowsfarm@gmail.com