

GLYNWOOD

Job Title: Livestock Farm Hand
Regular Hours: Hourly, Part Time
Regular Days: Will Vary, Dependent on Individual
Reports to: Livestock Manager
FLSA Class: Non-Exempt
Housing Provided: No
Date: 5/21/2018

Summary

Glynwood is looking for someone to help with our diversified livestock operation, caring for our cows, sheep and goats. We are a small farm with a Farmer Training program, and our livestock operation is organized around teaching a yearly group of apprentices. We are an Animal Welfare Certified operation and manage our pastures intensively through rotational grazing. The job entails helping to care for our animals, setting up and moving fences, clipping pastures, assisting the Livestock Manager with filling meat orders and staying on top of meat inventory, and various other tasks to help keep us running smoothly. Experience in transporting animals with a gooseneck trailer and driving a tractor preferred, but not necessary.

Specific Duties and Responsibilities

- Handling livestock, moving fences and animals around the farm
- Transporting animals to the processing facility with a trailer
- Assist with veterinary care of sick or injured animals as well as regular preventative care
- Assist with livestock record keeping
- Assist with meat inventory and fulfilling meat orders
- Pasture management
- Fence repair
- Brush clearing

Other Requirements

- Must be organized and capable of working with a team
- Ability to operate basic farm equipment safely and effectively; experience driving a trailer, operating a tractor and various attachments preferred
- Basic handy-person skills are a plus
- Ability to perform outdoor physical labor in all weather conditions
- Ability to lift 50 pounds
- Interest in sustainable agriculture, especially raising livestock on pasture
- Experience handling a livestock a plus

Please apply by uploading a cover letter, resumé and references on our Employment Application Page.