Grounds Crew Internship

The South Bend Cubs are currently seeking a qualified individual for the upcoming 2015 baseball season as an intern on the grounds crew. Four Winds Field is a first-class facility located south of downtown South Bend built in 1987 with multiple up-grades over the last several years. The grounds crew intern will learn the basic knowledge and demeanor that is needed to maintain a sports field at the professional level.

**Job Requirements**

Our internship position is a great opportunity for a highly motivated individual who is eager to learn all facets of maintaining a professional playing surface throughout the duration of the season. A strong work ethic and ability to work well with co-workers and supervisors in a team environment is desired. Due to the physical nature of the job, all candidates should be able to carry, lift and transport up to 100 pounds. The ideal candidate will be currently enrolled or recently graduated from an accredited university with a major in Turfgrass Management or related field of study.

**Duties & Responsibilities**

This position concentrates heavily on performing the proper techniques of maintaining the pitcher’s mound: bullpen mounds: batting cage mound and home plate area to ensure they meet all specifications. You will also experience the various ways of preparing and maintaining the infield skin area to provide a true consistent surface on a daily basis. Other areas of responsibilities include but not limited to: daily upkeep of warning track surface, assisting with fertilizer applications, interior landscape, as well as learning a variety of other cultural practice that take place to maintain the integrity of the entire playing surface.

**Compensation**

We offer a stipend monthly salary of $1,000 while working 40 + hours per week including weekends and holidays. This position will be available through the months of March – September. Flexible starting and ending dates based on college course schedule.

If you are interested in this position please send cover letter, resume and references to:

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