

TOWN OF COMOX

CLASS SPECIFICATION

CLASS TITLE: PARKS LABOURER (SEASONAL)

NATURE AND SCOPE OF WORK:

The employee will undertake responsible, professional work in the area of general park operations and maintenance. The scope of work includes working in a team environment, the demonstration and willingness to learn, and the ability to perform all tasks in a safe manner. Work requires a general understanding of common landscape management and care, general turf management, and safe operation and maintenance of a wide range of landscaping tools and equipment.

This position reports directly to the Parks Chargehand.

TYPICAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

Assists with the duties and responsibilities which include, but are not limited to:

- . grass cutting
- . turf installation
- . leaf raking
- . landscaping
- . field maintenance
- . general irrigation
- . pruning
- . trail maintenance and repair
- . garbage collection and disposal
- . fertilizing
- . watering

Once properly trained and instructed, operate a wide range of turf and landscaping tools and equipment in a safe, responsible, and efficient manner.

Once properly trained and instructed, safeguard tools and equipment and maintain them in accordance with the manufacturer maintenance specifications.

Perform other duties relating to their position as required from time to time.

REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS:

Completion of grade 12

Possess a basic knowledge of general landscaping and turf care

Possess the ability to follow instructions

Possess the ability to deal with the public in a positive and courteous manner

Demonstrate the willingness to learn and keep informed of any operational and safety related requirements

Possess a valid B.C. Class 5 Driver's Licence

Possess the ability to communicate in an effective manner