



Position: Brewer

Job Classification: Full-Time, Year-Round

Reports to: Production Manager

Pay Rate: Hourly, based on experience

Benefits: Available Medical & Dental Insurance, Paid Vacation

Black Bridge Brewery is a family owned and operated 20HL production brewery in Swift Current, Saskatchewan. We have been in operation for five years brewing packaging in cans and kegs, as well as seasonal special release beers in bottles.

Job Description:

The Brewer will perform various tasks to assist in the daily production requirements. Main functions include, but are not limited to, brewhouse, hop inducer and filter operation, general cleaning, tank CIP, post-filtration cleanup, beer transfers, dry hopping, filling pins and firkins, parts and hose maintenance, and additional cellar and brewhouse duties as necessary.

Daily Duties, Functions, Responsibilities:

Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

(Other related duties maybe assigned)

- Daily CIP of fermentation tanks and bright beer tanks
- Work closely with brewing team to achieve desired quality and production targets.
- General cleaning of cellar and brewhouse areas including floors, vessels, piping, etc.
- Periodic handling of hazardous chemicals
- Continually maintain all productions areas including equipment – (mill area, brewhouse, fermentation, filtration, spent grain area, bulk grain and grain storage area, as well as all areas around or leading to brewhouse and cellar)
- Monitor CO2 levels in beer
- Attend production meetings and contribute to product improvement
- Work with other production and non-production departments as assigned and needed to full-fill orders

- Assist with packaging as needed
- Be courteous and professional to anyone visiting the brewery

Skills and attributes necessary for this position:

- Professional brewing experience OR formal brewing education REQUIRED
- The ability to work well independently and with a team (often in close physical proximity)
- Ability to routinely and repetitively lift 55lbs and occasionally 138 lbs.
- Ability to work flexible shifts with varying hours.
- Forklift certification is required. (Will Train)
- Must have the ability to get to work on time to keep a production schedule
- Must possess excellent verbal and written communication skills, be computer literate, and have familiarity with Microsoft Office products (Word, Excel).
- Ability to identify product deficiencies
- Bottling specialty releases
- Palletizing beer
- Maintaining inventory/preparing orders
- Improving upon existing beers and developing new ones
- A passion for the craft industry
- A desire to help grow the brewing operations
- Working knowledge of yeast management
- Must possess a mechanical aptitude and strong troubleshooting skills

Bonus Skills: Mechanical, electrical and plumbing experience

Work Schedule:

- 40 hour work week, occasional overtime with the possibility of varying start times to shift.

Work Environment:

Black Bridge Brewery is a climate-controlled brewing and packaging facility. The following is a representative list of what a co-worker might encounter during a typical work day:

- Hot water
- Steam
- Pressurized vessels
- Loud working areas
- Highly alkaline and acidic chemicals

Co-workers regularly handle hazardous materials and regularly come in contact with wet floors while working in close proximity to moving mechanical parts.

Contact Info:

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