



Deck Crew/Naturalist Position

Jamie's Whaling Station Ltd has been in operation for over 40 years, with locations in both Tofino & Ucluelet. We take pride in offering a variety of tours and services, including whale watching, bear watching, hot springs cove trips, kayaking adventures, and water taxi services. Our fleet comprises a mix of vessels, ranging from the adventurous Zodiac to Covered Cruisers. The primary focus of our operations is the safety and security of passengers, crew, and vessels. The ship's master is in command, responsible for conveying crucial information to the crew, with deck crew maintaining constant communication to ensure vigilant watch and efficient passenger management. A fundamental understanding of onboard safety equipment and basic vessel maintenance is essential for this role.

Jamie's operates our adventure centre in unceded Nu-chah-nulth territories of of hiškwiiḡath (Hesquiaht First Nation), ʕaahuuḡath (Ahousaht), ʕaḡuukwiiḡath (Tla-o-qui-aht First Nations), Tofino, BC

POSITION: Deck Crew/Naturalist

WAGE: \$20-\$25 based on experience

DURATION: Full-time and part-time seasonal positions (March - October)

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Ensure the safety and comfort of passengers at all times.
- Assemble all necessary supplies and materials before tour departure, including toiletries, galley items, and emergency equipment; assist with refueling and basic maintenance.
- Maintain a keen watch for hazards, remain alert to surroundings, and
- Respond to and accommodate guests in a professional and friendly manner.
- Engage with guests regarding the wildlife and natural history of the area
- Ensure compliance with marine, environmental, and wildlife viewing guidelines.

SKILLS & PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES:

- Excellent communication skills: you will be passionate and knowledgeable about our local marine ecosystems, and keen to communicate this to guests.
- Empathy and a drive to educate: We encounter guests from everywhere in the world with hugely differing expectations. You will be keen to meet them where they are in your drive to deliver outstanding interpretation.
- Committed team player: our deck crew/naturalists always work together to deliver a high-quality customer experience, whilst prioritizing comfort and safety.
- Ready to learn and continue professional development: crew are expected to attend on-going training and safety drills throughout the season

QUALIFICATIONS:

Marine Emergency Duties A-2 (MED A-2)

Radio Operators Certificate Marine (ROC-M)

Marine Basic First Aid

Seafarers Medical



CDN number

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