

Mt Rainier Railroad & Logging Museum Job Posting



Are you looking to launch, or take the next step, in a railroad career with a premier adventure/heritage tourism company that focuses creating memories that will last a lifetime for its guests? Don't delay in finding out more about this position with [Mt Rainier Railroad & Logging Museum](#). This is an exceptional opportunity to grow your career with MRRR, an [American Heritage Railways](#) company.

After reviewing the job description below if this is a position that you would like to interview for please email your completed application and/or resume with a separate cover letter Word or PDF document specifically addressing why you could be our candidate of choice for this position to HR@MtRainierRailroad.com. Posting will be open until filled. EOE.

Job Description

Division/Department: Operations/Mechanical

Job Title: Conductor/Carmen

Reports To: Operations & Mechanical Lead

Type of position: Non-Exempt / Hourly **Employee Classification:** Regular

Location: Mineral/Elbe/Eatonville, WA

Compensation: \$15/hr DOE, company benefits available

Job Summary:

Conductors are a component of a three-person crew that works onboard the train. Each train makes multiple round-trip rides to Mineral. Each shift can last up to twelve hours. Up to four shifts a week will be scheduled for a fulltime employee. Duties on the passenger train include, but are not limited to coordination of train crew, activities engaged in transporting passengers, inspecting and using equipment including connecting air hoses, coupling locomotive or cars, throwing switches, setting hand brakes and ensure proper working condition of the train. The conductor will assist passengers in boarding and de-boarding train and includes placing and retrieving wheelchairs in and out of the wheelchair lift. Conductors will also collect and punch tickets from passengers and respond to passengers' questions regarding train rules and timetables and history of the railroad. Must be able to work a flexible schedule that will include weekends, holidays and some evenings. During the off season, conductors will perform mechanical repairs on the passenger cars.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities:

- Responsible for safe operation of the train.
- Passenger car maintenance on non-operating days.
- Perform brake tests, basic mechanical inspections and minor repairs on train cars.
- Line track switches.
- Lift/Lower/Carry "frogs" to and from locomotive and track.
- Engage customers demonstrating strong customer service skills as part of the overall team.
- Compliance with MRRR procedures, safety and operating rules.
- Work with other departments as part of a team to provide passengers/guest with positive memories.
- Other duties as requested.

Education, Skill and Work Experience Requirements:

- High School Diploma or equivalent.
- Ability to communicate effectively in both written and spoken English.
- Ability to be on your feet for up to 12 hours.
- Ability to lift 75 lbs.
- Ability to ascend/descend train steps/ladders and crawl on, under and around locomotive and passengers cars while performing needed maintenance functions.

- Good balance/equilibrium: walk on moving trains, graveled, uneven and/or sloped surfaces that may be wet/slippy while carrying lantern and flashlight.
- Must possess organizational skills with ability to multi-task while prioritizing workload with practical, flexible and innovative approach to work.
- Ability to communicate successfully with a variety of personalities and function effectively as a member of a team.
- Pre-Employment & Random Drug Testing program in compliance with FRA and company policy.
- Take & Pass GCOR Rules Test.
- Valid Driver License.

Work Environment:

- Work on and off the train in varied terrain in all weather during both daylight and dark hours.
- Work with mechanical shop setting and railyard during maintenance of locomotives, passenger's cars, MOW equipment, etc.
- Varied schedule throughout the year dictated by train schedule and maintenance operations.