

Job Role: Kitchen Assistant

Line Manager: Food and Beverage Manager

Part -Time Position Salary: £14,400 (£18,000 FTE)

Hours per Week: Part Time – 4 days a week on a rostered basis

Contract Length: 4 month minimum contract with potential to extend

Painshill Park is in its next stage of evolution and we are looking to recruit within our very busy tea room set in the picturesque grounds of our 18th Century Landscape Garden.

Our Tea room is a significant piece of the commercial puzzle and we are looking for the right candidate with a desire to succeed and assist in the development of an already busy area of the business

The applicant must be confident and self-motivated with the ability to work on their own and as part of a team.

This role would suit a passionate cook / chef keen to develop and implement new ideas with a chance to inspire a wider team

****Please note, regular weekend working is required for this position although evening work is minimal.***

Overview of responsibilities (but not limited to) -

- Managing the day to day service standard of the kitchen
- Working with fresh produce grown on site within our walled kitchen garden
- Assisting the Food and Beverage Manager in maintaining current stock levels and ordering as required within budget
- Assisting the Food and Beverage Manager in creating and designing menu options to meet the customers need and seasonal demand
- Implementing and deliver new ideas
- Ability to multi task whilst delivering different standards of cuisine
- Ensuring food safety, health and hygiene standards are met and HACCP and COSHH requirements are implemented

Skills and Personal Qualities:

- Possess great oral and written communication skills
- Great personality - a people person
- Strong knowledge of food safety standards
- Must be passionate about food and beverage
- Strong motivation skills , energetic and a desire to be the best
- Ability to work under pressure
- Strong ability to multi task and prioritise

Qualifications and Experience

- Minimum Level 2 basic food hygiene certificate
- Customer service experience
- Evidence of working in a busy kitchen

Benefits include

- 15% Staff discount within the Painshill Shop
- 25 days holiday increasing to 28 after two years of service
- Pension Scheme
- Training and development
- Free food and drink when on duty
- Entry to Painshill for yourself and immediate family

Please note due to the location of Painshill, own transport is highly recommended.

Closing date for applications 15th October

Interviews to take place week commencing 19th October (date TBC)

Please apply with CV and covering letter to catering@painshill.co.uk