



Job Posting

Nelson & District Recreation Department
Nelson, BC

LIFEGUARD

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The Regional District of Central Kootenay (RDCK) is inviting applications for **Lifeguard** positions at the Nelson & District Community Complex.

We are looking for new Aquatic team members who are enthusiastic, confident, willing to learn and develop new skills and who care about their community and water safety.

By joining our team you will provide healthy recreation opportunities and water safety skill development to our community members both young and young at heart.

Develop life long skills and friendships, have the opportunity for continued training within our Aquatic Team.

If this sounds like a fit for you to learn, grow and contribute please submit your resume and cover letter.

REQUIRED CERTIFICATIONS:

- Minimum 16 years of age
- Current National Lifeguard Certification (NL)
- Current Life Saving Society Water Safety Instruction certification, or in the process of certification (to be completed at own expense)
- Current Standard First Aid & CPR-C
- Lifesaving Instructor, First Aid Instructor, Aquafit Instructor certifications an asset

REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS & ABILITIES INCLUDE:

- Exceptional customer service focus
- Ability to work with members of the public of all ages
- Strong communication skills
- Demonstrated ability to engage with and educate the public
- Demonstrated ability to work within a team and work to team priorities
- Demonstrated prioritization of Health & Safety of public and co-workers
- Ability to apply new learning
- Perform physical skills requirements for NL

The Lifeguard is responsible for the supervision and safety of patrons at all times through public education, training, and proactive response to potential situations.

The Lifeguard must be able to perform rescues and first aid as required while ensuring a safe and efficient operation and ensuring the safety of participants while providing instruction for pre-school, child and adult swim instruction programs.

About the Complex:

Employees at the Nelson & District Community Complex have the opportunity to be a part of a great team of people and work in a facility they can be proud of. The facility houses an ice arena, a 6 lane, 25 metre pool and leisure pool, waterslide, hot tub, sauna, steam room, weight room, fitness studio and meeting rooms. As the central recreation hub in the City, the NDCC is a vibrant and active place to be.

The successful candidate must be available to work a varied work schedule that includes day, weekend, and/or evening shifts from 25 to 40 hours per week.

This is a benefitted union positions and the current rate of pay when working as a Lifeguard is \$21.69 as per the Collective Agreement CUPE Local 2262, Nelson & District Complex.

More Information and How To Apply:

This posting, along with a detailed job description outlining the complete required qualifications and the variety of roles and responsibilities included in this role, can be found on our website at www.rdck.ca/jobs.

To apply please complete our online form that can be found here: [Employment Application](#).

Applications submitted in the form of a resume & cover letter will be accepted until 9:00am June 7, 2023.

Thank you for your interest in working with the Regional District of Central Kootenay. All submissions will be acknowledged although only those individuals shortlisted to participate in the interview/testing process will be contacted.

This posting may be used to fill other similar positions within the RDCK over the next six months.

For more information contact:

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or visit rdck.ca/jobs