

## **Summer Overnight Camp Horseback Riding Director**

Circle R Ranch is a year-round outdoor education centre located 8 km west of London, ON. Its mission is to connect people with nature through outdoor recreation and experiential learning. It is a place to make great friends and memories that will last forever. It is a chance to spend quality time in nature while you learn about yourself and the world around you. It is a place where you will be challenged in a way that allows ultimate personal growth. By meeting those challenges, you get to learn skills that will help you anywhere and everywhere in life.

Circle R Ranch is hiring a Horseback Riding Director for Overnight Camp. This person must have passion and experience in working with horses and children. This position is a great opportunity to expand your leadership skills while interacting with campers and staff in a fun environment! The successful candidate must enjoy working with all ages in the outdoors in an exciting, fast-paced environment. The Riding Director is responsible for overall supervision of the riding program and riding instructors, care of the horses and related equipment, program development and delivery, and administrative duties including delivering staff evaluations.

### **Qualifications:**

- Contract Dates: July 26th, 2021 to September 4th, 2021
- This is a day camp position. Living on site is unavailable. Day camp bus stops are available in London, ON.
- Staff must provide their own lunches and snacks.
- Clear Background Check
- Valid G Driver's License
- Standard First Aid and CPR C
- Equine First Aid is an asset
- A strong riding background and instructional experience (especially to children) is essential
- Supervisory experience. This position will teach and support Riding Instructors with trail ride facilitation, teaching horsemanship, and leading overnight trips with horses on Circle R Ranch property.
- Knowledge of western-style trail riding and tack
- Empathy, responsibility, efficiency, initiative, situational awareness, and good decision making
- At least have completed 1 year of university or college (or relevant job experience)
- Skills in creativity, empathy, adaptability, initiative, problem solving, stress management, and organization
- Positive attitude and willingness to grow personally as a leader
- Works well in a team setting and individually motivated

Note: this job posting is based on camp operating this summer 2021 as we will need to follow any COVID-19 restrictions and protocols based on local, provincial and federal guidelines. This job may be modified.

For online staff application and more information, go to our website at <http://www.circlerranch.ca/employment-opportunities/>. Contact us for more details at [info@circlerranch.ca](mailto:info@circlerranch.ca).

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