



West Madison Little League

Job Posting: **GROUNDSCKEEPER**

\$13-15 based on experience/availability. Full or part time positions available

ABOUT WEST MADISON LITTLE LEAGUE

West Madison Little League, founded in 1959, provides quality baseball and softball programs for 7-16 year-old boys and girls in a positive, inclusive environment with two seasons of play each year - a spring/summer season from late April through mid-July and a fall season from late August thru mid-October. West Madison Little League's family-friendly ballpark and three first-class playing fields are located at 701 Forward Drive in Madison, WI. Additional information is available at www.wmll.org.

POSITION OVERVIEW

West Madison Little League's groundskeeper position is a fantastic opportunity for anyone interested or experienced in field, turf and/or facility management. The groundskeeper works as part of a grounds crew, under the general supervision of West Madison Little League's head groundskeeper, to improve and maintain West Madison Little League's three playing fields and ballpark common areas. If sports field management sounds like an interesting career, WMLL can provide guidance and connections to higher levels of the industry.

WORK SCHEDULE

This position can be performed in either a part-time or full-time capacity from mid-March through mid-November. Individuals must be able to work weekends and be flexible with hours as they vary depending on the season and weather. Some overtime work can be expected and requests to schedule work around school or other commitments will be considered.

PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Assist in the preparation and maintenance of playing fields
- Top dress, aerate, seed, sod and fertilize playing fields and ballpark common areas.
- Operate powered equipment including a small utility vehicle, mowers, tractors, sod cutters, and edgers safely and responsibly
- Use hand tools such as shovels, rakes, drags, and tamps
- Maintain, clean, repair and, when applicable, fuel tools and equipment
- Pick up litter and empty trash/recycling cans
- Perform other duties as requested or required

BASIC QUALIFICATIONS

- Must be 16 years of age or older and have a valid driver's license
- Must successfully complete Little League background check
- Ability to learn and follow West Madison Little League policies and rules
- Ability to communicate effectively verbally and understand and follow oral and written directions
- Ability to be punctual and work harmoniously and cooperatively with other employees and the public
- Ability to utilize independent judgment and problem-solving abilities in performing a variety of activities
- Ability to regularly stand, walk, balance, kneel, crawl and lift and move 50+ pounds and work in outdoor weather conditions including temperature and humidity extremes

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS

Knowledge and skills in basic grounds maintenance, baseball and softball field preparation procedures, and the safe and proper use and maintenance of powered equipment and hand tools is preferred, but not required.

INTERESTED IN THE POSITION? HAVE QUESTIONS?

If you are interested in the Groundskeeper position or have questions, please contact WMLL Board President, Jerry Schmitt at (608) 575-3988 or president@wmll.org.