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Bicycle mechanic – Canada Summer Jobs Posting

Are you interested in helping the community?

Do you like bikes?

Join our team of passionate people and bike enthusiasts this summer for a basic bicycle mechanic job in our Community Bike HUB. When old or tired bikes can't be recycled easily, they end up abandoned or put in the garbage. Our data tells us that 11% of students will ride a bike if they have one. Given this need, we must do more to keep bikes out of the landfills, where they rust and become unusable. We are scaling up the circular economy for bikes in Calgary and be able to provide more bikes to youth in need. At the same time, we'll reduce landfill waste, create a city-wide parts depot and encourage adaptive reuse of bike materials and parts.

The ideal candidate has hands-on experience repairing and maintaining all kinds of bicycles. This role involves diagnosing mechanical issues, performing repairs, and ensuring all bikes meet safety standards and maintaining our community space.

Your responsibilities:

- Diagnose mechanical issues on bikes and recommend appropriate fixes
- Install and adjust bike components including brakes, drivetrains, wheels, etc.
- Service a variety of bikes including road, mountain, hybrid, and kids bikes.
- Maintain a clean, organized, and safe work area
- Support community and Hub events to make them successful
- Work with members of the public to fit and choose appropriate rides, especially for children
- Assist with general shop operations as needed

Qualifications

- Basic bicycle mechanic knowledge
- Strong mechanical aptitude and attention to detail
- Knowledge of old and modern bike components and repair techniques
- Ability to work independently and manage time effectively

- Excellent customer service and communication skills
- Ability to lift/move up to 60lbs
- Alberta Driver's licence is an asset
- Ability to drive a 20-foot rental truck is an asset

Remuneration and requirements

- Paid training includes first aid
- Rate of pay is \$20 per hour
- This is a full-time Canada Summer Jobs role for a duration of 8 weeks. Opportunity exists for extension or continued employment.

Apply with a cover letter and resume telling by April 19th at 11:59 p.m. telling us why you'd like this opportunity. Send email to info@youthenroute.ca