



Campbell River Whale Watching and Adventure Tours Ltd.

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Guide Job Description

Summary of Position

As a member of the Guide Team with Campbell River Whale Watching and Adventure tours you are responsible for the safety, enjoyment and positive experience of your guests. Guides are our boat captains, naturalists, and service professionals all wrapped into one!

Job Type: Seasonal, from April – mid October

Required Qualifications:

- Small Vessel Operator Proficiency (SVOP)
- Small Non-pleasure Domestic Vessel Basic Safety (SDV-BS), MED A3 or equivalent
- Basic Marine First Aid
- Radio Operators Certificate Marine (ROC-M)

Required Skills and Knowledge:

- Experience operating similar vessels
- Ability to safely navigate the tour area in dynamic weather conditions
- Ability to work alone
- Understanding of guests needs and ability to accommodate
- Ability to communicate clearly and effectively with guests
- Comfortable operating 12 passenger RHIBs and/or Covered Vessels
- Ability to share information and knowledge of local area, history, and wildlife

General duties include but are not limited to:

- Safely operating a vessel with up to 12 passengers
- Ensuring vessel is stocked with necessary safety equipment before leaving the dock
- Pre-trip prep, including but not limited to engine checks, electronics checks, and stocking of necessary lunch supplies
- Completion of pre- and post-trip paperwork and log books
- Delivering a pre-departure talk with guests, answering questions, and supplying floatation suits
- Operating the vessel in a responsible manner around wildlife
- Ensuring the comfort and safety of guests at all times
- Serving guests lunch
- Inspire guests and reiterate an ethic of conservation and sustainability
- Ensuring guests have a great experience with Campbell River Whale Watching!
- General cleaning of vessel
- Other duties as required