

# JOHNNY APPLESEED METROPOLITAN PARK DISTRICT

### **2019 Seasonal Naturalist**

Do you have an interest in the outdoors and educating children and adults?

Johnny Appleseed Metro Park District is looking to fill a Seasonal Naturalist position with an enthusiastic, professional and responsible individual.

#### **General Duties:**

- Assist the naturalists in:
  - o Developing and planning environmental programs for all age groups
  - Creating brochures, displays and written documents as needed
  - Working with volunteers, children and the general public
  - Caring for our live program animals reptiles and amphibians
- Some duties may be delegated to the Seasonal Naturalist upon successful completion of training for that duty

#### **Qualifications:**

- Preferred earned or working towards a Biology,
   Environmental Science or Education degree
- Knowledge of basic ecology and general plant and animal ID preferred
- Experience in environmental education preferred
- Excellent public relation, organization, and communication (written and verbal) skills
- Valid Ohio driver's license in combination with a clean driving record
- Ability to work flexible hours some evenings and weekends
- Ability to follow directions, research, and anticipate needs
- Capable of absorbing and relaying information

#### **Hours/Compensation**

- 40 hours a week
- \$10.00 per hour
- Start and end dates are flexible but must be available for at least 12 weeks

## 2019 Projects:

- 6 weeks of summer camp for ages 4-14
- Library summer reading program"A Universe of Stories"
  - Help design and build Fair display
- Write Cider Press newsletter article
- Saturday morning programs
- Other general public and requested programming

Any interested applicants should send a cover letter and resume to the JAMPD Naturalists at 2355 Ada Rd., Lima, Ohio 45801 or jelsass@jampd.com. For questions email or call 419-223-1025. Deadline to apply is March 1, 2019. Position may be filled prior to this deadline.