



# CANADIAN ROCKIES RAFTING COMPANY

## *Rafting the Rockies*

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## **2006 River Guide Employment Opportunities**

Canadian Rockies Rafting is looking for energetic raft guides to work in a fun and rewarding river environment. CRR will be hiring new and experienced guides for the 2006 summer season. CRR operates many river tours, providing variety for our employees. We operate float trips, family whitewater, full and half day whitewater on rivers up to Class IV+ daily throughout the summer. Our tours are based out of Banff and Canmore Alberta. Employment would start in May and runs through September 26th. Our wages are competitive and are based on experience. Please go to our website for more company information ([www.rafting.ca](http://www.rafting.ca)).

Canadian Rockies Rafting is a professional organization that expects a professional work ethic from its employees. We are willing to train individuals who show promise in any aspect of our business. Do not hesitate to apply if you feel that you meet most, but not all of the qualifications for a position. We are always looking for outgoing people that will help improve our excellent customer service.

### **New Guide Certification and Qualification Requirements:**

- Standard First Aid
- CPR certification
- Swiftwater Rescue Certification
- Guide license or equivalent.
- Previous River Knowledge and Experience an asset.
- Class 4 or equivalent Alberta Drivers license with Driver's Abstract.

### **Raft Guide Job Description:**

- Be efficient in paddle rafting technique and basic experience with oar rigs.
- Through understanding of safety briefings, gear preparations, maintenance and daily record keeping.
- Professional customer care and service.
- River knowledge, hydrology, hazard identification and guiding instruction abilities.
- Ability to respond to river emergencies and provide professional river skills.
- Train to become Senior Guide on all rivers.
- Team player who is able to follow direction well from supervisors yet able to make decisions and provide creative and professional solutions to our operations.

### **Senior Guide Certification and Qualification Requirements:**

- 2 years previous experience as a raft guide running float tours or whitewater rafting tours on Grade 3 or higher rivers.
- First aid course exceeding 20 hours. (Current, require copy of certification)
- Guide licenses or equivalent with proof of experience (log book).
- River Rescue certification or equivalent.
- Senior Guide role an asset.
- Prior emergency care experience will get preference.
- Post Secondary Outdoor Skills or Natural Sciences program a benefit.
- Tourism or Hospitality certification an asset.
- Previous employment with CRR an asset.

### **Senior Guide Job Description**

- All Raft Guide qualifications as listed above in raft guide job description.
- Leadership and communication skills.
- Able to provide regulation safety briefing to clients.
- Able to provide leadership in rescue and safety scenarios.
- Develop or provide Trip Leader skills.
- Assist with training and education of other staff.

Please email resume and references to [info@rafting.ca](mailto:info@rafting.ca) or fax 1-403-609-2335.