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## JOB DESCRIPTION

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### Employer Information

**Employer name:** Blue Mainsail Inc DBA Mainsail Restaurant  
**Type of business:** Seafood Restaurant  
**Job location:** Blue Mainsail Inc DBA Mainsail Restaurant  
**City:** Surf City  
**State:** NC  
**Zip:** 28445  
**Website:** [www.bluemainsail.com](http://www.bluemainsail.com)

### Why choose us?

The Mainsail Restaurant is a family owned and operated restaurant located in the middle of Surf City on beautiful Topsail Island in North Carolina. The Mainsail, with full ABC permits, is open seven days a week for dinner at 5:00 p.m.

### Position

**Job title:** Busser/Prep/Salads

**Job description and required skills:** You may work in any one of the following positions or a combination of all 3 depending on the needs of the business during your time there. There are 2 restaurants 2 blocks from one another you will be assigned to work at one of the 2 restaurants both serve seafood and a variety of meats.

Busser: Cleaning tables, carrying heavy (35 pounds on average) tubs of dirty cups/plates/saucers back to the kitchen, clearing tables, cleaning tables, sweeping/mopping, rolling silverware, setting tables.

Prep: Cutting, dicing, chopping, veggies, fruits, salad dressing cups, preparing coleslaw, etc.

Salads: You will be taught about the different salads & desserts and make them when they are ordered.

**English level required:** intermediate

**Hourly wage (before taxes):** \$7.50

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<b>Tips:</b>	Bussers get tip share.
<b>Bonus:</b>	no
<b>Estimated hours per day:</b>	7
<b>Number of days per week:</b>	5
<b>Possibility of students getting more than estimated hours:</b>	good
<b>If so, is overtime paid at the rate of 1.5 hourly, after 40 hours of work per week?</b>	yes
<b>Earliest start date:</b>	05/20/2011
<b>Latest start date:</b>	06/10/2011
<b>Earliest end date:</b>	09/07/2011
<b>Latest end date:</b>	10/01/2011
<b>Is the employer willing to hire couples?</b>	no
<b>Is the employer willing to hire group of friends?</b>	yes
<b>Are meals included?</b>	yes
<b>Meals details (discount, cost, # of meals):</b>	50% off all meals for eat in only, only for the employee not friends
<b>Is a drug test required?</b>	no
<b>Is Skype interview required?</b>	no
<b>Do students complete an additional application upon arrival?</b>	yes
<b>Possibility to find a second job in the area</b>	yes
<b>Additional comments regarding second job:</b>	Employer will assist students with finding second job upon the request of the student.
<b>How soon after arrival will participants begin working?</b>	Within 3 days.
<b>Specific instructions for arrival to employer:</b>	You may arrive any day of the week between 9am - 9pm into Wilmington, NC. If you confirm your arrival with the employer at least 3 days prior to arriving, he will have someone pick you up from either the airport or the bus station in Wilmington. You will be required to pay your \$150.00 deposit at time of arrival before being allowed to go into housing. If you arrive outside of those hours, for example: at 10pm - you must plan to take a taxi from the airport or bus station to the closest motel/hotel (for example: the Red Roof Inn, Quality Inn, Super 8, or Roadway Inn) on Market Street & get a room for the night (at your expense) & then call your employer the next day to let him know which hotel you are at so that he can come pick you up.
<b>Is training required?</b>	yes
<b>Conditions of training:</b>	Training will be paid at promised wage (no tip share for bussers during training) length of training will depend on how quickly you learn the job duties & are able to perform them at or above a satisfactory level.



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<b>Is there possibility to change positions?</b>	yes
<b>Are students required to wear a uniform?</b>	yes
<b>Does employer provide uniform?</b>	yes
<b>Is uniform refundable?</b>	no
<b>Do students need to purchase specific clothes or footwear?</b>	yes
<b>If so, details for clothing:</b>	Students must bring/purchase Khaki(tan colored) shorts or pants (no jeans), white socks, tennis shoes. Guys: clean cut, no facial hair or piercings, conservative appearance. Girls: clean cut, long hair must be pulled up & back off of shoulders, no facial piercings except for 1 stud earring in each ear, conservative appearance, nails kept short & well groomed.
<b>Additional information:</b>	Possibility of changing positions will be based on your work performance & on the needs of the business.

## Housing Information

<b>City:</b>	Surf City
<b>Housing assisted by:</b>	Employer
<b>Is student required to sign a separate housing contract?</b>	yes
<b>If so, contract details:</b>	Student must sign lease with employer; employer's provides housing.
<b>Number of people to a room:</b>	4
<b>Bedrooms:</b>	2
<b>Bath:</b>	1-2
<b>Estimated cost of housing per week:</b>	\$50.00-\$80.00 per person
<b>Is housing cost deducted from paycheck?</b>	yes
<b>Is housing deposit required?</b>	yes
<b>Deposit amount:</b>	\$150.00 pp
<b>Housing deposit due date:</b>	Arrival
<b>Instructions for deposit payment:</b>	Rent & security deposit are due at arrival. You cannot have overnight guests at any time. The housing is for active Blue Mainsail International staff only. No parties or loud music at anytime. If you are evicted for any reason, you will lose all of your security deposit. If you employment is terminated, you will leave the housing permanently.
<b>Is housing deposit refundable?</b>	yes
<b>Conditions for deposit refund:</b>	No damages, leave on good terms at the end of the contract. Everyone in the housing is responsible for damages & will be paid immediately. No refunds will be given. If damages are more than your security deposit, you will pay this immediately, as well. No exceptions.
<b>Utilities included:</b>	yes
<b>If so, utilities details:</b>	Water, electric, sewer & telephone (local service only; you must use a calling card to call long distance) are provided.
<b>Utilities estimated cost per month:</b>	included



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<b>Is the housing mandatory?</b>	yes
<b>Can students find alternative housing during their stay?</b>	no
<b>Method of transportation from housing to work site:</b>	Must arrange own
<b>Transportation details:</b>	You may choose to walk or ride a bike. Upon request, the employer will assist you in purchasing a bike.
<b>Additional housing features:</b>	Housing is mandatory; it goes with the job. No exceptions.
<b>Location of work site best described as:</b>	Ocean
<b>Location details:</b>	Surf City is located on the Atlantic Ocean. The population is approximately 1716. When you come to visit, be sure to enjoy our shops, fine restaurants, great fishing, local golf courses, bike riding, kayaking & miniature golf. Many activities in Wilmington, NC.
<b>Average daily temperature:</b>	80-90 F Humid
<b>Community or regional website:</b>	<a href="http://surfcity.govoffice.com">http://surfcity.govoffice.com</a>
<b>Nearest cities:</b>	Wilmington & Jacksonville, NC
<b>Distance to nearest cities:</b>	30 miles
<b>What to wear:</b>	Summer clothes (NO G string or thong bikinis)
<b>Available public transportation:</b>	Limited
<b>Public transportation access:</b>	Limited
<b>Accessible amenities (by walking or public transportation):</b>	
<b>Food market:</b>	yes
<b>Shopping mall:</b>	no
<b>Post office:</b>	yes
<b>Bank:</b>	yes
<b>Movie theater:</b>	no
<b>Restaurants:</b>	yes
<b>Fitness center:</b>	no
<b>Laundry:</b>	yes
<b>Internet café:</b>	no
<b>Public library:</b>	no



### *Suggested Travel Information*

<b>Nearest international airport:</b>	Wilmington Int (ILM)
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<b>Transportation from airport to employer and / or housing:</b>	Employer pick up with 72 hour notice
<b>Nearest bus station (to the airport):</b>	n/a
<b>Bus information (web site):</b>	n/a
<b>Nearest train information (to the airport):</b>	n/a
<b>Train information (web site):</b>	n/a
<b>If participant arrives after hours suggested, overnight accomodation:</b>	Hotel in Wilmington
<b>Cost per night:</b>	\$40-\$65
<b>Transportation to overnight accomodation:</b>	Taxi
<b>Transportations cost:</b>	\$10-\$15
<b>Specific instructions:</b>	Confirm your arrival information directly with employer so they can pick you up in Wilmington at either the Wilmington Airport or Greyhound Bus station, between 9am and 9pm, any day of the week. The only condition of this is that you must confirm your arrival with the employer at least 3 days prior to your arrival.

### *Social Security Information*

<b>Does the company require students to have Social Security number before arriving to the work place?</b>	no
<b>Does the company provide Social Security application assistance?</b>	yes
<b>If so, details:</b>	Employer will give you a ride to the nearest Social Security office after you have been in the country 10 days.
<b>Where is the closest Social Security office?</b>	Wilmington, North Carolina
<b>How far is the Social Security office from the work place?</b>	30 miles



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