



Seasonal Waterfront Positions – Full or Part Time

The Kayak Centre of Rhode Island is seeking Waterfront Staff for our **Wickford** and **Charlestown** locations for this summer. The Kayak Centre is a fast-paced, full-service specialty kayak shop with waterfront rentals, tours, clinics and demos during the summer season. We are looking for people who are outgoing, interested in the outdoors, attentive to detail and are team players.

Our team of waterfront staff is on the front lines of customer interaction and for many new paddlers will be their introduction to paddling. The Kayak Centre is known for our high level of customer service and our waterfront staff is an integral part of the team. This team is primarily responsible for assisting kayak rental customers by fitting them with lifejackets and paddles and reviewing the basics of safely paddling and launching a kayak. The waterfront team also assists with getting kayaks on and off the water for tour and instructional clients as well as customers who are “test paddling” to buy the perfect kayak.

Job Responsibilities:

- Customer Service
- Fitting customers to lifejackets and paddles
- Assist customers in getting into and out of kayaks
- Boat & Gear Cleaning
- Assist instructors/guides getting on and off the water
- General Cleaning
- Boat Moving

Requirements:

- Minimum age 16
- Have reliable transportation to work
- Must be able to lift 50 lbs
- Paddling experience preferred

The Waterfront position is available as a full-time job, averaging 35-40 hours per week or part-time job, averaging 16-20 hours per week. We expect staff to be available to work weekends and occasionally some evenings. Generally shifts will vary from week to week. Extended vacations are usually not possible during the season, however time off is available with advance notice.

We're all paddlers here at The Kayak Centre of Rhode Island. We love the sport, we use the gear we sell and we really enjoy what we do. We have an outstanding team and we believe that it truly makes a difference.

If you're interested in becoming part of our team, please fill out an application and supplement. We look forward to hearing from you!