

Morey's Piers And Water Parks

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Business Description:

Morey's Piers is a family-owned amusement business that operates three amusement piers and two waterparks. We are located on the boardwalk in Wildwood, New Jersey overlooking the magnificent beaches and Atlantic Ocean. We are within a 3.5-hour drive of NYC, Washington D.C., and Philadelphia. Everything in town is easily accessible and within walking distance of accommodations and work. Many students reside in the area during the summer months, and the environment is very student-friendly. We organize trips to NYC, Washington DC, Baltimore, the Niagara Falls, Boston, etc., as well as outings to baseball games, local points of interest, etc. Morey's Piers is a team environment! Last year we hired participants from more than 25 different countries and all over the U.S. This is a great place to experience the U.S. culture, practice your English and make lots of new friends!



Job Descriptions: The **wage for all positions is \$9.25/hour, paid bi-weekly**, and there is **no overtime** available.

**There is no prior experience or training necessary for any of the jobs. All training is done on-site. Must be able to work individually or on a team. Must be flexible and work when/where you are needed.*

Ride Operators will be working at various rides and attractions, including roller coasters, children's rides, extreme rides or dark attractions. Duties may include but are not limited to operating the controls of the ride, monitoring the ride in motion, assisting guests on and off the rides which may include lifting children and buckling seat belts and/or safety harnesses, enforcing ride height and safety requirements, etc. Ride Operator training and certification are provided on-site. There are **18-20 positions available**.

Lifeguard positions available late May through early September. Team members work outdoors in our aquatic areas & have high guest interaction. Lifeguards will be rotated throughout the day to monitor various aquatic areas (visually scanning pools, dispatching riders at the top of waterslides, assisting guests into and out of rafts & tubes, etc.) and will be required to pay close attention to the swimmers in their area to prevent and respond to aquatic emergencies. Employees must be available to work in varying weather (rain, wind, cold temperatures, direct sunlight or high heat and humidity). Lifeguard certification is provided on-site, no experience or prior certification necessary. Lifeguards are paid a flat rate of \$200 for lifeguard training because the company pays for the lifeguard certification, books, and training course. Training is between 5 and 6 days depending on class size. Lifeguards must attend on-site weekly training sessions to maintain their certification. The waterparks are not open full-time until mid-June. If you are hired as a lifeguard, you are agreeing to work in another position, of Morey's Piers choosing, during those times when the waterpark is closed and/or in addition to your waterpark hours.

If by some reason you are not available to work in your original position, Morey's Piers may or may not move you into another position, based on our staffing needs. *The swim and vision tests are a prerequisite for the lifeguard training class. All lifeguards must have 20/25 vision (corrective glasses/lenses are permitted). During the swim test you will be required to swim 200 yards (183 meters) in our pool (either freestyle or breaststroke, no time limit). After you finish the swim portion, you must retrieve a 10 lb. (4.5Kg) diving brick from the bottom of a 10ft (3M) pool and bring it to the top. There are **18-20 positions available**.

Food Services employees work in a variety of food areas as either cashiers, cooks, bussers, prep, etc. They are required to perform various food and beverage related tasks which may include, but are not limited to: preparing/serving food and drinks, operating a cash register, maintaining and cleaning all food service areas, etc. There are **8-9 positions available**.



Game Operators manage and operate various midway games of chance and skill. Team members try to get guests to play the game by interacting and talking to them. Games range from spinning wheels to basketball shots to water pistol races. There are **8-9 positions available**.

Admissions employees handle sales transactions and assist guests with park info and concerns. Some will be cross-trained in our Retail department and will work in a variety of souvenir and ride photo outlets. Among their many roles are cashiering, sales, merchandising, and high guest interaction. There are **2-3 positions available**.

Additional Work Requirements For All Positions:

Employment Dates: If your agreement dates extend beyond the operating dates for your position/facility, or if there is a staffing need, you will be assigned to another position and/or another facility. If by some reason you are not able to work in your original position, Morey's Piers may or may not move you into another position, based on our staffing needs. In other words, you must work your agreement dates.

Work Environment: All positions require employees to work outdoors and to either stand or move around throughout the shift. Shifts may vary from 6 to 13 hours. Employees must be available to work in varying weather (rain, wind, cold temperatures, direct sunlight or high heat and humidity). The noise level in the work environment is usually loud and the lights are bright. All employees will perform physical activities that require moving one's whole body, such as lifting, balancing, climbing, and stooping or bending. These activities also require considerable use of the arms, back and legs. All lifeguards are required to visually scan pools by moving their head up and down and side to side throughout the day. Employees may be required to lift, push, pull, or carry objects up to 50 lbs on a repeated basis. They must be able to work with cleaning agents and chemicals. Employees must be in good physical health.

Park Cleaning Responsibilities: Throughout our entire operating season, all positions require employees to assist in keeping the park clean. This may include, but is not limited to sweeping, cleaning the area around the park, cleaning on the beach around the park, scrubbing, mopping, dusting, polishing, power washing, vacuuming, waxing, skimming, etc. All employees are expected to assist in this area and at times, will be assigned to these duties as a part of their shift.

Cell Phones: Use of cell phones, iPads, iPods, etc. at work is strictly prohibited.

Medical Agreement: By accepting a position, employee is confirming that he/she has no physical conditions that would prevent him/her from performing the job duties.



Drug Testing: Morey's Piers has a drug testing program, which includes pre-employment, random and cause/suspicion testing. If someone tests positive, your job offer will be revoked and InterExchange will be notified.

Second Jobs: You may be able to get a second job within Morey's Piers. We do not guarantee second jobs, but we will inform you as second job opportunities become available. Second jobs outside of Morey's Piers are allowed, provided they are communicated to InterExchange and get approved. However, your second job is your second priority. You must work your Morey's Piers job first. You must schedule a second job around your Morey's Piers jobs. We will not change your schedule to accommodate your second job.

Work Hours: Morey's Piers only operates on weekends prior to early June and again beginning in September. **You can expect to work an average of 30 hours per week in May and early June. You can expect to average a minimum of 35 hours per week mid-June through August.** There is no limit on hours. We only promise a minimum and you may be scheduled for more hours if needed and hours are available. In most cases, Food & Beverage department is limited to 40 hours per week. We expect you to follow your posted schedule. Employees must be available to work nights, holidays and weekends. The schedule might change weekly and you must be prepared to work accordingly. You are expected to show up for work on time and not miss shifts. Starting in September, shifts will be primarily weekends only and less than 20 hours per week. We will offer discounted housing in September and/or free meal supplements. However, some students will still be scheduled and expected to work during the week. Additionally, supplemental work may be provided/required. This includes light maintenance, cleaning, painting, sweeping, etc. We expect students to continue working, even when we are open weekends only. By accepting this position, you are agreeing to these terms.

**Hours are subject to change due to weather, park attendance, etc.*

Work Schedule: Schedules are prepared by management and will vary from week to week. We are *not* able to provide fixed schedules and expect students to be flexible. Shifts may vary from 6 to 13 hours. You may request to have certain shifts or days off 2 weeks in advance and we will try to accommodate. If we cannot accommodate, you are expected to work your scheduled shifts. Participants will be notified either via email or in person. Either way, you will not average less than 35 hours per week unless you request additional time off or were approved to work only day or night shifts.

Uniform Requirements: Uniform shirts are provided. You must provide your own plain tan shorts and/or pants (cannot be too tight, no rips, big pockets, designs, etc.) and athletic shoes (i.e. Nike, Adidas, etc.). Lifeguards must bring their own polarized sunglasses and flip-flops. All staff must maintain a neat, clean appearance, must bathe daily and use deodorant. No facial piercings or unnatural colored hair.

English Requirement: Good command of the English language. Friendly, positive attitude, outgoing and good work ethic are required.



Arrival Information: During your interview, you will be asked about your dates of availability to be put on your job offer. You **must know your dates** and be certain that you can honor them. The start date on your job offer is the date when you will be expected to ARRIVE in Wildwood, you will begin working a few days later. Please do not come to Wildwood any earlier as we will not be able to process your paperwork, sign you up for orientation, etc. until your job offer start date. The end date on your job offer is your last day of work, please do not make any travel plans until after this date. In most cases we are not able to grant date change requests after your job offer is issued. Once you accept a position with us, you will be expected to work through your commitment date.

Work Start Dates: You should plan your U.S. arrival so you can begin working **May 15 – June 6**. The latest arrival date can be extended to June 17 for Slovakia. Individual exceptions may be approved.

Work Finish Dates: We are looking to hire candidates who can finish work **September 3 – September 30**.

Interviews: We are able to interview and hire couples and friend groups. We can interview participants in groups of no more than 20 people.

Housing Description: We assist students with housing, but individual housing rules, rents, amenities and requirements can vary by property. Housing can most accurately be compared to college/university dormitory. The types of accommodations will vary, and are typically apartments (flats) and rooming houses. Some co-ed housing is available. Housing is within walking distance of work, grocery stores, laundry facilities, the beach, etc. Accommodations are furnished and usually provide bed linens and cooking supplies. Do not have high expectations of the housing; most of it is old, outdated, and poorly styled. However, it is conveniently located. You will find the housing style does not matter much as most students spend very little time there. You may find this information is not reflective of all housing situations. You are also permitted to secure your own housing prior to or upon your arrival. Once you select a place, you are making a commitment to stay there for the season. You will be expected to keep your place clean, get along with your roommates, treat your housing with respect and abide by the set rules! **You will be able to review and sign a housing agreement.*

Housing Cost: Rent can range from **\$100.00 - \$110.00 per week** depending on the property. The **deposit is usually \$200.00**, but may vary by property. Most landlords will require the deposit be paid in cash upon arrival. You will be expected to keep your space clean and free of trash, treat the housing and the furniture with respect, and abide by the rules that the housing owner sets. Once you select a place, you are making a commitment to stay there through your commitment date, otherwise you will lose your deposit.

Area Description: Wildwood is a beach resort area, located on the Atlantic Ocean. We are within a 3.5 hour drive of Washington D.C.; 3 hour drive of New York City; and a 1.5 hour drive of Philadelphia. Lots of students reside in the area during the summer months.

Check Out Our Parks!

