

# The Fresh Market - Meat/Seafood Team Member

# **HOST INFORMATION**

### Company Description:

**Welcome to Rehoboth Beach!** Our one square mile community is located in the mid-Atlantic and is the largest beach resort in the State of Delaware. Known as the "Nation's Summer Capital", our town was historically branded as the get-a-way of choice for beach goers from Washington, D.C. Now, our beach town hosts visitors from all over the country, and the world. Many of our award winning town events have expanded later into the year.

**The Fresh Market** is focused on offering the freshest and most delicious foods possible. By providing our customers with a warm and inviting shopping experience, The Fresh Market is more than just a store – it's part of a community. Our guests are always welcomed with warm greetings and remarkable service. And we're still bringing our guests tasty, fresh fare and effortlessly delicious meals every day.

#### Staff Perks:

- Consistent schedules to work around other jobs
- · Access to public transportation right behind store
- Surrounded with supporting retail for shopping and dining
- Working with a supportive team
- Very close to beaches
- Cultural events examples: beach day, night at boardwalk, BBQ at store

• Employee discount

**Host Website:** https://www.thefreshmarket.com/

Site of Activity: The Fresh Market

Parent Account Name: The Fresh Market

Host Address: 30098 Veterans Way Rehoboth , Delaware , 19971

Nearest Major City: Washington, District Of Columbia, Over 50 miles away

# PLACEMENT INFORMATION

## Job Description:

As a key member of the Meat/Seafood department, you will assists our customers in choosing high quality items. Responsible for following all company, departmental and store policies and procedures:

• Providing responsive, premier customer service, including greeting them and responding to questions, making recommendations, providing samples, and responding to requests.

- Maintaining The Fresh Market's high standards for product freshness and sanitation
- Dynamically selling product by providing customers with information needed to make product-related decisions
- Updating displays, cases, and other customer-facing areas to ensure new items and promotions are showcased.
- Recommending, slicing, weighing, packaging, and pricing meat and fish
- Selecting and packaging products ordered by customers
- Filling, maintaining and rotating products and displays
- Ensuring that work areas are ready to service customers by cleaning surfaces, equipment, and floors, removing trash, and confirming that tools are in working order.
- Operating cash registers, meat and cheese slicers, oven, fryer, microwave, cutting tools, scale and other equipment
- Demonstrate the ability to be organized, to work independently and with the team to provide the highest quality shopping experience, all while maintaining the overall appearance of the department; ensuring cases are well-merchandised and properly signed to ensure the highest quality products and supplies are available to complete tasks efficiently. Follow approved procedures for packaging, rotating, and slicing.
- Unloading and breaking down deliveries as needed; stocking cases and coolers with products; Maintaining proper product assortment, merchandising and product quality on the sales floor and following rotation standards when replenishing stock levels.
- Follow and utilize the planograms, layouts, and schematics of the department as well as duties and assignments as directed by management.
- Observe all store rules and Company policies, shift operating hours at all times as scheduled or assigned by Store Manager. Must wear approved hat, hair net, and beard guard.
- Being able to listen to others' points of view and recognizing and appreciating differences.
- Properly handle, prepare, transport and store products; ensuring strict adherence to TFM guidelines.
- Prioritizing requests and department activities while managing interruptions and attending to details to complete tasks within deadlines is a must.
- Utilize training resources and fellow team members to educate self and others about product uses and characteristics.
- Have knowledge of products used throughout the store and work across departments to provide and assist customers in finding complete meal solutions.

**Drug Test required:** No

# **COMPENSATION**

**Hourly Wage:** \$14.95

Eligible for Tips: No

Estimated weekly wages including tips: \$478

**Bonus:** No

\* All figures above are pre-tax

Estimated average number of hours per week: 32

Estimated minimum number of hours per week: 28

Estimated maximum number of hours per week: 40

Potential fluctuation in hours per week:

Hours will be lowest In May, June and the end of September and the most in July, August and the beginning of September.

Average number of hours per week reached by last year's seasonal employees: 32

## Overtime Policy:

Yes, paid after 40 hours

# **JOB REQUIREMENTS**

English Level required:



Advanced

Required to be 21+: No

Previous Experience required: No

**Qualifications & Conditions** 

Lifting

Lifting requirement: 50lbs/22kgs

#### Description:

Must be able to lift 40 pounds. Ability to lift heavy items, ranging from 25 to 50 lbs, and operate equipment, such as meat and cheese slicers, scales, cash registers, etc. Responsible for moving or lifting an average of 5 – 20 pounds with a maximum weight lifted of 50 pounds occasionally Typical motions include repetitive hand and arm movements, repetitive grasping, bending and reaching

Standing for entire shift
Handling cleaning chemicals
Other qualifications or conditions

### Description:

Must have strong communication skills, a friendly, positive attitude and be dedicated to customer service. Must be attentive to guests and highly knowledgeable about store items in order to assist guests. Must be able to work individually or on a team and at a quick pace. Must have the ability to read, write, and understand instructions given in the English language. Must have the ability to understand and respond to verbal instructions given in the English language. Ability to follow through on deliverables and meet objectives and deadlines Ability to take initiative and work independently Superior customer focus Excellent time management Ability to perform in an intense, fast paced environment Work involves continuous interaction with customers and co-workers in a fast-paced environment Excellent customer service, communication, and math skills. A courteous and efficient approach to handling customer requests, questions, and complaints.

Job Training required: Yes

Length of job training:

One week

Hours per week during training period: 32

Different wage during training period: No

Start on specific day of the week: No

Training requirements:

May be required to handle all types of food in various roles and therefore can't have allergies or restrictions that will prevent them from handling seafood, meat, dairy, etc. also must be able to work in a cold back-room when prepping food. The safe and proper handling of slicers, knives and other kitchen utensils and equipment Exposure to extreme temperatures (coolers, freezer, outdoors, etc.) Ability to comprehend and follow all company procedures and regulations regarding food handling and sanitation.

Need to wear uniform: Yes

Uniform Policy:

Employer will provide hat, shirt and apron.

Cost of uniform: \$0

Uniform laundry: Participant responsibility

Dress Code: Yes

Description:

Please bring/buy jeans and shoes must be slip resistant

# **CULTURAL OPPORTUNITIES**

## Types of Cultural Opportunities:

Potlucks or Dinners

#### Additional Details about Cultural Offerings:

• Cultural event examples: Beach day, night at boardwalk, BBQ at store.

There is a heavy J-1 population in Rehoboth Beach and Dewey Beach and there are numerous groups that sponsor events, meals and trips. Please visit E-Point at ocstudentcenter.com tours tab.

# **HOUSING AND TRANSPORTATION**

**Housing Provided:** No

**Community Housing Options:** 

Available: Yes

Description:

PLEASE SECURE HOUSING AS SOON AS YOU ARE HIRED. Housing must be secured prior to coming to the United States. Housing is very limited and the longer you wait to find housing the less opportunities you will have. PLEASE REACH OUT TO YOUR EMPLOYER FOR ASSISTANCE, WE WILL PROVIDE STRONG HOUSING LEADS. If you are traveling alone or with only a few in your group, please reach out to your employer and/or agent to help group students together for the same location and help locate housing and defray the cost. Please feel free to contact your employer to ask questions especially before you send money to anyone.

Minimum Average Cost Per Week: \$150

Maximum Average Cost Per Week: \$200

Transportation for Community Housing Description:

Bus, bike or walk. Distance will depend on your housing you previously secured.

Jolly Trolley Memorial Day through Labor Day 8am to 2am \$3 one way and \$5 round trip https://www.jollytrolley.com/

# **ARRIVAL INFORMATION**

#### Arrival Instructions:

Please fly into Baltimore International Airport (BWI) or Philadelphia International Airport (PHL). Please contact your employer once you have secured your arrival details and email the specifics to Heather Fogarty heatherfogarty@thefreshmarket.net. Participants can utilize a local shuttle service such as E-Point at ocstudentcenter.com to Rehoboth Beach, DE and please plan to arrive at your previously secured housing and please not to the market. Communication is key.

## Suggested Arrival Airport:

Baltimore International Airport, BWI, Over 50 miles

Philadelphia International Airport, PHL, Over 50 miles

Estimated cost of transportation to worksite from suggested airports: \$75 to \$100

If arriving after regular hours:

## Suggested After-Hours Accommodation:

Hotel Ninety Five - JFK Airport 145-07 95th Avenue Jamaica , New York 11435 https://hotelninetyfive.com/ 718-291-4000 \$100 to \$150

# TRAINING AND ONBOARDING

**Pre-Arrival Onboarding:** No

Social Security Number:

Require participants to apply for SSN before arrival at worksite: Yes

Details about how to apply for Social Security Number:

We will give you directions to the Lewes Social Security Administration location and direct you toward websites and organizations that offer shuttles there for discounted pricing such as E Point www.ocstudentcenter.com. Upon receipt of your Social Security Number, you are to supply this to your employer immediately.

Nearest SSA Office: Lewes , Delaware , Less than 25 miles

Other:

Wage Payment Schedule:

You will be paid every two weeks. Please note that the first check can take up to 3 weeks in order to get student situated in payroll. Please plan accordingly.

Meal Plan: Not available

Provide Certificates/Performance Evaluations: No

Hire in Groups: Yes

Maximum Group Size:

Grooming Requirements:

Facial hair: neat, clean & trimmed close to the face. Long hair pulled back & extreme hair colors. No loose/dangling jewelry/rings with large stones that may rip protective gloves. Piercings two earrings per ear max & cannot dangle no greater than 1/2-inch). Tongue, nose, eyebrow & ear plug are prohibited. Fingernail must be kept neat and trimmed: no longer than 1/2-inch beyond the tip of the finger. No acrylic nails, extreme nail polish colors, & nail appliques. Offensive tattoos must be covered

Second Job Availability: Yes, likely

Applicable Company Policies:

NO SMOKING ALLOWED IN OR AROUND THE STORE AT ANYTIME

# **COMMUNITY AMENITIES**

### Walking Distance from Worksite:

Food Market, Shopping Mall, Post Office, Bank, Restaurants, Fitness Center, Internet Cafe, Public Library

### Walking Distance from Housing:

Food Market, Shopping Mall, Post Office, Bank, Restaurants, Fitness Center, Internet Cafe, Public Library

## In Town, Requires Transportation:

Food Market, Shopping Mall, Post Office, Bank, Restaurants, Internet Cafe, Public Library