



MAINTENANCE ASSISTANT

As a Maintenance Assistant, you will play a crucial role in ensuring the upkeep and functionality of Perth Observatory's facilities and grounds. This includes a variety of tasks such as gardening, painting, and assisting with assorted manual jobs as they arise.

Commitment:

- ☾+ Our team typically meets every Wednesday, from 8:00 AM to 2:30 PM. We are flexible and happy to accommodate your availability on other days in coordination with our maintenance manager.

Responsibilities:

- ☾+ Assist and report to the Staff Maintenance team.
- ☾+ Handle equipment with care, adhering to Workplace Safety regulations.
- ☾+ Wear appropriate clothing including closed work shoes.
- ☾+ Be adaptable and willing to tackle a wide range of tasks.

Desired Skills:

No prior skills are necessary; we'll provide all the training you need. However, experience in the following areas is advantageous:

- ☾+ Handyperson Abilities: Painting, carpentry, electrical work, or plumbing.
- ☾+ Chainsaw Experience: Knowledge of safe chainsaw operation.
- ☾+ Gardening: Basic skills and knowledge related to gardening and plant care.
- ☾+ Bobcat License: Experience with operating a Bobcat.
- ☾+ Reticulation: Understanding of irrigation systems and maintenance.
- ☾+ Sense of Humour: A positive attitude and a sense of humour to contribute to a friendly and supportive volunteer environment.

Requirements:

- ☾+ Working With Children's Check
- ☾+ Drivers Licence – there is no public transport to the Observatory

We're excited to welcome new volunteers to join our maintenance crew! This role offers a fantastic opportunity to contribute to our organisation through your practical skills and eagerness to assist. Don't worry if you're new to this – we'll provide all the training and supervision needed to ensure everything is done safely and effectively. We look forward to having you on board!

