

Carversville Farm Foundation

Position: Senior Livestock Manager

Reports to: Farm Director

Benefits: Housing possible, PTO, Health and Dental Insurance

Schedule: Full time, year round

Carversville Farm Foundation (CFF) is a non-profit that runs a philanthropic, diversified, regenerative, certified organic farm. We grow produce, eggs and meat to the highest standards and donate 100% of our harvests to Philadelphia-area soup kitchens, year-round. Want to join a talented, committed crew in beautiful Bucks County, PA and improve your farming skills while raising restaurant-quality harvests to give away to communities in need? Join us!

To learn more about the farm read our feature in the [NY Times](#).

About the position:

The senior livestock manager leads our livestock crew in the daily operations and care of grass-fed beef cattle and pastured poultry (laying hens, turkeys, broiler chickens) as well as poultry processing. We are looking for a professional that contributes to long-term planning and brings thoughtful ideas and practices to our operation. The position requires expertise in organic, pasture-based livestock systems, as well as an ability to train new farmers and quickly troubleshoot any problems that arise.

Requirements

- 5 years of organic, pasture-based animal husbandry
- Brooding poultry
- Processing poultry
- Cow/calf experience
- Operate tractors and equipment
- Pasture management
- Leadership skills

Responsibilities

Working with our team to execute daily tasks including:

- Manage the livestock team
- Raising poultry in succession
- Raising laying hens
- Monitor livestock health
- Beef cattle handling
- Rotational grazing
- Poultry processing
- Developing and implementing strategies that lead to productivity
- Record keeping

Skills

We are looking for people committed to our mission and procedures with these abilities:

- Work independently and on a team
- Dependable and observant
- Strong work ethic
- Positive and proactive problem-solving skills
- Readiness to work outside in all weather conditions
- Ability to lift 50 lbs repetitively
- Detail oriented
- Knowledge and experience in good food handling and processing
- Desire to learn
- Flexible in schedule and tasks

This job description covers key responsibilities but does not capture all job duties. We work as a team and there are times, we need all hands on deck to accomplish a task. Flexibility is key to joining our dynamic team.

Carversville Farm Foundation is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Applicants must have a valid driver's license.

To apply:

Send a resume and cover letter with three references to info@carversvillefarm.org