



Job Opportunity: Animal Care Attendant

Organization Overview:

The Langley Animal Protection Society (LAPS) is a progressive registered non-profit charitable organization based at the Patti Dale Animal Shelter in Langley, BC. LAPS' mandate is to improve the wellbeing of companion animals in Langley. Annually, LAPS staff and volunteers care for more than 800 dogs, 400 cats and dozens of livestock animals. In addition to providing animal control services to the City and Township of Langley, LAPS offers a number of unique programs that benefit lost, stray, and unwanted dogs and cats. With a professional team of 16 full and part time staff and more than 200 active volunteers, LAPS is regarded as a leader in the field of humane animal care and control.

Position Title and Overview:

LAPS is currently recruiting for a part-time (approx. 16-24 hours per week) Animal Care Attendant who is passionate about animal care and enjoys working in a fast-paced environment to join our Animal Care Team at the Patti Dale Animal Shelter.

Summary of Duties:

Working in a team and alone, you will be responsible for all aspects of basic daily animal care. Duties will include cleaning animal enclosures, feeding animals, administering medication, monitoring animal health, bathing animals, and providing exercise multiple times per day.

Required Qualifications:

This position is physically challenging and requires that you can lift weights of at least 50 lbs and be able to bend, crouch, kneel and stand for long periods of time. In addition, you must be able to follow instructions and work as part of a team or independently with minimal supervision. You must also have strong written and oral communications skills, be able to problem solve and manage your time efficiently and effectively. Experience with animals and a knowledge of basic dog and cat behaviour is strongly preferred.

Compensation:

This position is based on an hourly wage range of \$12 to \$16 per hour depending on your experience and qualifications. In addition, extended health and dental benefits are offered after 6 months of employment. Ongoing weekend and evening availability is required and you must be flexible to accommodate schedule changes and must have dependable transportation.

Application Process:

Please submit resume and cover letter to Lneya.ishmail@lapsbc.ca by March 3, 2018.

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