



## ALLEN MARINE TOURS INC. (Ketchikan) Job Profile – Port Engineer/Mechanic

This position is full-time (40+ hours per week) and seasonal. Work closely with and under the supervision of the Operations Manager, the Port Engineer/Mechanic has primary responsibility for the maintenance and repair of a fleet of water-jet propelled, diesel powered, day tour vessels.

## **Qualifications/Experience**

- Prefer experience in tour-related industry, but experience in any maritime-related field acceptable.
- ✓ Requires extensive mechanical experience with diesel engines and a working knowledge of related auxiliary systems on a vessel.
- ✓ Must be self-motivated, and self directed; able to prioritize, schedule and conduct all regular maintenance on vessels with minimal supervision.
- ✓ Must be team oriented; able to work efficiently with Captains in a time critical environment.
- ✓ Must be organized and thorough; able to keep accurate logs on maintenance, repairs and projects.
- ✓ Must be prepared to work on short notice; to trouble shoot equipment as problems occur and to expedite repairs to bring vessel back on line as quickly as possible.
- ✓ Must be flexible to work varied shifts, including weekends and holidays.
- $\checkmark$  Must be able to lift and move objects of up to 50lbs. as required.
- ✓ Must be clean, well groomed, courteous, honest, professional and most important, reliable.
- Must be drug free (and able to pass preliminary and random tests as required by the USCG).

## **Responsibilities**

- Be on site every morning one hour prior to tour departures to consult with Captains, to advise deckhands and to resolve any mechanical issues that present; be available at initial startups in case a system requires troubleshooting prior to tour.
- Supervise Deckhands, monitor engine logs for each vessel; do required maintenance on prescribed schedule; be available to assist with all oil/fuel filter changes on vessels, including; greasing zircs, changing zincs. Maintain an accurate independent log on all work completed.
- Conduct on-board training initially and at various intervals throughout the season for specialized, but predictable underway repairs. (ie. replacing impeller in raw water cooling system, etc)
- Work closely with Sitka Port Engineer to diagnose and repair mechanical issues in a timely manner.
- Order, receive and maintain complete inventory of spare parts for engines and auxiliary systems on each vessel (incl. belts, impellers, filters, gaskets etc.).
- Supervise and maintain on-site septic pump-out system.
- Maintain docks, ramp, shop and all other aspects of facility, including septic and fuel systems, in good repair with an effort to keep facility neat and well organized.



- Work efficiently and cooperatively with mechanics/welders dispatched to Ketchikan from Sitka or from other dealerships in Alaska. Assign deckhand/engineers to assist.
- Ride along on an occasional tour in an effort to monitor vessel systems while underway. Conduct extensive checks of engine and jet room spaces throughout course of trip.
- Fill in, as needed, aboard vessels as deckhand/engineer and function as an effective member of the crew conducting engine room checks, maintaining passenger safety and performing customer service.

## <u>Pay</u>

DOE. Preference will be given to applicants who can commit to working through the October 1, 2012 in good standing and without interruption. A bonus will be paid accordingly.