



OKSIR is Hiring!

Moth Driver

Status: Relief, Seasonal

Wage: \$17.00/Hr

Duration: Saturday Mornings, April to mid-September

Location: Osoyoos, BC

About Us:

We are an environmentally-friendly control Program for one of the biggest pests of apple and pear trees—the codling moth. Since the Program started more than 20 years ago, the amount of pesticides used in the valley against codling moth has dropped by 96%. Our Program breeds and sterilizes codling moths at our state-of-the-art facility in Osoyoos, and we release them into orchards where they mate with wild moths to prevent the population from reproducing. Our Program also provides trapping and monitoring, education, and enforcement services for the growers. We require many seasonal employees throughout the valley to help us deliver our services. Our Program offers a chance to make a difference for our farmers and our environment.

Seasonal positions are perfect for people who want the flexibility to make some money while enjoying the region's summer offerings before they start winter work, go back to school or head south for warmer climates.

About the Position:

The moth driver delivers moths to all required offices in the Okanagan-Similkameen and returns empty cups to the Osoyoos facility. Moth delivery shifts are a minimum of 4 hours and subject to change due to weather conditions or deliveries. This seasonal relief position will take place on Saturday mornings only, working April through September.

About You:

You have a Class 5 driver's license, a clean driver's abstract, enjoy driving, and are able to do so while driving a mid-size cargo van. You have an eye for detail, can follow instructions, work independently or be part of a team. You would take pride in 'parenting' a few million high-quality moths that will make a big difference for our local apple crops, and our environment. You must be available to work early mornings, weekends, and provide a clearance check.

If this sounds like a good fit for you, please submit your resume to jobs@oksir.org.

For more information on these positions or our program, please check our website www.oksir.org.