



Position Summary:

The groundskeeper will assist in running the day-to-day field operations at the New York City Football Club training center located in Orangeburg, N.Y.

Duties/ Responsibilities:

- Plan and execute maintenance program to insure a safe and professional level playing surface.
- Develop and implement IPM program.
- Calibrate and perform all applications of pesticides and fertilizers.
- Ability to safely operate all types of equipment in turfgrass maintenance including but not limited to mower, tractor, aerifier, and sprayer.
- Perform regular maintenance on equipment.
- Monitor irrigation and soil moisture levels and adjust accordingly.
- Maintain irrigation system and complete minor repairs.
- Perform field testing weekly and supply report to the coaching staff
- Schedule the turf maintenance program to work around the schedule of the team.
- Communication with coaching staff weekly on the condition of the fields as well as any maintenance work that is scheduled.

Educational/Skill Requirements:

- Preferred candidate will have a two- or four-year degree in turfgrass management.
- Experience related to sports turf management is a plus
- Preferred candidate will be a Certified Sports Field Manger (CSFM). If not a CSFM certificate holder we will offer guidance into obtaining the certification.
- Working knowledge of the cultural practices required for Kentucky Bluegrass at a professional soccer level.
- Ability to layout and paint soccer field lines.
- Ability to work a flexible schedule including weekends, nights, and holidays.
- Must have a valid and clean driver's license.
- Must have a current New York pesticide license or obtain one in six months.
- Must be able to work in adverse weather conditions.
- Ability to lift a minimum of 50 pounds

Personal Attributes:

- Candidate to be self-motivated and work independently
- Strong troubleshooting skills.
- Ability to communicate clearly in both writing and verbally.

Salary:

- Commensurate with education and experience.

To apply for this job please send resume to Robin DellaRagione-Otero at robind@landtekgroup.com.

We are at the SFMA show in Daytona .

If you are at the show and interested in discussing position, please contact Kevin Malone at 631-466-2917.

