

JOB DESCRIPTION



DIRECTORATE	Place & Climate Change
SERVICE	Neighbourhood Services
POST NUMBER	TBC
POST TITLE	Beach Patrol (Seasonal)
CONDITIONS OF SERVICE	National Joint Council (NJC) for Local Government Services as amended locally
RESPONSIBLE TO	Coastal Operations Officers
RESPONSIBLE FOR	Unless otherwise agreed upon with the Line Manager to work shifts as Senior Beach Patrol, this role carries no supervisory responsibilities. If designated as Senior Beach Patrol, the post holder would assume responsibility for overseeing Beach Patrol operations during their shift.
JOB PURPOSE	To support the Coastal Operations Officers with the safe provision of the Council's coastal operations during the summer period

MAIN AREAS OF WORK	
1	Support the safety management of beach users and the public generally. Proactively engage with the public to deliver beach and water safety advice and issue child wristbands.
2	Play an important role in reuniting missing / found children with parents / guardians in accordance with Standard Operating Procedures.
3	Assist emergency services and partner agencies in emergency situations.
4	Regularly patrol Rother District Council beaches to inspect assets, identify issues and report following correct procedures.
5	Fly sea safety flags when necessary.
6	Advise visitors of local rules and support the enforcement of Byelaws and Public Space Protection Orders.
7	Monitor activities on the beach and associated areas to ensure that the Council's best interests are safeguarded.
8	Assist with car park duties as and when required (Camber).
9	Assist with administering First Aid to members of the public.
10	Assist in keeping the workplaces clean and tidy.
11	When required and as part of flexible working – work within other Services and Directorates in support of the Council's overall objectives and projects.
12	Co-operate with Managers in implementing Standard Operating Procedures, Working Practices & the Council's Health and Safety Policy.
13	Undertake any other duties for which the post holder is competent and which the Line Manager considers necessary for the effective and efficient delivery of the Service.

JOB REQUIREMENTS

Essential:

- Ability to deal with members of the public in a confident, courteous and effective manner
- Availability for weekend and Public Holiday working

Desirable:

- Experience in beach and water safety
- Experience in customer services
- Experience working with large volumes of public
- Driving licence and own car

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