

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	No supervisory responsibility
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	Regularly patrol Rother District Council beaches to seek to ensure the safety of beach users and the public generally. Proactively engage with the public to deliver beach and water safety advice.
2	Play an important role in reuniting missing/found children with parents / guardians in accordance with correct procedures.
3	Assist emergency services and partner agencies in emergency situations.
4	Identify hazards, including oil pollution, dangerous containers, suspicious objects etc. and follow correct reporting procedures.
5	Maintain surveillance of the foreshore area and land under the Council's control to identify any unauthorised entry or activity. Liaise with the police etc. as required.
6	Ensure that all local Byelaws are enforced and adhered to.
7	Monitor all relevant activities on the beach and associated areas (including car parks at Camber) during the summer season to ensure that the Council's best interests are safeguarded.
8	Assist with car stacking duties as and when required (Camber).
9	Assist with administering First Aid to members of the public and contact the relevant emergency service(s), if required.
10	Assist in keeping the first aid area clean and tidy. Ensure that soiled dressings are disposed of in the appropriate manner.
11	When required and as part of flexible working – to work within other Services and Directorates in support of the Council's overall objectives and projects.
12	Co-operate with Managers in implementing the Council's Health and Safety Policy. The responsibilities of members of staff in respect of this are set out in the Council's Health and Safety Manual.
13	To undertake any other duties for which the post holder is competent and which the Service Manager considers necessary for the effective and efficient delivery of the Service.

JOB REQUIREMENTS

- First aid certificate – desirable
- Experience in beach and water safety – desirable
- Ability to deal with members of the public in a courteous and effective manner
- Weekend and Public Holiday working will be required in this post
- Driving licence and own car – desirable

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