

Job Opening: Youth Services Librarian Schuylerville Public Library



About the Library

The Schuylerville Public Library is located in the village of Schuylerville and serves a population of 9,981 across seven towns and two villages. Schuylerville has an especially rich past being a battlefield in two wars, location of many revolutions, including fights for freedom, transportation, and industry along with an abundance of rich natural resources and a bounty of agriculture. In 2013, the Schuylerville Public Library was named a 3-star library by the Library Journal magazine. Each year, the Library hosts hundreds of programs and serves thousands of people. All of its programs and exhibitions are free and open to the public. Connect here for TLC! (Technology, Literacy, and Community).

<http://schuylervillelibrary.sals.edu/>

Library hours:

Monday 10am-8pm
Tuesday 10am-5pm
Wednesday 10am-8pm
Thursday 10am-5pm
Friday 10am-8pm
Saturday 10am-1pm
Sunday CLOSED

Job Description: This part-time position requires strong customer service skills, understanding and ability to work with people of all ages, with an emphasis on pre-school, school-age and teenage youth, the ability to juggle multiple demands, knowledge of children's and teen literature, and a knowledge of and comfort with current technology and trends. The librarian will prepare for and conduct story times and other programs; assist in maintaining the children's and young adult collections; promote use of library materials and services; perform outreach to schools and community agencies; and perform other duties as assigned. This position pays \$16 per hour. The schedule will consist of mostly daytime and some evening and weekend shifts, totaling 25 hours per week. This position is supervised by the Library Director. The librarian will work closely with the Program Coordinator to develop youth programs and schedule events. This is a civil service position, therefore appointments will be provisional pending a civil service exam.

Required Skills and Abilities: Passion for and knowledge of children's and young adult literature; familiarity with current library technologies; the ability to perform both independently and as a team member; experience in planning and conducting children's programming; excellent communication skills; enthusiasm, courtesy, flexibility and creativity. Preferred: knowledge of Polaris automation software, Wordpress, and Microsoft Publisher.

Minimum Qualifications: ALA accredited Master's degree in Library and Information Studies and eligibility for a New York State Public Librarian's Professional Certificate upon appointment.

To Apply

Send resume, cover letter, and three professional references to Caitlin Johnson, Library Director: cjohnson@sals.edu

Or Caitlin Johnson
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Applications due by April 30, 2016.