

Seasonal Island Manager

Full-time, seasonal position from March 15th through August 31st

Hours Variable, including weekends and holidays, 40 hours/week for 20 weeks

Salary Range: \$18.00-\$20.00/hour

Start Date: March 15th

Barnstable Clean Water Coalition (BCWC) is a non-profit organization working to restore and preserve clean water throughout Barnstable. BCWC owns and manages the eastern end of Dead Neck Sampson's Island, a 1.4-mile barrier beach that is the site of protected nesting shorebirds.

Duties Include, but not limited to:

- Coordinate management of Dead Neck Sampson's Island shorebird monitoring program in conjunction with MA Audubon Coastal Waterbird Program staff.
- Train and supervise island monitors and rangers.
- Assist with construction and maintenance of symbolic and electric fencing.
- Monitor avian and mammalian predator activity.
- Produce weekly reports on island activities including shorebird and island visitor data.
- Educate public on coastal waterbird conservation and management measures used on the island to protect nesting birds and chicks.
- Enforce island regulations to protect listed shorebird species.
- Carry out other tasks as needed.

Qualifications:

- Possess a bachelor's or higher degree in environmental science, avian/wildlife biology/conservation, ecology, natural resources management, or related disciplines.
- Experience in avian or wildlife tracking and field research.
- Experience supervising staff.
- Knowledge of New England coastal habitats, birds, and ecology.
- Experience operating small boats.
- Competent swimmer.
- Ability to collect and record scientific data accurately.
- Comfortable working long hours outside in all conditions.
- Ability to lift and move 50 pounds over varied and sandy terrain.
- Strong written and oral communication skills.
- Must provide own binoculars due to COVID.

To Apply: Send cover letter, resume, and contact information for three references (name, email, phone number, and affiliation to applicant) to info@bcleanwater.org. Applications are due by Friday, February 12th.

BCWC is an Equal Opportunity Employer