

Job Opportunity: Seasonal Park Ranger for Narragansett Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve's Prudence Island Location

Are you looking for summer employment? Do enjoy being outdoors? Would you like to work in a beautiful island setting in the middle of Narragansett Bay?

The Narragansett Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve looking for an enthusiastic and outgoing candidate to join our team as a Park Ranger for the 2024 summer season. The selected candidate will report directly to the Park Manager, and will have a considerable amount of public contact, meeting with visitors to provide directions and information about the Reserve. They will also be responsible for patrolling the Reserve properties to observe and report infractions of rules and regulations; promoting the safe and orderly enjoyment of these facilities by the public; inspecting facilities to check for and report maintenance problems and equipment failures; and performing a variety of light maintenance tasks such as litter pickup, restroom maintenance, beach and trail cleanup, and other building and grounds maintenance. There are also opportunities for the Park Ranger to contribute to some of the monitoring and science performed by the Reserve, if they are interested.

Location: Prudence Island, Portsmouth, RI

This position is located on <u>Prudence Island</u>. Access to the island is by ferry from Bristol, RI. Ferry transportation costs are covered by the Reserve.

See prudencebayislandstransport.com/ for more information regarding ferry schedules.

Schedule: Hours are somewhat flexible up to 40 hours per week. Weekends preferred. Position is for a seasonal term of up to six months starting as early as May.

Pay rate: \$14.00 to \$14.50 per hour.

Interested applicants should contact Caitlin Chaffee at caitlin.chaffee@dem.ri.gov for more information.