

<b>Job Title</b>	Whitewater Guide / Instructor
<b>Location</b>	40 OWL Lane, Foresters Falls, Ontario, K0J1V0
<b>Salary</b>	Starting at \$155.00/ trip - day.
<b>Staff Accom. /Meal Plan</b>	\$12 day (3 meals/ day, tent platform and staff benefits)

### Company

OWL Rafting, est. 1981, is a Whitewater rafting company and resort based out of Foresters Falls in Ontario, Canada. As a part of the tourism industry, we offer guided rafting trips down the Ottawa River. Our season begins mid-May and finishes mid-September.

### Job Description

To provide an excellent experience guiding day raft trips down class III-IV rapids of the Ottawa River. We are seeking experienced whitewater paddlers / rafters who are enthusiastic, team-oriented, and friendly individuals.

### Responsibilities

- Guide a stern oar-rig and/or paddle raft.
- Provide instruction for canoes / kayaks.
- Video kayaking
- Advise guests on safety and regulations.
- Provide and follow company risk management protocols.
- Practice low impact/no trace land use and provide wildlife interpretation.
- Handle complaints and prevent legislation violations.

### Requirements

- Minimum two seasons of whitewater paddling in either kayak, canoe, or raft.
- Current criminal record check w/vulnerable sector
- Must have 2 previous seasons experience of guiding / instructing guests in moving water
- Swiftwater Rescue Certificate. \*
- First Aid and CPR Certificate. \*
- \*we offer these courses at a discounted rate for employees
- WHMIS and Health & Safety Certificates (info on how to obtain provided with the job offer)
- A valid driver's license.
- River kayak or canoe instructor certification is an asset (you receive opportunities to instruct whitewater paddling programs at our sister company [Madawaska Kanu Centre](#))

### Additional Information

We ask for a **2-season commitment** from all new staff for training, and to maintain a quality experience for our guests from season to season. Please check out our [Website](#) and [Employment Page](#) to learn more.

### Application

If interested in the position, please complete an [Employee Application Form](#). A resume, cover letter, and references are mandatory. Please do not hesitate to get in contact with us if you have any questions.

## OWL Crew Perks



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There is so much more to being a member of the OWL Crew besides meaning full work within a fantastic and fun community while living alongside one of the BEST natural playgrounds in Ontario. If that's not enough see below all the perks, we offer our staff during their season with us on the river!

1 free day trip to give away for part time OWL crew or MKC crew

2 free day trips to give away for full time OWL crew

\*\*Free trips are for friends or family.

Immediate Family can stay in paddler camping for free if coming to visit, max 3 nights consecutive.

20% off retail (excludes any food items, cannot be combined with other discounts)

Access to pro deals (order directly from manufacturer for lower prices)

Raft for free provided there is space in a trip, and you are not working.

On-Site training and certification courses at a discounted rate ex: *First Aid & CPR, Swiftwater Rescue, Transport Canada Marine certifications*

Accommodation and food provided for the summer:

**(\$12/day)**

- All meals provided.
- Tent platform (10 x 14 ft raised with tin roof)
- Laundry available
- Showers (not shared with customers)
- Internet connection (WIFI) available around the office
- Staff room with kitchenette and WIFI access

Use of all OWL facilities (beach, watercraft, sauna, volleyball, etc.)

2 staff days: group activity day with all crew (end of June and end of August)

50% off 5-day courses at the Madawaska Kanu Center. Yes 50% off the entire course.



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