



North Channel Brewing Company
Bad Axe Brewery
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Position: **Line and Prep Cook (Full and Part-Time)**

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North Channel Brewing is in the historic North Channel Building on Washington Street in Downtown Manistee. Situated along the Manistee River next to the drawbridge, it offers a unique setting to enjoy high-quality craft draft beer while taking in views of downtown, the bridge, and passing freighters. North Channel Brewing is an ode to the rich and fascinating history of Manistee, weaving the community's story into everything we do.

North Channel Brewing operates under Little River Holdings, the investment enterprise of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians. Little River Holdings is a diversified holding company created to invest in, support and manage businesses that meet our investment criteria in pursuit of our mission and vision.

Mission: To bring people together through exceptional craft beer and thoughtfully prepared food, creating a welcoming space where community, conversation, and connection thrive.

Vision: To build a lasting gathering place that strengthens our community and becomes a tradition for generations to come.

Values: Love, wisdom, respect, bravery, honesty, humility, and truth.

Job Summary

The Line & Prep Cook is responsible for preparing and cooking menu items in accordance with established recipes, quality standards, and food safety requirements. This role supports daily kitchen operations by ensuring food is prepared efficiently, safely, and consistently while contributing to a positive guest experience and a collaborative back-of-house team culture.

Essential Duties

The following is not an exhaustive list of duties. It represents a sample of essential work. The list of duties may change at any time with or without notice at the sole discretion of Little River Holdings.

1. Prepare, cook, plate, and garnish menu items according to established recipes and quality standards.



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2. Perform food prep duties including portioning, stocking, labeling, and rotating inventory prior to and during service.
 3. Maintain adequate levels of food, supplies, and ingredients on the line to support service periods.
 4. Follow all food safety, sanitation, and allergen-handling procedures to ensure guests receive safe meals.
 5. Maintain a clean, organized, and sanitary workstation in compliance with health and safety standards.
 6. Properly and safely operate kitchen equipment. Follow all safety requirements.
 7. Demonstrate hospitality toward guests by supporting consistent food quality, presentation, and timeliness.
 8. Support a positive team environment by assisting fellow team members during service and prep as needed.
 9. Report to work on time, in proper uniform, well-groomed, and prepared for assigned duties.
 10. Accurately clock in and out according to company policy.
 11. Work an assigned schedule that includes days, evenings, weekends, and holidays.
 12. Perform all duties onsite.
 13. Read, write, and communicate in English.
 14. Follow all company policies, procedures, and operational guidelines.
 15. All other duties as assigned.

Minimum Necessary Qualifications

Candidates must meet the following requirements, as demonstrated through past employment, education, testing, or a combination thereof:

1. Must be at least eighteen (18) years of age.
2. Minimum of one (1) year of restaurant or kitchen experience in a full-service environment.
3. Basic understanding of cooking methods, food preparation, kitchen equipment, and dishwashing procedures.
4. Ability to work effectively in a fast-paced, high-volume environment.
5. Comfortable receiving feedback and training. Willingness to change approach and methods.
6. Strong task focus with the ability to prioritize multiple responsibilities.
7. Passion for preparing high-quality food in a safe and consistent manner.
8. Ability to communicate the restaurant's story, culture, and mission when appropriate.
9. Availability to work nights, weekends, and holidays as required.

Physical and Environmental Conditions



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1. Position requires standing and walking for extended periods during shifts.
 2. Ability to lift, carry, push, or pull up to forty (40) pounds.
 3. Work performed in a kitchen environment with exposure to heat, steam, noise, and cooking equipment.
 4. Manual dexterity required for food preparation and equipment operation.
 5. Ability to read, write, and communicate effectively in English.

Indian Preference applies in accordance with Ordinance #15-600-02

Hiring Salary Range: Negotiable and Commensurate with Verified Qualifications

FLSA Status: Non-Exempt

Pay Schedule: Bi-Weekly

Background Check: Extensive

To Apply: Please submit your contact information to the following email address: careers@lrhedc.com

Conditions of employment with Little River Holdings includes superior performance in the selection process at the sole discretion of Little River Holdings, including but not limited to all of the following; any pre-employment interviews, skills testing, credentialing, reference checks and previous work history, passing post-offer drug tests and background checks, possession of valid required documents such as a Driver's License throughout employment, being insurable under the Tribal insurance policy, and successfully completing a ninety (90) day introductory period.