

Job Descriptions - 2024

Requirements for all positions

- Putting your safety first
- Be Punctual and Professional
- Flexible - may be moved temporarily to scene as need arises
- Ability to work in all weather conditions (Rain, Heat & Cold)
- Cell phones are to be kept out of sight.
- No smoking while on duty on the property
- Be able to work independently and in the dark
- Be a part of the team
- Be able to follow specific instructions
- For some scenes maintain a small campfire, and extinguish it
- Be able to sit and/or stand for long periods of time
- Some technical experience for some scenes would be an asset
- Be able to scream/yell to scare people through entire shift
- Improvisational skills for some scenes is an asset

1) **AOT – Actor (Speaking Role)**

- Specific Costumes, Makeup, Hair and/or Masks will be required
- Previous acting experience for some scenes is an asset
- Be able to learn lines for a scene and able to project voice
- You must be comfortable talking for the whole shift
- Coordination and timing will be imperative
- Some positions require use of a harness and working at heights

2) **AOT – Actor (Screaming Role)**

- Specific Costumes, Makeup, Hair and/or Masks will be required
- This role includes Screaming, Yelling, Groaning but no Speaking
- Improvisational skills for some scenes is an asset
- Experience with Chainsaws and Small Power Tools is an asset
- Coordination and timing will be imperative
- Some positions require use of a harness and working at heights

3) **AOT - Scene Support**

- Coordination and timing will be imperative
- Lots of heavy pulling and lifting is required at some scenes
- Supply and wear black clothing head to toe

4) AOT - Narrator

- Bilingualism is an asset
- You must be comfortable standing on a moving wagon
- You must be comfortable talking for the whole shift
- Be able to improvise as needed and ready to tell jokes
- Be able to project voice on a moving wagon with tractor noise
- Specific Costumes and Makeup will be required
- Be able to learn & memorize a set of lines
- Be able to interact with customers on the wagon
- Be able to professionally interact with all customers at all times, including troublemakers
- You must remain in character at all times while on the property

5) AOT – Actor in Spooky Village (Speaking/Screaming Role)

- Specific Costumes, Makeup, Hair and/or Masks will be required
- Previous acting experience for some scenes is an asset
- Be able to learn lines for a scene and able to project voice
- You must be comfortable talking for the whole shift
- Be able to interact with customers in the village
- Improvisational skills for some scenes is an asset
- You must be comfortable being in close quarters and interacting with many guests in a small space

6) AOT – Actor in Fog Maze (Screaming Role / Scene Support)

- Specific Costumes, Makeup, Hair and/or Masks will be required
- This role includes Screaming, Yelling, Groaning but no Speaking
- Be comfortable working indoors in a dimly-lit fog maze
- Coordination and timing will be imperative
- Some positions require use of a harness

7) GHOST Team (Ground Hospitality Operations Support Team)

- Greeting and directing guests arriving at the event
- Be comfortable working with crowds (crowd control)
- Be comfortable working outdoors in varying weather conditions
- Must be able to stand for extended periods of time
- Be able to professionally interact with all customers at all times, including troublemakers
- Helping to direct the flow of traffic
- Patrolling the parking lot and grounds to ensure everything is running smoothly
- Ensuring a safe and pleasant environment for the guests

8) Tractor Driver

- Operate and drive a farm tractor to pull large wagons with 25+ customers through various conditions, including tight forest roads
- Must be able to maneuver through tight spaces, turns, and obstacles with precision
- Coordination and timing will be imperative

- Ability to drive in dark and sometimes in foggy conditions
- Ability to operate a tractor and take direction via a two-way radio through an earpiece
- Adhere to all safety guidelines and regulations to guarantee the safety of passengers, fellow drivers, and the tractor itself

Pay Information:

Compensation for Acres of Terror (AOT) Staff will be disbursed in a single lump sum during mid-November. To receive payment, a valid Social Insurance Number (SIN) is required. In the absence of a SIN, your payment will be held until you obtain your SIN number. You will need to come to the orchard, in person, to collect your pay cheque. Pay cheques will not be given to parents or friends.

Some AOT positions will require your attendance earlier than the start time stated. You will be notified if you fall into this category.