



Retail Associate (Part-Time)

Location:

The Mercantile at the Market on River, Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin

About Us:

The Wisconsin Farmers Union (WFU) supports family farmers, sustainable agriculture, and vibrant rural communities. The Mercantile is a retail space at WFU's new Market on River (MOR) that showcases local products sourced from WFU farmer members throughout the state.

Position Overview:

We are seeking a friendly, dependable Retail Associate to join our team. This part-time role focuses on operating the retail store, assisting customers, and ensuring a welcoming shopping experience. With an emphasis on holiday operations, this is an exciting opportunity to engage with the community and promote locally sourced products.

Key Responsibilities:

- **Customer Service:** Provide exceptional service, assist shoppers, and share knowledge about our locally sourced products.
- **Store Operations:** Handle transactions, manage cash registers, and maintain a clean, organized retail environment.
- **Inventory Support:** Stock shelves, monitor inventory levels, and assist with restocking as needed.
- **Merchandising:** Set up displays to highlight seasonal and holiday items and share the story of the farmers who produce the products.
- Holiday Assistance: Support additional shifts and tasks during busy holiday shopping periods.

Qualifications:

- Friendly, positive attitude with strong communication and customer service skills.
- Availability to work flexible hours, including weekends and holidays.
- Ability to stand for extended periods and lift up to 25 pounds.
- Passion for local agriculture and community engagement is a plus.

Compensation:

- Hourly wage starting at \$14-16/hour, depending on experience.
- Part-time schedule (10–15 hours/week), with increased hours during the holiday season.

How to Apply:

Submit your resume to Danielle Endvick at dendvick@wisconsinfarmersunion.com. Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis.

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