

# HORSE BARN ASSISTANT - FULL TIME

Hours: Full-Time  
Pay: Dependent on Experience  
Location: Grand Paradise Ranch  
901 Grand Paradise Lane  
Caseyville, IL 62232



## POSITION OBJECTIVE

Under the supervision of the barn owner, the barn assistant will assist in the care of horses by feeding, turning out and bringing in, and reporting any illnesses and/or injuries. Responsible for maintaining the cleanliness of stables and overall barn areas and ability to perform basic maintenance.

## RESPONSIBILITIES

- Feed and turnout of horses
- Clean stalls and replenish bedding daily
- Clean viewing room and restrooms
- Clean wash rack weekly
- Clean and fill all stall waterers/ buckets daily
- Outdoor troughs, scrub and bleach weekly
- Scrub and maintain outdoor water tanks
- Check water levels in outdoor tanks daily, fill as necessary
- Exercise animals as requested by owners
- Ensure all barn areas are swept and tidied daily
- Drag riding arena daily
- Work with trainer to ensure horses are turned in/out and blanket horses as required
- Put on fly masks / fly sheets and apply fly spray
- General barn duties
- Ensure saw dust is covered up before leaving premises
- Administration of medications at barn owners' request
- Holding for vet and farrier at barn owners' request
- Inspect horses for signs of disease, illness, and injury and report any findings to barn owner

## REQUIREMENTS

- Self-motivated, can do attitude ready to take on any challenges/work required at the barn
- Ability to work independently with minimal supervision
- Good communication skills with the ability to talk to barn owners, trainer and clients
- Prior horse experience preferred but not required
- Must have dependable transportation with valid driver's license
- Experience driving a tractor / skid steer preferred but not required
- We are a drug free work place so must be able to pass drug tests as required
- Ability to be flexible on days and times

## TO APPLY

Please send e-mail to [linda@grandparadiseranch.com](mailto:linda@grandparadiseranch.com) which includes a resume and if you do not have a resume, please send qualifications, experience with horses, pay requirements and why you think you we should hire you.