



History Interpreter Job Description

Mission: The Breckenridge Heritage Alliance preserves unique historic resources in the Breckenridge area and connects residents and visitors to our past through inspiring interpretation of heritage sites and stories.

Vision: The Breckenridge Heritage Alliance is a community-supported, nationally recognized leader in local historic preservation, interpretation, and authentic heritage tourism.

Job Summary: Breckenridge Heritage Alliance (BHA) operates a heritage tourism program that includes museums, walking and mine tours, and hikes. We are known for our authentic interpretation of local history and friendly and knowledgeable staff. Interpreters work as part of a team to share our history with guests and provide excellent customer service. BHA is seeking confident, well-spoken, people-oriented individuals who love history. Positions include year-round part time and seasonal part-time interpreters. Depending on assignments, interpreters work days, weekends, and evenings and are required to wear a provided costume or uniform and name tag. Applicants can apply to one or all four interpreter positions.

Job Location: Breckenridge, CO

Responsibilities and Duties

- Work as a museum docent providing museum tours and answering guest's questions AND/OR lead walking tours in downtown Breckenridge and Valley Brook Cemetery AND/OR lead hikes and snowshoe hikes on maintained local trails AND/OR lead tours and provide gold panning lessons at mine sites
- Accurately interpret Breckenridge and Summit County, CO history
- Provide excellent customer service
- Manage tour groups on busy town streets and trails

Qualifications and Skills

- Must pass a pre-employment criminal background check
- Understand, read, write, and hear the English language; read and abide by written policies and procedures
- Knowledge of or ability to learn (with provided training) Google Suite and tour booking software
- Ability to use a computer, tablet, or mobile device.
- Ability to work indoors in a museum setting AND/OR outdoors in all season/variable weather
- Lift and carry 30-50lb up and down stairs and a minimum distance of 50 feet
- Stand/walk for up to two hours at a time

Benefits: Competitive pay (\$15-25/hour depending on qualifications and assignments), paid sick leave, participation in Summit Cares Program, and end-of-season bonus.

For more information, contact the Heritage Tourism Program Manager, June at junew@BreckHeritage.com