

New Britain Rock Cat Summer Internship Position

What is it? – Selected individuals will work hand in hand with Rock Cats’ Staff to learn about the management and execution of a successful professional baseball team during the season. Selected individuals will be mentored in different areas of the business and will be compensated for their efforts.

What else can you tell me? – There will be three types of learning opportunities. The first will be supporting the team during actual home games. This will include areas like promotions, customer service, hospitality, marketing and even broadcasting. The second will be assisting the management with day to day business activities. This would include office work, advertising, marketing, and running a business. The third will include community outreach activities during the summer months. This will include running baseball clinics and publicity events with Rock Cats’ players and staff.

What kind of commitment do I have to make? – There will be two sessions. The first will be from July First until August Third. The second will be from August Fourth until 27 August. Assisting with games requires you to arrive several hours before the game begins and to stay until the game ends. This is approximately 5 hours. Learning the behind the scenes business aspect is from 10AM – 4PM. Community outreach events vary in duration, but offer exciting opportunities to expand your skills. Selected individuals will need to choose one session, provide their own reliable transportation and be motivated to learn and participate. There will also be an orientation for all participants at the end of June.

What will I get out of it? – You will work in a diverse and energizing environment with established business professionals, professional sports players, college students and other individuals. You will have an opportunity to sample all the aspects of the business as well as decide which areas you would like to focus on. Stipend fees will be approximately \$25-\$30 per unit of work, which is one game, one business day or one outreach event. This is a great opportunity to learn, explore and make some money. The more you put into your appointment, the more you will get out of it.

How do I get selected? – Applicants must be between 15 – 17 years of age. First decide if you can make the commitment. Next fill out the application. You will need to complete a brief essay and will need to obtain a letter of reference from a community member; teacher, public official, clergy personnel, etc. Submit the packet to the person who you received the application from no later than June First. The selections will be made and you will be notified whether you have been selected or not by June 16. There are a limited number of seats and selections will be made by a committee based on submitted applications. We encourage you to apply and to do your best.

2006 New Britain Rock Cats Internship

Please annotate your preference below:

SESSION ONE (1 July – 3 August) _____

SESSION TWO (4 – 31 August) _____

EITHER SESSION _____

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Full Name: _____

Current Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Sex: Male _____ Female _____

Do You Have Reliable Transportation: Yes _____ No _____

Have You Ever Been Arrested: Yes _____ No _____

If Yes, Please Explain Briefly: _____

EDUCATION, SKILLS AND EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Current School Attending: _____

School Address: _____

Expected Date of Graduation: _____

Extracurricular Activities, Sports, Hobbies: _____

REFERENCES – LIST THREE PEOPLE WE CAN CONTACT ABOUT YOU

Name: _____

Relationship: _____

Phone Number: _____

Name: _____

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ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

1. Please include a letter of reference attesting to your character, reliability and dependability. The letter may be from a teacher, a public official, a former employer, or other reputable source. It should be typed, signed and in a sealed envelope.
2. Also include a short essay on why you would like this opportunity with the Rock Cats and why you should be selected.
3. Applicants should be available for a brief interview either in person or over the phone. Applicants will also be required to attend an orientation prior to starting the Internship.
4. Submit this packet to the person below No Later Than June 1, 2006. You should expect to be contacted with a decision and further information No Later Than June 16, 2006. If you are not contacted, it is important that you follow up to find out your status in the selection. Thank you for your interest.