

Harpswell Community Garden

Part Time Summer Intern Supervisor Position

The Community Garden which is located at Mitchell Field, is a town of Harpswell project and supported by the Harpswell Heritage Land Trust and several other groups that promote sustainable community based food systems. We are seeking a college student or Harpswell resident to supervise two high school interns working with the "Gardening for the Common Good" project whose mission is to grow food for the Mid-Coast Hunger Prevention Project which serves Harpswell and neighboring towns.

The Supervisor will work at the garden with interns between May 1 and October 15** on a twice weekly basis (4 hours per day) and report to Cyndy Bush, a Community Garden Volunteer who has overall responsibility for the intern program. Responsibilities include organizing daily activities and mentoring students to carry out garden tasks (planting, weeding and harvesting) and also supporting them as they record pertinent information about growing conditions and outcomes. Additionally, s/he will meet from time to time with the Community Garden Committee to coordinate activities and share learning.

Qualifications Include: Knowledge of organic gardening principles, gardening experience and ability to work with teens. The stipend for this position is \$12/hour for a maximum of 100 hours.

For more information please contact: Cyndy Bush bushcyndy@aol.com or 207 725-2660 and visit our web page at <http://www.harpswell.maine.gov> Choose the "Things To Do" pulldown menu from the top of the home page to find HCG.

** For college applicants, schedule will be arranged within summer vacation period.

Application Information:

Name _____ email _____ Phone: _____

Address _____

Please briefly tell us about yourself and your background and interest for this work. (Students: please include your school, year and course of study)

Please tell us how you learned of this position.