

FIELD CREW:

Company Description:

Walker's Farm is a 35-acre diversified family farm located in Little Compton, RI founded in 1964 by Ian Walker and his son, Coll. We grow a variety of vegetables and berries including corn, squash, heirloom tomatoes, herbs, and raspberries. Walker's produce is sold at an on-site retail farm stand and to wholesale customers from June through November.

Job Description:

This is a full- or part-time seasonal position from June through end of November (some work during the winter may be available). A typical workday starts at 7:00AM to take advantage of cool temps for harvesting and ends around 4:00PM. During peak season (Jun-Sept) workdays may start earlier, depending on what needs to be harvested.

Responsibilities:

- All harvesting and packing including:
 - Field harvesting
 - Washing and packing wholesale orders
 - Maintaining the organization and cleanliness of wash/pack station and equipment
- Help with all production work including:
 - Bed prep, transplanting
 - Weeding
 - Tomato pruning and tying
 - Potentially some tractor work
- Other farm chores as needed

Requirements/Qualifications:

- Can lift up to 50lbs and has experience with physical labor. Able to perform repetitive tasks for long periods of time (ex. planting, harvesting, washing produce).
- Will work efficiently and effectively both independently and alongside others
- Be punctual, accountable, and responsible
- Can work in all weather conditions
- Maintains a positive attitude and works well with others
- Minimum availability to work from June through end of August, but preferably through September/October
- Previous farming experience is preferred, but not required. Training will be provided
- Have common sense: see the big picture, recognise what needs to be done, be willing to help, and follow through

Compensation:

- Starting hourly wage at \$13.50 or more depending on experience and skill, 15% off anything sold at the farm stand, free imperfect produce. Unfortunately, we do not offer housing, but we can help you find something.

Application Instructions

Send a resumé, cover letter, and contact information for 3 references to Coll Walker at walkersroadsidestand@gmail.com. If we feel that you are a good fit, we will invite you for a farm visit and interview.