ALSTEDE FARMS, LLC Job Description Cook/Line Cook

Cook or Line Cook is responsible for preparing ingredients in any area of the farm that serves food, processing customer orders, producing meals and cleaning their workspace throughout the day to follow health and safety guidelines. Cooks follow recipes consistently, make adjustments based on customer requests, communicate with managers and staff, and prepare garnishes to make an attractive presentation for each meal.

Duties and Responsibilities:

Cooks are responsible for delivering food that is not only delicious and cooked to the specifications of the customer but that is safe and fresh as well. They have the following responsibilities:

- Ensure ingredients and final products are fresh
- Follow recipes, including measuring, weighing and mixing ingredients
- Bake, grill, steam and boil meats, vegetables, fish, poultry and other foods
- Present, garnish and arrange final dishes
- Occasionally serve food
- Maintain a clean and safe work area, including handling utensils, equipment and dishes
- Handle and store ingredients and food
- Maintain food safety and sanitation standards
- Clean and sanitize work areas, equipment and utensils
- Execute opening and closing procedures
- Set up workstations with required ingredients and equipment
- Check the quality and freshness of ingredients
- Monitor station inventory levels
- Accommodate guests' special requests
- Operate kitchen equipment such as broilers, ovens, grills and fryers
- Assist in any other farm related task or assignment that helps to achieve overall farm goals and objectives.
- Other duties as assigned

We're Looking For:

- Passionate about understanding and creating an exceptional guest experience
- Ability to pass a mandatory (or random) drug test, per Company policy, unless prohibited by state or provincial law.
- Ability to pass a background check, if 18 years of age or older, which may include, but is not limited to, credit, criminal, DMV, previous employment, education and personal references, per Company policy, unless prohibited by federal, state, or provincial law.