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Job Description and Person Specification – Tearooms Assistant Cook

Location: The Tearooms, Aberglasney Gardens, Llangathen, Carmarthen, SA32 8QH

Rate of pay: National Minimum Wage or National Living Wage (if applicable)

Hours: Zero hours (hours will be as required). Flexibility on days/times worked is essential.

Overall Purpose

The primary role of the Assistant Cook is to support the Cook to cook and prepare food to a high standard, to ensure that customers of the Tearooms have an enjoyable and memorable experience.

Specific duties

To run the kitchen in the Cook's absence and support the Cook in the following areas:

- Stock control.
- Advance food preparation and cooking.
- Preparation/cooking of dishes to order.
- Work in accordance with food safety requirements.
- To be vigilant in areas of health and safety and act upon, without delay, any hazardous situation, unsociable behaviour, vandalism or theft that occurs.
- In the event of an emergency, work with colleagues to initiate the evacuation procedure.
- Other non-specific duties as requested.
- Work collaboratively with colleagues in all parts of the organisation.

Additionally, Assistant Cooks will be required to carry out general Tearooms Assistant tasks:

- Give a warm welcome to customers and help them to find a suitable table if necessary.
- Take orders, process with the kitchen and deliver to table.
- Ensure customers' satisfaction and clear tables when appropriate.
- Respond to customer needs and enquiries.
- Interact with customers in a proactive, helpful, friendly and courteous manner.
- Process payments through the till in line with procedure.
- Handle and store cash and cheques in line with procedure.
- Leave a positive impression when customers leave the Tearooms.

Person specification – education, knowledge, skills, interests and experience

- Knowledge and experience of foodservice preferred.
- Interest in creating excellent food is essential.
- Ability to deliver a friendly and courteous service.
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills, with the ability to converse in both Welsh (ideally) and English.
- Good team worker.
- Flexible and adaptable approach.
- Food hygiene qualification preferred.
- Numerate and well organised.
- Appropriate standard of behaviour and dress.
- Experience of providing a service to the public desirable.

All applications are to be made by emailing or posting a CV and accompanying covering email/letter to:

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