

JOB TITLE: CHEESE DEPARTMENT STAFF

REPORTS TO: DELI MANAGER

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JOB FUNCTION: Responsible for all cheese cutting procedures, including but not limited to tracking stock and inventory.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Cut, wrap, and price cheese as needed to ensure display is clean, attractively presented, and stocked properly.
- Keep cheese work area clean; wash utensils; counter area and scales before and after cutting cheese. Sanitize all equipment daily.
- Rotates cheese as needed and keeps stock neat and orderly.
- Practices safety procedures for using scales and cutting equipment, and report any repair needs.
- Attractively cuts and displays cheese for customer sampling.
- Participates in store inventories, department clean ups, and assists with ordering supplies as needed.
- Keep PLU's current in pricing and the PLU book organized and up to date.
- Assist at counter and other related store areas as directed by Deli Manager providing prompt, friendly, courteous customer service.
- Perform other tasks as assigned by Deli Manager

SAFETY

- Emphasize safety and safe body mechanics in a fast-paced department; participate in ongoing training.
- Be proactive in reducing work-related injuries; recognize and solve potentially hazardous situations, and/or bring to the attention of the Department Manager.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Familiarity with cheese products.
- Experience serving the public.
- Demonstrated ability to handle multiple tasks.

ESSENTIAL PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

- Ability to communicate effectively with members, customers, managers, staff, vendors, and officials
- Ability to read, count and write to accurately complete all documentation
- Ability to do math computations to figure prices, discounts, wages/labor costs and schedules, including addition, subtraction, division, fractions, decimals and percentages, and date/time calculations
- Ability to freely access all areas of the store including offices, selling floor, registers, stock areas, kitchen, and walk-in coolers and freezers
- Ability to move or handle merchandise throughout the store generally weighing up to 30 pounds
- Ability to lift up to approximately 30 pounds occasionally
- Ability to perform the following movements used in cooking, customer service and department maintenance –
 repeatedly and for sustained periods of time: walking, standing, bending, stooping, and reaching

- Ability to sit for up to several hours at a time
- Ability to operate office equipment including 10 key calculator, telephone, fax machine, computer and printer
- Ability to work varied hours and days
- Ability to maintain calm when adversity is encountered

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