

Position Vacant 2017

Department:	WILDLIFE
Job title:	WILDLIFE OFFICERS – PART TIME x 2
Applications open:	FRIDAY 13TH OCTOBER 2017

Currumbin Wildlife Sanctuary is currently seeking 2 experienced Wildlife Officers to join our Wildlife Team on a part time basis; to achieve high levels of animal husbandry and animal health. The successful applicants must hold formal qualifications in Cert 3 – Captive Animal Management. Of equal importance, you must be able to deliver high levels of customer service within a busy work environment in an energetic, friendly and professional manner.

Position details & duties

This role will involve duties such as, but not limited to; animal husbandry, animal health, exhibit maintenance, keeper talks and other duties as required. We are seeking professional applicants who are energetic and enthusiastic, have a high level of communication skills and previous experience with exotic species.

- There are 2 permanent part time positions available, with hours per week ranging from 15 - 38 hours.
- The hours of work are between Mondays to Sunday, working a rotating roster.
- Availability for weekend work and holiday work is a requirement of this role.
- Conditions and pay will be under the Amusement, Events & Recreation Award 2010.
- This is an outdoor role in a non-smoking environment. Non-smokers are preferred.

Selection Criteria:

1. Essential qualifications: Cert 3 in Captive Animal Management
2. Essential: Wildlife handling, husbandry skills and previous experience as a Wildlife Officer.
3. Desirable: Demonstrated experience in working with exotic species would be an advantage.
4. Can deliver a high level of friendly customer service to all domestic & international visitors.
5. Has a high level of energy, communication skills and teamwork skills.
6. Appropriate fitness to walk long distances, stand for long periods and ability to carry / support up to 10kg for a prolonged period.
7. Manual Driver's licence & current First Aid qualifications would be an advantage.
8. Must be flexible and reliable with a positive 'can-do' attitude in our team environment.
9. High standard of personal presentation is required.
10. We are a 7 day a week operation. Full availability required over weekends and school holiday periods.

How to Apply

Your application should include your resume plus a brief cover letter stating how you meet the Selection Criteria. Please email your application to this email address: employment@cws.org.au. Thank you.