

Chef

Job Advert



We have an exciting opportunity for a chef to join our outstanding café team and become part of our very busy, well-established café, your role will be to work alongside our kitchen team to prepare customers' orders to a high standard.

The kitchen is our engine room and you as a Chef help keep the engine going, our menu is nice and simple, sandwiches, paninis, pastas, salads, breakfast and daily made specials.

If you are looking for a new challenge then come and join the team, our kitchen is fast paced where no two days are the same, we are looking for chefs from all levels and backgrounds.

Longacres Garden Centre is family-run and the business has grown to include six stores in the South East of England. From a few employees in 1979 to over 800 employees in 2024, Longacres is a growing company with opportunities for staff to develop and learn. Our diverse team is friendly, supportive and inclusive. We value our loyal customers, high quality products and ability to offer competitive prices.

Responsibilities would include but not limited to:

- Prep various ingredients such as meats and vegetables
- Complete customer orders in a timely manner
- Clean the kitchen space after cooking each meal and ensuring the prep area and kitchen is cleaned and sanitised at the end of your shift
- Rotate stock items as per established procedures
- Restock the pantry and fridge as necessary
- Properly store food items at appropriate temperatures

Nice to have:

- You must have experience in cooking with fresh food
- Experience in a fast-paced kitchen
- We are looking for organised chefs who thrive working in a team.
- Experience as a Grill Chef, Line Chef, Commis Chef looking to step up or anything in between....

Benefits

- Competitive hourly rate.
- Flexible hours
- 2 days off
- Fantastic opportunity for advancement and progression
- Benefit/Reward system
- You will benefit from retail style hours with no evenings or split shifts

Store: Bourne Valley (Addlestone)

Department: Green House Café

Contract: Full-time

Hours: 40 hours per week

If you are interested in applying for this position then please email your CV with a covering letter to recruitmentadvisor@longacres.co.uk