Farm Position on Family Farm in North Central Illinois

Knapp Farms is a third generation corn and soybean farm located in Magnolia, Illinois. It is the goal of the farm to look for a motivated individual to assist in cropping practices, maintenance of the farm’s newer, red equipment and the day-to-day operations of the farm. We take pride in maintaining current cropping and conservation practices, new technologies and take every detail into account to run a successful family operation.

**Duties & Responsibilities**

- Day-to-day general farm duties and maintenance as arranged by employer.
- Cropping operations including cultivation, seeding, tillage and applying appropriate fertilizer rates for all crops.
- Preparation of equipment and machinery for planting and harvest. Most maintenance is completed on the farm.
- Daily machinery maintenance and pre-start checks.
- Operation of farm machinery including tractors, grain bins, augers, semis, tillage, planting, & harvest equipment.
- Chemical application to crops, road ditches and waterways.
- Workshop tidying and maintenance.
- General servicing and maintenance of farm vehicles, small motors and other equipment.
- Domestic duties when required, such as mowing farmyard, general lawn maintenance, and snow removal.
- Assist in maintaining extensive antique tractor collection.

**Personal Attributes**

- Contribute hardworking, punctual, positive work ethic.
- Demonstrate the ability to carry out directions while working alone and with others.
- Demonstrate a commitment to ensure all the information is gathered before initiating a task. If you are not sure how to complete something, we would much rather you ask than attempt something without fully understanding.
- Provide prompt feedback of your activities and the outcome of tasks allocated to you.
- Respond well to a changing work environment including long hours during Fall & Spring.
- Display problem solving ability and agriculture knowledge. Two or Four Year Degree Preferred but not required.
- Attribute mechanical knowledge and experience while operating equipment safely. Always be aware of your own safety and those around you.
- Currently hold or willing to obtain a Class A CDL.

**Salary & Benefits**- Negotiable based on experiences.

**Questions**- Please call Kevin Knapp (815-257-7043) or kevin.knappfarms@gmail.com.

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