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# Landrys Seafood House Branson - Host

# **HOST INFORMATION**

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#### **Company Description:**

The true flavor of Gulf Coast tradition is all about family, warmth and exceptional seafood. Landry's Seafood strives to bring all of those things together in each and every location, providing a fun-filled dining experience that will make you want to drop your anchor and never leave. So sit back, relax, and take part in the Landry's Seafood experience. You'll do enough tasting, laughing and living for an entire lifetime.

Branson is a popular tourist destination and there are hundreds of J-1 students that work in this community in the summer time. Students like working in Branson because there are affordable housing options and are lots of affordable options for summer fun like swimming in area lakes, hiking, amusement parks, water parks, and shopping!

If you enjoy adventure and the outdoors Branson is close to popular destinations like Table Rock, Lake Taneycomo and the Ozark Mountains where you can hike, kayak, go horseback riding, camping and so much more! Known as the "Live Music Show Capital of the World," Branson has more than 50 live performance theaters, three pristine lakes, an international award-winning theme park, dozens of attractions and museums, and a Historic Downtown district.

Host Website: https://www.landrysseafood.com/

Site of Activity: Landrys Seafood House Branson

Parent Account Name: Landrys

Host Address: 2900 West Highway 76 Branson , Missouri , 65616

Nearest Major City: Springfield , Missouri , Less than 50 miles away

# **PLACEMENT INFORMATION**

#### Job Description:

You are the first and last impression our guests have of our restaurant. A Host requires personality, patience, knowledge, teamwork and communication. It is one of the most rewarding positions because the Host comes in contact with EVERY guest that enters the restaurant. Your appearance, attitude, energy level and smile are key to ensuring 110% guest satisfaction. We never get a second chance to make a great first impression!

A smoothly running restaurant relies on the host's organization and efficiency. Below are systems that help set you, and the restaurant, up for success!

A professional host is the master in the art of 110% guest satisfaction. Hosts must demonstrate a level of professionalism that sets us apart from other restaurants in a highly competitive market. It is your job to ensure our guests receive the great service they expect and deserve!

## Typical Schedule:

Schedule may vary based on business flow. Weekends are required.

Drug Test required: No

Hourly Wage: 56.15  Eigible for Tips: Yes  Host are paid 56.15/hour + tipshare. Last season our host averaged anywhere from 513-519 per hour (hourly rate + tipshare)  Estimated weekly wages including tips: 5400  Bonus: No  * All figures above are pre-tax  Estimated minimum number of hours per week: 32  Estimated minimum number of hours per week: 20  Estimated maximum number of hours per week: 40  Potential fluctuation in hours per week: 40  Average number of hours per week: 32  Average number of hours per week: 32  Divertime Policy: Yes, paid after 40 hours  Job-Specific Benefits: Ide	COMPENSATION
Host are paid \$6.15/hour + tipshare. Last season our host averaged anywhere from \$13-\$19 per hour (hourly rate + tipshare)   Estimated weekly wages including tips: \$400   Bonus: No   * All figures above are pre-tax   Estimated average number of hours per week: 32   Estimated minimum number of hours per week: 20   Estimated maximum number of hours per week: 40   Potential fluctuation in hours per week:   Holidays, Local events, Slow tourist weeks   Average number of hours per week reached by last year's seasonal employees: 32   Overtime Policy:   Yes, paid after 40 hours	Hourly Wage: \$6.15
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	JOB REQUIREMENTS

English Level required:



Upper-Intermediate

Required to be 21+: No

Previous Experience required: No

### **Qualifications & Conditions**

Lifting

Lifting requirement: 25lbs/11kgs

#### Description:

Cleaning supplies, such as toilet paper, hand soaps, etc. Also assist servers in ways such as delivering drinks/food to guest.

*Standing for entire shift Handling cleaning chemicals Working outdoors* 

### Job Training required: Yes

*Length of job training: 5 days, longer if needed* 

Hours per week during training period: 20

Different wage during training period: Yes

*Training wage description: Training wage is \$12.30 per hour* 

Start on specific day of the week: No

*Training requirements: All employees must be ServSafe and Alcohol Certificates to work in the restaurant.* 

#### Need to wear uniform: Yes

#### Uniform Policy:

Hair should be neat and clean. No unnatural, extreme hair colors or hairstyles are allowed. Hair that is below shoulder length (female or male) must be tied back and off the shoulders. Makeup should be natural and should not be excessive. Facial hair is acceptable as long as it is closely groomed and professional. Fingernails should be cleaned and trimmed, excessive lengths are not permitted. Use of deodorant is required. Visible tattoos must be discreet and not offensive.

Cost of uniform: \$75

Uniform laundry: Participant responsibility

Dress Code: Yes

Description: Full uniform expectations will be provided during Orientation

# **CULTURAL OPPORTUNITIES**

Types of Cultural Opportunities:

Will provide information about Events, Local Resources, Attractions/Sites, Local Community, Holiday Events

#### Additional Details about Cultural Offerings:

*Branson J-1 community group will host orientations and special events throughout the summer. For more information, please visit https://www.facebook.com/bransonmoj1/?fref=ts* 

#### Local Cultural Offering:

*Known as the "Live Music Show Capital of the World," Branson has more than 50 live performance theaters, three pristine lakes, a popular beach called "Moonshine Beach", dozens of attractions and museums, and a Historic Downtown district.* 

# HOUSING AND TRANSPORTATION

#### Housing Provided: No

### Community Housing Options:

Available: Yes

#### Description:

Affordable housing is available in Branson and options are within walking/biking distance of the job site. Students will need to confirm rates and availability directly with each property as this information is subject to change\*\* Jonas Tavares works with our Chamber of Commerce and specifically the J1 experience. He is a great contact for housing information. I have provided his email address. jtavares@taneycountypartnership.com Hall of Fame Hotel https://halloffamebranson.com/ 3005 Missouri 76 888-828-6740 Plato's Cave https://www.platos-cave.com/ 3524 Keeter St 417-339-3390 Craig Isley - GM craig@platos-cave.com Branson Park Apartments 301 Scott Boulevard bransonparkapartments@gmail.com 417-339-1272 Shannon Whitworth, Property Manager Security Deposit: \$450 non-refundable \$250/month/per student 4-6 people in a unit on a 2 bedroom, \$300/month/per student 3 people in a 2 bedroom Newer housing for J1 Students is set to open this year also.

Minimum Average Cost Per Week: \$130

Maximum Average Cost Per Week: \$250

#### Transportation for Community Housing Description:

*There is no public transportation. Most students get around by walking, riding their bikes, or electing for the optional transportation service listed below:* 

*If students require transport to/from work The Branson Loop will shuttle students for \$25 per week. https://www.thebransonloop.com/* 

# **ARRIVAL INFORMATION**

Arrival Instructions:

We recommend that students fly into Springfield/Branson National Airport (SGF). Students will then have to coordinate with either shuttle company or Uber to transport them to Branson, MO (40-60 minute drive) Ryde With Us is a shuttle service located in Branson, MO that offers travel to and from SGF, the rate for one-way travel is \$140 (1 or 2 travelers). Uber is also available but rates may vary.

Company will help schedule transportation for the students as long as we have your travel information 2 WEEKS prior to arrival. Students will however be responsible for the cost.

If you have any questions feel free to reach out to Jon Paul Guzman at jpguzman@ldry.com

### Suggested Arrival Airport:

Springfield, SGF, Less than 50 miles

Estimated cost of transportation to worksite from suggested airports: \$100 to \$150

#### If arriving after regular hours:

#### Suggested After-Hours Accommodation:

*La Quinta Inn & Suites by Wyndham Springfield Airport Plaza* 2445 N. Airport Plaza Avenue Springfield , Missouri 65803 +1-417-447-4466 \$100 to \$150

# **TRAINING AND ONBOARDING**

Pre-Arrival Onboarding: No

Social Security Number:

Require participants to apply for SSN before arrival at worksite: No

Details about how to apply for Social Security Number:

The Branson Loop has a transportation services for students who need to apply for their social security card. Cost is \$75 per student round trip. To arrange this option, students must contact The Branson Loop at levine@thebransonloop.com

Nearest SSA Office: Springfield , Missouri , Less than 50 miles

#### Other:

Wage Payment Schedule:

Every two weeks

Meal Plan: Not available

Provide Certificates/Performance Evaluations: No

Hire in Groups: Yes

Maximum Group Size:

Grooming Requirements:

Clean and neat and appearance with no visible tattoos or facial piercings (ear ok for females).

Second Job Availability: Yes, likely

Applicable Company Policies:

If students choose to be a part of the discount program they will receive the following benefits:

All Landry's employees get a 50% discount at Landry's restaurants for them and up to 4 people. Some of our fine dining restaurants only offer a 25% discount for employee and up to 3 people. This is outlined in our handbook.

\*You will receive more information on the employee discount program upon arrival.

Students are not guaranteed the schedule they request and must be available to work days, nights, weekends and holiday! Days off with friends are NOT GUARANTEED.

# **COMMUNITY AMENITIES**

#### Walking Distance from Worksite:

Food Market, Shopping Mall, Restaurants, Fitness Center, Internet Cafe

### Walking Distance from Housing:

Food Market, Shopping Mall, Restaurants, Fitness Center, Internet Cafe

#### In Town, Requires Transportation:

Shopping Mall, Post Office, Bank, Fitness Center, Public Library