



Working for Ski Famille – Winter 2009/10



Ski Famille is justly proud of its reputation for running excellent chalet-based family skiing holidays. Not only do many of our guests return year after year, but also a large number of our staff.

Each year we look for confident, creative and fun people to join our resort team. We need all sorts, including chefs, chalet hosts, drivers and childcare staff. We don't care if you're young or old as long as you show that you want to meet our high standards.

There's a great social life, with bars and clubs and a good number of people from Britain who are also out in the resort working for the season. But primarily it's a full time job in the tourist industry and staff must remember they're expected to provide a service to our clients.

Summary of Job Descriptions

This is to give you an idea of the different positions available, however the descriptions are by no means comprehensive. If you attend an interview, you will have the opportunity to find out more. Should you be offered a job, a more detailed Contract of Employment will be sent to you, which should be thoroughly read and understood before signing.

Chef:

Responsible for running the kitchen in one of our larger chalets. Duties include menu planning, stock, budget and hygiene control. You will also be responsible for all other staff in the chalet and will report to the Chalet Manager. Catering qualifications and/or extensive experience of providing cuisine to a high standard are essential. All chalet staff must hold a valid food hygiene certificate. One day off per week, plus most afternoons once morning duties are over.



Catering Chalet Host

Responsible for all aspects of the client's chalet accommodation. Must be a competent cook capable of producing breakfast, dinner and afternoon tea – generally for about four adults and four children, six days a week. Chalet Hosts are often also required to clean and are on hand to assist our clients whenever they are on duty. All chalet staff must hold a valid food hygiene certificate. One day off per week, plus most afternoons once morning duties are over.

Non-Catering Chalet Host

As above, but you will work alongside a chef who will largely be responsible for the cooking. All chalet staff must hold a valid food hygiene certificate.



Childcare Manager

Overseeing the smooth running of all childcare to ensure good quality, safe and appropriate care. You need to plan, record and carry out suitable activities with staff. You will manage and support the staff. Communicating with parents and other members of our resort team is also important. A childcare qualification is essential and you will have relevant experience in a childcare setting. One day off per week

Childcare staff

Responsible for looking after children while their parents ski. You will be on duty from 08.30am-4.30pm, five days a week. We need staff who have childcare or nursing qualifications, or who have extensive experience of working with children. Placements for Student Nannies for one to four weeks are also possible. All childcare staff must hold a valid first aid certificate. Two days off per week.

Resort Assistant / Driver

Responsible for a wide range of duties, such as driving and general maintenance. One full day off per week, plus additional time during the week.

General remarks which apply to all job descriptions

Your professionalism will contribute directly to the success of our clients' holidays and although you will receive training, your biggest asset will be having the right attitude. We require people who are enthusiastic, conscientious, flexible, willing and hard-working. We need people who can listen to instructions and carry them out.

We need staff we can rely on and who are prepared to get on with their colleagues in a professional manner. We want people who enjoy making others happy, who are pleased if they've made someone's holiday special. That opportunity exists for all staff, whatever their job.

Legalities

Mountain High Properties Ltd (Ski Famille's owner) is a registered UK company. We also have a branch registered in France. You will be employed under the UK system and treated as someone who is seconded to France.

Your employment will be treated in exactly the same way as if you work in our UK head office, so pay will be subject to UK tax and National Insurance. To satisfy French legal requirements, you will be asked to sign a contract in English and another in French.

Pay

Working a season is not something to do if you're looking to earn a big salary. Most people come to gain a different experience, to live in the Alps and to enjoy their skiing or boarding. However, we offer competitive levels of pay and you will be advised on the precise package that is on offer if you are invited to interview.

For all staff we provide travel from/to the UK and shared accommodation. Accommodation is available for couples and all staff properties are within an easy walk of the resort centre.

Training

We pride ourselves on the high standard of our staff, and provide a week's paid training in resort before the season starts. This is usually in the middle of December.

Length of contract

The season runs from mid December to mid April and our contract covers that period. We do occasionally have positions available to cover shorter periods.

Contacts:

If you're interested in joining our professional and dedicated team either call Jules Ryder on **0845 64 437 64** or e-mail your CV with a completed application form (a copy is provided on the next page) to recruitment@skifamille.co.uk.

If you have any queries prior to completing an application form please don't hesitate to e-mail or call.

Our postal address is:

**Ski Famille
Westmead House
Westmead
Farnborough
GU14 7LP**





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SEASONAL EMPLOYMENT APPLICATION FORM

Please fill complete this form in full and return it to:
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Westmead House, Westmead, Farnborough. GU14 7LP
Telephone 01252 519 239
Fax 0845 64 493 85
e-mail recruitment@skifamille.co.uk

APPLICANT DETAILS – please send us an up to date CV with this form

TITLE	FAMILY NAME	GIVEN NAME(S)
RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS		TELEPHONE NO
		MOBILE NO
		DATE OF BIRTH ___/___/____ (DD/MM/YYYY)
	POSTCODE	GENDER FEMALE <input type="checkbox"/> MALE <input type="checkbox"/>
EMAIL ADDRESS		
NATIONALITY		
POSITION APPLIED FOR		DATES AVAILABLE FOR WORK

POSITION(S) APPLIED FOR

Please detail any qualifications you hold that are relevant to the position applied for:

Experience (note all relevant work/leisure/domestic experience): Use additional pages if necessary:

What appeals to you about working for Ski Famille?

What are you expecting your job to involve?

Signature _____	Date / /
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