

POSITION AVAILABLE: LEAD CARPENTER

Peninsula Players Theatre in Door County, WI, America's oldest professional resident summer theatre, celebrates the 90th season in 2025. Peninsula Players Theatre is a professional Equity company that performs in an all-weather open-air theatre along the scenic shores of Green Bay in beautiful Fish Creek, Wisconsin. Visit www.peninsulaplayers.com to learn more about the theatre-in-a-garden and its exciting company atmosphere.

Job responsibilities:

- Oversee the build of each show with the Technical Director
- Work with the Technical Director and Production Manager to efficiently load-in and strike each show
- Secure and safe rigging of all scenery
- Manage the scene shop staff and scene shop interns
- Manage and maintain safety in the scene shop and theater
- Maintain the scene shop inventory (stock items and tools)
- Evening show duties are assigned as each show demands. These include helping in our patron parking lots, ushering, bartending, concessions, etc.

Skills:

- Working knowledge of scenery construction with minimum two years experience
- Ability to handle fast-paced scenic builds, load-ins and strikes
- Ability to read and interpret construction drawings
- One year minimum experience supervising a team
- Knowledge of rigging and operation of counterweight systems
- Knowledge and safe use of common stationary, pneumatic and power hand tools
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills
- Ability to work at heights
- Ability to lift 75 lbs
- Understanding of theatrical practices
- Team-oriented attitude

Additional desired skills:

- MIG welding experience
- Finish carpentry skills, including molding and trim work
- Intermediate rigging skills
- Two or more years of work experience in a similar capacity

Staff arrival date on campus is May 18th, 2025. Departure date is either after the fifth show opens on September 4th, or after the final production closes and the property is closed down on October 21st.

The rate for this position is \$700 - \$750 per week, based on skills and experience. Travel stipend provided. All positions are housed on property, at no cost. Meals are provided at a cost of \$85/week.

Peninsula Players is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

To apply, please email a cover letter, resume, and contact information for three references to:
production@peninsulaplayers.com