



PLAYLAND LOOKING TO FILL 400 JOBS FOR 2009 SEASON

Vancouver, BC – March 30, 2009 – Playland at the PNE is the ultimate destination for thrill seekers in and around Vancouver. The amusement park has many rides to entertain everyone, even the faint of heart. From the classic Wooden Rollercoaster to the Hellevator, and from Hell's Gate to the Honeybee Express, Playland is the best place to work this summer.

Playland at the PNE employs 1300 employees seasonally and this year is looking to fill 400 positions for the 2009 season. Most positions don't require previous experience, but they do call for team players who are friendly, enthusiastic and have a positive attitude. The only mandatory requirement is all applicants must be at least 15 years of age by June 1st.

Most entry-level positions start at \$9.76/hour and range up to \$12.00/hour depending on the position and skills required. There is also opportunities in the PNE's mascot program for candidates who are physically fit, have a driver's license and love making others happy. To apply for any of the 400 great Playland jobs visit: www.pne.ca. Interviews are scheduled for May 23rd and invitations to attend an interview will be sent out mid May.

Owned by the City of Vancouver, the Pacific National Exhibition (PNE) is a healthy and vibrant non-profit charity organization dedicated to providing over 3 million visitors a year with first-class cultural, sporting and family entertainment events. Founded in 1910, the PNE operates from a 114-acre site at Hastings Park, a multi-facility venue in Vancouver where the organization operates four activity streams: an annual 17-day Fair, Playland Amusement Park, maintenance and care of the Hasting Park site and management of the site's year-round facilities. These facilities are utilized to celebrate a variety of hockey, amateur sporting, music, community, social, cultural and commercial events throughout the year.

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