

Saar's Tree Service, LLC
1144 German Road
Lock Haven, PA 17745

Job Description

Position: **Climber**

Reports to: Michael Saar

In Charge of: Ground Men

Compensation: Hourly (in accordance with rates set by Saar's Tree Service, LLC)

Duties and Responsibilities

- Set up job site by setting up bucket truck where it needs to be; use cones, road signs and decide if a ground man needs to direct traffic
- Operate a bucket truck boom
- Utilize equipment necessary for trimming trees
- Utilize chainsaws safely and efficiently
- Maintain all equipment
- Connect and disconnect trailers when needed
- Safely and appropriately tether equipment
- Climb tree when bucket truck not sufficient; use knowledge of tree to decide whether it is safe to climb
- Manipulate ropes to safely lower limbs
- Communicate with the ground men working below
- Take direction from Supervisor as to specific details of work on the jobsite
- Maintain safe worksite
- When climbing is finished, stay busy by doing ground man duties
- Other duties as assigned

Equipment Utilized:

- Safety glasses, hard hat, Saar's Tree Service, LLC shirt, climbing gear (either provided by the Company or your own), all necessary safety apparatus for performance of the job

Qualifications:

- Appropriate training, experience, and ability to operate bucket truck boom
- Appropriate training, experience, and ability to operate chainsaw and other tree cutting equipment
- Appropriate training, experience, and ability to climb trees safely
- Physical ability to do the job efficiently and safely
- Ability to read, write, and follow instructions
- Basic mechanical aptitude

This job description is not intended to specify all requirements of the job; it is intended to outline the basic skills, duties and responsibilities required for this position. All positions are somewhat interchangeable and all employees are expected to be cross trained and able to perform job functions of other employees when required.