

**JAMS ARTHUR VINEYARDS**

2001 W Raymond Road, Raymond, NE 68428

Josh Rockemann, Vineyard Manager (402) 416-4540

GRAPE PICKER APPLICATION FOR 2020 SEASON

Application available: jamesarthurvineyards.com

Completed application: mail to address on left or scan & e-mail to jeffersapplehillfarm@gmail.com or drop off at the winery.

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_, NE Zip \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE # (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Method of contact:  Text  Call

Have you picked grapes before? \_\_\_\_\_

Youth must be 14 years old as of 8/1/20. Mark: Youth (Verify Age \_\_\_\_\_) or Adult

Social Sec # \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ If carpooling, partner's name to schedule \_\_\_\_\_

Read the following important instructions **before** signing.

**I AGREE TO THE TERMS LISTED BELOW AND ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I AM ELIBIGLE TO PICK GRAPES. I AGREE TO WORK THE ENTIRE SHIFT THAT I HAVE BEEN HIRED TO PICK.**

SIGN \_\_\_\_\_ DATED \_\_\_\_\_

**IF YOU ARE UNDER 18, PLEASE HAVE YOUR PARENT SIGN ACKNOWLEDGING THESE TERMS.**

PARENT/GUARDIAN \_\_\_\_\_

***-----Cut and Keep this information for your records. Contact information listed at bottom.-----***

You must sign above that you understand and will abide by all terms listed!

**This seasonal position is a couple of days of picking grapes starting early A.M. and concludes by mid- afternoon. Managers decide day of week and the exact hours as grapes must be delivered to the winery the same day. Skills needed are to be able to tolerate weather conditions, stand for long periods and carry approximately 25 pound full buckets back to waiting truck. This is not a daily job or a permanent position.**

- ✓ Do not call the winery as the harvest decisions are made by the farm management. In case of emergency, call Josh at 402-416-4540.
- ✓ You will be called a day or two before a scheduled picking day. You may accept or decline the shift. Pickers will meet at Jeffers' barn at 1505 W Raymond Road. (Driveway is east of the winery & south down the long driveway). Please do not show up to pick unless you have been called.
- ✓ You must work the entire shift you agreed upon. If you cannot work the entire shift, please do not agree to pick for that day. Crew size & hours are based on grape type and field size picked that day.
- ✓ Grape harvest usually starts mid-August and runs into September. Harvest dates depend on grapes' maturity. Picking will be determined as each field ripens.
- ✓ Your wage is based on the number of buckets picked during your shift. Bucket prices will be announced each day. Generally \$2.50 to \$3.00 per standard 5 gallon bucket.
- ✓ You will sign in/out a grape picking fork daily. Forks are checked in at the end of each day. If your grape fork is not returned, a \$10 fee will be deducted from your check.
- ✓ Bring your own lunch. You are responsible for any items that you bring. Water will be provided.
- ✓ Your check will be ready the next week after 3 p.m. on Wednesday from Josh. Any check not picked up within two weeks will be mailed to the provided address. Cash your check within 60 days.

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