SHIPWRIGHT / MARINE REPAIR TECHNICIAN
Gooldrup Shipwright Services

Starting at $30.00 or more per hour depending on Experience

Gooldrup Shipwright Services is looking for an experienced Shipwright / Marine Repair Technician to join our crew. We work on boat repairs, refits and modifications, and need someone who takes pride in quality workmanship and can see a task through from preparation to completion.

This is a hands-on position requiring previous boat repair or shipwright experience, practical problem-solving skills and the ability to work both independently and alongside others.

Responsibilities

- Complete fibreglass repairs and fabrication, including grinding, laminating, fairing and finishing.
- Carry out marine carpentry, structural repairs and component installation.
- Remove and reinstall fittings, hardware and interior components as required.
- Prepare surfaces for coatings, bonding and finishing.
- Follow work orders and communicate progress, material needs and any additional repairs identified.
- Keep accurate records of time worked and tasks completed.
- Use tools, materials and protective equipment safely and maintain an organized workspace.

Experience and skills required

- Previous hands-on experience in boat repair, boatbuilding or shipwright work.
- Working knowledge of fibreglass, resins, adhesives, sealants and marine repair methods.
- Confidence using hand tools, power tools and shop equipment.
- Ability to measure accurately, assess repair needs and plan the steps required to complete the work.
- Attention to detail and a commitment to sound repairs and clean finishes.
- Reliable attendance, good communication and respect for the crew, customers and their vessels.

Experience with gelcoat repairs, mould making, hull modifications or vessel refits would be an asset.

To apply

Send your resume and a brief description of your relevant experience to office@gooldrupmarine.com.