**Sarah Benzinger**

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**SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS**

* Three years of experience in customer service, with the ability to work a diverse group of people
* Five years of experience managing a group of up to 30 individuals through a variety of tasks
* Proficient in Microsoft Office and Google software
* Understanding of proper plant care and appropriate watering
* Proven ability to maintain twelve robot arms in a dairy barn
* Effective communication skills with manager and colleagues to ensure the needs of the organization and animals are met effectively
* Flexible and willing to learn new areas or departments as needed for the organization
* Certifications: Artificial Insemination

**EDUCATION**

**Northeast Wisconsin Technical College**, Green Bay, WI

*Technical Diploma, Dairy Science Graduated:* May 2022

*Related Coursework: Basic Animal Husbandry, Agribusiness Economics, Dairy Herd Records & Analysis, Livestock Housing & Equipment, Dairy Reproduction, Dairy Internship*

*Certificate, Greenhouse Growers Graduated:* May 2020

**EXPERIENCE**

**Internship**

Abts Lely Center, *New Franklin WI* January 2022-present

* Observe office communication
* Give input to help clients/ prospects
* Help inform clients of new processes coming
* Preform tests to make sure equipment is running properly

**HMS/Rotisserie Associate**

Sam’s Club, *Green Bay WI*  November 2021- present

* Prepare raw chicken for cooking
* Time management of each product that needs to be done
* Communicate effectively with other associates
* Collect inventory of items in stock
* Preform proper cleaning procedures during food preparation

**Barn Hand**

*Kohn Dairy, Cecil WI* June 2021- November 2021

* Maintaining udder condition to increase herd health
* Milking each group of cows in a double eight parlor
* Vaccinating herd
* Vaccinating replacement animals to minimize sick calves
* Moving feed up with a bobcat

**Barn Hand**

*Horsens Homestead Farm, Cecil WI* September 2020- November 2021

* Maintaining robots by keeping the clean and rust free
* Fetching cows that are greater than certain amount of time
* Walking all cows through footbaths while cleaning stalls
* Diagnosing any problems that arise with robot actions
* Watching for irregular behaviors or lesions on herd
* Scraping manure off crosswalks for proper footing
* Changing filter socks in milk house to maintain cleanliness

**Detail Technician**

*Kruger International, Bonduel WI* May 2020- November 2020

* Checking for blemishes in laminate and fixing as needed
* Discard any tabletops with a bump, indent, and cracked table
* Read order packets and determined what the table needs
* Safely operate electric and non-electric pallet jacks

**Cashier** July 2018 –December 2019

*Walmart,* Shawano, WI

* Answered all questions or concerns that customers have quickly and effectively
* Regularly stocked shelves and returned any unwanted products to the specific area
* Cashed any checks and sent and received any money orders requested
* Monitored Scan and Gos (self check-out), immediately responded to any customer needs
* Provided support to customers specifically in the Lawn and Garden area of the store

**Aide** **(Summer)** June 2014– July 2019

*Shawano School District,* Shawano, WI

* Managed 30 children at recess, breakfast/ lunch, during field trips
* Cut paper and prepared all other materials for projects by following specific directions
* Cared for injured children by getting an ice pack, band aid.

**Team Member** Aril 2017– May 2018

*McDonald’s,* Shawano, WI

* Prepared food and drinks according to food safety protocols and procedures
* Took food order for customers according to requests and specifications
* Assembled food and drinks appropriately for delivery to customers

**COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT/VOLUNTEERING**

* **Member**, Professional Dairy Producers of Wisconsin August 2020-Present
* **Member**, Shawano Future Farmers of America September 2014 – September 2018
* **Big Sister**, Big Brother Big Sister September 2015 – January 2018