

## **Ranch Hand**

**Primary Responsibilities:** A ranch hand is needed to care for 250 mother cows and calves while on irrigated pasture and federal grazing permit, and in winter feeding and calving cows. Irrigating, fence fencing, putting up hay, doctoring, record keeping and forage monitoring will also be required of employee.

### **Duties and Responsibilities:**

- Move cows and calves between pastures as forage is utilized to standards and federal grazing permit requires
- Irrigate 200 acres of flood irrigated pasture
- Doctor cows and calves as needed
- Maintain records of number of days of grazing on each pasture, number of head of cattle, livestock treatments and forage measurements
- Maintain and repair 5-strand barb wire fence, jack fence and portable electric fence
- Maintaining, swathing, and baling 250 acres of hay ground

### **Minimum Qualifications:**

- Knowledge and skills in cow/calf management
- Knowledge of farm equipment – tractors, swather, baler, loader
- Skill in flood irrigation
- Experience in fence repair
- Understanding and utilization of horses in ranching
- Ability to walk over uneven terrain for long periods of time

### **Desirable Qualifications:**

- Beef quality assurance certified
- Knowledge of noxious weed identification and control
- Artificial Insemination Breeding

**How to Apply:** Send current resume, cover letter addressing the minimum qualifications and three references to:

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