

Catering Sales Coordinator (The Glen Club)

Position Title:	Sales and Marketing Coordinator
Location:	The Glen Club, Glenview IL
Reports To:	Director of Catering
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Please include resume & cover letter detailing your interest in this project

Facility Description:

Located in the north side Chicago suburb of Glenview, The Glen Club is a world-class daily fee golf club with corporate memberships. The facility includes a Tom Fazio designed golf course and a 50,000 square ft clubhouse that houses a golf shop, locker rooms, a full-service restaurant, spacious banquet facilities, 21 overnight guest accommodations, the Illinois Golf Hall of Fame and is the home of the Illinois Section of the PGA.

Position Summary:

Responsible for the planning of catering events and assisting in the implementation of property marketing strategies, plans and programs designed to increase catering and overall food and beverage revenue.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities:

- Build relationships with event coordinators, media, hotels, convention contacts, corporations, civic organizations, etc. to promote group outings, special events, and business meetings.
- Act as a liaison between the Golf Course and the restaurant to accommodate and service golfers as well as working with the Director of Membership on golf tournament banquet groups.
- Involvement with at least one community networking group, one annual bridal expo and one annual mitzvah showcase.
- Manage communication between departments to help ensure coordination of events.
- Conduct periodic market research to provide information essential for revising current programs, which enhance the facility's competitiveness in the marketplace, as well as fiscal and operational analysis as appropriate.
- Manage and maintain the facility electronic newsletter "The Hangar Post"
- Use sales software (Reserve Cloud) to track leads, deposits/payments, contacts and log communication

- Make a minimum of 10 outbound sales visits monthly.
- Conduct sales tours of the facility.
- Maintain positive relationships and communicate clearly, tactfully, and persuasively with employees, customers and outside contacts as applicable.
- Develops banquet event orders, contracts, thank you notes/surveys and necessary paperwork for all events.
- Serve as liaison between the booking client and the food and beverage team.
- Provide setup diagrams, guest tables and other function room set-up needs for special events.
- Attends weekly BEO meetings with managers to ensure smooth, efficient service.
- Maintain knowledge of current and projected industry trends.
- Perform other duties as appropriate.
- Manage and create Member events BEO's and work with executive chef and food and beverage department for proper execution
- Assist the Director of Membership and Catering with marketing initiatives, i.e. implementation and design
- Assist the Director of Membership with Corporate golf outings, including department weekly outing email to specific department members
- Manage small corporate events (20 or less guests)
- Manage small social events (20 or less guests)
- Weekly update of catering financials (PACE)
- Attend weekly BEO meeting with managers to ensure smooth, efficient service
- Update Reserve program back end information (i.e. menus, set up service)
- Complete and assist with BEO's for sales team
- Work closely with the Director of Catering on different initiatives of competition.
- Attend and assist with holiday brunches (i.e. Santa Brunch, Thanksgiving Feast, Mother's Day Brunch, Easter Brunch)

Qualifications:

- BA or BS degree preferred.
- 1 year applicable catering sales, preferably in the golf club or hospitality industry.
- Demonstrate quality written, verbal, and interpersonal communication skills.
- Ability to analyze and solve problems; efficiently handle multiple duties under pressure with minimal supervision; work flexible hours as required including nights/weekends.
- Exceptional customer service skills required
- Positive attitude, professional manner and appearance in all situations.

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