



Executive Director

Located in the heart of downtown Kelowna on the shores of pristine Okanagan Lake, the Kelowna Yacht Club has an amazing history dating back to 1945. Ranked as one of Canada's leading Yacht Clubs, it recently won the prestigious "medium sized yacht club of the year award" by the Canadian Society of Club Managers of Canada. Kelowna Yacht Club is recognized as Canada's largest fresh water marina and their members enjoy over 1000 multi sized boats slips, spacious banquet and meeting rooms and excellent food and beverage services, all within their newly constructed 25,000 square foot clubhouse on the water's edge. Their very dedicated 3300 members enjoy unobstructed panoramic views of Okanagan Lake, Stuart Park and the rising mountains all from the indoor-outdoor lounges of the very contemporary designed clubhouse. Recognizing the importance of a well-designed and executed strategic plan, strong financial management and outstanding member and guest satisfaction, Kelowna Yacht Club is looking to attract an accomplished Executive Director to take the club to the next level of service excellence.

Reporting to the Board of Directors, you will assume complete responsibility for the operation and administration of the Yacht Club. Through your team of dedicated departmental managers, areas of responsibility include; the yacht basin, boating and outreach programs, food and beverage operations, member satisfaction, all club financial matters, personnel, operations, maintenance, facility rentals, catering and marketing, club sustainability, legal and social and community relations.

You are a well-educated management professional within the hotel, hospitality or private club industry, with a demonstrated track record of success as either COO or General Manager. As a strong financial manager, you are recognized for your organization, leadership, communication, facilitation and human relations skills. Recognized for building strong leadership teams, you have a sound understanding of all aspects of club operations including food and beverage. You are known for your strategic planning and ability to work effectively with Boards and members alike. You seek new challenges and have earned the reputation as a catalyst for positive change within the work place.

This is a challenging role that calls for vision and organizational dedication. Candidates whose skills, background and ambition mirror the above requirements are invited to **submit their resumes, in confidence, quoting project 100317, to grantsmith@waterhousesearch.com.**

We sincerely thank all applicants for their interest, however; only candidates under consideration will be contacted.