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SPORTS EDITOR

The Carroll County News, an award-winning weekly newspaper in Berryville, is seeking a sports editor. The right candidate will have a team-first attitude, a willingness to accept and respond to feedback and the initiative to work hard even when the boss isn't watching. Berryville is located in northwest Arkansas, about an hour and 15 minutes northeast of Fayetteville. While Berryville has a population of a little over 5,000, we're in easy driving distance of the booming Northwest Arkansas corridor. The Carroll County News has won first place for general excellence in the state press association's annual editorial contest four times in the past five years, and we don't plan to stop there. We're a small, close-knit newsroom staff dedicated to producing a quality product and we're looking for a sports editor who has that same vision. This position includes design work, so InDesign experience is a major plus. If you can handle a camera, even better. We'd love to have someone with some experience but would certainly consider a new graduate. Please send resumes and clips to Scott Loftis, editor and general manager, at CarrollCountyNews@cox-internet.com.

REPORTER

The Jefferey City News Tribune, a daily morning newspaper in Missouri's Capital City, is looking to hire a business reporter and a state government/general assignment reporter. The business reporter would cover local business news and trends, as well as write a weekly business column of what's new in the Capital City. Duties could also include coverage of business topics in the Missouri Legislature during the session. The state government/general assignment reporting position would focus on emerging topics and issues in Cole County and its neighboring communities, as well as coverage of state government and its direct impact on Mid-Missouri. We're looking for someone with a journalism degree or two to five years of experience in a newsroom. You must show proof of full vaccination (we will consider a request for reasonable accommodation.) The business reporter and state government/general assignment reporter are safety-sensitive positions. Send a resume, recent clips (no more than six) and a brief bio to gary@newstribune.com by Oct. 13.

The Jonesboro Sun is seeking a self-motivated, inquisitive applicant to fill an open full-time reporter position. This position will include education and county government reporting duties as well as some photography responsibilities. The position requires covering some evening meetings. While a bachelor's degree — preferably in journalism or communications — is preferred, it is not a requirement if the candidate has prior reporting experience at a daily or weekly newspaper or media outlet. The Jonesboro Sun, which publishes five days a week, offers competitive pay with benefits, including vacation time, health insurance and a matching 401k retirement plan. Jonesboro is a thriving city with a population of about 80,000 in Northeast Arkansas and is home to Arkansas State University, which has a main campus enrollment of about 13,200. Send resume and work examples to: Editor Chris Wessel at cwessel@jonesborosun.com, or 518 Carson St., Jonesboro, Ar., 72401

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