

Cheema Aquatic Club Development Coach Position

Cheema is recruiting 2 part time Development Coaches. These positions are annually based contracts.

Duties:

- Coach younger paddlers (10-14 years of age), Master paddlers and Paddle All participants, if necessary.
- Meet and communicate with parents, if necessary, regarding their child's progression and /or follow-ups on any disciplinary incidents.
- Coach to improve athlete development (overall fitness, technique, performance, competitiveness and understanding).
- Assist with/coordinate regatta planning, including but not limited to, regatta templates/entries, boat loading/unloading, transporting equipment and being present and engaged for regattas, as required.
- Assist with the development and promotion of formal spring, fall and winter dryland training programs.
- Support planning and participate in member recruitment through open houses, local schools, sport fairs, etc
- Design and effectively implement an age appropriate training and development program for the assigned groups.
- Perform ongoing equipment maintenance, as needed, and make recommendations to the Head Coach for major maintenance and new equipment requirements.
- Coach Spring Training Camps for up to 4 weeks in length at locations other than the Club.
- Work with other coaches and report to the Head Coach as required.
- Ensure the safety and well-being of all participants.
- Follow and enforce all club rules and policies.
- Represent Cheema in the manner that supports the Club's ideals and that of the individual.
- Maintain a safe and clean environment for all participants on a daily basis.
- Maintains an overall positive and respectful atmosphere while coaching.

Essential Qualifications:

ELCC Level 1 (minimum)

Previous experience working with athletes at a National Level

Proven Leadership, organizational & communication skills

Paddling experience is preferred but not critical

Asset Qualifications

Certified Level 2 or 3 (preferred) in Sprint Canoe/kayak

Conditions of Employment

Valid Pleasure Craft Operators License

Valid CPR and First Aid Training

Criminal Record/Vulnerable Sector Check

Start Date: October 1st. Possible earlier if available.

Salary: Commensurate with experience, qualifications and level of certification.

Deadline for application: September 7, 2015

Submit resume to: Angie Horne, High Performance Paddling Chair