

JOB POSTING – Fencing Coach

Position:	Fencing Coach
<u>Terms:</u>	Day, Evening, Weekend
Wage:	\$21.00 - \$26.00 per hour, 30 – 40 hours / week
Location:	Based at #12, 6325 – 12 Street SE, Calgary, AB T2H 1K1 and various locations in Calgary
Start Date:	September 2024

Job Description:

As a member of our coaching team, Coaches are directly responsible for the organization and instruction of all elements of the fencing program. The Coach develops children, youth, and adults to realize their potential in the sport through teaching, motivation, and encouragement.

The Fencing Coach works with a variety of program groups including club-based competitive programs, communitybased programs, after-school programs, and school-based instruction. The Coach develops program participants with a variety of ages, skills, abilities, and motivations in a positive learning environment with an excellent standard of student engagement.

Education:

- Secondary (high) school certificate
- Coaching certifications an asset

Required Skills:

- Excellent interpersonal skills
- Strong communication skills
- Highly organized, punctual with strong attention to detail
- Ability to work as a member of a team
- Ability in teaching & learning possess the knowledge, skills and attributes that contribute to the instruction and coaching of children in a quality sport program
- Able to manage groups in physical education environments safely and effectively
- Ability to engage and motivate individuals and groups

Responsibilities:

- Represent, Promote, & Enforce the behaviours expected in the Fencing Program of ALL participants.
- Responsible for the organization and instruction of all elements of the Fencing Program.
- Develop program participants with a variety of ages, skills, abilities, and motivations in a positive learning environment with an excellent standard of student engagement.

• Work with a variety of program groups including club-based programs, community-based programs, after-school programs, and school-based instruction.

Coaching Deliverables:

Program Implementation:

- Recruitment through program levels utilizing direct client family communication that supports and motivates participation.
- Team planning organization and recruitment.
- Event planning and organization.
- Individual training plan organization & recruitment.

Instructional:

- Instruct age and ability appropriate classes, practices, training & events with engaging and motivating lessons (using pre-made plans or creating new plans).
- Instruct and provide support at external events when scheduled.
- Follow & Implement outlined Equipment and student records processes.
- Create and Communicate coverage plans when absent.
- Provide individual fencing instruction.

Equipment & Facility:

- Responsible for equipment repair, maintenance, and safety
- Responsible for facility opening, closure and safety checks.

Leadership:

- Monitor youth leaders and instructors.
- Assist in training and development of leaders.

Experience:

- At least 5 years as a member of a structured fencing program (club, university or higher)
- At least 2 years club level fencing coaching experience (epee or foil)
- Non-Fencing Instruction or leadership experiences is an asset

Languages: English

Work Setting: Fencing offered to variety of program groups including club-based programs, community-based programs, after-school programs, and school-based instruction.

Security and Safety: Criminal record check, must train for basic first aid and CPR (paid)

Required Certifications: Must possess a valid drivers licence.

Ability to Work in Canada: Must possess legal authorization to work in Canada.

Please send resume and covering letter to Jeremy Hill at info@fencingcalgary.com