



Des Plaines River Racers Swim Team

A part of Des Plaines Swimming

1153 S. Lee Street #215

Des Plaines, IL 60016

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

ASSISTANT AGE GROUP SWIMMING COACH (1.5 positions available)

Closing Date: When filled

Job Description:

Des Plaines Swimming seeks a part-time assistant age-group swimming coach capable of working with a wide range of ages and abilities. The assistant coach would be responsible for a group of approximately eight (8) to fifteen (15) swimmers. They are responsible for planning and implementing age and skill appropriate instruction/lessons using up-to-date accepted methods of swim instruction.

Qualifications:

1. Be at least eighteen (18) years of age .
2. Ambition to work with youth and teach swimmers the sport of swimming, successful experiences with youth preferred.
3. Have working knowledge of swimming and fitness concepts, techniques, and equipment.
4. Ability to plan and execute swimming workouts appropriate for age group and skill.
5. Agree to follow club's mission and statement of purpose.
6. Must possess/obtain and maintain all applicable certification requirements for USA Swimming's Coaching Certification;

A: CPR

B: First-Aid (or from Lifeguarding Program)

C: Safety Training for Swim Coaches (or from Lifeguarding Program)

D: Criminal Background Check – Through USA Swimming provided site

**Club will pick up Coach Membership Fee to USA Swimming. All other certifications are responsibility of the Coach.*

Days & Hours Of Work:

Weeknight Evenings 5:30-8:30pm – Monday-Thursday. (Hours may vary)

Weekend Work with Swim Meets. Hours range from 6am-6pm. (4-5 hour shifts, 2-3 weekends a month)

Available for Home Swim Meets (November 21, 2010 and December 4-5 ,2010).

Salary

Starting \$10.00 per hour – dependent on qualifications, education, and experience.

Performance Responsibilities:

1. Teach and direct swimming skills and workouts.
2. Respond to changing needs of the club and participants.
3. Problem solves situations and use best practice methods where applicable.
4. Evaluate all swimmers and recommend training routines.
5. Work independently with little direction from the Head Coach/Program Coord.
6. Report to Head Coach/Program Coordinator any peculiarities with participants or operations.
7. Communicate clear goals and objectives with swimmers, staff, and parents.
8. Maintain coaching credentials and educational requirements.
8. Attend extra meetings/activities as requested by Board of Directors or Head Coach/Program Coord.
9. Assist with positive public relations of the team.
10. Uphold team policies and administrative procedures.
11. Safeguard team personnel, participants, and facility.
12. Work to implement training materials and equipment.
13. Complete any required/related paperwork and tasks as assigned by the Head Coach.
13. Any other related duties assigned by Head Coach.

To Apply For This Position:

Send resume and other relevant documents to:

Des Plaines Swimming, 1153 S. Lee Street #215, Des Plaines, IL 60016 or email to info@desplainesswimming.org

For more information, contact Mike Tuntland, Head Coach/Program Coordinator: mtuntland@desplainesswimming.org



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