



Assistant Para Alpine Coach

Position Title: RMA Development Team Assistant Para Alpine Coach

Term: Part Time (12-20hrs/week), 5 Month Contract (November 16 2019 to April 16 2020)

Location: Banff/Canmore, Alberta, Canada

Report to: RMA Development Team Head Coach

About RMA

Rocky Mountain Adaptive (RMA) is a not-for-profit organization whose mission is to enable children and adults with physical, developmental and/or cognitive challenges to participate, learn and excel in all sports and recreational activities in the Canadian Rockies. As a multi-sport, year-round organisation who provides access to mountain sport and recreation, RMA offers adaptive sports equipment, specialised instructors, trained volunteers and unique training opportunities. Activities include biking, canoeing, hiking, kayaking, paddleboarding, skiing, snowboarding, swimming, white water rafting and much more!

Overview

The Rocky Mountain Adaptive (RMA) Development Team Assistant Coach is a coaching position which will provide technical leadership and coaching support for our 2019/20 Development Team Program.

The successful candidate will have a background in ski coaching with relevant technical qualifications, strong communication and presentation skills, and effective administrative and organizational skills. This position will may also require travel between December and April to attend events, outreach and competitions.

Duties

- Assisting the running of a training program for aspiring Para Alpine Athletes
- Using a mixture of gate training and technical free ski for continued skill development
- Using video analysis for athlete development
- Work in conjunction with head coach to design, implement, and monitor annual training and competition plan.
- Assist in record-keeping of all collected data.
- Monitor athlete's equipment needs
- Provide assistance to oversee maintenance and control of team equipment.
- Provide timely and effective communication to athletes, parents/caregivers, coaches, and RMA staff.



- Provide support in on-snow duties (i.e. course preparation, course-setting, and course maintenance).
- Ensure welfare and health of athletes when training and travelling.
- Ability to monitor and/or assist in ski preparations an asset.
- Other roles as determined/assigned by Head Coach.

Working Conditions

- Part-time position.
- Coach is frequently required to work outdoors in winter conditions.

Employment Requirements

- Advanced skiing abilities.
- Strong leadership skills.
- Previous coaching experience.
- Certification in ACA-CSC or International equivalent.
- CSCF development level (preferred)/entry level or international equivalent.
- Valid Driver's Licence an asset.
- Para alpine coaching experience an asset
- CSIA certifications or international equivalent an asset
- CADS certifications or international equivalent an asset
- Mandatory background check

Remuneration

- \$17 - \$20/hr commensurate on experience and certifications
- Season Pass for Sunshine Village
- Training opportunities for CADS, CSIA and CSCF certifications

Please send your cover letter and resume to work@rockymountainadaptive.com by October 1, 2019. Interviews will take place in early October, 2019, either face to face in Canmore, Alberta or via teleconference.

We thank all applicants for their interest; however, only those considered for an interview will be contacted.