WHITE ROCK WAVE SWIM TEAM

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MASTERS SWIM COACH WANTED

White Rock Wave (the "Wave") is a mid-sized competitive masters swim team. We compete at the provincial, national, and international level in pool and open water races. We are currently a community of 70+ active members who strive to uphold the Masters' philosophy of fun, friendship, and fitness for life.

Our active members are typically aged 20 and above and come from a variety of backgrounds–from novice swimmers to ex-varsity athletes. We are a competitive team, and we encourage swimmers to attend swim meets and enjoy competition in a fun, healthy, and collegial way.

The Wave trains at the Grandview Heights Aquatic Centre five days a week: Mon - Thurs from 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM and Sun 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM. Coaches are expected on deck (and will be compensated for) 15 minutes prior to the workout session. We are currently looking to fill a main coaching position, as well as add to our roster of back-up coaches for this season and beyond.

POSITION SUMMARY

Coaches will work collaboratively with each other to arrange and implement comprehensive workouts, and work under the direction of the Wave Board, and in particular our Director of Coaching. Attendance at swim meets may be requested. Coaches will be compensated if they attend a swim meet at the Wave's Request.

Main Coach: 3-5 days/week for a total of 5-10 hours per week

Back-up Coaches: 1-5 days per week based on availability of other coaches.

COMPENSATION

- This is a contract position with a base hourly rate at \$40 /hr. with potential for increased salary based on professional experience and tenure with the Wave;
- Reimbursement for professional development, with prior approval.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Prepare and execute well-rounded, technically focused workouts;
- Listen to swimmers' needs and provide stroke and technique corrections;
- Assist swimmers who require modifications to workouts; and,
- Help swimmers prepare for competition.

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SKILLS & QUALIFICATIONS

- Previous coaching/lesson experience (competitive background preferred).
- Some experience coaching adults is an asset! Or—be willing to learn that coaching adults is different than coaching children, and that we are all just here to have a good time in a safe and respectful environment.
- Minimum NCCP Category D certified.
- Complete the online Intro to Masters Swimming module.
- Other certifications as required by SwimBC (CAC Safe Sport Training; Making Ethical Decisions; Criminal Record Check) but can be completed after hiring.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Please provide a resume containing your qualifications, experience, and coaching philosophy. Cover letters are not required and will not be reviewed.

Send your application to: whiterockwave@gmail.com by August 4, 2023. Only applicants selected for interviews will be contacted.

STARTING DATE

Flexible. We are aiming to have new coaches in place for the start of the 2023/2024 season (September 2023), we have a reduced training schedule in July and August, but there may be opportunities to pick up shifts prior to the end of the current season (August 2023).

