



**BANFF ALPINE
RACERS**
**BOW VALLEY
QUIKIES**

U14 ASSISTANT COACH POSITION

Bow Valley Quikies (BVQ) is comprised of athletes in age categories U12 and under, alongside Banff Alpine Racers (BAR) hosting U14, U16 and FIS programs. BAR and BVQ are based at Mt Norquay in Alberta, with 2 dedicated training runs.

Currently BAR/BVQ have over 250 members, with lots of interested new families. Ensuring we maintain quality coaches, we are seeking more coaches for the 2024/2025 Season. BAR/BVQ have over 50 seasonal staff. We exist to foster a passion for skiing racing, while creating an environment for athletic excellence.

U14 Coach Position:

- Working with athletes aged 12-13yrs
- Friday, Saturday and Sunday Training. Some mid-week training. Approx 80 days on snow
- Race travel for 3-4 weekends, dependent on race calendar
- Dryland training starting September 7th – Calgary
- On snow from early November through mid April
- Pre-season paid staff training day in October/November
- Continued development opportunities
- Ski Big 3 or Rocky Mountain Pass Provided

U14 Coach Responsibilities:

- Report to U14 Head Coach and Executive Director
- Attend mandatory staff training, complete modules to ensure a licensed status
- Works alongside Head Coach for appropriate skill development in Learn to Train model
- Course setting, video and athlete management experience
- Ensure safe training, racing and mountain environments at all times
- Provide a strong ski example for athletes both in race environments and technical free skiing
- Ability to carry gates, knowledge on b-net, equipment maintenance
- Follow and acknowledge Club policies, Safe Sport, Responsible coaching and implement Club Emergency Action Plan
- Helmets are mandatory
- Team Jackets provided

Entry Level Coach Qualifications:

- Must be 18 years or older
- Minimum 3+ years coaching experience
- Minimum Development Level trained, ideally DL certified
- Team player and gets along well with others and can communicate with teammates
- Ability to take direction, manage multiple tasks and function independently
- Communicate well with children and can pass on feedback to parents
- High energy, resilience, professionalism, willing to continue your coaching education
- Past alpine racer FIS and higher considered an asset
- Must have a Canadian work visa, accommodation not provided.

Applicants, please send cover letter and resume to:

BAR Executive Director – Pete Bosinger – pete@banffalpineracers.com

BVQ Program Manager – Claire Horton – bvq@banffalpineracers.com