# LAKE LOUISE SKI CLUB IS SEEKING A Performance level coach to join our team

The Lake Louise Ski Club is looking for an energetic, driven and committed Performance Level coach to join our lead staff for the 2024:25 season. Reporting to the Athletic Director, you will ideally lead our U16 program creating exceptional athlete experiences on and off snow, maintain world class environments, and advocate for LLSCs RISE values and safe sport policies. This is a full time seasonal position, with opportunities for additional work throughout the off-season. Candidates can expect to be on snow four to five days per week between Calgary and the Bow Valley, and should expect to travel for camps and races as required.

#### QUALIFICATIONS

- Alpine Canada Alpin Canadian Ski Coaches Performance Level Trained at minimum (and be a member in good standing with ACA)
- Experience coaching development or performance level athletes (U14 U19, PTSO)
- Excellent leadership, teamwork and communication skills
- Past alpine ski racing background and big mountain skiing skills are a requirement
- Ability to act as a RISE Ambassador of the LLSCs, build and maintain a positiive team culture
- Aptitude in other area such as sport psychology, strength & conditioning, sports nutrition are an asset
- Knowledge of Alberta training and race venues is an asset
- Basic computer skills required, experience with Microsoft 365, Dropbox, Team Snap and Google Suite etc. are an asset



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#### **EXPECTATIONS AND REQUIREMENTS**

- Design the U16 season calendar around the Alberta Provincial Race Series, LLSCs in house events etc.keeping in mind LTDA guidelines
- Effectively communicate program goals, schedules, training opportunities and race information with parents and athletes
- Plan away camps and training in preseason and/or regular season where you are responsible for details of the camp including; accommodation, meals, lift tickets, lane space etc.
- Enter athletes in races and as Team Captain be an outstanding ambassador for the Lake Louise Ski Club at any event our athletes attend.
- Work closely with our Athletic Director, FIS and U14 program leads and other U16 programs in Alberta to provide a wide variety of training environments that benefit out athletes.
- Management of U16 race accounts including collecting all U16 related expenses on a monthly basis.
- Manage 1-2 team members to deliver high quality environments on snow for athletes including; communicating weekly plans, daily environment set up, video review, dryland, equipment management and other tasks as needed.
- Assist the Athletic Director and Executive Director in areas including maintenance of on hill safety (B-net), equipment, video management, inventory, athlete tracking, dryland training, event set up or other requirements as needed
- Majority of training is based out of Lake Louise, however frequent use of other Alberta venues, including Winsport, is expected throught the season and around the competitive calendar, some travel to British Columbia can be expected
- Ideal candidates lives (or is willing to relocate) between Calgary AB and Golden BC and have transportation to training and race locations.

#### ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

- you must be legally allowed to work in Canada
- English is a requirement, French or other second language is an asset



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### WHY YOU SHOULD JOIN US

- Competitive wages based on certifications and experience
- Ski pass(es) and LLSCs uniform are provided
- Enjoy a positive work environment and be part of our amazing club culture
- Work with competitive and driven athletes in an amazing environment
- Mentorship opportunities, training and allowance for professional development
- Some flexibility around school or other commitments can be considered for the right candidate.
- Opportunity for recurrent employment in future seasons and career advancement

## **APPLICATION PROCESS**

If you are interested in joining our team, please send a resume and cover letter clearly outlining how you meet the above qualifications, and references familiar with your coaching and ski racing experience to:

#### employment@lakelouiseskiclubs.ca



We will accept applications until we have found a successful candidate. We thank all applicants for their interest.

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