



Salmon Arm Sockeyes – Coaching Opportunity Head, Assistant and Junior Coaches

The Salmon Arm Sockeyes are accepting applications for coaches for the 2025 Summer Swim Season (May 1st thru August 17, 2025th).

Our club is seeking motivated, enthusiastic, organized and experienced coaches who can assist swimmers with stroke technique and general swimmer development. We have approximately 60 swimmers of all ages, experience and skill level each summer. We are looking for coaching team members who can help our club provide an engaging mixture of both social and competitive experiences. Our club competes regionally and provincially and has a dedicated volunteer parent executive.

Salmon Arm is located in the beautiful Shuswap and is a popular summer tourist destination with access to biking and hiking trails and Shuswap Lake.

Job Descriptions:

1. Head Coach and Assistant Head Coach:

- Commit to pre-season planning and all practices and swim meets for the competitive swim season (May 1-August 17, 2025).
- Organize and participate in team-building and social activities throughout the season

2. Junior Coach:

- Plan and coach 3 to 4 swim practices per week.
- Attend and help plan team building activities, dryland, Challenge Week where junior swimmers are invited to participate.
- Attend 4 to 5 regional swim meets

Qualifications and Experience: The combination of an applicant's certifications/education, skills, abilities and experience will be taken into consideration however, the following are desirable:

- Safe Sport Certification – required for all coaches
- NCCP Level 1 Certification or higher
- NLS Certification
- Formal swim instruction training
- Experience coaching competitive swimming
- Experience as a competitive swimmer
- Valid driver's license and own transportation

The successful candidates 19 years of age and older will be required to obtain a current criminal background check prior to the beginning of the swimming season.

As the club is dependent on government grants, preference will be given to secondary and post secondary students continuing with education.

Salary/Compensation: These are full-time positions and remuneration will be dependent upon experience and certification. Approximate salary ranges: Head and assistant coach \$9-12,000, Junior coach \$4-6000. Additional \$250 travel allowance for each away regional swim meet (additional allowance provided for Provincials).

Posting Deadline: Posted until December 5, 2024

Please submit your resume and cover letter to the Salmon Arm Sockeyes Hiring Committee via email to: sockeyespres@gmail.com