

An exciting opportunity to lead our historic swimming club

Bury & Elton ASC are seeking to appoint a dynamic and progressive head coach who will create a structured training programme and supportive team environment which enables our 150+ members to achieve their full swimming potential. Key responsibilities of the role include;

- Leading our existing team of dedicated swim coaches and teachers to deliver;
 - Annual training plans
 - Effective coaching sessions
 - Individual swimmer feedback and target setting
 - Continual monitoring of swimmer's development
 - A transparent swimming pathway from junior swimmer to squad competitor
- Advising the club committee on all matters of swim coaching and competitions
- Squad selection and attendance at competitions / galas
- Prioritisation of swimmer welfare and compliance with Swim England procedures

Time and pay

The club caters predominantly for age group swimmers but we accept members from 8 (dependent on ability) to 17 years. We train 4 times per week (7.5 hours total pool time) at Castle Leisure Centre in Bury.

Over a 48 week period we estimate that the role will require an average commitment (including training, planning and competition attendance etc.) of 12 hours per week. The indicative hourly contract rate (negotiable dependent on knowledge and experience) is £17 - £20 per hour.

Requirements and skills

- Essential;
 - Demonstrable experience of planning and delivering effective swim coaching
 - Proven track record of developing age group swimmers to competition standard
 - Excellent interpersonal and motivational skills
 - Minimum of a Swim England Level 2 Coaching certificate
 - Completed Swim England Safeguarding and Protecting Children training
 - The successful candidate will be subject to an enhanced DBS check
- Desirable;
 - National Pool Lifeguard Qualification
 - Experience of planning and delivering strength and conditioning programmes for swimmers
 - Completed Swim England Team Manager training

How to apply

Please email your CV and a covering letter which explains why you believe you should be considered for this position to buryandeltonasc@gmail.com to arrive no later than Friday 14th February 2020.

Alternatively, if you would prefer to find out more information about the role before deciding whether or not to apply, please send your details to the above email address and one of our committee members will contact you.