

Tam O'Shanter Water Rats

Summer League Head Coach Job Description

Tam O'Shanter is located between Bellevue and Redmond in the Overlake area. Our community is home to 500 families who actively participate in golf, tennis and swimming programs. We have approximately 120 swimmers from age 6-18 who practice in our 4 lane pool at our club house facility. Recently, the "Water Rats" have moved up divisions and become more competitive in The Midlakes league. The Tam O'Shanter Water Rats Swim Team is based on mutual respect, community building and competition in a fun and positive environment. The head coach should epitomize these core values.

Main Responsibilities:

- Organization and development of the swim team program including workouts, meet line-ups, and team values.
- Create a fun, safe and competitive environment for all ages and levels of swimmers.
- Develop swim meet line-ups for A & B meets while ensuring all swimmers have an opportunity to compete in various events throughout the season.
- Support swimmers in developing and achieving team & individual goals.
- Attend all practices, meets, time trials and required meetings.
- Direct concerns of any manner to the pool committee.
- Work closely with pool committee and assistant coach to ensure the values and goals of the swim team are met.
- Display professional behavior and a positive, encouraging attitude at all functions.

Qualifications:

- Minimum 1 year coaching experience.
- Knowledge or familiarity with Hytek software to develop meet line-ups.
- Knowledge of Midlakes and USA swimming rules.
- Certified lifeguard with current First Aid and CPR certifications.
- Available full time from mid-May to late July. Ability to work evenings and a few weekends.
- Competitive swimming background preferred
- High school diploma with associate or bachelors degree preferred.
- To apply send a resume to Vanessa Swanson @ sitkaswan@comcast.net and Bill Meyer @ mgr@tamoshanter.net by March 31, 2011.
- Be advised background and reference checks will be required prior to any employment offer.