

Position: Performance Development Coach

The Royal Caledonian Curling Club is seeking a curling coach to join our team in helping to nurture and develop curlers towards their participation in the curling performance programme. This position is supported by sportscotland and is based in Edinburgh/Stirling.

Aim

To provide coaching support to curling athletes and coaches in the RCCC's performance development pathway programmes, including the Royal Club Academy (RCA).

Duties

- Develop selection policies/procedures, develop programme content, produce budgets, source equipment, produce athlete and coach agreements
- Select RCA technical and team coaches, support their training and development
- Deliver RCA squad training, programme content, ice booking, support service staff, accommodation, travel, athlete training, etc.
- To coordinate allocation of resources and training within an integrated system
- Contribute to the compilation and analysis of performance data on athletes/teams
- Technical coaching support to RCA coaches which includes mentoring on-ice coaching, off ice programme support and competition support
- Supporting teams and coaches at major competitions, domestic and overseas
- Work collaboratively on talent identification initiatives
- Assist with RCCC slam competitions for junior age groups
- Assist with EJCT competitions in Scotland
- Conduct end of season reviews in collaboration with other coaches
- Report on progress against key performance indicators
- Provide technical information and analysis reports to the relevant committees and managers that will support the seamless performance structure
- Communication through weekly coaching staff meetings
- Reporting and accountable to the Royal Club's Chief Executive Officer and the Curling Performance Director

Skills: Curling knowledge and experience, initiative, team-working, well organised, interpersonal and communication skills.

Contract: Four Years (with possible extension dependent on funding).

Salary: £24,000 for full-time position. Involves evening and weekend work.

Apply: Send your CV and a covering letter to suzy@royalcaledonianscurlingclub.org

Closing date: 17 July 2014.