**Head Coach / Assistant Coach for Weekend-Only Teams**

Primary Responsibility: U15 Head Coach  
Secondary Responsibility: U14 Assistant Coach

**Position Description:**

The Wenatchee Wild Tier 1 AAA Development Teams are looking for a person to serve as the Head Coach of our U15 team and as the Assistant Coach of our U14 team. The U14 and U15 teams are weekend-only teams. During the regular season, there will be approximately 14-16 practice weekends which are ran out of the Town Toyota Center in Wenatchee from Fridays-Sundays. During the regular season, there will be approximately 8-9 tournament/showcases at various locations throughout the US and Canada. In addition to the regular season, there will be a spring/summer season which will consist of approximately 2 practice weekends and 4 tournament/showcase weekends.

**Position Responsibilities:**

1. **Head Coach U15 Team.**  
   a. Head coach, in charge of running all team practices as well as managing the bench during games. Required to attend all team functions.  
   b. Hold two classroom/video sessions per weekend using Steva Video software.  
   c. Maintain team statistics using Bench Metrics software: goals, assists, points, scoring chances for and against, shots on net, and basic goaltender stats.  
   d. Communicate with players and their parents. Hold one formal mid-season and one formal post-season meeting with each player and their parents, as well as non-formal interaction throughout the year as necessary.

2. **Assistant Coach U14 Team**  
   a. Assist head coach on-ice during practices and on bench during games when there is no conflict with the U15 team schedule.  
   b. Responsibilities with the U14 are limited only to weekends where the U14 and U15 team are in the same location.

3. **Off-Season - U15 Recruiting**  
   a. Primary recruiter for U15 team. Recruiting will be done primarily through phone and email communication. No travel will be required for recruiting.  
   b. Attend the U15 tryouts, currently scheduled for June 12-14 in Wenatchee (there may be an additional weekend added depending on numbers for team).

4. **Spring Season**  
   a. Same responsibilities during the spring season as Head Coach of one team and Assistant Coach of other spring team. Will have responsibility to help recruiting spring teams as all.
Overview of Coaching Staff Expectations:

1. Passionately committed to the mission of the Wenatchee Wild Tier 1 Development Teams, which is to create the best youth development program in the Pacific-Northwest while serving as a positive role model in the players lives. Coaches should strive to develop and prepare players to excel at the higher levels of the game while guiding them to become great people off the ice.

2. Responsible for enhancing the overall professionalism of the Wenatchee Wild Tier 1 Development Teams. Coaches should be well organized, prepared, and display professional conduct at all times when interacting with the players and families.

3. Develop and maintain strong relationships with all players. Should be a quality role model that players feel comfortable going to for mentorship. Always putting player’s needs at the forefront and vigorously working to serve their needs.

Qualifications:

- Experience playing and/or coaching at the higher levels of the game, including Midget AAA, Junior A, NCAA, Professional levels.

- Appropriate USA Hockey certifications. Required to keep and maintain these qualifications and be eligible to coach each year.

- Person of integrity with a reputation for professionalism, work ethic, and having high character. Looking for the best person to meet the above listed coaching staff expectations.

Compensation and Other Position Specifics:

- This position is a part-time position, not eligible for benefits. Salary will depend on qualifications and experience.

- The selected candidate will be required to attend all team functions on the weekends during the winter and spring seasons. The selected candidate will have flexibility to complete tasks such as recruiting calls, video, team statistics, etc. on their own time during the week and off-season.

- Team will reimburse for travel expenses.

Application Process:

To apply, please send the following items emailed to RMckelvie@WenatcheeWildHockey.com:
- Cover Letter
- Resume
- Minimum 3 References

Resumes will be collected and candidates selected for interviews will be notified. The position will remain open until filled.