

Estevan Bears U18 AAA Hockey Club



Head Coach Position – Estevan U18 AAA Bears (SMAAAHL)

The Estevan Bears U18 AAA Hockey Club invite applications for the position of Head Coach for the upcoming 2022/23 season.

The position will perform all duties associated with the job as Head Coach of a U18 AAA team, including but not limited to, working with club members to prepare a season plan, scheduling, conducting spring and falls camps, practices, off ice training, and hosting meetings when required.

The Head Coach will report to the Board of Directors.

Responsibilities:

- Identify and recruit a full roster of quality U18 AAA caliber players, including affiliate players with the rest of the hockey operation staff.
- Create and sustain an atmosphere that promotes academic success and personal growth, resulting in the overall success of student athletes.
- Conduct all on-ice camps, and practice plans that creates skill progression.
- Implement and supervise a dryland and nutrition program.
- Conduct video analysis and game footage breakdown.
- Develop game and practice plans.
- Development of team strategies and tactics.
- Bench management during games.
- Evaluate and provide feedback to players.
- Travel with the team for all road games and tournaments (including overnight travel).
- Assist in the planning and communication of team travel itineraries and other team functions.
- Develop and maintain a collaborative, supportive, and professional relationship with local school system; help further establish and maintain a professional reputation among all league staff, opposing teams, visiting and host hotels, referee group, community, sponsors, local minor hockey associations, player parents, and billet families.
- Serve as a representative with good time management and is consistent with the values, bylaws, and policies of Estevan Minor Hockey and SMAAAHL.
- Assist in the enforcement of players rules, regulations, and team policies including disciplinary standards.
- Perform additional duties as directed by the Estevan Bears Board of Directors within the community .

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Qualifications:

- Must produce a strong coaching reputation that implements integrity among players, other coaches, and parents.
- Detailed oriented with great organizational and time management skills.
- Motivated and goal orientated.
- Sound leadership, knowledge and theory producing game systems and special team play.
- Provide recruiting resources for U18 AAA caliber athletes.
- Demonstrate ability to develop players in preparation for player migration to higher levels via sport and education.
- Ideal candidate will have HP1 coaching certification or willing to work towards.
- Junior, Collegiate, or Professional playing experience preferred.
- Must provide a criminal record check.

Competitive compensation available for the successful applicant based on experience.

The ideal candidate will display enthusiasm to fully commit to the role and will show willingness to work with the rest of the coaching staff. The candidate must have excellent communication skills, both written and verbal. All serious applicants will be considered.

Please submit a cover letter and resume with a minimum of three references electronically to admin@estevanbears.com.

EMHA/Estevan Bears will be accepting applications until Feb 27th, 2022.

Candidates can also call 306-834-7431 should they have any questions.