

## Wisconsin Lumberjacks Assistant Coach Job Posting

Canadian junior Hockey League- Wisconsin Lumberjacks Junior A Hockey Club is seeking applicants for **Assistant Coach**

The Wisconsin Lumberjacks Junior A Hockey Club, has an opening for an **Assistant Coach** position. The Wisconsin Lumberjacks, located in Spooner, WI, are a Tier II junior A team playing in the Superior International Junior Hockey League (SIJHL) of the Canadian Junior Hockey League (CJHL).

### Job Description:

The position will perform all duties normally associated with the job of an **Assistant Coach** of a junior hockey team including, but not limited to, working with the existing staff to initiate and prepare a season plan, scheduling and conducting tryouts, practices, meetings and other training, maintaining team and individual discipline, recruiting players and promoting the team in the community. The **Assistant Coach** will maintain his Level 3 or higher USA Hockey **coaching** certification during the term of this contract. During the hockey off season and at times during the hockey season the **Assistant Coach** agrees to be available to perform various duties related to the position to be determined by the Lumberjacks with consideration given to the Head **Coach** & General Manager's team responsibilities and the needs of the arena. In conjunction with the Head **Coach** & General Manager the **Assistant Coach** will provide **coaching** assistance to the local youth hockey program and to conduct clinics and mini-camps as schedule permits. The position reports to the Head **Coach** & General Manager in all matters concerning his duties.

### Responsibilities:

- Help to Recruit and select a full roster of quality tier II Junior A caliber players
- Assist in all on-ice camps, practices, games and daily dry-land
- Assist in developing game and practice plans including offensive and defensive systems as well as special teams play
- Serve as a representative consistent with the values and standards of the of The Wisconsin Lumberjacks when conducting meetings with parents, families, social clubs, and media
- Assist in enforcement of player rules, regulations and team policies including disciplinary standards and supervise and manage the conduct of players both on and off the ice
- Work with Head **Coach** to develop, implement, and conduct an off-ice conditioning program
- Study game film and help conduct regular team meetings to break down game film
- Develop and maintain collaborative, supportive, and professional relationships with area and league teams; help further establish and maintain a professional reputation among all external agencies (league staff, opposing teams, visiting and host hotels, referee group, sponsors, minor partners, opposing team fans and support staff, etc.)
- Assist in development of individual and team athletic skills and foster personal growth and development of all team members.
- Assist in summer hockey camps/team showcases

- Must possess good Time-Management skills and is able to Multitask
- Must be willing and able to perform Community Outreach and Public Relations appearances
- Perform additional duties as directed by Head **Coach** and President

Qualifications:

- An existing or a willingness to develop a recruiting list of junior caliber players
- A strong reputation for **coaching** ability and integrity among players, **coaches**, and parents
- Level 3, or above, USA Hockey **Coaching** Certification (required and if not level 3 must gain their level 4)
- Strong leadership and disciplinary skills
- Demonstrated ability to develop players in preparation for play at higher levels
- Demonstrated success as a **coach/assistant coach** at the U16, Youth AAA, Junior, or Collegiate level
- Junior, Collegiate, or Professional playing experience preferred
- Sound knowledge of advanced game theory and concepts including systems and special teams play

This a salaried position based on experience.

To Apply: Please submit a cover letter, resume and references electronically to:

The Wisconsin Lumberjacks

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