

Hetton ASC Head Coach Job Description

Hetton ASC are currently looking for a Level 2 coach to take over the position of Head Coach within the club. Our current head coach is stepping down after 4 years and we are looking for a replacement who will fit in with the club ethos and the values we have built.

Hetton ASC are a warm and welcoming swimming club, which was established in 1960. We have around 100 swimmers of all abilities who find swimming an enjoyable and sociable experience. Our members swim for fun and/or for competitive purposes. Our swimming times are "friendly" and we operate sessions Monday to Friday evenings at Hetton Pool (Mon, Thur, Fri) or Sandhill School Pool (Tues).

This is a very exciting opportunity for a new head coach to work with an expanding coaching staff in order to develop our existing talent and steer the club to the next level of performance.

The new head coach will have excellent communication and management skills, the ability to inspire confidence and to motivate and enable our swimmers to reach their individual potential.

The Head Coach has a key role at the club in supporting the Club ethos to encourage children and young people at all levels of ability and achievement to enjoy and benefit from swimming. The position will be required to work with a growing coaching setup and provide leadership to swimmers, coaches and volunteers working poolside to help all swimmers achieve their full potential. The post holder will report to the Chair and is expected to be a full member of the committee.

Hetton Swimming Club is based at Hetton Community Pool in the centre of town.

The candidate will be required to perform the following duties:

- Ensure all poolside coaching sessions are adequately staffed and well run.
- Develop swimmers' technique, motivate and encourage performance.
- Support and give direction to and monitor the performance of all club coaches.
- Communicate effectively with swimmers, coaches, volunteers and parents, to give positive and constructive feedback.
- Good time management and organisational skills and commitment to the Club.
- Develop a 12-month competition schedule to meet the needs of all swimmers in the Club; encourage swimmers to participate in appropriate competitions, support swimmers at competitions and give feedback on performance.
- Liaise with the Club Welfare Officer as appropriate to ensure any child protection issues or concerns are followed according to ASA Procedures

For further information about this role, contact Steven on 07793021313 or email hettonasc@hotmail.co.uk