



2010 BC Summer Games Coaches



Call for Applications

CanoeKayak BC is gearing up for the 2010 BC Summer Games in the Township of Langley, July 22nd – 25th and is currently looking for Head Coaches and Assistant Coaches for each of the Zone Teams.

Since 1978, the BC Games Society has been staging the BC Summer and Winter Games. The purpose of these Games is, “To provide an opportunity for the development of athletes, coaches and officials in preparation for higher levels of competition in a multi-sport event which promotes interest and participation in sport and sporting activities, individual and community development.” After a many year absence from the Games, canoeing is excited about the opportunity to return and be showcased in the brand new Bedford Channel venue in picturesque Fort Langley.

Participants are to be of Bantam or Midget age in the year of the Games. Under CanoeKayak Canada’s Long Term Athlete Development (LTAD), this group falls under the Training to Train; Learn to Compete categories. As such the event will feature a training camp, skills competition, multi discipline competition and competitions mirroring the different stages.

In preparation of athletes to participate CanoeKayak BC requires Head Coaches and Assistant Coaches for the following zone teams:

Zone 1: Kootenays

Zone 2: Thompson/Okanagan

Zone 3: Fraser Valley

Zone 4: Fraser River/Delta

Zone 5: Vancouver/Squamish

Zone 6: Vancouver Island/Central coach

Zone 7: North West

Zone 8: Cariboo/North East

Details of the communities that fall into each of the zones can be found at:

<http://www.bcgames.org/dotnetnuke/Sport/Rules/2010BCSummerGames/GeneralRules/Zones/tabid/265/Default.aspx>

All Head Coaches for the 2010 Games must have a minimum of NCCP Level 2 certification in the old program or Entry Level Competitive Coach “trained status” in the new NCCP program.

Assistant coaches must be NCCP Level 1 certification in the old program or CanoeKids “trained” under the new NCCP structure.

In addition to coaching duties, Head Coaches and Assistant Coaches are expected to travel with their Athletes on BC Games transportation, stay with them in BC Games accommodation, and supervise them throughout the BC Games. Head Coaches and Assistant Coaches are expected to act in a supervisory capacity travelling to/from and at the Games with their Athletes and to ensure that their Athletes adhere to the BC Games General Rules, the sport-specific rules, and the Code of Conduct.

Interested individuals should submit application to CanoeKayak BC by Monday February 15th, 2010

A detailed Job Description and Application form is available at www.canoeKayakbc.ca