**BC Provincial Zone Team**

**Head Coach Job Description**

**ROLE OF THE ZONE COACH:**

Coaches play a critical role in the personal and athletic development of their athletes. The Zone Head Coach works in cooperation with the Assistant Coach and athletes to prepare the Zone team for competition at the Basketball BC Provincial Zone Championship. Basketball BC views the Coach position as a key step for coaches interested in accessing higher levels of coach development.

Provincial Zone Championships will be held at LEC June 1-3, 2019

**LEVEL OF COMPETITION:**

* U12 athletes – 3x3: each zone team will consist of two 3x3 teams of 5 players
* U13 athletes - 3x3; each zone team will consist of two 3x3 teams of 5 players
* U14 athletes - 5x5; each zone teams will consist of one team of 10 players

**COACHING REQUIREMENTS:**

* Head Coaches require NCCP Learn 2 Train – Trained Status
* Coaches must complete a criminal record check prior to commencing the coach position.
* Previous basketball coaching experience is required. This includes experience in the instruction, training, and preparation of athletes as well as competition experience with athletes in the Learning to Train stage of Long Term Athlete Development.

**SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITIES INCLUDE:**

* Conducting Athlete Development Camps in April 2019; 6 hours of training/tryout from which the Zone team will be selected. Coaches need to secure gym time and submit selection camp information by February 22,2019. Camps must be scheduled as followed:
  + April 1-6 U14 Tryouts
  + April 7-13 U13 Tryouts
  + April 14-20 U12 Tryouts
* Access to gym/facility for practice and training puposes. Basketball BC will cover the cost of the selection camp rental only.
* Clearly communicate Basketball BC selection criteria to all eligible zone athletes.
* Identify a 10 athlete zone team to represent their zone at the Provincial Zone Championships
* Schedule and hold regular practices
* All teams **are required** to attend the Provincial Zone Championships June 1-3, 2019 at Langley Events Centre
* Help Identify athletes for Basketball BC High Performance Pathway

**APPLICATION PROCEDURE:**

* Fill out the Coach Application and submit with other required documents to [srudnisky@basketball.bc.ca](mailto:srudnisky@basketball.bc.ca)

**Application Deadline is January 18, 2019**

**Coaches will be notified January 25, 2019**

Questions can be directed to [srudnisky@basketball.bc.ca](mailto:srudnisky@basketball.bc.ca)