



BRITISH ROWING

Job Description

Rowing Coach – Warrington Youth
Rowing

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| Job Title | Rowing Coach – Warrington Youth Rowing |
| Reports to | Learning, Education and Development Manager |
| Place of Work | Warrington, with travel across other Youth Rowing sites in the North West |

Overview

British Rowing, in partnership with Warrington Youth Rowing are looking to appoint a coach to further develop partnerships across schools. The GROW programme aims to welcome a new generation of young people to rowing, and create a sport which is more representative of today's society. To find out more about Warrington Youth Rowing, visit their website [here](#)

Job Purpose

The coach will be critical in changing the face of rowing in a role designed to reach into school sport. If you are passionate about changing the lives of young people through their engagement in rowing, then this is the role for you. You will offer coaching in both indoor and water settings, and be an integral part of the coaching team for Warrington Youth Rowing.

Responsibilities

Coaching

- Inspire young people in local schools to engage in rowing.
- Motivate young people to recognise the benefits of positive behaviour.
- Work with young people to develop their wider life skills through sport.
- Plan and deliver sessions, primarily in curriculum time.
- Support school holiday activities.
- Work closely with school staff to understand the individual needs of every participant.
- Work with young people to develop their leadership skills within the programme.
- Provide support to the three other Youth Rowing programmes in the area (Northwich, Merseyside and Manchester) when required.

Programme Development

- Establish new Indoor rowing clubs within the WYR school network.
- Provide support to young people transitioning from a school programme to club rowing.
- Work closely with the British Rowing Communication staff to promote your work through social media channels.
- Organise a range of indoor and on water competitive opportunities suitable for the participants.
- Show creativity and innovative thinking in further developing club/ school links

Other

- Monitor the impact of the programme using the 'Upshot' system (training provided)
- Engage with a personal development programme to support your growth.
- Provide support to other British Rowing programmes where appropriate.
- Present a positive image of British Rowing (including its committees, volunteers and staff) and the sport of rowing at all times

This list is not to be regarded as exclusive or exhaustive, as there may be other reasonable duties and requirements associated with the post, which British Rowing may call upon the post-holder to perform from time to time

Person Specification

- A passion for sport and the impact it can have on the lives of young people.
- Hold a recognised British Rowing Coaching qualification.
- Hold an RYA Level 2 power boat certificate (desirable).
- Experience of coaching rowing in a community setting.
- A desire to develop your own skills, knowledge and behaviours as a coach.
- Ability to engage with people of all ages and abilities and manage challenge.
- An excellent team player
- A good understanding of social media

Additional Information

The role is 20 hours a week for one year, with the opportunity to extend for a further year. Local travel will be required using your own transport. A comprehensive learning and development plan will support your development as a coach.

Equal Opportunities

British Rowing is committed to equal opportunities for all staff and applications from individuals are encouraged regardless of age, disability, sex, gender reassignment, sexual orientation, pregnancy and maternity, race, religion or belief and marriage and civil partnerships.

Closing date: Friday 12th August 2022

Interviews: TBC

Start Date: September 2022

Salary: £13,520 (£27,040 FTE)