



Camrose Ski Club
Founded in 1911



COACHING DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR & COACH –

CROSS COUNTRY ALBERTA / CAMROSE SKI CLUB

If you are passionate about working within a fast-paced, provincial sport organization, we have an excellent opportunity for you! Cross-Country Alberta (CCA) is looking for an experienced Coaching Development Director to join their team. Camrose Ski Club (CSC) is looking for a dynamic coach to support its ski programs. The ideal candidate will be someone within the skiing community, has previous experience in ski coaching, is an excellent communicator and face of the organization and is well versed with all aspects of cross-country ski training, racing, and athlete development.

Cross Country Alberta is the provincial sport governing body responsible for overseeing the growth and development of the Nordic Sport Industry in the province. “Industry” means the progression of sport from club programs through to high performance and all the components that are needed to get there. This could include coaching/leadership, retailers, hotels, suppliers, trail makers, events, etc. CCA’s offices are located in Edmonton, Alberta and currently employees’ two full-time staff members.

Camrose Ski Club is a vibrant club that has an impressive history of cross country skiing in a unique association with the Augustana Vikings university ski team. The CSC maintains first-rate cross country ski trails and facilities.

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Summary

Working with and reporting to the CCA Managing Director, the Coaching Development Director oversees all coaching-specific, and ski-specific duties and events at the organization.

For those candidates who are interested, there is a possibility to supplement this position by providing coaching for Camrose Ski Club. Working with the Camrose Ski Club Board, the Coach will provide expertise and support as part of the club coaching team, with special attention to the Augustana Vikings team and senior youth.

CCA High Performance Program Delivery

1. Assistance with Alberta Ski Team, Canada Winter Games Team, and Alberta Development Team
 - a. Selection Criteria – collaborate with the AST/ADT Director to formulate, present to Technical Committee, and to finalize selection criteria.
 - b. Work with the Technical Committee to make team selections, using the guidelines and various points' lists (CPL, AB Cups, FIS, IPB's).
 - c. Work with AST/ADT Director to develop, finalize and circulate program.
 - d. Track AB Cup Points and finalize points list.

2. Alberta Winter Games:
 - a. Liaise with the organizing Committee to:
 - i. Provide feedback for the Technical Package
 - ii. Finalize AWG application
 - iii. Support AB coaches, athletes, and have a positive presence at the AWG

Coaching Development Director

- Presence at: AB Winter Games, Canada Winter Games, National Championships, and Western Canadian Championships.
- Connect with smaller clubs across the province, share different coaching strategies and help as needed.
- Collaborate with Para-Nordic and Indigenous Ski Programs (e.g.: Spirit North).
- Attend AB Cup race series, ski camps, and events.
- Become the face of CCA “on the ground” at the various events.
- Checking in with the Next Generation athletes across the provincial clubs.

Qualifications

- NCCP-level coach
- Bachelor of Physical Education or Bachelor of Kinesiology would be an asset
- Previous ski coaching experience
- Previous ski racing experience would be an asset

Please send your resume and cover letter to CCA Vice-Chair, Dasha Atkins: skidash@gmail.com

Application deadline: August 27th, or until filled.