

ROLE OF THE COACH:

SAWA is looking for a highly motivated, successful Head Coach for each of the Mens and Womens wrestling teams at the upcoming 2021 Canada Games in Niagara. This event provides a pathway to higher levels of competition and serves as showcase for the next generation of national team athletes. The Coach will work in collaboration with SAWA, and Team Saskatchewan in preparing athletes to achieve optimal performance at the 2021 Canada Games. The Team Saskatchewan Coach plays a vital role in the success of the team.

LEVEL OF COMPETITION:

- Athletes must be 15 -18 years of age as of December 31, 2021 (athletes born 2003, 2004, 2005, and 2006).
- Each team will be composed of 22 athletes (11 women, 11 men)
- Format of Competition: dual meets on the first two days with individual competitions on the third day of competition. Both the team and individual competition will be considered separate events.
- More details are described in the Technical Package for wrestling.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:**Eligibility**

- Currently active as a coach.
- Registered member and in good standing with the SAWA and the Coaches Association of Saskatchewan
- Sign and abide by the SAWA Coaches Code of Conduct.
- Must have coached in Saskatchewan at the level, or higher, of the majority of the team members for at least two years.
- NCCP Certified Competition Development (Level 3) for the sport of wrestling in the competition stream. All certification requirements must be met by **Date to be Determined**.

Qualifications

- Ability to communicate technically and socially with the athletes.
- Ability to act as a goodwill ambassador for the Province of Saskatchewan and the SAWA.
- Past experience as a coach of athletes with the potential for selection to the Canada Games team.
- Organization and administration experience as associated with being a wrestling coach.
- Ability to organize and conduct practices.
- Ability to organize and conduct training camps.
- Ability to analyze individual skills of wrestlers (strengths and weaknesses).
- Ability to analyze draw sheets and communicate the information to athletes.
- Astute knowledge of the Wrestling Canada rules, and contents of the Technical Package for wrestling.
- Proficient level of wrestling skills and knowledge of holds and training techniques.

SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITIES INCLUDE:

- To design and implement a procedure for the selection of 2021 Canada Summer Games athletes – women’s and men’s team, respectively.
- To attend all Team Saskatchewan and SAWA meetings relating to the 2021 Canada Summer Games.
- To conduct team practices and assist with camps and events leading up to the Games.
- To establish and enforce rules of conduct for the athletes.
- To scout future opponents.
- To provide motivation and enthusiasm for the wrestlers; both for individuals and the team.
- To provide a written report for the executive of the SAWA within two weeks following the completion of the Canada Summer Games.
- Participate in all Team Saskatchewan De-Briefing meetings and final reporting.

APPLICATION AND SELECTION PROCEDURE:

- Qualified individuals should submit their coaching resume by **Monday, June 22, 2020 at 4:00 CST** to be considered. Within your resume please identify which team you are applying for (Mens or Womens) and include your plan for team selection, and your plan for team preparation leading up to the Games.
- The successful candidate will be notified no later than **Monday, July 13, 2020**.

COMMITMENT TO THE FOLLOWING DATES: *Subject to change*

- All meetings related to Team Saskatchewan as required
- All Team Saskatchewan Wrestling events
- Canada Summer Games Week 1: August 6 - August 11, 2021