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CAREER OPPORTUNITY – BIATHLON TRAINING CENTRE HEAD COACH

Biathlon Alberta, the governing body for the sport of Biathlon in the province of Alberta, is hiring a Head Coach to manage its new Biathlon Training Centre located in Canmore. The focus of our Training Centre will be developing athletes aged 18 to 23 years, and assisting these athletes in reaching their full potential in the sport.

Key responsibilities of this full time, year-round position include:

- Delivery of coaching services to Biathlon Training Centre athletes
- Management of Biathlon Training Centre, including supervision of assistant coaches and budget development
- Management of Biathlon Training Centre camps and tours and Alberta's team at Biathlon National Championships
- Create a positive, synergistic and cooperative working relationship with Biathlon Canada coaches located in Canmore

Candidates suited to this position will bring a wide range of skills, abilities, and experience. Key attributes of the successful candidate will include:

- Experience in delivering biathlon programs following the LTAD model
- Proven ability to develop biathletes at the train-to-compete level
- Ability to work as part of a team
- Post-secondary degree in Physical Education, Kinesiology, or related area
- At least NCCP-certified Level 3 in Biathlon or equivalent (preference for Level 4)
- Current First Aid and CPR certification

The position will require significant schedule flexibility, with frequent evening and weekend work. In addition, substantial travel will be required.

Application Deadline: March 11, 2011

Starting Date: April 25, 2011

Salary: Based on education, qualifications, and experience. Range \$55,000 to \$75,000 per annum.

To apply: Please submit a resume and cover letter to Biathlon Alberta Executive Director Andy Holmwood (andy@biathlon.ca) in Microsoft Word or PDF format. Please note the position title in the subject line of your email.

Biathlon Alberta is an equal opportunity employer. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply.