

Position Title: Youth Program Director
Organization: Curling Alberta
Location: Flexible (Hybrid – Edmonton or Calgary preferred)
Employment Type: Full-time, Permanent
Salary: Commensurate with experience and qualifications
Reports to: Executive Director

Position Overview

Curling Alberta is the regional governing body for the sport of curling in Alberta, supporting over 180 member clubs. We are seeking a dynamic and strategic leader to join our team as **Youth Program Director**. This individual will be responsible for overseeing all youth programs in the **Foundational Stages of the Long-Term Curler Development Model**, including but not limited to: **Ready to Rock, Hit Draw Tap, U-15 RockFest, Girls Rock, Triples Circuit, Club Coach, and Club Coach Youth Programs**.

The successful candidate is responsible for the financial viability, growth, and successful delivery of these programs throughout Alberta. They will also serve as a key ambassador and builder of youth curling in the province.

Key Responsibilities

- Manage and execute all foundational youth programs with a high level of professionalism and fiscal responsibility.
- Ensure programs are delivered on time and within budget.
- Liaise with sponsors and partners to fulfill existing agreements and maintain strong relationships.
- Identify and pursue grants and corporate partnerships to support youth curling development.
- Track and report on participation data and program outcomes to stakeholders.

- Promote Curling Alberta and Curling Canada youth programs to member clubs and curling communities.
- Communicate bi-weekly with curling facilities and stakeholders about program availability, deadlines, and updates.
- Be available to curling clubs and youth program leaders to assist with inquiries they may have.
- Supervise staff and contractors who support program delivery throughout Alberta.
- Identify and pursue new opportunities to grow and promote youth curling in the province.

Qualifications & Skills

- Strong knowledge of curling and connectivity with the curling and sports community is an asset.
- Post-secondary education in Sport Management, Business Administration, Recreation, Education, or a related field.
- Demonstrated experience in program coordination, sports administration, or coaching.
- Financial and budget management experience.
- Grant writing and fundraising experience is an asset.
- Strong organizational and project management skills.
- Excellent communication and interpersonal abilities.
- Self-starter with the ability to work independently while collaborating with a team.
- Valid driver's license and access to reliable transportation.
- Flexibility to work evenings and weekends as needed.

Compensation & Benefits

- Competitive salary based on experience and qualifications.
- Paid vacation and provided work tools (e.g., laptop).
- Opportunities for professional development.
- Be part of a passionate and growing organization with a strong provincial impact.

How to Apply

Please submit your resume and cover letter to:

Jill Groves

Executive Director, Curling Alberta

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Subject Line: Application – Youth Program Director

Curling Alberta is committed to fostering an inclusive and diverse environment. We encourage applications from all qualified candidates, especially those from underrepresented communities in sport.