

# Hiring Spring Canoe/Ka Coaches, and Summer Paddling Camp Coaches

Location: False Creek Racing Canoe Club, Vancouver, BC Start: Start dates range from April 2nd to July 2nd Wage: Dependent on certification and experience

- 14yrs + CanoeKids cert (Trained) Volunteer opportunities available
- 15yrs + CanoeKids cert (Trained) + 1yr volunteer experience Assistant \$18.00/hr
- 16yrs + CanoeKids cert (Certified) (no experience) \$19.00/hr
- 16yrs + CanoeKids cert (Certified) + 1yr experience \$20.00/hr
- 16yrs + DBC Community Coach Level 1 + 1yr experience \$20.00/hr
- 18yrs + ELCC cert (Certified) + 1yr experience \$22.50/hr

#### Background:

Founded in 1985 and located on Granville Island in Vancouver, the False Creek Racing Canoe Club is a non-profit, multi-disciplinary paddling club that offers training and racing programs in dragon boat, outrigger canoe, and sprint canoe-kayak. We bring this multidisciplinary approach to our summer camps allowing our campers the opportunity to experience all FCRCC has to offer.

## Job Description:

We are currently seeking Spring and Summer Paddling Camp Coaches to run multidisciplinary paddling camps for youth ages 7-15. We have exciting opportunities for coaches in sprint canoe-kayak, dragon boat, and outrigger canoe!

Working with our Program Directors and Camp Leaders, our camp coaches will provide a fun environment for our campers to learn, grow, and develop a love for paddlesports! We offer an amazing work environment and an extensive in-house training program to set you up for success.

- Spring Programs
  - Requiring coaches to instruct youth and adult introductory paddling courses
  - Mainly evenings and Saturdays
- Summer Camps
  - Usual hours of employment are:
    - July & August
    - Monday-Friday
    - 8am-3pm

## Roles and Responsibilities:

- Work collaboratively with camp leaders and other coaches to develop and implement multidisciplinary paddling camps for youth;
- Be a role model to campers, and the general public regarding paddling safety and culture;
- Teach youth the fundamentals of a variety of paddling disciplines
- Teach youth the importance of water safety
- Promote teamwork and build confidence on the water
- Organize and manage group activities and games both on the water and off
- Provide a fun and safe environment for the kids
- Assist with organization and running of paddling related club events;
- Ensure equipment is cared for and report any damages for repair;
- Communicate with parents and the general public in response to questions;

## Experience, Qualifications and Skills:

- Experience in canoe-kayak, dragon boat, or outrigger canoe;
- Minimum Community Coach Certification (CanoeKids, DBC Community Coach Level 1, or equivalent); <u>LINKED HERE</u>
- Safe Sport Certification LINKED HERE
- NCCP Making Ethical Decisions LINKED HERE
- First-Aid and CPR/AED "C" or equivalent
- Police Record Check upon offer of employment (if over the age of 18)
- Pleasure Craft Operator Certification (PCOC) is an asset LINKED HERE
- Strong interpersonal skills, with an interest in club and athlete development at all levels
- Knowledge of equipment maintenance and repair is an asset

FCRCC in-house staff training is <u>required for all staff</u> and is scheduled for:

- Friday, June 14th 5-8pm
- Saturday, June 15th 10am-3pm
- Sunday, June 16th 10am-3pm

Deadline to apply is June 1st, 2023 at midnight.

Please send a cover letter and resume to jobs.fcrcc@gmail.com