

JOB DESCRIPTION

Canada Games Road/Para-Road

Assistant Coach/Team Manager

The Assistant Coach/Team Manager will play a key leadership role in providing logistical support to all team members and will also act as a primary contact for assigned Team Ontario Mission Staff. The role may also provide coaching support and or being directly responsible for a specific team (Men, Women, Para).

Canada Games Overview

The Canada Summer Games are a two-week multi-sport event taking place every four (4) years. Athletes represent their province with the provincial sport organizations having the responsibility to select the athletes to represent Ontario in their respective sport. In 2025, the Canada Games will be held in the St. John's, Newfoundland and include the sports of Mountain Bike [XCO, Team Relay, Eliminator] and Road Cycling [Time Trial, Road Race, Criterium].

The Canada Games provides one of the few opportunities for developing athletes to experience a "Games" setting. Athletes will learn to adhere to overall Games protocols including living in an Athletes Village with shared-multisport accommodations, experience opening/closing ceremonies, and have their performance contribute to Ontario's point total to capture the Canada Game's Flag [overall highest scoring province.

Qualifications

- NCCP Introduction to Competition Trained or demonstrated coaching experience in-conjunction with high level experience as an athlete (preferred)
- Experience as an athlete/coach/support in cycling training camps and/or competitions (required)
- Experience working with para-cyclists an asset
- Strong communication skills
- Drivers Abstract (required if driving athletes for project)
- Completion of a Police Record Check (required prior to working with team)

Responsibilities

Provide input as requested into athlete assessments and selection of team composition

- Provide coaching and support at pre-Canada Games training camp(s) and during Games' competition
- Coordinate team meetings and training camps leading to and during the Games
- Work collaboratively with the Head Coach in developing race strategies and assist in communicating athlete roles and instructions
- Attend all Canada Games Coach/Manager meetings leading to the Canada Games
- Responsible for ensuring OC/team compliance with Games requirements, adherence to deadlines, and maintaining on-going communication with assigned Mission Staff
- Support the Head Coach and athletes with questions/concerns regarding Games requirements and logistics
- Ensure athletes complete all Games registration requirements and submit required pictures, biographies, and other requested media elements
- Act as a primary contact to the OC Office in providing/coordinating social media content, pictures, athlete quotes, to promote team activities during the Games

Key Dates [subject to change]

Event	Date	Notes
Canada Games Mission Staff	Various – leading to the Games	Typically online but may have
Meetings		an in-person event
Canada Games Team Selection	June TBD, 2025	Athletes selected and notified
Canada Games Training Camp	July TBD, 2025	Multi-day Canada Games Prep.
		Camp, location TBD
Canada Games (MTB)	Aug 8 - 17, 2025	Week 2 of Canada Games

Click here to view the Canada Games Technical Guide for Road

Application

Interested applicants are asked to complete an online application <u>HERE</u> no later than **November 17**, **2024**.

Compensation for this position will be established based on candidate experience and qualifications.