Women's Assistant Coach at Belsize Park RFC
Job Description

Belsize Park RFC is looking for an energetic, professional Assistant Coach(s) wanting to develop their coaching experience while supporting the growth and development of Belsize Park RFC's Women's Section at this exciting time of a growing club!

Job Title: Assistant Coach/s (Voluntary)

Reporting to: Head of Women's Rugby, Belsize Park RFC

Hours of work: 3-4hr per week, plus weekend game days of 4hrs.

Location: London (some travel required for game days)

Job Purpose
To support Belsize Park's Head of Women's Rugby and the wider women's coaching team in preparing for the new season, taking responsibility for owning and delivering on the Belsize Park Women's 2nd XV player development and performance targets. In particular demonstrate proven experience to support the development programme of the Belsize Park Women's Squad through specialist and positional specific coaching.

Belsize Park RFC is London's largest and most central amateur rugby club with its home ground in Regent's Park and training in Russell Square (Zone 1). In 2019, Belsize Park welcomed their first Women's team, which has since grown quickly to 2 squads and aiming to start a 3rd in the new season.

Key Responsibilities
Assist with the development & implementation of a coaching programme for the whole team, working with other members of the management team and Head of Women's Rugby to identify, develop & implement a playing strategy for the group.

Lead on the planning and reviewing of all aspects of unit specific play for the Women's 2XV team, ensuring success in preparing and competing within the RFC National Challenge League Structure.

Support the Head of Women's Rugby in ensuring training sessions are planned and organised; that players maximise their individual performance; and that every player receives appropriate coaching at team and individual levels to deliver success throughout the season.

To deliver both individual and small group technical/tactical development sessions.

Contribute to selection decisions on a squad and individual game basis to ensure that the team fielded has the best chance of success.

Work as a member of the Belsize Park RFC Women's coaching team to ensure that a High-

Performance Environment is created for Belsize RFC programme driving and displaying appropriate behaviours and standards.

Support the Head of Women's Rugby in generating and maintaining a high-performance culture that delivers success at within the RFU National Challenge Leagues.

Contribute to and support the recruitment of players as identified with the Head of Women's Rugby & Assistant Head Coach.

Points to Note
The purpose of this job description is to indicate the general level of duties and responsibility of the post. The detailed duties may vary from time to time without changing the general character or level of responsibility entailed.

Experience & Knowledge
Proven rugby coaching ability within the Women's game
Proven rugby coaching ability within the RFU National Challenge Leagues
Experience of coaching talented young players
Evidence of progression and development gained over a number of years.
Relevant work experience within coach education and development

Skills & Abilities
Knowledge of current coaching and training processes.
Excellent communication skills.
Good organisational and time management skills.
Excellent motivational skills.
Excellent interpersonal skills.

Qualifications
Formal coaching qualifications such as Level 2 rugby coaching or the ERCA
Demonstrate Continuous profession development via RFU CPD course in person, online or via other means of CPD.

If you would like to apply for this exciting opportunity, please forward your CV and detailed covering letter summarising your suitability for this role to WomensRugby@BelsizeRugby.co.uk

For an informal discussion about the role, please call Head of Women's Rugby, Ralph Waghorn - 07870402575