

COACHING OPPORTUNITY FOR 2009 SEASON, HALIFAX ROWING CLUB

Halifax Rowing Club invites applications from candidates interested in coaching at HRC during the 2009 rowing season. One full-time position is available between May and September. In addition, some part time work may be available in September and October.

Halifax Rowing Club promotes rowing as a lifelong sport for fitness, skill development, competition, fun and friendship. We row on the picturesque NorthWest Arm of Halifax Harbour, and have approximately 125 members of all ages, including a very active junior program and an adaptive rowing program. More information about the club is available at www.halifaxrowing.ca.

Working in collaboration with the Head Coach, the coach will organize and teach Learn to Row and novice programs, and participate in coaching both competitive and recreational rowers at the junior, senior and masters levels. The coach will assist with regattas, boathouse and boat maintenance, and general organization of the Club including program registration.

Candidates should have completed or be working towards NCCP Level 1, have both rowing and coaching experience, and have good organizational and communications skills. In addition successful candidates will need a Boat Operator's Card, and current qualifications in First Aid and CPR before starting employment at HRC. Some boat maintenance skills would be desirable.

The salary will be commensurate with experience.

Interested applicants should send a letter of interest, a resume, and the names of two references to Joan Backman, President, Halifax Rowing Club at halifaxrowing@gmail.com by March 20, 2009. Preference will be given to applicants seeking full time employment who are returning to school full-time in the fall, although other interested coaches are encouraged to apply with details of availability.