



Opportunity to Coach Tennis in New Zealand

Evolve Tennis Coaching is a professional tennis coaching business based in Wellington 'the coolest little capital in the world' (Lonely Planet 2011).

Evolve wants all its players to have fun while gaining new skills and friendships thus enabling a lifelong love of tennis.

Evolve's main business objective is to provide an unrivalled coaching service to players of all ages and abilities, featuring the best coaches and programmes in New Zealand.

We have a fantastic team of up to 15 coaches in peak season, servicing 9 tennis clubs and various primary schools and colleges in the Wellington and Hutt Valley regions.

We offer an amazing opportunity for tennis coaches to join us in NZ (either for the summer season 17 October 2022 -6 April 2023, or long-term).

Main Duties & Responsibilities:

- Community & Development Coach; deliver the Tennis Hot Shots programme (UK Mini Tennis equivalent) for 5-12 year olds, development squads, interclub team coaching, club coaching and individual lessons
- Assist with performance squads
- Assist with tournaments (Mini Tennis equivalent and graded tournaments)
- Involves 2 blocks of coaching (1 x 9-week then 1 x 10-week) with a break in between for Christmas and New Year (3 weeks or more if you wish to travel)

Personal Attributes:

- Positive 'can do' attitude
- Display a high level of personal integrity and pride in your work, be motivated and willing to learn, accurate, honest and reliable displaying initiative
- Hold strong interpersonal and communication skills for all age groups including players parents
- Able to work in a team and keep in contact with the Head Coach
- Punctuality and time management are imperative
- Initiative to work independently and make decisions based on the situation you are faced with

Essential Skills Qualifications & Experience:

- Minimum LTA Level 2 qualification
- Current First Aid Certificate
- Current UK Drivers Licence
- Current UK DBS Certificate (Enhanced)
- Competency in leading sessions involving players 5-12 years of age
- Ability to assess a player's developmental readiness & plan lessons accordingly
- Competent rallying ability, an ability to demonstrate all shots and correctional analysis of players

Preferred Skills

- An appetite to travel and experience a new culture with an ability to get stuck in to a new country and new challenges
- A desire to broaden coaching experiences by working abroad
- A desire to potentially become a full time tennis coach as a career

To apply, please email your CV and other supporting details to Susan at info@evolvetenniscoaching.co.nz

