



# Head Coach Application for Season: \_\_\_\_\_

Please submit all required documentation: [president@aaringettecalgary.ca](mailto:president@aaringettecalgary.ca)

## Contact Information

Name:	
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Email Address:	
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## Division Preferences - Please indicate your priority choice

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If you are not successful in gaining a head coach position, are you interested in being an assistant coach?

Yes: \_\_\_\_\_ No: \_\_\_\_\_

## Coaching Certifications

NCCP Number:		
	Date Completed (mm-yyyy)	Certification Number
Respect in Sport for Activity Leaders		
Competition Introduction – Ringette		
Competition Introduction Evaluation – Ringette		
Coach Initiation in Sport – Multi-Sport		
Making Ethical Decisions		
Making Ethical Decisions Online Evaluation		
Other (please specify)		

## Coaching Experience

Season:		Team:		Position:	
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Have you ever been required to attend a Ringette Calgary Disciplinary Hearing (or equivalent) due to a match or game misconduct penalty as a result of your actions?

Yes: \_\_\_\_\_ No: \_\_\_\_\_ Date(s): \_\_\_\_\_

## Questions (Answer in space provided or include additional pages)

1. What are your personal coaching ambitions? Include both short-term (1-2 years) and long-term (3-5 years)

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2. Coaching philosophy is an important cornerstone to a successful program. Briefly explain your coaching philosophy (150 words). Be prepared to give an example of a situation when you had to default to your coaching philosophy to deal with a difficult situation and how the outcome was applied to, and impacted the individuals involved, as well as the team as a whole.



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3. As the coach of a competitive program, you have to balance the competitive goals set by the association, as well as those of the team, while providing equal opportunity for all participants. How do you plan to balance these objectives, specifically with reference to winning and losing, and to ice time for participants?

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4. Failing to plan is planning to fail. With that in mind, detail the seasonal planning instrument you will use to guide you through and organize your season. Be prepared to discuss the components of your seasonal plan, the deliverables you are outlining, and how you will measure those deliverables.

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5. As a coach of elite female athletes, what opportunities have you pursued outside of the required certification courses to improve your coaching skill set and better help you meet the needs of these athletes?

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6. "Effort. Performance. Acceptance". These words apply to the process of achieving success for athletes, both male and female. Explain how these words apply to the development of team harmony and performance, and in what order should you be applying them when coaching female athletes. What specific skills (3 max) would be essential in developing female athletes?

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7. What are 3 of your strengths? What are 3 gaps or areas of improvements that you have as a coach?



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8. One characteristic of successful teams is the formation of a strong coaching staff. What does your coaching staff look like? Be specific as to the number, the demographics, the skill set, and the areas of responsibility. Also include the values that need to be shared by the coaching staff, as well as the sounds like/looks like/feels like of the group you put together.

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9. We want to provide the best possible development experience for our athletes. What do we need to provide to help ensure the best possible coaching environment, and for you to be your best?

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**Any additional information that you would like to share**

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**Applicant Checklist**

Applicants are required to provide the following documents by the application deadline date:

	Submitted (yes/no)
<b>Police Information Check (PIC)</b> (valid 3 years) <b>or proof of PIC application</b>	
<b>Screening Disclosure Form</b> (required if PIC done more than 12 months ago)	
<b>Coach Code of Conduct Pledge</b>	
<b>Head Coach Application</b>	

**Coaching Agreement:** I understand that the primary goal of minor sports is the development of the individual athlete's skills and character in a team setting. It is my responsibility to demonstrate by example and to teach the players how to accept a loss, as well as a win, in a sportsmanlike manner and to benefit from either result. I accept the responsibility to show and teach respect for the players on the other team, all coaches, spectators and officials. Each player in my charge will be given equal opportunity and consideration in all situations and contests. I understand that as a Coach, I occupy a position of trust with the athletes and will do my best to set a positive example at all times. I agree to abide by the rules and regulations of Calgary AA, Ringette Calgary and Ringette Alberta. I understand that failure to uphold this agreement could result in the forfeiture of my coaching privileges for the remainder of this season, as well as future seasons. I confirm that I have read and agree to abide by the Coach Code of Conduct, and consent to allowing the association to check references and past coaching evaluations.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date (mm-dd-yyyy): \_\_\_\_\_

