

Sailing Coach

Number of Posts: 2

Contract Type: Indefinite

Job description: To coach groups of youngsters from the ages of 6 to 18, and possibly adults on different types of boats including Optimist, Laser and Feva with aim for leisure as well as competitive sailing as needed.

Responsibilities include but are not limited to:

- The sailing coach must be able to teach safety, boat handling and sailing theory to children and adults in dinghies who are beginning, intermediate or racing sailors.
- You must be able to develop and follow training programs that include dry land and on-the-water drills and inclement weather activities.
- You must have empathy for the students and be able to adapt to their individual needs.
- The instructor is responsible for notifying students of any changes in class times, postponement due to weather conditions and make-up dates. Accurate records of attendance, injuries and boat damage is required.
- When scheduled, the sailing coach may be required to act as Race Committee during Sailing Club activities.

Other coaching duties to be fulfilled are included below:

- Care and maintenance of boats and the club.
- Provide general and onshore assistance to users and sailing coaches.
- Monitor users on the water and provide on-the-water assistance and/or rescue as situations dictate.
- Perform administrative tasks such as collecting checks, cash and accepting credit card payments for instruction, rental, and storage fees.
- Perform additional duties as required by the Program Director.
- Have knowledge and respect of the rules and regulations of Birzebbuga Sailing Club Freeport and of Marsaxlokk Harbour and be able to enforce them.
- Be familiar with the Birzebbuga Sailing Club Risk Management Plan.
- Perform additional tasks to assist in outreach of the club: blog posts, interviews,
- Help at events.
- You must complete basic environmental activities with the students throughout the week, including but not limited to: Waste separation and lunchtime recycling.
- Lead the sailors under their care in the upkeep of the club.
- Help the sailors to maintain and clean the club, boats, and grounds before and after class.

Requirements:

Notable sailing experience in at least one of the categories mentioned and ideally some years of experience as a coach within one of the categories. Coaching certification is a must. The Coach needs to be ready to start work in Malta by the end of May 2021.

Training provided: The Coach needs to be ready to start training others. The Club will provide on the job training in relation to Maltese culture.

Any assistance with accommodation/relocation:

The Club is willing to help in relocation and accommodation efforts.

Any other benefits:

The opportunity to form part, and where appropriate lead, of one of a small yet notable sailing club with international events on its annual calendar and a cohort of capable sailors willing and able to compete also abroad.

Salary: Negotiable in the €20K (gross per year) bracket.

How will the interviews be held?

Virtually

To apply

CVs and a covering email are to be sent by email to eures.recruitment.jobspplus@gov.mt and should be written in English. Please quote the vacancy name and number in your email.