

**The Manitoba Wheelchair Sport Association is seeking an:**

**Assistant Part-time Coach for our Junior Wheelchair Basketball Team**

The Manitoba Wheelchair Sport Association (MWSA) is seeking a dynamic, energetic, and innovative individual to assist with leading the Junior Wheelchair Basketball team to a podium finish at the 2015 Canada Winter Games in Prince George, B.C.. The Junior Wheelchair Basketball Assistant Coach shall:

-Assist the Head Coach with the development and preparation of the Junior Wheelchair Basketball team to compete at the 2015 Canada Winter Games

-Work with the Head Coach and MWSA to recruit athletes to the team.

-Assist the Head Coach with the implementation of the MWSA Junior Wheelchair Basketball program.

-Organize sport medicine and science sessions that will facilitate the wheelchair basketball athlete’s physical, mental, nutritional, and medical needs for athlete development and competitive success.

The successful candidate should have the following qualifications:

-Excellent oral and written communication skills;

-Experience in basketball coaching;

-Experience in the planning and implementation of a successful sport program;

-Excellent organizational skills;

-Flexibility and initiative.

Salary: Monthly honorarium as well as financial support from the Manitoba Wheelchair Sport Association for ongoing Coach-specific training.

Resume and cover letter can be submitted in confidence to [mwsa@sportmanitoba.ca](mailto:mwsa@sportmanitoba.ca) by Friday February 22, 2013. Applications may also be mailed to:

Manitoba Wheelchair Sport Association

145 Pacific Avenue

Winnipeg, Manitoba R3B 2Z6

All applications will be acknowledged as they are received, but only those selected for an interview will be contacted. Thank you in advance for your application.