



STOCKTON TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB

Football Development Officer (Full Time)

Stockton Town Football Club is seeking highly motivated, enthusiastic and reliable coach to fill the role of the Club's Football Development Officer. The role is to support and develop our junior teams, junior players and junior team Managers and Coaches. This position reports directly to the Club Chairman and you will be responsible for the delivery of the Football Clubs Football Development Plan alongside the Club's Executive Committee.

In conjunction with our site partners, Stockton Sixth Form College, the club is seeking to develop a football academy for post 16 students in 2019-20. This initiative will seek to provide a progression route to coaching roles and football related employment opportunities, alongside the training and playing opportunities for students. The role of Football Development Officer will be key in shaping and refining this provision alongside the college leadership. Initially, the role will focus on the planning of the shape of this offer and publicity for the project through the development of excellent links with local schools and student recruitment.

Stockton Town prides itself on being a progressive and ambitious grassroots Community Football Club. As a Club we can offer access to top class training facilities including a 3G pitch and extensive grass training areas and pitches.

Person Spec:

Essential Qualifications

Hold a minimum FA Level 2 Qualification and clean DBS (Working towards Level 2 would be considered)

F.A. Youth Module 1 (YAM 1-3 is preferred)

Hold current and valid First Aid & Safeguarding Children certificates.

Desirable Skills

Candidates will be required to demonstrate the following skills;

- Planning and delivery of technical training sessions to players ranging from children to adults.
- Excellent communication skills with players and parents.
- Strong planning, organisational and observational skills
- Delivery of Technical In House Coach Development sessions to the Club's coaching team.
- Managing your areas of responsibility within the Club's Football Development Plan.
- Develop and manage the Club's School and Community link program alongside the College.
- Plan and develop development a distinctive Football Academy offer for post 16 students with the college.
- Organise and coordinate the Football Club's Coaching programme within the Football Club.
- Actively participate in the on-going development of the Football Club's Football Development Plan.
- Develop, support and encourage Club Coaches in their coaching aspirations.

You need to be passionate about and committed to the development of football at a local level. You must be able to work under pressure, handle multiple priorities and meet deadlines. In addition you must have excellent interpersonal skills and the ability to positively influence at all levels, have a proven track record of managing and organising. You will also need a current driving licence and be able to work evenings and weekends where required.

To apply contact us at the address below or via e mail martin.hillerby@stocktontownfc.com and the closing date for this position is Monday 25th June 2018. (If you have not heard from us Friday 29th June, unfortunately we will not be taking your application further.)

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