

Acrobatic Gymnastics National Coach Role Description

Status of role: Contract for services (Minimum 4 days per year, plus planning/meeting time)

Responsible to: Performance Programme Manager

Location: Wales – Various locations

Remuneration: £25 per hour (negotiable based on experience) + Agreed expenses

Time Period: 1 year from appointment, potential to extend following review

Summary of services to be provided: To lead the Welsh National Acrobatic Squads, and support coach development initiatives to strengthen the Welsh coaching workforce. Delivering a programme that aligns with the Welsh Gymnastics Performance Programme Philosophy, and Values set out below.

Performance Programme Philosophy

To provide safe, positive and quality experiences that enable individuals to excel on the world stage and achieve personal aspirations within and beyond sport.

Values

Nurturing
Aspirational
Accountable

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Objectives and Delivery Areas

<p>Objectives:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improve the standard of Acrobatic Gymnastics in Wales within the Squad. • Oversee selection of gymnasts for the Acrobatic Welsh Squad. • Focus on improving gymnasts' skill and performance levels, whilst supporting the Personal Coaches in consistency of skill preparation and ongoing development. • Develop and maintain strong, effective working relationships with Personal Coaches, key partners, and stakeholders.
<p>Main delivery areas:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plan for and lead Welsh Squad sessions. • Liaise with the Performance Programme Manager and other Programme Coaches. • Provide insight and help to shape the Welsh National Acrobatic Performance Pathway as part of the Welsh Acrobatic Technical Panel. • Devise and approve a squad selection criterion with the Performance Programme Manager. • Assist in editing and developing the Acrobatic Handbook ahead of each new year. • Assist in developing and editing competition selection policies. • Outline targets for gymnasts and coaches and monitor these regularly. • Share, promote and embed the agreed values and behaviours into all performance programmes.

Personal Specification

<p>Qualifications and Membership:</p>	<p>Essential:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hold a minimum of a Level 4 Acrobatic Gymnastics Coaching Award (or equivalent). • Current WG/BG membership, hold a current DBS, and Safeguarding and Protecting Children Certificate.
<p>Knowledge and Experience:</p>	<p>Essential:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have knowledge and a sound understanding of the Acrobatic performance programme and system in Great Britain. • Experience of working with Junior and Senior Performance Level gymnasts. • Experience of working with other coaches and support staff. • Have knowledge of good practice in the gymnastics sector. <p>Desirable:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledge and understanding of the Welsh culture.
<p>Skills:</p>	<p>Essential</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Passion for gymnastics and a desire to develop Acrobatic Gymnastics in Wales. • Ability to travel. • Meticulous attention to detail. • Process driven, organised and efficient. • Ability to plan effectively. • Ability to communicate orally and in writing with people from a wide variety of backgrounds. • IT Literate. • Reliable. • Enabling skills. • Flexible approach. • Ability to work independently and use your initiative. • Ability to work as part of a team, with individuals from different backgrounds. <p>Desirable:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ability to speak Welsh