

2025-26 Season U10 & U8 Coaches

The Skimeisters Alpine Racing Club ("SARC") is a member club of the Nakiska Alpine Ski Association ("NASA") located in Calgary, AB. NASA consists of 6 independent ski clubs comprising 330+ athletes and 40+ coaches. Working in conjunction with the other NASA member clubs, SARC is committed to delivering an athletic program to Canada's next generation of U10 alpine skiers so they can attain their maximum individual athletic potential.

SARC is seeking U10 & U8 Coaches for the 2025-26 season.

Reporting to the Nancy Greene Program Manager (NGPM), the U10 & U8 Coach plays a key role in developing our young talent and providing our U10 team with athletes possessing solid technical base, tactical knowledge, work ethic, passion, and a desire to succeed.

Responsibilities

Under the direction of the NGPM, implement a fun and creative training program for U10 athletes by:

- Leading a group of U10 athletes to develop appropriate technical and tactical skills.
- Utilizing the on-snow training environments provided by the NGPM to challenge athletes and allow them to improve their technical skills, while taking ownership of their development
- Being familiar with the SARC U10 program details, day-to-day planning, safety procedures, program duration and athlete and parent expectations.
- Ensuring a safe training and race environment for athletes.
- Reporting for coaching duties in a timely manner and in the supplied uniform.
- Attending all mandatory training sessions.
- Assisting in course setting as needed to meet the daily objectives.
- Ensuring all athletes abide by the NASA Code of Conduct.
- Ensuring all SARC issued equipment is maintained and operational throughout the season.
- Understanding the full NASA program and its structure. Actively promote the Club to internal and external parties.
- Must be available weekends. Some weeknight availability may be required. The ability to travel for competitions and training may be required.

Qualifications

- Minimum ACA Entry Level Trained or enrolled in ACA Coach-in-Training program.
- ACA Entry Level Certified and/or CSIA Level 1 an asset.
- Team player, able to work well and communicate with other members of a larger coaching team.
- Comfortable communicating effectively with parents, athletes, and coaches in a mature manner.
- Personal experience racing at U16 or higher an asset.

Interested candidates please submit your cover letter, resume and professional certification/education details to NASA, <u>info@skinasa.org</u>. We thank all applicants for their interest, however only candidates under consideration will be contacted.