

The Olney Mill Otters Swim Team is currently seeking applicants for an Assistant Coach for the 2024 season. The Otters will compete in MCSL's Division H this summer, and our team consists of about 190 swimmers. We also have a pre-team of roughly 30 swimmers, aged 5-7 years old, for which this individual would be responsible for lead coaching. We are a spirited team, rooted in long-held traditions, comprised of swimmers with a wide-range of abilities. We focus on giving our swimmers a fun and memorable summer swim team experience that also improves swimmer performance through competitions and practices. We prioritize good sportsmanship and engagement in team/community activities, as well as competition.

We are seeking to hire an Assistant Coach who is motivated to help lead the team, has a solid understanding of summer swimming, and meets the following requirements:

- Attend and coach morning and afternoon swim practices and meets (including Saturday "A" meets and Wednesday "B" meets), subject to head coaches' instructions
- Serve as lead pre-team coach, directing pre-team assistants (13–18-year-old swimmers) in working with pre-team swimmers
- Ability to motivate, provide technical instruction and personal feedback to all swimmers
- Use the stroke, start, and turn progressions as trained and directed by the head coach
- Be prepared to demonstrate proper technique in and out of the water at practices
- Communicate effectively with swimmers of all ages and abilities, parents, coaches and pool personnel in a friendly and professional manner
- Help build positive team spirit, unity, and sportsmanship
- Participate in team social events including annual awards banquet, pep rallies, and other swim team sponsored events
- Assist the coaches in creating line ups for meets
- Assist the head coaches at all meets
- Current lifeguard & CPR certification required before job start date
- Knowledge of MCSL rules and procedures
- Prior swim coaching experience helpful but not a must
- Experience in SwimTopia and Meet Manager software a plus

Competitive pay provided. If interested, or if any questions, please contact the Olney Mill Swim Team at OMSTRep@gmail.com

Thank you.