

# SOMERSET

The Somerset Dolphins (Chevy Chase) is looking to hire an Assistant Coach for the 2025 season. You must be over 18 years old, willing to collaborate with and support the Head Coach, be a positive role model who loves working with kids, and be willing to contribute to creating a high-energy, fantastically fun summer swim season.

An ideal candidate will have both competitive swimming and coaching experience. Successful candidates will possess excellent communications skills, a positive and patient attitude, and enjoy teaching swimmers of all ages and skill levels. You should be able to plan a series of practice sessions, demonstrate technical competence in stroke instruction, and help manage junior coaches. The Assistant Coach is expected to model and foster strong, positive team spirit. We are a small, neighborhood team where the emphasis is on learning, community building and having fun. The season salary is competitive with the potential for an end-of-season performance bonus and the opportunity to provide private lessons at the pool.

**If you are interested in being considered as an Assistant Coach please send your resume and letter of interest to Matt Zaft at [Matthew.Zaft@morganstanley.com](mailto:Matthew.Zaft@morganstanley.com).**

## **Assistant Coach Job Description**

### *Practices*

- Attends all practices and leads practices as determined by head coach

### *Meets*

- Attends all A and B meets, Coaches Long Course, and All-Star meets.
- Models leadership and team spirit at all times

### *Team Functions*

- Attends and participates in all spirit events
- Attends all team functions

### *Management*

- Communicates clear expectations for swimmers
- Follows expectations set by head coach and helps manage junior coaches
- Attends weekly coaches meetings

### *Other*

- Models positive, constructive, engaged behaviors.
- Communicates appropriately with swimmers, parents and other coaches.
- Has current CPR and lifeguard certification - must be completed by May 19, 2024.
- Attends professional development training at the beginning of the season