



YOUTH COACHING LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

APPLICATION FORM

FALL 2026 PILOT PROGRAM

Thank you for your interest in becoming a Youth Coach with Shuswap Hoops. This program is designed to help young leaders develop coaching, communication, leadership, and mentorship skills while assisting younger athletes throughout our basketball programs.



Age of Applicants:
12-16 years old



Applicants must be available on
Tuesdays from 4:15 – 7:00 pm in October
(October 6, 13, 20 and 27) for training
and Grade 4/5 sessions.



Please send completed
applications to:
shuswaphoops2023@gmail.com

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____

School: _____

Grade (September 2026): _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

T-SHIRT SIZE

(Please check one)

☐ Youth Small ☐ Youth Medium ☐ Youth Large ☐ Adult Small ☐ Adult Medium ☐ Adult Large ☐ Adult XL ☐ Adult XXL

HOODIE SIZE

(Please check one)

☐ Youth Small ☐ Youth Medium ☐ Youth Large ☐ Adult Small ☐ Adult Medium ☐ Adult Large ☐ Adult XL ☐ Adult XXL

SHORT RESPONSE QUESTIONS

(Please answer each question in one or two sentences.)

- 1 Why would you like to become a Youth Coach? _____
- 2 Have you played organized basketball before? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, how many years? _____
- 3 Have you ever helped coach, referee, babysit, tutor, or work with younger children? _____
- 4 Which program would you most enjoy helping with? ☐ Girls Grades 4/5 Skills Lab ☐ Boys Grades 4/5 Skills Lab ☐ No preference
- 5 What is one strength you believe you would bring as a coach? _____
- 6 What is one area where you would like to improve as a leader? _____
- 7 Who is someone you look up to, and why? _____
- 8 What do you think makes a great teammate? _____
- 9 If selected, can you commit to attending coach training sessions and your assigned coaching sessions? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- 10 Is there anything else we should know about you? _____

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PARAGRAPH RESPONSE QUESTIONS

Please answer each question thoughtfully. These responses help us understand how you think, solve problems, and interact with others.

1 LEADERSHIP

Describe a time when you showed leadership. It could be in sports, school, at home, or in your community.

2 HANDLING CHALLENGES

Imagine a young player becomes upset because they are struggling with a drill or making mistakes. How would you encourage and help them?

3 WHY SHOULD WE SELECT YOU?

We have a limited number of Youth Coach positions available. Tell us why you would be a great fit for this program and what you hope to learn from the experience.

PARENT/GUARDIAN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I understand the expectations of the Youth Coaching Leadership Program and support my child in participating if selected.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

APPLICANT DECLARATION

I certify that the information provided is truthful and represents my own work.

Applicant Signature: _____

Date: _____

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