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Coaching Futures Apprentice Coach

Netball Scotland has a bold **Vision** “For netball in Scotland to be a thriving world class sport” and a clear **Mission** to achieve this. We aim “to lead the sustainable growth of netball through raising performance, profile and participation at every level of the pathway, to advance the organisational infrastructure to enable all to enjoy the sport of netball for life and to empower our people to succeed and thrive.”

These past few years have seen netball in Scotland experience a meteoric rise in profile as more people played, watched, enjoyed, and invested in our beautiful sport. This success has ignited a fire of ambition and self-belief within us all of what this sport and organisation, as well as the people within it, can truly achieve. We have raised the expectations of a nation and our future has never looked brighter.

The Coaching Futures Apprentice Coach(es) role is a joint venture between Netball Scotland and **sportscotland** as part of the Coaching Futures Project, funded in principle by **sportscotland**. The investment will support the development of the Apprentice’s coaching skills and offer embedded experience in a performance and/or development environment.

For the purposes of this Coaching Futures Project only ‘Retiring Athletes’ or ‘Retired Athletes’ within the past 5 years, will be eligible to apply for the Apprenticeship and must remain a ‘Retired Athlete’ throughout the duration of the Apprenticeship.

For clarification a ‘Retiring Athlete’ is a current affiliated member of their Sport Governing Body or equivalent, who has previously competed for Scotland or equivalent, or received “Supported Athlete” funding from **sportscotland** or equivalent, or has made a significant contribution to Scottish sport or equivalent; and a ‘Retired Athlete’ is someone who, within the past five years from the start of the Apprenticeship, has retired from competing for Scotland or equivalent, or has received “Supported Athlete” funding from **sportscotland** or equivalent or has made a significant contribution to Scottish sport or equivalent.

The Coaching Futures Apprentice Coach will work closely with the Pathways Development Manager, Scottish Thistles National Coach and sit within the High Performance Coaching Group and will deliver against Netball Scotland Strategic Plan 2019-2023 ‘Realising Netball’s Potential: A long term vision of success’ and Vision ‘For Netball in Scotland to be a thriving, world class sport’.

Salary	£22-25k pro-rata per annum, dependant on experience & status
Employment Status	Part or Full time, 18-35 hours a week, negotiable, 2-year contract
Closing Date for Applications	12 Noon Wednesday 17 th June 2020
Interviews	22 nd or 23 rd June 2020 TBC

A full job description and application form can be downloaded from the Netball Scotland website at: <https://www.netballscotland.com/governance/vacancies/> and should be forwarded to: - karen.dunn@netballscotland.com

For more information or to arrange an informal discussion please contact:
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