







## **Livingston AC Club Business Officer Job Description and Person Specification**

**Job Title** Livingston AC Club Business Officer

Reports to Partnership Management Steering Group

(Livingston AC, scottishathletics, West Lothian Council)

£5,850 per annum (10 hours per week) Salary

#### Purpose of the Job

To provide day-to-day support to the Club Board, focusing on the development and delivery of the club's business/development plan and providing a strong and clear governance model for the club, to ensure that a vibrant athletics club sits at the centre of sustainable athletics development within the community.

#### **Key Accountabilities**

Responsible for:

- Lead and support the implementation of the club business/development plan.
- Support the Club Board to develop and improve on the Clubs governing documents.
- Support the Club Board to develop and enhance the Club Management structure.
- Support the Club Board to maximise the Club's Charitable Status including the implementation of gift aid and other financial opportunities.
- Establish and manage a payroll system for the Club.
- Have responsibility for running the administration of the Club within the framework of the Board's policies, documented procedures, development/ business plan and approved budgets.
- Support the Club Board with minute taking as required.
- Work with Club Board and staff to recruit, retain, reward and develop all club volunteers.
- Plan and maximise resources and deliver cost effective, efficient support services to the members of the club.
- Any other areas of work as deemed appropriate by the club line manager or steering group.

#### Partnership Working, Monitoring and Evaluation

- Work with key partners to deliver all aspects of the project.
- Maintain close links with appropriate **scottish**athletics staff.
- Record baseline data on current club structure.
- Provide regular monitoring reports and case studies to demonstrate delivery against development plan and agreed performance indicators.
- Work in partnership with a range of agencies to raise the profile of the athletics club in the local community









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### **Person Specification**

Factor	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications and Attainments	<ul> <li>Business Management/HR qualification</li> <li>Holder of a current, full UK driving licence and use of a vehicle</li> <li>Administration experience</li> </ul>	Business Management/HR related degree/qualification or relevant experience
Experience & knowledge (in an employed or voluntary capacity)	<ul> <li>Experience of working within a commercial environment</li> <li>Experience of working effectively with partners</li> <li>Experience and knowledge of working with volunteers</li> <li>Knowledge and understanding of issues affecting athletics clubs</li> <li>Experience of initiating, developing and evaluating projects</li> <li>Experience of supervising projects and people</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Experience of working in a sports development environment</li> <li>Knowledge of national sporting/physical activity initiatives &amp; strategies</li> <li>Knowledge and understanding of sports development pathways (LTAD)</li> </ul>

#### Competencies - Skills & Knowledge

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Leadership	<ul> <li>Ability to remain open to ideas</li> <li>Ability to motivate and support others to take action/participate</li> <li>Be able to establish clear goals</li> </ul>	
Managing Delivery	<ul> <li>Be able to plan and prioritise workloads – short and long term</li> <li>Ability to manage resources to ensure work is completed efficiently</li> <li>Be able to achieve goals and meet deadlines despite obstacles.</li> <li>Be proactive in improving existing activities and processes</li> </ul>	
Change Management	<ul> <li>Be able to successfully adapt to and works effectively with changing situations</li> <li>Have experience of working with a variety of different groups</li> </ul>	
Relationship Building	<ul> <li>Ability to work with club members and other partners in a manner which gives them confidence in your intentions</li> <li>Understands &amp; meets partner needs</li> <li>Keeps partners updated</li> </ul>	
Communication & Organisation	<ul> <li>Excellent organisational skills</li> <li>Ability to communicate with others in a positive and influential manner</li> <li>Ability to ensure relevant information is communicated to the right people, in the right style, at the right time</li> </ul>	
Additional Requirements	<ul> <li>IT skills and experience</li> <li>Ability to undertake flexible working hours</li> <li>Satisfactory Disclosure Scotland / PVG Check</li> </ul>	Experience of sourcing and securing funding