

FIS Alpine Travel Coach (Part-Time, Seasonal)

About Loveland Ski Club (LSC)

Located at 10,800 feet in the Colorado Rockies, Loveland Ski Club (LSC) offers one of the longest and most consistent ski training seasons in the country, running from October through June. Our high-alpine setting provides athletes with early access to high-quality snow conditions, ensuring an unparalleled training experience.

As a non-profit, LSC is dedicated to athlete development in a fun, safe, and professional environment, emphasizing skill progression, teamwork, and character. We have a unique and supportive partnership with Loveland Ski Area, allowing exclusive training access and priority on terrain that caters to all levels of ski racing and development.

Working at LSC means joining a passionate, high-performing team in a one-of-a-kind mountain environment. Our staff benefits from an extended training season, a collaborative relationship with the mountain, and the opportunity to make a lasting impact on athletes. If you're looking for a rewarding career in ski coaching and development, LSC offers an unmatched setting to grow, lead, and inspire.

Position Overview

Loveland Ski Club is seeking an enthusiastic and experienced **Alpine Race Coach** to join our team on a **seasonal, part time day rate basis**. This role involves assisting FIS coaches with athletes aged +15yrs during travel to away races, training sessions and home races, and fostering a love for alpine skiing.

Key Responsibilities

• Athlete Travel Coaching:

- o Assist FIS Coaches in planning and coordinating race calendars, race travel and lodging.
- Assist FIS Coaches in planning strength and conditioning dryland training programs and routing sessions for LSC FIS athletes. Conduct FIS dryland sessions.
- **Mentorship:** Provide guidance and support to athletes, promoting sportsmanship, teamwork, and personal growth. Serving as a role model to all LSC FIS athletes.
- Competition Preparation: Assist athletes in preparing for and participating in local and regional competitions, including race-day coaching and strategy development.
- **Communication:** Maintain open and effective communication with athletes, parents, and fellow coaches regarding progress, schedules, and expectations.
- **Safety Assurance:** Ensure all training activities adhere to safety protocols, creating a secure environment for all participants. Creating a positive team atmosphere with a focus on team building and bonding.
- In addition to the above duties, Employee shall perform all other job duties and responsibilities reasonably assigned by FIS Coachs and LSC Executive Director to promote the financial and cultural success of the Club.

Qualifications

- Experience: Previous coaching experience with alpine skiing programs, particularly with the FIS circuit.
- **Skiing Proficiency:** Advanced skiing skills with a strong understanding of alpine racing techniques and tactics.
- Certifications: Relevant coaching certifications (e.g., USSA) are required, or the ability
 to gain certification as a USSS Level 100 Alpine coach upon hire. Compliance with all
 aspects of USSA SafeSport Code and regulations.
- Interpersonal Skills: Excellent communication and motivational abilities, with a passion for working with young athletes. Acting in a professional manner as a representative of LSC.
- Availability: Commitment to home and travel training and racing sessions throughout the ski season (November 1st April 15th), with flexibility for occasional additional events or meetings. Assisting LSC Competition & Venue Coordinator with preparation and tear down of training and competition venues ("All Hands On Deck" (AHOD) at the direction of the Executive Director)

Why Join LSC?

At Loveland Ski Club, we pride ourselves on fostering a supportive and dynamic environment where coaches and athletes thrive together. As a **Seasonal Part-Time FIS Alpine Travel Coach**, you will have the opportunity to shape the development of young skiers, work within a

collaborative coaching team, and enjoy the unique benefits of our extended training season in the beautiful Colorado Rockies.

Employee Perks:

- Free season pass to Loveland Ski Area
- Bonus Ski days and Membership to the Powder Alliance and its partner resorts such as Monarch Mountain, Purgatory, Schweitzer, Grand Targhee, and many more!
- Receive discounts on lessons, rentals, food and Loveland Sport Shop purchases.
- · Access to transferable Loveland Ski Area passes for friends and family

Application Process

If you're passionate about coaching youth athletes and eager to contribute to their growth in alpine skiing, we'd love to hear from you. Please submit your **resume and a cover letter** detailing your relevant experience to **jobs@lovelandskiclub.com**

Loveland Ski Club is an equal opportunity employer. We celebrate diversity and are committed to creating an inclusive environment for all employees.

Note: This position is based in **Loveland Valley, Colorado**. Candidates should ensure they have reliable transportation and are prepared for high-altitude working conditions.

Compensation

Daily DOE range is \$155-\$205. A typical work day is 7-9 hours.