

Position Description

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| Title: | Bobsleigh Pilot |
| Reporting to: | General Manager, Whistler Sliding Centre |
| Division and Department: | Sport, Whistler Sliding Centre |

Company Information

Whistler Sport Legacies (WSL) is a not-for-profit organization responsible for three 2010 Olympic Winter Games legacy venues (Whistler Olympic Park, Whistler Sliding Centre and Whistler Athletes' Centre). These venues are for the benefit of the community, tourism and sport development. The guest experience is our priority, so we are looking for team players who are passionate about customer service. We are inspired by life in the sea to sky corridor – an amazing playground to enjoy after a day's work.

As part of Whistler Sport Legacies, Whistler Sliding Centre (WSC) is nestled on the side of Blackcomb Mountain and during the 2010 Games was host to luge, skeleton and bobsleigh events. The track is built into the natural slope of the mountain and provides some of the most spectacular views of the Whistler valley.

Overview

The Bobsleigh Pilot is a skilled position that will see the pilot take groups of guests down the track in a four person bobsleigh at the Whistler Sliding Centre.

This position will require flexibility to assist the team with other activities. This is a winter seasonal role and requires flexibility to work weekends and evenings.

Responsibilities

- Conducts pre-checks of sleds before sessions.
- Pilot guests in a four man bobsleigh in a WSC public sled on the Whistler track.
- Interacts with guests to provide high level of customer service.
- Participates in a meet and greet pre-session as well as a post-ride guest follow up session.
- Adhere to all safety standards as outlined by WSL.
- Adhere to the program procedures and protocols.



- Upon the request and in agreement with the WSL Program coordinator, participate in other activities as may be required.
- Assist team with other duties as assigned or needed.

Position Requirements

Education/Experience

- Must meet the criteria as an experienced sliding athlete and a trained bobsleigh pilot. The criteria is as follows:

Experienced Sliding Athlete- Competed as a bobsleigh pilot, skeleton or luge athlete for a minimum of two years in the last five years at an international level.

Trained Bobsleigh Pilot

1. Successfully completed two bobsleigh school courses (one at the Whistler Sliding Centre and one at any other track) run by an official sliding sport organization within the last two years, and provide evidence of this in the form of a certificate or license and;
 2. Successfully completed a minimum of 250 runs in a bobsleigh (two or four-man) from the top of any other track or from Damen at the Whistler Sliding Centre including:
 - a. A minimum of 50 runs in a four-man sled (if intending to pilot from Damen) or
 - b. A minimum of 10 runs in a four-man sled (if intending to pilot from Novice).Proof of runs completed successfully must be provided in the form of a sign off by a coach or track.
- A willingness to assist other team members (perhaps outside the department) as needed and requested
 - A passion for exceptional customer service is essential

Physical Requirements

- Must pass a pre-season medical assessment
- Must undergo cognitive testing throughout the season
- Must pass a documented competency assessment for each start position with on site coach

Apply

- Please send your cover letter and resume to jobs@whistlersportlegacies.com (please indicate the position title in the subject line)
- Closing date is November 8, 2011.