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DIRECTOR OF SWIMMING

Part Time (0.3 FTE)
Term 4 2021 & Term 1 2022

Aquinas College is a K-12 Catholic School in the Edmund Rice Tradition servicing in excess of 1,300 local, country and international boys. Aquinas College has a rich history within Western Australia education and a reputation of producing outstanding young men.

We are seeking a passionate, dynamic and innovative **Director of Swimming** who is highly motivated. This role forms part of an inclusive, supportive and high performing team, within a values based environment, reporting to the **Head of Sport**.

Position Purpose:

To inspire, lead and manage the delivery of the College's swim co-curricular program to provide the students with quality coaching.

Other Possibilities:

The College is also looking to set-up a Learn to Swim Program and Aquinas Swimming Club, therefore this role has the possibility to be expanded to incorporate and become a full-time position for the correct candidate with relevant experience.

Successful Candidate Credentials

To be successful in this role you will have the following credentials:

- Hold a Swimming and Water Safety Teacher accreditation;
- Hold an Aquatic Technical Operations qualification (desirable);
- Hold Senior First Aid;
- Hold the currency of specialist expertise through a commitment to ongoing professional development;
- Hold a current Working with Children Check card; and
- Have or be prepared to undertake Mandatory Reporting training.

Selection Criteria

To be successful in this role you will demonstrate the following:

- Active support for the Edmund Rice Charism, Edmund Rice schooling, Catholic ethos and the College Mission;
- Delivery of an educational vision and purpose consistent with College Mission;
- Experience in a similar role, ideally gained within a school environment;
- Extensive knowledge of current swimming and pool management practices and applicable regulations;
- Strong time management and organisational skills with the ability to prioritise tasks and attending to multiple tasks simultaneously;
- Experience handling sensitive information and a commitment to confidentiality;
- Experience in or knowledge of boys' educational philosophies;
- Strong interpersonal and influencing skills, enabling harmonious and positive relationships with colleagues, students and parents;
- Demonstrated ability to work autonomously and as part of a team;
- Strong problem solving and critical thinking abilities with sound attention to details skills;
- Experience working with children
- A demonstrated understanding of child safety;
- A demonstrated of appropriate behaviours when engaging with children; and
- Familiarity with legal obligations relating to child safety including mandatory reporting requirements.



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Further information about this role is available in the [Position Description](#) linked at the bottom of this advertisement.

Employment Conditions and Benefits:

Aquinas College provides a supportive, inclusive, stimulating and spiritual work environment, with access to outstanding facilities and resources to enable academic excellence, in a beautiful setting overlooking the Canning River. The employment terms and conditions are governed by the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Perth Teachers Enterprise Bargaining Agreement 2015.

Applications:

If you are interested in this outstanding opportunity, please include the following in your written application:

- Covering letter addressing the selection criteria (2 A4 pages);
- Current Resume or Curriculum Vitae;
- Complete the Employment Application form;
- Complete the Child Safe Applicant Declaration form; and
- Copies of relevant qualifications and credentials.

Applications Close: **1pm, Monday 6 September 2021**

Aquinas College is committed to ensuring the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children and young people and has zero tolerance of any abuse of children. All applicants will be subject to Aquinas College and legislative screening procedures and checks as a condition of employment.

Aquinas College is an Equal Opportunity Employer