



## YORK R.I RUGBY UNION FOOTBALL CLUB

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### **Vacancy for a Full Time Club Development Officer To commence immediately**

Following a successful year at RI our current Club Development Officer has been appointed to a role within the RFU and to replace him we are looking for a young enthusiastic qualified sports person with outstanding communication and organisational skills to lead recruitment, training and development of our junior section. The position requires full time commitment including weekends and some evenings and the appointed candidate will need to deliver successful outcomes to an agreed program.

**Role:** To promote the game of rugby union in the name of York RI Rugby Club working closely with RFU Development team. To liaise with local schools and colleges in the development of rugby with the objective of channelling the enthusiasm of young players into becoming RI players, with their parents commitment also. To develop junior teams at the club and to design and implement a network of team coaches from parents, current and former players. To play a lead role in delivery of the All Schools Programme. To assist club coaches with development of senior mens and womens sides and individual players. To identify, recommend and secure funding opportunities for all aspects of the club including facilities, coaching and player improvement.

#### **Applicants preferred qualifications & background are as follows:-**

- RFU qualified rugby coach (Must have secured Level 2 by September 2016)
- Hold a current RFU DBS Disclosure
- Safeguarding Certificate
- First Aid Certificate
- Understanding of Touch Rugby
- Level 2 Referee Award
- Experience of working in Schools
- Full driving licence and access to transport.

Club and RFU Assistance in obtaining and improving relevant qualifications will be given to the successful applicant and a personal development plan will be agreed and implemented.

**Working Hours:** The role calls for a 35 hour week, to be split between schools/colleges and at the club organising, coaching, developing and integrating junior and senior rugby. The working hours will include week-ends, evenings and time in schools.

**Reporting:** The successful candidate will report only to the Chairman of the club.

**Pay:** A salary of £15,000 p.a. is offered together with expenses to cover travel costs. A contributory auto-enrolled pension scheme may be joined.

**Contract:** An initial 12 month contract is offered with a further 12 months available subject to successful outcomes being achieved.

**Applications:** Please submit a covering letter and CV by email to [chris.hazel.smith@btinternet.com](mailto:chris.hazel.smith@btinternet.com)