**VACANCY**

Squash Junior Development Officer (part time) - SJDO

Location:  South Canterbury

Employer: Squash Midlands Inc.

Applications close:  Friday 2 February 2018

Squash Midlands Inc. (SM) runs a KiwiSport programme which aims to increase the squash sporting opportunities offered to primary school aged children in and out of school time and to enhance links across the South Canterbury sporting and education community.

A crucial aspect of this role is the liaison between schools in the South Canterbury community and SM member squash clubs.  The Squash Junior Development Officer will plan, coordinate and ensure delivery of the ‘Kiwisquash’ programme in the school space and squash one day holiday programmes.  They will also help squash clubs with their junior programmes in a club environment e.g. Small nix programme, have-a-go days, junior tournaments etc.

Squash Midlands Inc. is looking for a vibrant, community minded person who is passionate about squash and who has relevant knowledge, skills and experience within the sport and recreation sector.  You will need sound communication and organisational skills and be able to effectively engage with people of all ages across the community.

**The primary purpose of this project is to:**

* Increase squash participation in school and club sport and strengthen school-club links.
* Increase the availability and accessibility of squash opportunities for our young people.
* Assist children to develop squash skills that will enable them to choose, enjoy and participate effectively in our sport.
* Provide support, training and coordination of club coaches, teachers, parents and high school students as squash sport leaders in the South Canterbury.

Applications to: General Manager, Squash Midlands, [squashmidlands@hotmail.co.nz](mailto:squashmidlands@hotmail.co.nz)

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