



## POSITION: YOUTH TENNIS INSTRUCTOR

### **About the Position**

Provide tennis instruction as part of the DTP team with an emphasis on overall youth development, utilizing tennis and related activities as means of developing critical life skills as well as proficiency in the sport. The DTP instructional coaching staff works collaboratively in support of the mission. Tennis Instructors ensure a high quality and positive experience for DTP's youth.

### **Responsibilities**

- Instruct youth, both on-site and off-site, 10-30 hours per week
- Execute and assist with lesson plans
- Facilitate programs (preps, setup, conduct, breakdown, evaluation)
- Serve as a positive role model, demonstrate professionalism and respect towards all stakeholders
- Communicate clearly, comfortably and consistently with both youth and parents
- Possible facilitation/instruction of adult programs and activities
- Other duties in support of the organization and its mission, if requested and as appropriate

### **Important Candidate Characteristics**

- Integrity, character, and an exemplary work ethic
- Commitment to the DTP mission and to serving all youth equitably
- Team-oriented, cooperative, collaborative, professional, and reliable
- Excellent and proactive relationship-builder and communicator

### **Required Qualifications and Skills**

- Minimum of two years' experience teaching/coaching (tennis or other) elementary, middle, or high school-aged youth
- Proven track record of orchestrating fun, engaging, safe and informative youth experiences
- Familiarity with the USTA ROGY Junior pathway and Schools program curriculum
- Tennis playing experience, even recreationally
- CPR certified within 60 days of hire

### **Desirable Qualifications and Skills**

- USPTA/PTR certification or USTA-trained
- Experience teaching tennis in a non-tennis facility setting and/or non-tennis educational settings
- Experience working with diverse youth
- Familiarity with USTA junior programs
- Proficiency in world languages

**SUBMIT COVER LETTER, RESUME and UP TO 3 REFERENCES to [APPLICATIONS@DENVERTENNISPARK.ORG](mailto:APPLICATIONS@DENVERTENNISPARK.ORG)**

**Hours:** – 15-30 hours weekly desirable

**Reports to:** Executive Director, or their designee

**Compensation:** Commensurate with experience and duties – range is \$20 - \$45 per hour

**Location:** Denver Tennis Park, Inc., 1560 S. Franklin St., Denver Colorado

**The Denver Tennis Park promotes youth development for all kids of all abilities both onsite and offsite. We believe in the power of physical and mental fitness to change lives.**

***The DTP is proud to be an Equal Opportunity Employer***

Note: DTP opened to the public 11/15/2018. Please visit our website: [www.denvertennispark.org](http://www.denvertennispark.org).