



Te Wero Gymnastics is small, but mighty gymnastics club committed to nurturing the talents of gymnasts at all levels. What we lack in facility wow-ness, we make up by providing a holistic approach in coaching gymnastics - the interconnectedness of mind and body in an athlete's performance. This coaching style focuses on the mental, emotional, and physical aspects of gymnastics training to develop well-rounded athletes. Te Wero Gymnastics has produced several Canterbury and National championships, as well as international gymnasts representing New Zealand in the world gymnastic stage.

Our mission is to provide a supportive and dynamic environment where athletes can thrive and achieve their highest potential.

We are currently seeking an experienced and passionate **Senior WAG Coach** to join our dedicated team and work alongside our head WAG Coach, Svetlana Sazonova, for immediate start (if possible). **This position is for 28+ hours per week** (negotiable for more), based on an hourly rate, via salary.

As a Senior WAG coach at Te Wero Gymnastics, you:

- will be responsible for coaching and enhancing our senior squads (STEPS 6-8) competitive gymnastics programme,
- will work alongside Head WAG Coach, Svetlana Sazonova and co-coaching our senior squads (STEPS 9+),
- will work closely with our gymnasts, parents and fellow coaches to foster a positive and motivating training atmosphere,
- will provide technical instruction and constructive feedback to improve gymnast's skills and performance,
- will plan and conduct daily training sessions, including strength and conditioning,
- will monitor and evaluate gymnasts' progress, adjusting training plans as needed,
- will prepare gymnasts for competitions, including choreography and routine development,
- will ensure a safe training environment and promote injury prevention,
- will mentor and support junior coaches and staff,
- will work collaboratively with other club coaches and with the management committee,
- will communicate effectively with athletes, parents and management committee members,
- will stay updated with the latest coaching techniques and gymnastic trends,
- will work proactively and comply with GNZ's WAG technical rules, regulations and policies,
- will be accountable for working within the club's vision, mission, policies and procedures set forth by the Management Committee

QUALIFICATIONS & EXPERIENCE

- Have a minimum of 2 years of coaching experience in Women's Artistic Gymnastics in the senior levels of STEPS 7 and above,
- Have a clean proven track record of coaching gymnasts to success at local and national levels,
- Have strong technical knowledge of all WAG apparatuses,
- Have excellent communication and interpersonal skills,
- Have the ability to inspire and motivate athletes,
- Have the necessary GNZ coaching qualification (minimum WAG Artistic Junior Advance or higher),
- Have a current First Aid and Child Safeguarding certification,
- Be currently eligible to work in New Zealand,
- Have a current driving license and independent mode of transport.

BENEFITS

- Competitive salary based on experience and qualifications,
- Professional development opportunities and mentorship under Svetlana Sazonova,
- Supportive and collaborative team environment with coaches and management committee,
- Opportunities to travel for competitions,
- Working in a relaxing and positive environment and given trust,

How to apply: Interested applicants should submit their CV's, a cover letter detailing their coaching experiences, qualifications and references to patti@tewerogym.org.nz.

***Due to visa application complexity, costs and current processing wait-times, applicants who are not already eligible to work in New Zealand will not be considered.*

Application closes: when suitable applicant has been found.