



**PARNELL**  
**S W I M C L U B**

**Position:** Junior Coach

**Club:** Parnell Swimming Club

**Location:** Various Auckland Pools (Glendowie, Epsom, Remuera, Newmarket, Mission Bay, St Heliers)

**Hours:** Part-time, approx. 6-8 hours per week

**Compensation:** Competitive hourly rate

### **Join a Legacy of Excellence at Parnell Swimming Club!**

Parnell Swimming Club, with a proud history of over 100 years, is seeking an enthusiastic and motivated Junior Coach to join our successful team. We are a top-tier competitive club that fosters a flourishing community of dedicated swimmers. Following our highest national finish in over 20 years and with a junior program consistently ranked in the top 3, this is a fantastic opportunity to start your coaching journey with one of Auckland's premier clubs.

This role is perfect for a developing coach, a former competitive swimmer, or an experienced swim instructor looking to make an impact in the world of competitive swimming.

### **About the Role:**

Reporting directly to Head Coach Max Polianski, you will play a vital role in shaping the next generation of Parnell swimmers. You will work primarily with our junior squads (ages 8-11) as they begin their competitive journey. This is a hands-on coaching role with a focus on fundamental development and fostering a love for the sport.

### **Key Responsibilities:**

- Assist the lead coach during squad training sessions.
- Independently lead small groups or individual lanes, focusing on stroke technique and drills.
- Provide constructive and encouraging feedback to swimmers.
- Contribute to a positive, supportive, and competitive training environment.
- Assist with the setup and pack-down of training equipment.
- Be available to assist at swim meets on designated weekends.

### **What We Are Looking For:**

- An individual with a genuine passion for swimming and youth development.
- Strong communication skills with the ability to connect with young athletes, parents, and fellow coaches.
- An enthusiastic, patient, organized, and reliable team player.
- A competitive mindset balanced with a focus on long-term athlete development.
- Previous experience as a swim instructor or assistant coach is ideal. Former competitive swimmers with a desire to coach are strongly encouraged to apply.
- **Crucially, the successful applicant must pass a police vetting check.** A formal coaching qualification is not essential, as we prioritize finding the right person with a willingness to learn and grow.

### Why Join the Parnell Team?

- **Be part of a prestigious club** with a 100+ year history and a recent track record of national success.
- **Gain invaluable mentorship** and on-the-job training from our highly-regarded Head Coach.
- **Flexible hours** that can work around university studies or other commitments.
- **Make a real difference** by inspiring and developing the foundational skills of our future champions.
- **Opportunity for growth** within a supportive and ambitious coaching team.

### How to Apply:

If you are excited by this opportunity and believe you have the passion and qualities to succeed, we would love to hear from you.

Please send your CV and a brief cover letter outlining your experience and why you are interested in the role to our Head Coach, Max Polianski.

**Contact:** Max Polianski

**Email:** [max@parnellswimclub.co.nz](mailto:max@parnellswimclub.co.nz)

Applications will be reviewed as they are received.