

The Bowls Development Alliance (BDA) is a newly formed organisation which has been created to lead on the development of the sport of bowls through the clubs, counties and coaches in England. In particular, the BDA aims to increase the profile of the sport by increasing participation and satisfaction levels of those playing the sport.

The BDA wishes to recruit to the following post:

Position: Bowls Development Manager

Salary: Up to £40,000 based on experience

Location: Flexible location with reporting base in Melton Mowbray

Contract: Fixed term to 31 March 2013

Bowls is a popular sport with low barriers to entry and opportunities to participate throughout the year. It is a sport that people of all ages and abilities can actively enjoy recreationally all the way to elite competition. There are currently over 400,000 club members in over 7,500 venues.

The BDA is seeking an enthusiastic, motivated and highly organised individual to lead on the strategy for the development of bowls. This is an exciting opportunity with significant potential for the role to develop as the organisation matures. The Development Manager will manage the day to day running of the BDA reporting to the Chairman of the Board.

Applicants will be expected to have proven experience of sports development and will need to demonstrate a good understanding of the sporting landscape including local delivery. Knowledge of bowls would be an advantage, but is not essential.

All application information is available at <http://www.eiba.co.uk/bda/bda-vacancy.php> or by telephoning 01664 481900. For an informal discussion about the post, contact Peter Thompson on 01664 481900.

Closing date

5pm on Monday 19th July 2010

Interview date

Thursday 5th August 2010

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