

National Director, Scholastic Pistol Program, Scholastic Shooting Sports Foundation

Location: Remote, Contiguous USA

Reports To: Executive Director

The Scholastic Shooting Sports Foundation (SSSF) is seeking a highly motivated individual to assume the role of National Director for the Scholastic Pistol Program (SPP). The successful candidate will be responsible for all aspects of the SPP and related action shooting programs within the SSSF.

The Scholastic Shooting Sports Foundation (SSSF), is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization and is the national leader in youth development shooting sports programs. Using a combination of education and athletics, our mission is to enhance the growth and personal development of student athletes throughout the nation through the shooting sports.

Through a variety of fun, team-based shooting events in both our Scholastic Clay Target Program (SCTP) and Scholastic Pistol Program (SPP), we provide student athletes aged elementary through college with a supportive environment where shooting sports serve as catalysts for teaching life lessons and skills that emphasize positive character traits and citizenship values. Throughout all training, practice and competitions, we instill in our participants a commitment to safe firearm handling, teamwork and leadership.

Job Description

The SPP National Director will:

- Provide leadership for all aspects of the SPP and associated action shooting programs within the SSSF.
- Utilize a network of Regional Field Representatives, state advisors and other key contacts, to grow and maintain SPP member teams across the country.
- Successfully market the SPP to shooting ranges, schools, youth organizations and existing youth shooting sports programs.
- Coordinate education and training to new member clubs and coaches.
- Provide tools, technology and other resources to facilitate participation.
- Develop partnerships with other action shooting programs/organizations to promote SPP to ranges and provide new pathways for SPP member athletes and their families.
- Be responsible for SPP program fundraising to meet budget goals.
- Work with the Executive Director of the SSSF to develop new leads for foundation gifting.
- Maintain and grow shooting industry support and sponsorship for the SSSF's action shooting programs.
- Develop and provide national fundraising packages to benefit local teams and the SSSF/SPP and promote other fundraisers benefitting team endowment accounts.
- Grow SPP / action shooting match participation across the country.

- Serve as on-site match director (MD) for all SSSF/SPP National action shooting events and some regional events.
- Recruit local volunteer match directors for regional and state championship events and work closely with volunteer MDs to ensure events are conducted in accordance with SSSF/SPP standards.
- Work closely with the Executive Director to develop annual program budget and monitor program income and expenses against the budget.
- Provide direction and supervision to SPP Regional Field Representatives to accomplish program objectives.

Desired Qualifications

- 5+ years experience in a leadership role managing volunteers and employees
- 3+ years experience in fundraising
- 3+ years experience in successfully managing shooting competitions
- Prior experience as a volunteer shooting sports or other youth sports coach
- Prior experience successfully developing grassroots, volunteer-based programs
- Working knowledge of action shooting sports
- Strong interpersonal and presentation skills
- Self-motivated with ability to work remotely as a team player
- Familiarity with action shooting sports registration and scoring software programs
- Ability to travel up to 30%

Salary and Benefits

Position is full-time, and salary will be commensurate with experience and qualifications. 401K, health, dental and vision insurance available.

Application Process

To apply, please email a cover letter and resume (.pdf format is preferred) to Ben Berka at bberka@sssfonline.com. The application period will close at 5:00PM CST on August 26.