

Scottish Student Shinty Chair Role Description

Role Title:	Scottish Student Shinty Chair
Responsible to:	Head of Competitions
Where (Location):	Various within Scotland
Time commitment:	Variable, 10-15 hours per month, with optional 2-3 full day tournaments
Role duration:	The minimum duration of the role is 1 year (until 30 th June 2025), however there is scope to stand for a longer or shorter period at the discretion of SSS. Following this there may be opportunity to re-stand for this, or another, role on the Development Group at the agreement of all parties
Role description:	<p>Scottish Student Sport (SSS), the organisation for student sport in Scotland, is seeking an energetic and committed individual to act as one of the lead volunteers within Scottish Student Shinty.</p> <p>The Chair will enjoy an excellent opportunity to contribute to developing the sport alongside the Camanachd Association (CA).</p> <p>The selected individual will be a key figure in the drive towards improving and strengthening student shinty in Scotland.</p> <p>The Chair will work with the SS Shinty Vice-Chair and SSS staff to assist coordinate event delivery, communicate with student participants, support event volunteers and improve both SGB engagement & club development.</p>
Main tasks:	<p>Programme Management</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Organise and attend all student shinty club captain meetings • Promote student shinty competitions and opportunities to clubs, plus results and wider activity <p>Develop the sport</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Build relationships with student shinty clubs to understand their needs and how SS Shinty can support them • Promote a positive culture across student shinty • Develop relationships and work on goals set by the CA and other associations • Promote and celebrate student shinty via our website and social media • Lead the development of equality and inclusion actions within SS Shinty • Assist introduction of more student development opportunities with the assistance of SSS Staff Members and other parties • Develop the SS Shinty calendar, in conjunction with SSS Competitions Staff and the CA <p>Event delivery</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support SSS Staff with organisation of SS Shinty competitions • Attend and aid delivery of the SS Shinty competitions • Arrange SSS medal and branding logistics for each SS Shinty event

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure SSS has results and participant data from each event
Required skills, qualities and experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proactive can-do attitude • Experience of student Shinty in Scotland • Knowledge of the Shinty landscape in Scotland • Empathy for student club experiences • Ability to effectively communicate with a range of stakeholders
Training and support available:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any relevant CPD courses/experience as identified by SSS Staff • Named staff member within SSS
Recruitment	<p>Please send a CV and cover letter to eilidhgibson@scottishstudentsport.com by Sunday 16th June 2024. Selected applicants will then undergo an informal interview process. This will be communicated to applicants via email after the closing date.</p>