

## Fantastic New Joining Benefits

- Discount on Sports Coach UK Workshops—25% on workshops attended through the Sports Development Unit
  - 10% discount on purchases in Inter Sport outlets on the Isle of Man  
*(you will be required to show your membership card before purchase)*  
**For further information or details regarding specific purchase please contact Charlie Turner on 453634**
  - 15 % discount for a consultation with Nutritionist Kathryn Sentance  
Contact: 464271 – [Kathryn@nutri-balance.net](mailto:Kathryn@nutri-balance.net)
  - MSR Coaches Association branded Polo Shirt !!
  - **Subsidised use of NSC facilities, please see below:**
    - \* **During off Peak times 07.00—16.59 weekdays and 9.00—20.00 Weekends a gym visit will cost members £2.50 (normal price £4.00)**
    - \* **50% discount on a swim** Adult = £1.65 ( £3.30 normal charge )  
Intermediate = £1.40 ( £2.75 normal charge )  
Senior = £0.95 ( £2.30 normal charge )
    - \* **30% discount for an NSC Athletic Track yearly membership**  
Adult = £55.00 ( normal price £83.00 )  
Junior Student Senior=£41.50(normal price £62.00)
- (THE PRICES ABOVE ARE AT THE TIME OF PRINTING AND COULD CHANGE )**
- \* **Please note for the above benefits you must have a NSC residents card**
  - Mentoring Opportunities  
*(if feasible the opportunity to work with a Level 3 coach)*
  - MSR Association Membership Card
  - Four copies per year of the Sports Coach UK Edge Magazine
  - £76.00 ( full membership ) to join Sports Coach UK and gain the insurance benefits membership offers, normal joining cost is £85.00
  - Reduced rate to join Sports Coach UK and the insurance cover their membership offers
  - **Various Continual Personnel Development opportunities available to coaches**

## Contact Us

If you require any additional information regarding the MSR Coaches Association or on forthcoming courses please do not hesitate to contact the Sport Development Unit.

**By phone: Office Number : 688592**

**Email: [enquiries@msr.dtl.gov.im](mailto:enquiries@msr.dtl.gov.im)**

**Website: [www.gov.im/sportsdevelopment](http://www.gov.im/sportsdevelopment)**



# Taking Coaching Seriously





## Introduction

Manx Sport and Recreation ( MSR )Coaches Association was launched in 2007, and since that time has attracted over a hundred members, who have all had the opportunity to access free training and subsidised rates on Sports Coach UK workshops.

The DCCL through MSR recognise the important role that coaches have in the development of sport on the Island and ensuring sportsmen and women of all ages and abilities have easy access to sport and the opportunity and environment to develop their skills positively and safely.

MSR Coaches Association has now been in place for four years, the Sports Development Unit ( SDU ) is now ready to launch the second phase of the Association, which will now be known as the Isle of Man, Manx Sport and Recreation Coaches Association. ( IOM MSR CA )

The new IOM MSR CA will now welcome membership from all sports recognised by Isle of Man Sport. However, the ultimate decision on a coach's membership in relation to a successful or unsuccessful application will lie with the SDU.

Sports Coach UK, the National body for Coaches has been a key partner in setting up the Association. Sports Coach UK recognises that coaches play a crucial role in the sporting community. Through the development of a single coach's association the scheme will ensure that highly skilled coaches deliver sport to children, players and athletes across the Island. The IOM MSR Coaches Association will provide the tools needed for this to happen.

Sports Coach UK recogniseS that the Isle of Man is setting a great example to sporting agencies across the UK and is leading the way for future developments in this area.

## Aims

The IOM MSR CA aim is to build a support system that makes it easier and more convenient for coaches on the Island to develop their knowledge and skills, both through making training courses more accessible, improving communication and sharing knowledge in the coaching community.

In the long term the Association will help improve the level of coaching, create a safer and better environment for young competitors and athletes to learn and develop their skills .

In addition to assisting coaches develop their skills, the IOM MSR CA has a number of minimum requirements designed also to improve the overall quality and safety of coaching on the Island.



## Database

Information regarding qualifications/ police check will be kept on a central database. A database like this will be an invaluable and convenient source of information. All information on members of the association will be stored in one place and could potentially be shared with sporting, educational and other agencies to provide peace of mind with regard to the qualification of a coach. This will take place in line with the Isle of Man Data Protection Act 2002

## What you need to join

**For a successful application coaches must have the following:**

- Attended Safeguarding & Protecting Children Workshop
- Attended Equity in Your Coaching Workshop
- Hold an up to date Emergency First Aid qualification
- Hold a satisfactory Police Check or CRB Check
- Hold a minimum of a Level 1 National Governing Body qualification

## How do I join?

**Once you have established that you meet the above requirements, you need to contact Gianni Epifani on 688592 at the Sports Development Unit for an application form. Alternately you can email [enquiries@msr.dtl.gov.im](mailto:enquiries@msr.dtl.gov.im) or visit our website [www.gov.im/sport](http://www.gov.im/sport) to down load an application form.**

Please complete the application form and return it along with COPIES of all your **QUALIFICATIONS** and **TWO PASSPORT SIZED PHOTOS**. If you experience any problems completing your form please contact Gianni. The cost of joining is £15.00 for a yearly subscription.

**IF YOU JOIN BETWEEN JULY 31st—DECEMBER 31st 2011 MEMBERSHIP IS ONLY £7.50 !! (This does not apply to current members )**

**CURRENT MEMBERS WILL AUTOMATICALLY BE TRANSFERRED OVER TO THE NEW ASSOCIATION AND ENJOY THE FANTASTIC BENEFITS THAT ARE AVAILABLE HOWEVER, PLEASE NOTE: A NEW STYLE POLO SHIRT WILL ONLY BE ISSUED WHEN COACHES HAVE SUCCESSFULLY RENEWED AND PAID FOR THEIR MEMBERSHIP**

**ALL SUCCESSFUL APPLICANTS WILL RECEIVE A JOINING PACKAGE AND MEMBER INFORMATION BOOKLET**

