

## **Job Title: Head Varsity Boys and Girls Tennis Coach**

### **ABOUT Maranatha Christian Academy:**

Maranatha Christian Academy is a private, K-12 Christian School located in Shawnee, KS. All employees are required to sign and adhere to our Statement of Faith and provide evidence of a strong Christian witness. We believe the Bible to be the inspired, the only infallible, authoritative, and inerrant Word of God. We believe that God is the Creator of all things, including mankind. Men and women were created by God for a unique purpose and calling. Our coaches and faculty are called to be the spiritual leaders for their teams and students. We strive for excellence and honor God in victory or defeat. Each coach has a tremendous responsibility to help their athletes become great players but more importantly strong men and women of God. The most important goal is that our students come into a deeper relationship with Jesus through their involvement in MCA athletics.

**JOB SUMMARY:** The Head Varsity Boys and Girls Tennis Coach will work under the supervision of the Athletic Director in accordance with MCA's strategic mission. The ideal candidate will have an extensive background in coaching Tennis at either the High School, Club, or collegiate level. We are looking for someone who can coach the fundamentals of the game. The Head Coach will also be responsible for creating a summer camp system that helps build MCA Tennis from the elementary level all the way to the High School varsity level. The Head Coach is expected to be at practice Monday-Friday and be present at all varsity matches. Boys Tennis is in the spring and girls tennis is in the fall. We had over 20 girls play in the fall and about 5 boys last spring season.

**QUALIFICATIONS:** Education/Certification: Bachelor's degree in a related field. Applicants must have a clear testimony of confession of Christ and an evident walk. All applicants must have a current resume with a fully completed application.

**Primary Purpose:** Provide instruction and coach students to develop skills and the ability to excel in Tennis. Contribute to the education program as a whole and to the growth of students involved in athletics so that they are successful both in the classroom and on the court. Provide a welcoming environment where students, spectators, and opposing teams are honored. Build a legacy that will withstand your time at MCA.

**Special Knowledge/Skills/Attributes:** The ideal candidate will be someone who can coach all talent levels and abilities. Must have experience or a desire to work in a Christian school environment. Comprehensive knowledge of the game and an ability to lead is paramount. Confidence AND patience to teach the skills of the game and extensive training in the best techniques and drills. Understanding and general awareness of KSHSAA rules. Demonstrated ability to instruct and supervise student athletes. A coach who is not afraid to hold his or her athletes accountable. Awareness of "FCA 3D coaching model". Someone who is comfortable having spiritual conversations with assistant coaches, athletes and parents.

**Salary - \$3,000 for the year.**