

# MEET YOUR COACHES



#### ADAM BURGIN

I've been coaching for nearly 10 years, starting as an Apprentice at 17 and completing my Level 2 qualifications along the way. Over the years, I've gained valuable experience working with other coaching companies in the Doncaster area, delivering PE in schools across South Yorkshire. Now in my fourth year at Active Fusion, I've progressed to the role of Senior Sports Coach, where I support our School Partnership work.





### **TOM HORTON**

As an Inclusion Officer, I focus on creating an environment where everyone feels valued and respected. I work to ensure that diverse voices are heard and included by developing programmes, offering advice on inclusive practices, and helping teams build fair and accessible opportunities. Outside of work, I stay active by going to the gym and playing for my local football team on weekends. I've also recently developed an interest in gundog training with my Cocker-Spaniel puppy, Ozzy.



#### **PATRICK STOTHARD**

I'm Coach Patrick! I've been coaching for six years, starting with school clubs in Chesterfield while studying Sports Coaching at Sheffield Hallam University. After completing a Master's in Strength and Conditioning and interning at Barnsley FC, I worked as a sports coach in Botherham and

#### **JOSH BATEMAN**

Hi, I'm Josh. After transitioning from teaching to working with Leeds United, I now organise Active Fusion's community sessions and School Games events across Doncaster. Outside of work, I enjoy football, golf, motorbiking, and spending time with my young family. I'm always eager to embrace new challenges and make a positive impact in my community.





#### **TEA RILEY**

My name is Tea, and I have had the pleasure of working with Active Fusion for the past 9 years. I oversee the school holiday provision and also teach both in schools and through community sessions. My role in these dynamic environments ensures that no two days are ever the same. Outside of work, I'm passionate about exploring new experiences and constantly expanding my knowledge.



#### ALEKSY MARZEC

I'm Aleksy and I'm in my fourth year of coaching. I deliver curriculum-based lessons in schools and lead community sports sessions across Doncaster, focusing on inclusivity, especially for children with SEN. Outside of work, I enjoy spending time with friends, playing for a local Sunday league football team, and regularly playing badminton. Fun fact: I'm a big Arsenal fan!





#### **OLIVER BRISTOW**

I am deeply passionate about cricket, a sport I love playing in my free time. I also enjoy coaching young people to help them develop a love for sports, as I believe the skills learned through sports can be valuable in many areas of life. Teaching cricket allows me to share how exciting and enjoyable the game can be, and for the football enthusiasts out there, I'm a proud Liverpool fan!



#### **BEN SWEENEY**

My role involves delivering curriculum-based lessons in schools and providing engaging sessions in communities. With a background working with children with SEN, I ensure that everyone has the chance to participate. Outside of work, I enjoy spending time with friends and staying active through various sports. I play for a local Sunday league football team and enjoy badminton with friends. A fun fact about me is that I'm an Arsenal fan!

## **Additional Information**

While the staff mentioned in this document represent our core delivery team, you may occasionally see other members of staff at our camps or sports sessions. These visitors may include other members of our wider team, such as marketing, senior leadership, casual coaches hired on a temporary basis, volunteers, or external

providers who join us to deliver unique, specialised activities such as taekwondo, inflatables, or Forest School sessions for your children. You can <u>meet our team here.</u>

Rest assured, all individuals contracted by us - whether permanent, temporary, fulltime, part-time, or casual - are fully DBS-checked and authorised to work in environments with children and young people. Additionally, anyone working on our camps or at our sports sessions will be carrying identification to confirm their association with Active Fusion.

At Active Fusion, safeguarding is our top priority and the golden thread that runs through all we do. You can <u>view our full safeguarding policy here.</u>

All camp venues are safely locked and secured 15 minutes after the camp start time to ensure the safety and containment of all participants. If you do need to contact a member of staff within the camp, please contact our Head Office at 01302 637276.

For further information, please feel free to contact our Designated Safeguarding Lead, Suzy Broadhead, at suzy@activefusion.org.uk

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