



POSITION DESCRIPTION – JUNIOR COACH

Coaches are one of the most important roles within the club. Coaches have the potential to be a highly influential figure in players' lives and as such are figures which everyone looks up to. They are responsible for training the team in preparation for matches. It's an exciting, rewarding and active way of staying in the game and allows you have a direct influence on performance.

Qualifications & Experience:

- Current coaching qualifications at a minimum "Smart Rugby" level
- Current Working with Children check
- Knowledgeable about the game
- Committed to player development and growth
- Committed to fair play and club values
- Approachable and a good communicator with a variety of people and personalities

Duties:

- Ensure sure Tape, First Aid equipment and First Aid kits are appropriately stocked and available
- Ensure you understand the club's emergency procedures
- Attend refresher training when appropriate
- Keep records of player medical conditions and injuries
- Complete incident/injury reports as they occur, in line with Rugby Victoria/ Rugby Australia regulations
- Promote the welfare of all club members and participants based on Rugby Australia guidelines and club policy (e.g. management of concussion injuries)

What you will get out of it:

Unfortunately, injuries happen, so your role is vital in making sure players are treated quickly and efficiently. Thanks to you the right people will be on hand with the right equipment during matches and training. You will be making the best of some difficult situations but will earn the respect and gratitude of all players and club members. It's also a great way of staying involved in the game if you've already hung up your boots.