NEWTOWN BREAKAWAYS FOOTBALL CLUB

Position Description Form



Job Title Head Coach

Accountability: NBFC Executive / General Committee

Hours: Minimum contact of 8 Hours Per Week

General Description & Overview

Newtown Breakaways were formed in 2002 when they broke away from Sydney Uni. The Breakaways have been key pioneers for women AFL in NSW playing in the Swans colours of Red and White. The club soon became the powerhouse club amongst the SWAFL league winning the four premierships (2002-2005) equalling the men's AFL record of consecutive premierships held by Collingwood (1927-1930) and recognised as the team of the decade in 2009 and backed it up with the Premiership in 2010 and most recently in 2015.

With the growth of AFLW comes a new challenge in the 2020's. As a legacy to the original Breakaways the Breakaway catch cry is "All I wanna be ... and that's Fierce / Committed / Competitive / Independent/ Respectful / United

The Breakaways have vision for the remainder of the decade and into the 2020's to be:

"The home for AFL in the inner west, diverse & inclusive communities of Sydney, where individual achievement and competitive team success is acclaimed and celebrated".

The Breakaways are looking for a Head Coach to assist them achieve their mission:

To be the leading AFLW Community Club supporting pathways for female players from juniors to adults to the highest level of achievement in the women's competition. To enable the inner west, diverse & inclusive communities of Sydney including all genders to participate and contribute to AFL.

Key Responsibilities

- To be the head coach of the NBFC providing coaching leadership for the NBFC for all on field activities of the club
- To be the head coach of the NBFC Premier Division
- To provide coaching leadership for the NBFC for <u>all</u> playing divisions including selection, assistance and supervision of team division coaches as appointed
- To provide the highest standard of coaching to all players and support the sporting development of the club for all divisions
- To maintain and generate a competitive but supportive atmosphere for the NBFC to achieve their vision and mission on and off the playing field
- Support & adhere to AFL NSW/ACT Policies and Rules at all times

Remuneration

The club will negotiate an appropriate remuneration package dependent on Qualifications, Skills and Experience. The club will further reimburse authorized expenses Including

- Cost of further training &/or accreditation
- Other expenses related to the engagement as approved by the Executive Committee

Key Objectives

- Season long commitment
 - Pre-Season commenced late January
 - Season commences Late march/early April
 - Season concludes mid late September
- Support & adhere to AFL NSW/ACT Policies and Rules at all times.
- Apply the code of conduct for coaching staff and players that supports the objectives of the Club on and off the field.
- Work effectively with NBFC Players Development Group to identify and support Individual Player Programs and achieve their highest level of achievement.
- Work effectively with NBFC Team Coaches to ensure a cohesive approach to the clubs on field performance in all divisions and individual performance
 - Instruct the players placed under their care and to see that all players carry out sufficient training
 - Liaise with division team coaches to establish a consistent coaching policy throughout the Club
 - Communicate effectively with players and assist to prepare individual player programs
- Develop and establish an appropriate pre-season training program.
- Develop training program and conduct training with all divisions, engaging with players and divisional coaches/captains/team leaders
- Provide team leadership and act as the Chair of Match Selection Committee
- Provide game day coaching expertise.
- Assist and recommend to the Executive opportunities and strategies for recruitment of players and appropriate football support staff.
- Attend Club functions as agreed to
- Provide regular reports as required throughout the season.
- Assist with junior development outside the Club as agreed where possible or appropriate.

Qualifications - Accreditations

Essential

 Level 1 Coach Accreditation – online and face to face components

Desirable

- First Aid
- Valid Working with Children Check

Relationships

- Reports to the Club President and Club Executive
- Liaises with Division Team Coaches, Managers, Players, Umpires, Ground Manager
- AFL NSW/ACT as required

Game day & Training

Attendance is expected at the following:

- All Premier Division game day matches (Saturday or Sundays locations as scheduled)
- Weekly team training (Wednesdays: 6:30-8:30 Mahoney Oval Marrickville)
- Weekly skill development training (Mondays 6:30-830 Alan Davidson Oval Alexandria).
- Home Ground: Mahoney Oval, Marrickville

Application:

For more information contact: Anna Ruut President - 0400288127 or email

Applications to be submitted to: President Newtown Breakaways FC Inc (president@newtownbreakaways.com)

Applications Close: 5pm Mon 27 November