

Job Advertisement

SUANFC Men's Premier Division Head Coach (2026 Season)

Sydney University Australian National Football Club (SUANFC) invites applications for the position of **Head Coach – Men's Premier Division** for the **2026 AFL Sydney season**.

About SUANFC

SUANFC is one of the most established and successful Australian Rules Football clubs in Sydney, with a proud history of developing players, coaches, and leaders both on and off the field. The Men's Premier Division program represents the club at the highest level of community football in Sydney, competing in a strong and competitive league.

The Role

The Head Coach will lead the Men's Premier Division program, driving on-field success, player development, and alignment with the broader values and vision of SUANFC. This is a leadership role that requires strong communication, in-depth knowledge of high-level football, and the ability to foster a high-performance culture.

Key Responsibilities

- Lead and manage the Men's Premier Division program, including players, assistant coaches, and support staff.
- Develop and implement a game plan and training program that ensures competitiveness and player growth.
- Foster a strong, positive, and inclusive team culture that aligns with SUANFC's values.
- Mentor and develop emerging talent from within the SUANFC pathway.
- Work collaboratively with the Football Committee and club leadership to achieve strategic goals.
- Represent SUANFC in a professional manner on and off the field.



Key Selection Criteria

- Demonstrated coaching experience at Premier Division / State League or equivalent level (minimum Level 2 AFL Coaching Accreditation, or willingness to obtain).
- Proven ability to lead, inspire, and manage a playing group and coaching team.
- Strong technical and tactical knowledge of modern football.
- Excellent communication, interpersonal, and leadership skills.
- Commitment to player development across all levels.
- Ability to contribute to the long-term success and culture of the club.

What We Offer

- An opportunity to coach at the highest level of AFL Sydney.
- Strong club support structure.
- A culture of excellence, professionalism, and inclusiveness.
- A negotiable coaching honorarium based on experience and qualifications.

How to Apply

Applications should include a cover letter outlining your coaching philosophy and experience, along with a current CV.

Submit applications to: lscown@suanfc.com

Applications close: Friday 24 October 2025

For further information, please contact: Lindsay Scown 0400561646