



POSITION DESCRIPTION
AFL SOUTH COAST SENIOR MENS AND WOMENS REPRESENTATIVE COACHES

Position: Mens and Womens Senior Coach (separate positions)		Date: March 2019
Overview of Role	<p>The role of the AFL South Coast Mens and Womens Senior Coach (separate positions) is to deliver a talented player program leading to the selection of the AFL South Coast Senior Mens and Womens team to compete against AFL Hunter Central Coast on Saturday 18th May in Newcastle. The Senior Coach is also responsible for delivering game day coaching along with leading assistant coaches in the delivery of the game plan.</p> <p>The Senior Coach will lead a team of volunteers to deliver a professional, equitable and rewarding experience to all participants in the squad. As Senior Coach you will be required to work directly with the AFL South Coast Football Operations Coordinator, have exceptional leadership skills and an excellent knowledge of AFL South Coast players and competitions.</p> <p>The key responsibility of the Head Coach is to develop and deliver a sound, professional and enjoyable playing experience for all players in the squad.</p>	
Key Relationships	<p>Reports to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ AFL South Coast Football Operations Coordinator <p>Direct Reports</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Assistant Coaches <p>Other Key Relationships:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Team Manager ➤ AFL South Coast Club Coaches ➤ AFL South Coast Players 	
Job/Task Profile	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assist in developing a program for the AFL South Coast Representative squads from selection date through to the match including the requirements outlined by the AFL South Coast Football Operations Coordinator • Communicate with clubs and players in respect to player form, injuries, availability etc • Attend the AFL South Coast v AFL Hunter Central Coast match on Saturday 18th May 2019 in Newcastle • Assist the AFL South Coast Football Operations Coordinator in the appointment of a selection panel to attend AFL South Coast matches • Assist in the appointment of support staff and squad coaches as required in conjunction with the AFL South Coast Football Operations Coordinator • Communicate all training dates, locations and times as agreed with AFL South Coast Football Operations Coordinator in a suitable and timely manner to ensure maximum attendance • Agree to and adhere to the coach's code of conduct as supplied by AFL NSW/ACT • Develop a player itinerary for the team and work closely with the Team Manager and other staff as required for distribution prior to departure • Manage and develop all game day plans working with the Assistant Coaches and Team Manager including team recovery sessions, group feedback sessions etc 	



Key Selection Criteria	<p>Mandatory</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foundation Coaching Qualification • Senior coaching experience • Demonstrated personal initiative and ability to work effectively unsupervised. • Demonstrated attention to detail • Well developed verbal and written communication, interpersonal, presentation, and negotiation skills
	<p>Desirable</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intimate knowledge of AFL South Coast • Level 2 (or higher) Coaching Qualification
Expectations	<p>Availability</p> <p>The following is a list of the expectations of the Senior Coach.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Saturday 18th May – attend representative match in Newcastle • Set, coordinate and attend squad training sessions on selected nights prior to the match • Various weekends and evenings as required to attend selection meetings as well as AFL South Coast matches to assist with selections • Provide regular feedback to players and AFL South Coast Club Coaches on expectations and performance
	<p>Reporting</p> <p>Provide a comprehensive report to the AFL South Coast Football Operations Coordinator at the conclusion of the program. The report is to provide feedback / recommendations on the overall representative program and should address, but is not limited to the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Selection process ○ Training and development program ○ Matchday experience ○ Suggestions to improve the program in future years ○ Any other suggestions / comments around the campaign