



MERNDA JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB

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Season 2024 Junior Football Coaching Application Form.

Name:

Contact Details

Ph:

Email:

Age group applying for:

Season 2023 Club/Age group Coached:

Qualifications:

Currently football coaching accredited? Yes / No If so, what level?

Accreditation number:

Expiry date:

Other Coaching accreditation? Yes / No If so, what sport & level:

If not accredited, are you prepared to obtain accreditation prior to, or in your first year of

Coaching with the Club? Yes / No (*Training is funded by the Club*).

Do you have football *coaching* experience?

If so, which Club(s) team(s), & year(s) did you coach:

Do you have football *playing* experience?

If so, which Club(s) team(s), level(s) & year(s) did you play?

Do you have any other skills, qualifications or experience advantageous to this application? If so, please detail below: (attach extra pages if required)

What is your reason for making this application?



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Do you have a coaching philosophy? What do you think is important when coaching juniors? (*Attach extra pages if required*)

Support Staff:

Coaches are responsible for the recruitment of suitable staff to assist him/he; however consultation and assistance may be sought from the Junior Football Committee.

Each team will be expected to provide at least one active committee member for season 2020.

Please list your proposed Support staff for season 2021 if known.

Assistant Coach:

Runner:

Team Manager:

Medic:

Tenure:

Coaches are appointed for one (1) season tenure. Commencing from date of appointment and terminating on the completion of the Season's Presentation Day.

All Coaches positions are then deemed to be vacant and applications will be sought from both existing coaches and new applications for the following season.

It is the clubs intention to introduce each team to a different coach approximately every 3 years, although our ability to do this will depend on the number of applicants received.

Set Up/ Pack Up:

First home game of the day - The coach is responsible for ensuring that the Ground and Club rooms (Home and away) are set up for play.

Last home game of the day - The coach is responsible for ensuring that all equipment including goal post covers are packed away.

Training Sessions - The Coach is responsible for set up and packs up on the completion of their training session. Team parents are asked to help out but the final responsibility remains with the Coach.

Fundraising Functions & Activities:

Coaches are also asked to support the club in all its fundraising efforts by way of their own participation and their encouragement of others in the team to do the same. The Club cannot run on registration fees alone.



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Duties & Responsibilities

- Adhere to and promote the “Coaches, players, officials, parents and spectator’s codes of conduct”.
 - Accept and abide by all Committee decisions
 - Have a competent understanding of game, competition, league & Club rules
 - Attend all matches and training sessions
 - Plan, organise & run Training sessions with age appropriate drills & development training
 - Instruct football skills and team tactics
 - Encourage & support all players to reach their full potential & maximize their enjoyment
 - Identify individual player skill levels and match the learning experience for that player
 - Encourage parents to become your helpers at training sessions & on game day
 - Provide clear instruction and feedback to the team and individual players
 - Attend club meetings on request, represent the Club at official club functions & activities
 - Continually seek to upgrade skills, knowledge of the game & training techniques
 - Have an understanding of injury prevention, care & risk management
 - Develop team morale and a rapport (a connection) with the players
 - Make every effort to ensure that each players participation is a fun & positive experience
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- All coaches must undertake an interview.
 - Applications close Sunday, November 27th 2023.
 - Please email completed applications to: The Club Secretary Belinda Smith – merndajfnc@gmail.com

“Feel the Pride, *Share the Passion*”.