



**FERNTREE GULLY
NETBALL CLUB**

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Head Coach 2024

The Ferntree Gully Netball Club are currently seeking applications for the role of Head Coach for the 2024 Winter and Spring seasons.

Purpose of the Position

- Lead the coaching of our 13, 15 and 18 & Under players in a manner that extends and develops players to their fullest potential in a fun, safe and inclusive environment.
- Mentor and encourage our team of Coaches and Assistant Coaches so that they can learn and develop new skills and feel confident and capable to coach teams both in conjunction with other coaches at squad training and independently during designated team time and during Saturday games.
- Consult regularly with our Mods/11U Head Coaches to ensure consistent messaging and standardized skill development across all coaches and players of the club.

Primary Responsibilities

Develop and implement training strategies and sessions

- Develop a coaching plan for the season including setting a curriculum which highlights drills to be used each week including a fitness component.
- Engage with all players, regardless of ability, to ensure everyone feels included and has the opportunity to develop

Grading and Team Selection

- Lead the organization of grading day and participate in grading all age groups as part of a panel chosen by the committee (internal or external).
- With the information from coaches and grading day notes create teams for the executive committee to approve.

Coach Mentoring

- Provide leadership by empowering the club coaches to coach Ferntree Gully Netball Club players.
- Encourage and mentor coaches whilst they complete their Foundation Coach Accreditation and work through the Coaching Development Pathways. Seek out training/professional development opportunities and encourage coaches to attend.
- Provide the necessary resources/guidance to coaches to develop their skills in planning and executing structured training sessions, skills instruction and match day strategies.
- Be available to mentor coaches during a Saturday game

Candidate Requirements

- A minimum of 2 years coaching experience
- At minimum hold or be working towards Development Coach Accreditation
- Hold current or be willing to attain HLTAID003 Provide First Aid certificate
- Have an ABN
- Age 18 or above
- Hold a current and valid Working with Children Check
- The Head Coach will report directly to the Coaches Convenor and Executive Committee of Ferntree Gully Netball Club.

Time Requirements

- All 13 & Under training sessions on Tuesdays from 4.30-5.45pm and 15 and 18 & Under training on Tuesdays 5.45-7pm at Knox Regional Netball Centre. These times may be subject to change in 2024.
- Available to mentor on Saturdays for at least one game. A different coach/team will be visited each week (or the Head Coach may choose to visit two coaches for half a game each) and the clubs least experienced and youngest coaches should be prioritized to receive the mentoring early in the season.

Payment

- Remuneration will be based on experience
- Remuneration will be in alignment with the Ferntree Gully Netball Club By-Laws. This is paid to offset the costs involved with maintaining a professional standard of the Head Coach Role and in recognition of the time commitment required for this position.
- The Head Coach will have the cost of their NVM reimbursed and their Ferntree Gully Netball Club playing fees will also be covered during the time in which they are Head Coach. Alternatively, the fees of one individual from the Head Coaches immediate family may be covered if the Head coach is not playing in that season.
- Payment will be made to the Head Coach in installments to be agreed upon by the coach and committee. If the term of the Head Coach is not for the full season then a pro-rata amount will be paid.

Applications

Applications should be sent to ferntreegullynetball@gmail.com and include a brief summary of your credentials as well as a statement explaining why you would like to take up this role that is inline with the job description.

Applications close 31/12/2024

About Ferntree Gully Netball Club

Teamwork, Endeavor, Respect

The Ferntree Gully Netball Club exist to encourage and promote Netball in the Ferntree Gully area, encourage participation and enjoyment in the sport of Netball as a means of improving health, fitness, and the quality of life, and to encourage improvement in the standard of Netball and sportsmanship generally.

We currently field 27 teams in the Mountain District Netball Association Saturday competition across 5-7 yo Ministars, Modified, 11s, 13s, 15s, 18, Open and A Reserve and A Grades.

Ferntree Gully Netball Club is committed to providing a child safe environment for all our members.

Ferntree Gully Netball Club respectfully acknowledges the Wurundjeri people of the Kulin nation as the traditional custodians of the land on which we play netball and pays respect to Elders past and present.