

# CIRCULAR



**Subject:** 2017 COACH INFORMATION

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<b>Summary:</b> 2017 Coach information form is now available for completion.	<b>Action:</b> All clubs must submit details of coaches on the attached form by 5pm, 17 February 2017. This is a compulsory return. A \$100 fine may apply if not returned by the due date.
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Details for coaches must be completed for each grade nominated on the form also attached to this email and returned no later than 17 February. This information is also required for all assistant coaches whether paid or unpaid.

## INDUCTION

Please ensure you coaches are aware of the compulsory coach induction to be held Wednesday 15 March.

## REMUNERATION

Together with senior coaches, assistant coaches may be remunerated for his or her service as a coach, provided the total per team does not exceed \$15,000. Only the senior coach of each team in a club is permitted to be remunerated for his or her knowledge and service as a coach and play without forfeiting his amateur status. For the avoidance of doubt, an assistant coach is not permitted to be remunerated as a coach and play.

## ACCREDITATION

It is a requirement of the WAAFL that all coaches hold Level 1 – Senior accreditation as a minimum. Accreditation expires after 4 years and requires renewal.

Where a coach is appointed and does not hold a current coaching accreditation, he is required to attain his Level 1 Coaching Accreditation no later than 30th June in that year. Until the accreditation is earned a minimum Level 1 accredited coach is required to officiate as a non-playing assistant coach.

Where an unaccredited coach does not fulfil his obligation to become accredited by 30<sup>th</sup> June, he shall not be permitted to coach or play or act in any official capacity on match day for the remainder of the year.

Coaches who did not complete their accreditation the previous season cannot be appointed coach until their accreditation is completed.

To check the accreditation status of any coach, please see below.

## ACCREDITATION COURSES

Level 1: For a list of all courses, visit <http://www.wafootball.com.au/development/coaches/upcoming-courses/level-1>

Level 2: The level 2 course for the 2017 season was held last November. The next level 2 course will be held in November 2017.

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