Position Description – Colts Coach

SECTION 1

POSITION TITLE: East Perth Colts Coach

TYPE of EMPLOYMENT: Contract / Temp - Maximum Term Contract (1 year)

KEY FOCUS OF THE ORGANISATION (EPFC Vision):

To provide an elite pathway and facilities for all players in the North-East Metropolitan and WA's South-West Regions.

CORE VALUES

At the East Perth Football Club, we value

- OUR PEOPLE
 We care for, support and develop our people
 We are one united team committed to delivering our agreed objectives
 Together we celebrate our successes and achievements
- OUR RELATIONSHIPS

We deeply value the players, volunteers, stakeholders and fans of our game We are committed to building relationships that are enduring We earn trust through our behaviours and communications

BEING OUR VERY BEST We strive to give our best every day We are recognised as an organisation that gets things done

We bring passion, perseverance and a positive attitude to everything we do

LEADING OUR INDUSTRY
 We respect our history as we shape our future
 We work in partnership to ensure East Perth's success
 We aim to set the standards for our industry

KEY FOCUS OF THIS POSITION (Why this job exists):

The Head Coach of the Colts is responsible for preparing and coaching the Colts playing group of the East Perth Football Club and ensuring at all times that the Club is portrayed as a professional organization to the satisfaction of the Chief Executive Officer and the Board of Directors.

REPORTING RELATIONSHIPS		
POSITION REPORTS TO:	DEPARTMENT / BUSINESS UNIT:	DIRECT REPORTS:
Talent Manager	Football Department	Colts Line Coaches

Key Attributes of the Position

The Colts Football Coach is responsible to plan, prepare, and deliver a professional football program based around a strong game plan that utilities the strengths and weaknesses of the Colts playing group, whilst keeping up with current trends within the game.

You will also be the key driver in instilling a strong club culture that strives for individual growth, team success and a strong presence within the West Australian Football League

SECTION 2 Requirements of the Position		
	STANDARD, TIME-FRAME, or for WHO	
Football Operations and Performance	• Develop and deliver both preseason and in season training programs that are aimed at developing the talent pathway playing group based around skill acquisition and improvement, physical preparation, team structures and game plans using a structured and disciplined approach. (Ensure training sessions reflect game plan and style of play).	
	• Utilize vision captured from both game and training sessions to lead vision reviews that educate players and coaches. These sessions should recognize both areas that were performed well and areas in which can be improved. Feedback should be provided on an individual and team basis.	
	• Liaise with the Talent Manager, Football Operations Manager, Director of Football and other relevant staff appointed from time to time, with the appointment of key coaching and support staff and ensure they are educated, developed and perform in a way that is consistent with the Colts Football Coaches and clubs' philosophies and standards.	
	 Contribute to all Football Department projects with the Football Operations Manager, Talent Manager and Director of Football, including, but not limited to; Assist with a Colts list assessment based on positional, age and talent profiles. Assist with understanding the talent that 	

 is coming through the clubs Talent Pathway. Assist with football department reviews to ensure the club is always looking to improve.
 Hold regular meetings with the Colts leadership group to gain feedback from the playing group, understand any challenges within the group and help the leadership group drive standards amongst the group.
• Build and maintain strong relationships with the Colts playing group through providing an environment that supports individuals and their welfare but also challenges actions, decisions and behaviors that fall outside of those expected by the coaches, playing group and club.
• Complete opposition analysis on teams and their individual player's strengths and weaknesses. Use this information to plan and train any strategies that give us the best opportunity to win.
 Lead and instill the club's values, in conjunction with the leadership group and those on-field values as developed with the Colts playing group.

• Be involved with the East Perth Talent Advisory Committee which provides support and direction to the talent pathway, including coaching appointments, colts and senior playing integration, transition of players into senior football and talent identification.
 Build and maintain strong relationships with key stakeholders, including, but not limited to; Board of Directors Club staff, coaching, support staff and volunteers East Perth Talent and District staff Sponsors West Australian Football Commission Media Supporters
 Attend, at the request of the club, however, importantly not to impact on the colts football program various functions and events, including, but not limited to; Board meetings Football Affairs Meetings Hec Strempel Medal FD Book Medal
 Lower South West and South West region events, including EPFC Regional Academy training, coaching education seminars, transitioning players meetings and annual regional/metro club visit.
 Assist with the promotion and marketing of events and initiatives that will help the club generate membership, sponsorship and income
 Prepare material for club publications including training updates, squad updates and an article in the annual report

SECTION 3 COMPETENCIES REQUIRED FOR THIS POSITION: 1. Technical Knowledge 6. Initiative Minimum of Level 2 Coaching Accreditation Taking independent action to positively influence • (preferably working towards Level 3). events without receiving direct instructions whilst Recent Coaching experience, preferably as a remaining in the limits of defined accountabilities. Head Coach with control of your own team. 2. Computer literate 7. Planning and Organising Advanced knowledge of Hudl and Ability to organise and prioritise a course of action for self and to accomplish goals. Sportscode. 8. Analytical Power 3. Effective Communication Ability to clearly convey information and Ability to identify priorities, issues and potential ideas through a variety of media, including problems by integrating information from presentations at meetings, in a manner different sources and drawing logical inferences that engages the audience and ensures and valid interpretations from the data. Key comprehension of the message. example being but not limited to sports science, injury management and physical conditioning in a sporting environment 4. People Management 9. Judgement Strong ability to build positive Ability to make carefully weighted decisions and relationships with players, staff and take actions based on the information available. stakeholders taking situational constraints into account. 5. Leadership **10. Problem Solving** Strong leadership qualities that provide the Ability to recognise a problem, identify possible ability to drive East Perth Football Club causes, generate alternative solutions and select culture through the entire football the most appropriate course of action giving full department consideration to all factors. A proven understanding of what success looks like and what it takes to achieve it

Please submit your resume and cover letter outlining your experience by Friday 21st October to Aaron Ballantyne (Talent Manager) at <u>aballantyne@eastperthfc.com.au</u>