

Position Description



General Details:

Position Title	State Coach
Position Reports To:	DNV Committee
Position Liaises With:	State Team Manager State Support Staff
Qualifications:	Current full driver's licence
Memberships:	Netball Victoria Deaf Netball Victoria
Position Status:	Voluntary
Length of Appointment:	11 months – 1 March 2011 to 31 January 2012
Position Purpose:	As the senior member of the Victorian Australian Deaf Games 2012 team, the State Coach is responsible for the development of the players and teams.
Allowances:	Free Games Registration. Approved expenses will be reimbursed throughout the year.
Special Requirements:	Working with Children Check Police Check (as Volunteer)
Background	<p>Deaf Netball Victoria is a not for profit association that is also the state peak body in Victoria for Deaf and hard of hearing netballers.</p> <p>Deaf Netball Victoria is governed by a board committee of 8 voluntary members. DNV is affiliated with Deaf Sports Recreation Victoria.</p> <p>DNV have a strong partnership with Netball Victoria.</p>
Description created:	2 February 2011

Key Duties:

Liaison with Key Stakeholders

- Provide positive and appropriate communication with players, support team, parents and sponsors
- Liaise regularly with Team Manager, support team and DNV committee.
- Attending any problems that may happen amongst players and parents, coaches and supporters

Training

- Provide effective, quality coaching to each individual player vying for selection in a State Team/s to improve their netball skills, tactics and game knowledge in accordance with generally accepted coaching techniques.
- To ensure that the training experience is positive and encouraging for continued involvement in the sport and Victorian representation.
- Liaise with Team Manager in organising the booking of training courts, equipment and communications

Selection

- Provide pro-active and constructive feedback to all players on their training performance.
- Implement the Selection Policy when preparing for and selecting the State Team/s.

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- To prepare and manage the players to maximise the individual and team performance
- To ensure that players follow appropriate nutrition and re-hydration strategies, players conduct appropriate stretching, warm-up and warm-down activities
- Effectively communicate to individuals and the team on game strategies
- Provide positive and appropriate communication to athletes, parents, sponsors and DNV Committee
- Liaise with the Team Manager in organising training, travel and equipment

Personal Qualities & Skills

- Desired Auslan fluency (or willingness to learn Auslan)
- Excellent written and personal communication skills
- Foundation Coaching qualification (Level 1)
- At least 2 years experience in coaching netball
- Highly motivated
- High level organisational skills
- Multi-tasking
- Able to do tasks without supervision
- Computer skills, especially e-mail & Microsoft Office applications
- A genuine passion for team spirit