



Joondalup Wolves

WABL Coach Appointment Policy

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1. Overview

This policy outlines the process and criteria required to appoint representative coaches at the Wanneroo Basketball Association (WBA). The WBA will strictly adhere to this policy to select all Western Australian Basketball League (WABL) and State Championship Coaches.

The WBA Selection Panel will consist of the WBA CEO, the WBA Player and Coach Development Manager (PCDM), the WBA Pathways and Development Coordinator (PDC), and other WBA Staff.

2. Head Coach Appointment

2.1 Coaches can be appointed after the following criteria has been met:

- 2.1.1 Submitting an official application
- 2.1.2 Receiving approval by the WBA Selection Panel
- 2.1.3 Submitting a valid Working with Children Check (if required)
- 2.1.4 Agreeing to the terms of coaching WABL basketball at WBA.
- 2.1.5 Coaches will initially be appointed to an age group, not a specific team.

2.2 Following trials, the PCDM will email coaches privately to inform them of the team they have been appointed to coach.

2.3 Following the coach's acceptance of the position offered, and after teams are announced, coaches will receive an email with player contact information and information needed for an introduction email to be sent to selected players.

2.4 Coaches will be required to send an introduction email to their team and provide the upcoming schedule for trainings prior to the first session.

3. Assistant Coach Appointment

3.1 Assistant Coaches can be appointed after the following criteria has been met:

- 3.1.1 Submitting an official application
- 3.1.2 Receive approval by the WBA Selection Panel
- 3.1.3 Submitting a valid Working with Children Check (if required)
- 3.1.4 Agreeing to the terms of coaching WABL basketball at WBA.

3.2 Assistant Coaches will be given specific placements. The Player & Coach Development Manager will email WABL Head Coaches with an Assistant Coach nomination for their team.

3.3 Head Coaches will be required to deny or accept that nomination.

3.4 If accepted, the Player & Coach Development Manager will email the Assistant Coach to inform them they have been appointed as an Assistant Coach.

3.5 Head Coaches cannot appoint Assistant Coaches without WBA approval.

4. Coach Acceptance Policy

- 4.1 Prior to accepting a Head Coach or Assistant Coach position, Coaches must agree to the terms of coaching WABL at WBA.
- 4.2 Terms include:
 - 4.2.1 All coaches to implement the Wolfpack Way and coach in accordance with the Wolfpack WABL Curriculum.
 - 4.2.2 Adhere to the WBA and BWA Coaches Code of Conduct.
 - 4.2.3 Adhere to all other policies and procedures as prescribed by the WBA.
 - 4.2.4 Assistant Coaches will have 48 hours to accept this position by responding to the email stating they accept and agree to terms of coaching WABL at WBA.

5. Coach Accreditation

- 5.1 All coaches (Head and Assistant) must adhere to the following guidelines in relation to coach accreditation:
 - 5.1.1 Head Coaches are required to currently hold a minimum Competition level accreditation or be working towards achieving Competition level accreditation prior to the commencement of the WABL season.
 - 5.1.2 Assistant Coaches are required to currently hold a minimum of Participation level accreditation or be working towards achieving Participation level accreditation prior to commencement of the WABL season.
 - 5.1.3 Coaches must submit proof of accreditation to the WBA upon request.