

**Nominations are being sought for Junior District South Adelaide teams for the 2017/18 basketball year.**

The South Adelaide Basketball Club actively encourages players, parents, members and all those interested in coaching to apply to coach within the South Adelaide Junior Program. The input of a Coach on the Junior Program as a whole and in particular those within a team/squad is invaluable and all of the Club greatly appreciates the sacrifice, passion and dedication of our coaches.

The Club continues to refine the Junior Program to ensure all players are playing in appropriate grades and competitions to ensure their best opportunity to develop. We believe further changes to our Junior Program structure will assist both players and coaches to continue to commit to their basketball and the Club, as well as provide development pathways for all our junior members.

## Division 1

The appointment process for Division 1 coaches is managed by the Basketball Operations Sub-Committee and appointments ratified by the Club Executive Committee. For Division 1 coach positions, previous experience with Division 1 or equivalent coaching experience is desirable, but not essential. As a guideline it is expected that most successful applicants for the Division 1 coaching positions would be currently coaching in the equivalent of a Division 1 team or have demonstrated the ability to manage a program in the district competition and have had experience in the age level being applied for.

The Division 1 Coach has an obligation to develop their program beyond an individual season or a particular team/group of players. They are accountable for planning, developing, coordinating and ensuring that the basketball training programs being delivered within that age program addresses improvement in the basic sound fundamentals and skills of the club's players and coaches.

## Roles and Responsibilities

1. Attend training sessions, games, State Championships and provide opportunity for players to attend and play in tournaments (where appropriate);
2. Attend training sessions, games etc., for the other teams within their program (where appropriate).
3. Assist coaches within their program through providing opportunity, resource material and advice (where appropriate) to aid the development of individual and team coaching skills.
4. Play a major role in the team/player selection process, for that age program.
5. Assist with the administrative duties for that age program (as required).
6. Attend meeting requirements of the SABC.

## Division 2 and Below

For other coach positions, we are aiming to strengthen our pool of developing club coaches. Division 2 coach positions are in support and assistance to the Division 1 coach whilst the Division 3 coach positions are for those coaches seeking to demonstrate their abilities in managing a program of their own in the district competition and in developing others. We will be making a concerted effort to incorporate development and succession planning for all of our club coaches as we believe that this is a valuable pathway for any aspiring coach to enter.

Division 2 and below coach appointments follow those of the Division 1 positions. These appointments are made by the Basketball Operations Sub-Committee in consultation with the Age Group Division 1 coach.

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## Coach behaviour

Coaches are expected to display behaviour consistent with that of South Basketball Club's Junior policy manual.

Guidelines for behaviour:

- Be a Leader, a positive influence and role model.
- Reward effort, fair play and commitment.
- Recognise and respect the differences in your athletes.
- Demonstrate respect for all individuals involved in the game.
- Always consider the physical and emotional well-being of the athletes.
- Communicate in a positive and rational manner.
- Respect and coach within the spirit of the game.
- Always attempt to contribute to the betterment of the game.

To discuss coaching positions and all questions can be directed to Jason Balfour, Junior Program Manager at [juniors@southadelaidebasketball.com.au](mailto:juniors@southadelaidebasketball.com.au)

Please complete this form and return it by 9am Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2017 by email to Claire Dunsmore, Basketball Operations Manager at [claire.dunsmore@southadelaidebasketball.com.au](mailto:claire.dunsmore@southadelaidebasketball.com.au) and cc Jason Balfour at [juniors@southadelaidebasketball.com.au](mailto:juniors@southadelaidebasketball.com.au)

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "C. Dunsmore", is placed on a light grey rectangular background.

**Claire Dunsmore**  
**Basketball Operations Manager**  
**South Adelaide Basketball Club**

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This form must be lodged with [claire.dunsmore@southadelaidebasketball.com.au](mailto:claire.dunsmore@southadelaidebasketball.com.au) by Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2017.

PERSONAL INFORMATION	
NAME:	
D.O.B:	
ADDRESS:	
MOBILE:	
EMAIL:	

COACHING PREFERENCES	
POSITION TYPE: (please circle)	DISTRICT COACH / DISTRICT ASSISTANT COACH

TEAM PREFERNCES					
1.	AGE GROUP		DIVISION		GENDER
2.	AGE GROUP		DIVISION		GENDER
3.	AGE GROUP		DIVISION		GENDER

COACHING BACKGROUND	
COACHING ACCREDITATION LEVEL:	YEAR ACHIEVED:
CURRENTLY REGISTERED WITH BSA?:	
TEAM CURRENTLY COACHING:	
OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION: (State, NITP, Playing Experience, First Aid)	

DIVISION 1 APPLICANTS - PLEASE COMPLETE THIS SECTION	
PROPOSED TRAINING SCHEDULE:	

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<b>COMMENTS ON OVERALL STRENGTH AND WEAKNESSES OF THE RELEVANT AGE GROUP:</b>	
<b>PROPOSED OFFENSIVE AND DEFENSIVE STRUCTURES FOR THE TEAM:</b>	
<b>COACHING PHILOSOPHY:</b>	

In addition, if you would like to add anything further to support your application please attach a separate sheet to the back of this form.

All applicants must have completed the coach registration process, which includes a national police check, Play by the Rules online training and a signed Code of Ethics prior to round 1 of the Summer season. Further, successful applicants for coach positions will be required to sign a form acknowledging the Club's Coach Code of Conduct.

- Coaches applying are reminded that the appointment is for 12 months
- Coaches will be required to attend various information sessions and BSA training programs.
- Coaches need to be available to travel interstate for tournament involvement.

*\*I understand if nominating for a Division 1 coaching position, I will be responsible for overseeing all teams in all divisions within my age group.*

*\*\* I understand if nominating for a Division 1 coaching position I will be required to attend all mandated tournaments including the Eltham tournament in January.*

**SIGNED:** .....**DATE:** .....