



COLLINGWOOD BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

BIG V HEAD COACHING POSITIONS

About the Collingwood All Stars

The Collingwood Basketball Association exists to support our community and to provide a development platform for our players and members, through our passion for basketball. Our vision is to be the basketball association of reference in Melbourne's inner-north for people who love and want to get involved in the sport. The Association is proud of its values of inclusion and participation.

Collingwood Basketball Association is a not-for-profit community-based basketball club which offers players, coaches, technical officials and administrators of all ages and abilities in inner city Melbourne the opportunity to participate in a variety of competitions and programs. Playing as the Collingwood All Stars, our Association includes members from most of Melbourne's inner northern suburbs and beyond, as well as central city surrounds. With a strong community focus and with essential support from many volunteers, our Association has been recognised by sporting and government bodies for its inclusion and multiculturalism.

For juniors, we offer opportunities to learn and develop basketball skills in beginner programs, to play in competition on Saturdays as part of the Eastern Districts Junior Basketball Association, and for those who wish to further challenge themselves to play at representative level on Friday nights (Victorian Junior Basketball League). We also have an Access All Abilities program for players with a disability, we offer holiday programs during the Easter, July, and September school holidays, and we provide specialist coaching programs and clinics. For those aged over 18 years, Collingwood All Stars has multiple teams in Victoria's elite Big V competition. We also operate a graded senior domestic social competition on Sunday and Monday evenings.

2022 New Junior Representative Program

Collingwood Basketball Association is preparing to launch our new 2022 Representative and Youth Development Program that is based on the three pillars of Basketball, Academic/Life Skills and Community. In our junior ranks, there will be an increase in the number of on court sessions and strength and conditioning for all athletes.

Additionally, there will be an increased emphasis on connecting and integrating our junior and Big V program which is key to building a strong pathway for our junior players through to senior representative basketball. Our Big V coaches will work closely with our Head of Basketball, Manny Hendrix, to integrate our Big V program with the new representative program. More details available upon request.

Collingwood All Stars is recruiting a Women's Basketball consultant to focus on female participation and development of our Association players, coaches, and technical officials. The Youth League Head Coach will work closely with the Women's Basketball consultant to promote our female athletes and raise the profile of our Youth Women's team.

Big V Head Coach

POSITION DESCRIPTION

The purpose of Big V at Collingwood Basketball Association (CBA) is to compete at a high standard of senior basketball, while building a pathway for our juniors and providing a point of community engagement and achievement.

As a senior position within the CBA, our Big V Coaches are required to support and promote the values and inclusion, while building a positive team culture that enables each player to be their best.

Following a Top 4 finish in 2021, the goal for our Youth Women's team is to win a Championship in 2022. The goal for our Senior Men's team is to move to Championship Division in 2023.

POSITION SUMMARY

There are two Big V Head Coach positions currently vacant at Collingwood All Stars:

- Division One Senior Men
- Division Two Youth League Women

Each Head Coach will work with the Club to achieve successful outcomes in our Big V program both on and off the court. They will be responsible for all coaching and other related duties as required to be successful at the Big V level. To be considered for this role you will need to possess sound qualifications, experience as a coach and / or player gained at senior representative level or higher.

DUTIES

As a Big V Coach your duties include, but are not limited to the following:

- Coach in all team practices and games
- In conjunction with staff and Committee delegates appoint suitable Assistant Coach(s)
- Develop, retain, and recruit players at the required level to be successful in Big V. A particular focus will be on developing genuine pathways for current or past CBA junior players.
- Select and manage a squad of players within Association guidelines. These guidelines include a prescribed number of players in the squad and a minimum number of current or past CBA junior players (exact guidelines to vary between teams).
- Plan and implement a training program in conjunction with the Assistant Coach(s)
- Provide leadership and guidance to players on and off the court.
- Manage player issues of both individuals and the group.
- Ensure all players have a clearly defined strength and conditioning program.
- Encourage regular team and player engagement with CBA's junior teams.
- Develop strong relationships with CBA's Head of Basketball, other Big V coaches, VJBL coaches and players to ensure the continued success of the CBA's Representative programme.

- Attend all professional development opportunities and coach meetings.
- Adhere to the Basketball Victoria and Big V Codes of Conduct and related policies.
- Act in a professional manner and be a positive role model that always represents the Club favourably on and off the court.

ESSENTIAL CRITERIA

- Working with Children's Check
- Member Protection Statutory Declaration

APPLICATIONS CLOSE SUNDAY 10th OCTOBER (interviews will be held as applications received)

*** Remuneration will be negotiated upon appointment**

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