



Senior Boundary Umpire Coach **Position Description**

Duties

1. Work collaboratively with the AFL Barwon Regional Director of Umpiring to be responsible for the coaching and performance of all boundary umpires. To provide regular reports and make recommendations regarding coaching procedures to the AFL Barwon Regional Director of Umpiring.
2. Manage the selection process of match day appointments and observations in accordance with the GFUL agreed timelines and policies. In conjunction with the boundary umpires coaching panel develop strategies that will improve the ongoing observations and appointments of boundary umpires. Ensure that observations and umpire ranking are data based and up to date.
3. Partake in a mid-season review and compile an end of season report on key performance indicators.
4. Identify and establish plans for emerging talent. Similarly develop pathways for experienced umpires within the Colts and Senior grade levels to ensure all members are catered for, rewarded and engaged in their umpiring pursuits.
5. Develop and implement training procedures in conjunction with the training supervisor that will assist the boundary umpire members to maintain and improve their fitness and performances.
6. Co-ordinate and implement coaching sessions throughout the season and provide feedback to the AFL Barwon Regional Director of Umpiring as a part of the regular coaching panel meetings.
7. Provide leadership, mentoring and professional development for boundary umpire members, including managing their accreditation and re accreditation in accordance with the AFL Umpire Accreditation Program.
8. Participate in the selection process for boundary umpiring coaching appointments.
9. Other duties as directed.

Selection Criteria

1. Demonstrated experience as an Accredited Senior Coach Football, AFL Umpire Coach or similar sporting organization.
2. Demonstrated strong interpersonal and communication skills, including the ability to liaise and build relationships with a range of internal stakeholders.
3. Demonstrated capacity with electronic technology skills, including preparing and delivering presentations.

Qualifications

1. Mandatory participation in the AFL Umpire Coach Accreditation Program.
2. Mandatory current Working With Children approval.
3. Desirable a knowledge of the Schedules Umpire Appointment System.

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