



# 2020 Expression of Interest Coach

This is only an expression of interest form, another more formal application form may be provided later if required

**Please return your Application via email to**

**Shayne Honey** [president@okjfc.com.au](mailto:president@okjfc.com.au)

CC to **Jayson Dorey** Football Operations Manager [footballops@okjfc.com.au](mailto:footballops@okjfc.com.au)

# Officer Kangaroos Junior Football Club

## Coaches Expression of Interest 2020

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Home No: \_\_\_\_\_ Work No: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile No: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of age group or team you wish to apply for: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to the team: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a past/present member of the Officer Kangaroos Junior Football Club: YES NO

Are you a past/present member of the ROC Senior Football Club YES NO

Did you play Senior Football? If yes please list the club last played and what year.

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Do you have previous coaching experience? If yes please list the sport, club and age level.

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Do you hold a current Coaches Accreditation Certificate?    YES    NO

Accreditation Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a current Working With Children's Check?    YES    NO

Working With Children's Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a current First Aid Certificate?    YES    NO

If yes, First Aid Certificate Level: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list (if you already have) Potential Assistant Coach, Runner (If applicable), Team Manager

- Assistant Coach \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

- Team Manager \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

- Runner (If Applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

It is the hope of the Club to Interview you as a Group and Individually. Would you be happy to consent to that?

**Yes/ No** (please circle)

**The club will continue to invest in coaching and player development next season, there will be some compulsory coaching session and player session that you and your assistant coach will need to attend as part of your role (at start of year and throughout the year). Please consider this carefully as it may have an impact on whether you wish to apply or not**

Would you be willing to participate in the coaching and player academy program?

**Yes/ No** (please circle)

**About You**

What elements of the game do you believe you can develop in the players at this age group?

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What are your thoughts on rotating players in different positions on the ground?

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What do you see as your responsibilities as a coach of the age group you are applying for?

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How important is winning to you? Why?

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How should you present yourself and act at training/game-day?

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How do you see yourself as a Coach/your coaching style?

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What are your thoughts on a whole of club training program/why? (could be a % of whole of club and individual coach)

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Do you agree to provide a training plan on a regular basis? If not why?

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**The Club**

What do you think the club should add/have in its Coaching development program in 2020 to better assist you in your coaching role?

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What do you think the club should add/have in its player academy program 2020 to better assist the playing group you wish to coach?

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NOTE: Please make sure you read all of the below information on the following pages

## Important information

1. For your application to be considered to coach at Officer Kangaroos Junior Football Club, you must hold a minimum Level 1 Coach Accreditation or agree to attend a certified AFL Coaches Course and the course that is being offered by the club within a time frame determined by the club. The course will be arranged and paid for by the Officer Kangaroos Junior Football Club and our every effort will be made to book a date and venue suitable to your availability.
2. For your application to be considered to coach at Officer Kangaroos Junior Football Club you must have obtained the necessary Working with Children Check. The club will assist you with the application process.
3. <http://www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au/utility/home/>
4. For your application to be considered to coach at Officer Kangaroos Junior Football Club you or your Assistant Coach must hold a minimum Level 1 First Aid Accreditation or agree to attend a certified First Aid Course within a time frame determined by the club, The course will be arranged and paid for by Officer Kangaroos Junior Football Club and will make every effort to book a date and venue suitable to you.

## GENERAL INFORMATION FOR PROSPECTIVE COACHES

Here is some information on topics that are commonly asked by coaches throughout the season. It is important to read and understand the information contained as some of this information may have a bearing on your decision to either accept or decline the offer of appointment to coach.

If you have any concerns or questions, please contact

Shayne Honey at [president@okjfc.com.au](mailto:president@okjfc.com.au)

Jayson Dorey at [footballops@okjfc.com.au](mailto:footballops@okjfc.com.au)

### INFORMATION

**Emails:** There could be daily/weekly information sent out to you. Most of this information will be sent via email so it is very important that you have an updated working email that can be accessed. If you don't not have an email you will need to arrange someone to receive your emails to pass on information promptly to you.

**Support Staff:** You will be required to find capable people within your team to fulfil the positions of: Team Manager, Trainer, Assistant Coach, Runner and sometimes a great idea is team social/fundraising. Team Managers **these people will also be interviewed by a panel or the president of the football club as individuals or as a coaching group.**

**Assistant Coach:** Every team will be required to have an assistant coach, who also needs to have a level 1 coaching course. The coach is required to nominate this person and will also need to abide by the same Coaching Code of Conduct. **Assistant Coaches will need to fill out an application form and be interviewed by our coaching panel in late 2019 or early 2020 if you have not nominated one as part of this expression of interest.**

**Scheduled Games:** Football games are scheduled by the SEJFL at their discretion on Friday nights and Sundays. Coaches and support staff are expected to understand and be flexible in regards to game times and changes that may occur. Other than cases of exception and unforeseen circumstances, requests for games changes will not be considered.

**Player Game Time:** game time every week will depend on age group you are coaching, the club will provide this information during the interview process.

**Training: All team:** Commencement dates, times and venues will be determined by the Football Ops Manager in consultant with ground availability, council's and other user groups. Training is to be held Wednesdays through to Friday nights. Training may be held at Heatherbrae Reserve.

**Meetings:** Attendance at coaches meeting is **compulsory**. All meetings are called at the direction of the Football Manager. Football Manager will be available on email and phone at any time and at training nights.

**Training Responsibilities:** Training Sessions – The Coach is to remain after training to ensure that all players have been collected. You cannot leave players unattended at any time. The coach is responsible for set up and pack up on the completion of training.

**Game Day:** First home game of the day is responsible for setting up ground, home rooms, away rooms and anything else that needs to be set up for our game day to begin.

Last home game of the day is responsible for the packing away and cleaning up of the ground and home and away rooms.

Team parents are asked to help out but the final responsibility remains with the coach. It is important to recruit helpful parents to carry out these jobs. Remember more hands make work light. Duties of what needs to be done on game days will be discussed at our meeting.

Here are a few jobs: Turning oval lights on and off, locking doors, goal pads out/in rubbish bins, stretchers in/out, sweeping out both Home & Away rooms.

**Awards Nights/ Pie nights:** Throughout the season the club may hosts Award nights where the whole club comes together as one to celebrate player achievements and participation. The Coach should attend all Awards nights and encourage their team to do the same.

**Voting and Trophies:** Voting takes place for the duration of the home and away season and vote cards are distributed as follows. 2 cards to the coaching group (including Runner/TM) and 1 card distributed to families each week. Voting starts at under 11s though to under 17s, including u12, u14 and u16 girls. Best & Fairest, Best, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place getters as determined by the club vote count. Other awards are determined by the coach. but are named by the Committee.

**Fundraising:** Coaches are asked to support the club in ALL its fundraising efforts by the way of their own participation and their encouragement of others in their team to do the same.

**Communication:** All communication from the committee to the coaches must be replied to or acted upon without delay. The **President** and **Secretary** are the only persons permitted to contact the SEJFL. Parents must be informed not to contact the league. If any issues arise it must be put in writing and email to the Secretary for her to correspond with the league.

**In Summary:** If you have any questions or queries, please direct them to the president on 0400242802 or email [president@okjfc.com.au](mailto:president@okjfc.com.au). If you accept the offer to Coach at the Officer Kangaroos Junior Football Club you will be expected to abide by all the club policies, manuals, codes of conduct, league By Laws and rules and instructions from the Football Manager. Failure to do so may result in your coaching position being dismissed by the Executive Committee.

I look forward to receiving your expression of interest

Shayne Honey

President

