

STATE TEAM HEAD COACH POSITION DESCRIPTION



Position Title	State Team Head Coach (2 positions) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 17 and Under• 19 and Under
Reports to	Netball ACT Talent and Performance Manager
Reportable Positions	Nil
Position Status	Volunteer
Position Purpose	To deliver Netball ACT's State Team programs by preparing the State Team to compete at National Netball Championships

ORGANISATIONAL OVERVIEW

Netball ACT is the governing body for Netball in the Australian Capital Territory (ACT). Currently there are five Districts affiliated with Netball ACT: Arawang, Belconnen, Canberra, South Canberra and Tuggeranong.

Netball ACT is responsible for developing and managing netball in the ACT, providing participation opportunities for athletes, coaches, umpires, officials and administrators as well as pathways from grassroots to high performance.

The primary objective of the ACT 19's and 17's State Teams is to identify and select up to twelve (12) eligible players of each age groups capable of achieving success at the National Netball Championships.

SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITIES

- Promote and lead a high-performance culture in line with Netball ACT visions and values; within the state team environment.
- Fulfil all outcomes and responsibilities as a required and directed by the Talent and Performance Manager for the Selection Panel for the 2018 National Netball Championships
- Assist in the appointment of assistant coach and support staff
- Design and deliver a holistic program plan for the State Team by including but not limited too;
 - Individual sessions, team sessions, match play and specialist court sessions
 - Athlete education and team bonding activities
 - Strength and conditioning sessions

- Maintain and engage in open communication with the Netball ACT Talent and Performance staff throughout the duration of the state team program.
- Provide regular athlete feedback through individual athlete performance plans, meetings, informal discussions and written reports with all key stakeholders and program partners
- Keep accurate records of athlete attendance and performance at all scheduled training sessions
- Actively contribute and be present for Netball ACT coach meetings
- Manage and maintain the program equipment in conjunction with Netball ACT staff
- Provide a written report and actively contribute in a post National Netball Championship review process as required at the end of the program with the Netball ACT Talent and Performance Manager
- Any other reasonable request made by Netball ACT

KEY SELECTION CRITERIA

Essential

- Netball Australia Advance Level Coaching Accreditation or higher;
- Previous experience planning, implementing and evaluating netball training programs at a minimum CCC State League level or equivalent;
- Previous experience coaching athletes in the nominated age category with particular focus on State League Teams and/or ACT Representative Teams;
- Knowledge of Netball ACT's and Netball Australia's athlete pathways
- Knowledge of holistic athlete preparation including sport psychology themes like team cohesion, mental preparation, resilience and goal setting as well recovery strategies;
- Strong interpersonal skills including communication and leaderships skills and the ability to be a good role model and motivate others to achieve success;
- Working with Vulnerable people check

Desired

- Previous experience in elite netball programs at a regional, state or higher level with a focus on performance outcomes
- Current first aid certificate
- Level 1 and 2 ASADA certificates

APPOINTMENT CONDITIONS

Terms

The Netball ACT State Team Head Coaches will be appointed for seven (7) months to encompass the selection, preparation and competition of the National Netball Championships. In 2019 the National Netball Championships will be held in Brisbane from the 10th to 16th April 2019. Successful applicants will need to be available to travel to the NNC competition during this time. Further details of the term will be outlined in the letter of offer and agreement.

Remuneration

An honorarium will be provided for the services of this position. Details will be stated within the volunteer deed agreement and represents payments made by direct debit to the incumbents identified bank account. The payment will be made at the completion of the program once the final report is submitted and will be made upon receipt of a Statement by Supplier and Tax Invoice.

Hours of Work

As a volunteer position, the working hours will vary depending on the time dictated by the training program. The training program will be drafted in conjunction with the Netball ACT Talent and Performance staff and will include afternoon and weekend sessions.

Working with Vulnerable People Check

As the position requires the incumbent to work closely with children, the State Team Head Coach must be prepared to complete a Working with Vulnerable People Check.