

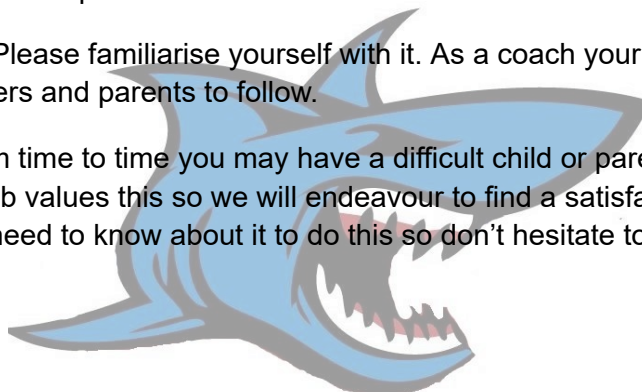
WOONONA FOOTBALL CLUB

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Coach Information

Useful information for Coaches both new and old

1. **Register as a [Coach](#) or [Manager](#)** (These links are also on the Registrations Page of our website)
 - a. You will need a passport style photo and a screenshot of your Working with Children Number
 - b. If you don't have a Working With Children Number you can apply via [Office of Children's Guardian](#)
 - c. If more than one parent will carry out the pre match Dribl check in get them to also register as a manager so that we can assign them access.
2. **Training Day** - Sort out a training time and day that suits you and then liaise with woononafotballclub@gmail.com to check out availability at that time. Note we have very limited lighting and 11 senior teams to fit in so the earlier you can manage the better.
3. **Trial matches** - For the competition teams (U/12 up) if you want to organise or play in a trial match it must be sanctioned by FSC and we have to give 7 days notice for this. Please advise Woonona FC Secretary via woononafcsecretary@gmail.com of any plans
4. **Equipment** - the primary day for collecting training gear is meet The Coach Day (8am-10am Sat Feb 1st)
You should have enough for each child to have a ball. Contact our Equipment Officer [James Cockrem](#) during the season if you need replacements.
5. **Coaching Courses** - Run at various times throughout the year by FSC. They are great for ideas and motivation. Our club covers the costs of them and we highly recommend you do them.
6. **Website Resources** - There are a number of useful resources available to coaches where you can find age appropriate drills and training sessions for the kids. See <https://www.playfootball.com.au/coach> for access plus if you need help do not hesitate to ask. We have a number of coaches who can assist or pass on ideas or advice from their own experience.
7. **Rules** - All can be found on the FSC website library section [Junior Competition Rules](#). Also available are [Mini Roo](#) formats and rules. If in doubt contact us to confirm especially around forfeits, borrowing players, and suspensions.
8. **Code of Conduct** - Please familiarise yourself with it. As a coach your behaviour should set the example for the players and parents to follow.
9. **Kids/ Parents** - From time to time you may have a difficult child or parent to deal with. You are the volunteer and the club values this so we will endeavour to find a satisfactory solution for you in these cases but we need to know about it to do this so don't hesitate to contact us.





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- 10. Training Areas** - We assign areas for as many teams as possible at Ocean Park at the start of the year. Sometimes when it is wet we will leave the grounds open if possible. If this happens please use common sense and avoid any wet and worn areas and make room so that all teams can train. For teams that may decide to train at an alternate venue please don't abuse the area you train at and if council grounds are closed then don't use them.
- 11. Borrowing Players** - Always contact the Manager of a team before borrowing their players
- 12. Club Expectations** - We are here to teach, guide and provide enjoyment. Success is seen not necessarily by results but by players returning to continue playing. Please remember this when you find yourself getting caught up in the moment and competitive nature of the game and ask yourself - Are the kids and I having FUN?
- 13. Coach & Manager Whatsapp Group** - a space the club can quickly communicate with Coaches and managers for issues such as closed grounds or teams looking to borrow - scan image below to join

