



2026 Representative Squad Coach Positions

CVNA are now taking applications for the 2026 Representative Season.

Seeking passionate, committed, and skilled coaches to lead our Squad teams for the 2026 Representative Season.

Coaching Positions available

- 13&Under – NextGen Squad
- 13&Under – Development Team
- 13&Under - Open Team
- 15&Under – Development Team
- 15&Under - Open Team
- 17&Under – Open Team

About the Role

Representative Squad Coaches play a vital role in developing athletes within the CVNA pathways. Coaches will contribute to team selections, lead training sessions, prepare their team for tournaments, and foster a positive, inclusive, and high-performance environment.

Key Responsibility

- Lead all coaching aspects of training, preparation, game day, and post-game review.
- Develop and deliver a training schedule within the approved 2026 Rep Squad dates.
- Identifying and maximizing the underlying potential of players to deliver long-term growth in individual athletes.
- Use available resources to ensure athletes are prepared technically, tactically, physically, and mentally.
- Drive consistent improvement and competitive performance throughout the Rep season.
- Establish and maintain clear team protocols, standards, and expectations.
- Communicate positively with players and parents, providing regular feedback on performance and development.
- Work collaboratively with other coaches within the Rep program, particularly within your age group.
- Attend Rep Squad trials and support squad selection.
- Attend the annual player induction meeting.
- Provide updates on team progress and contribute suggestions for program improvement when requested.



- Maintain accurate and up-to-date records for training attendance, games, injuries, and player development.

Prerequisites

- Proven experience coaching at club, school or representative level.
- WWCC/VIT
- Minimum Development Coaching Accreditation

Desirable Attributes

- Strong communication and leadership skills
- Passion for developing young athletes
- Ability to provide positive and constructive feedback
- Organised and reliable
- Ability to work as part of a coaching team

Tournament Dates:

- Echuca Tournament – Sunday 17 May 2026
- CVNA (Bendigo) Tournament - Sunday 31 May 2026
- Association Champs (Echuca) – Sunday 14 June 2026

Honorarium

- CVNA provides an honorarium to each appointed coach to recognise their time and commitment to the Representative Program.

How to Apply

Please submit:

- Your name and contact details
- Coaching accreditation level
- Summary of your coaching experience
- Age group/team

Applications close: 16 January 2026

Email applications and all enquiries: squad@cvna.com.au

PD available on the website - [Squad coach PD](#)