



## Coaching Policy

*The Botany Rams committee will aim to ensure that every team within the club be appointed with a qualified coach who promotes fairness, fun and development for all his/her players. Coaches will be supported by a Coaching Co-ordinator and the Botany Rams committee throughout the season.*

### Coaching Applications

- Anyone wishing to be a team coach for the following season must complete a Coaching Application Form and submit it to the executive committee before 31<sup>st</sup> January (where possible)
- To apply for a coaching position the applicant must be a qualified coach (or willing to enroll in the appropriate level training course), have a WWC, be a financial member of the Botany Rams, and be supportive of the Botany Rams committee and its structures and policies

### Coaching Appointments

- In the event that more than one person applies to coach the same team the Coaching Coordinator, together with the executive committee, will decide who is the more suitable appointment for the up-coming season
- In the event that several players and parents have made warranted complaints about an applicant's suitability for the position the committee are within their right to deem an application unsuccessful
- An application can be submitted for a particular grade, however the applicant must understand that this will not place any bearing on the grading of their own child
- All coaching appointments will be announced on the Botany Rams website and Facebook Page by no later than 7<sup>th</sup> February
- No person or coach from a previous season is to conduct any pre-season training until the appointment of the positions
- Appointed coaches must notify the executive committee of any pre-season training which takes place outside of usual training dates and times
- Once a coach is appointed he/she must sign the Coaching Agreement. The appointment will not be announced until the agreement has been received by an executive committee member

### Coaching Expectations

- Be available for training for two hours a week
- Be available on game days
- Work effectively with the teams appointed manager and trainer
- Attend club functions including presentation day and end of season day out/season trip away
- Support the club and be a positive advocate for the Botany Rams in the rugby league community