



BADEN POWELL CRICKET CLUB

Job Title: Senior Captain/Coach - Baden Powell Cricket Club

Location: Frankston South, Victoria

Affiliation: Mornington Peninsula Cricket Association (MPCA)

Reports to: Club President / Committee

Application Deadline: 13 March 2025

Position Type: Playing

Overview:

Baden Powell Cricket Club, currently playing in the Top Tier Provincial Grade, is seeking an experienced, enthusiastic and skilled **Senior Captain/Coach** to lead our teams in the 2025-26 season and beyond. With 6 Senior sides, 6 Junior sides and a Woolworths Cricket Blast program, the role requires a strong leadership presence both on and off the field. A key focus of this role will be on player development, tactical planning, and fostering a positive club culture. The Captain/Coach will work closely with the club's executive and general committee to ensure the club's success while encouraging player participation, growth and enjoyment of the game.

Key Responsibilities:

Leadership & Team Management:

- Lead the senior men's team, ensuring the team is motivated, unified, and performs to the best of its ability.
- Provide clear direction and tactical guidance during matches and training sessions.
- Develop and implement team strategies and playing styles based on the team's strengths and opposition.
- Foster a positive and supportive team culture that promotes camaraderie, discipline, and respect.
- Lead by example on and off the field in terms of conduct, professionalism, and work ethic.

Coaching & Player Development:

- Plan and conduct effective training sessions tailored to the team's needs and goals.
- Focus on developing player technical, tactical, and mental skills to maximize their performance.
- Provide individualized coaching and mentoring for players, identifying areas for improvement.
- Work with the club's junior development programs to help nurture future talent.

Match Day Responsibilities:

- Oversee team selection and ensure players are informed and prepared for each match.
- Implement match strategies, make real-time decisions, and adjust tactics based on the game's progress.
- Communicate with the team throughout the match, keeping players focused and motivated.
- Work closely with the team's support staff to manage player welfare, injury prevention, and recovery.

Club Collaboration & Administrative Tasks:

- Attend club meetings and work closely with the club committee to align on team goals and objectives.
- Assist in the recruitment and retention of players, providing support in their integration into the club.
- Contribute to the overall growth of the club by being an ambassador both on and off the field.
- Promote the values of the club, including respect, sportsmanship, inclusion and community connection.
- Ensure all players understand and adhere to the clubs code of conduct and policies
- Endorse and promote Cricket Victoria Integrity policies and best practice in Child Safety and Member Protection

Key Skills & Qualifications:

- Previous experience as a captain and/or coach in competitive cricket.
- Strong leadership, communication, and interpersonal skills.
- Ability to work with a diverse range of players and coaches, from juniors to experienced players.
- In-depth knowledge of cricket, including strategies, techniques, and match preparation.
- Cricket Victoria or equivalent coaching accreditation (Minimum Level 1).
- Ability to motivate players and maintain a positive, results-driven environment.
- Commitment to promoting the club's values and fostering a positive community spirit.

To Apply:

Interested candidates should submit a cricket resume and a cover letter detailing their coaching philosophy and leadership experience to sec@braves.com.au

For further inquiries or a confidential conversation please contact: Leisl Jackson (President) 0488 778 060 or Nick Meyers (Snr Vice President) 0438 318 918