

WESTERN FOOTBALL NETBALL LEAGUE POSITION DESCRIPTION

DIRECTOR OF COACHING (JUNIOR INTERLEAGUE - GIRLS)

Department: Football Operations

September 2026

Position Overview

The Western Football Netball League (WFNL) is responsible for the governance and strategic development of community football and netball across Melbourne's western region.

Comprising 34 Member Clubs, more than 400 teams and 10,000 participants, the WFNL delivers inclusive Open Age and Junior competitions. Our vision extends beyond competition - we are committed to strengthening community connection, participation and the long-term growth of football and netball in the west.

We are seeking an experienced and visionary Director of Coaching to oversee and lead the coaching structure of our Interleague Program. This leadership role is responsible for supporting, mentoring, and developing coaches while ensuring a consistent coaching philosophy, high-performance standards, and a positive player development environment across all teams.

Our Values

The following values guide everything we do at the Western Football Netball League:

Integrity: We act with transparency, honesty, respect and fairness in all that we do.

Progressive: We strive for continuous growth and embrace opportunities to improve and evolve.

Engagement: We communicate openly, regularly and effectively with our Clubs and key stakeholders.

Commitment: We hold ourselves accountable and deliver on our commitments to our stakeholders.

Key Relationships	Reports to: WFNL Manager – Junior Football Internal Relationships: Director of Coaching All WFNL Junior Interleague Head and Assistant Coaches - Girls
Responsibilities	Key Responsibilities • Consult with WFNL Manager – Junior Football to develop WFNL AVMJDS development series philosophy in line with AFL Victoria’s principles for the series. • Develop a framework and training guides for all 5 junior interleague Girls teams • Attend WFNL interleague training where required and provide assistance to coaches at training as needed. • Provide feedback to head coaches on training and personal development • Provide feedback to WFNL Manager – Junior Football on areas for development or improvement in interleague program • Attend team selection meetings and advise coaches where required. • Attend Interleague matches and WFNL scheduled games in the recruiting period. • Provide a report to the WFNL Manager – Junior Football after the conclusion of the program • Any other duties as directed by the CEO or WFNL Manager – Junior Football

Attributes	Experience & Qualifications Mandatory • Possess a current driver's licence • Possess a current Working with Children's Check • Silver Level Coaching Accreditation • Experience coaching in talent pathways football • Experience coaching junior girls Desirable • Gold Level Coaching Accreditation Personal Attributes • Proven ability to mentor coaches • A team player who works across the interleague program to support other members of the interleague coaching team • Ability to design a framework and training schedule • Ability to work independently or as part of a team • Ability to develop an engaged and high-performance team environment.
Remuneration	The Director of Coaching is paid an honorarium at the completion of the Interleague Season.
Applications (Covering Letter and Football Resume) can be emailed to WFNL Manager – Junior Football Manager Dom Lammardo at dom.lammardo@wfnl.com.au	