

Cowra Netball Association

Representative Team Coach Agreement

This agreement is made between **Cowra Netball Association (CNA)** and the undersigned **Representative Team Coach** for the 2026 Representative Netball Season.

Purpose:

This agreement outlines the responsibilities, conduct expectations, and commitment required of a Representative Team Coach to ensure consistency, professionalism, and success across Cowra Netball's representative program.

1. General Responsibilities

The Coach agrees to:

- Provide a safe, supportive, and positive environment for player development.
- Plan and deliver structured training sessions appropriate to the team's age and skill level.
- Foster good sportsmanship, teamwork, and respect for others.
- Collaborate with the team manager, representative coordinator, and CNA committee as needed.

2. Training and Attendance

The Coach must:

- Attend and conduct all scheduled training sessions, notifying the Representative Coordinator as early as
 possible if unavailable.
- Be punctual and well-prepared for each training and event.
- Attend all scheduled **Representative Carnivals**, matches, and **Association meetings** relevant to the representative program.
- Participate in any additional CNA-endorsed coaching development or planning sessions.

3. Communication

The Coach agrees to:

- Maintain regular and respectful communication with the team manager, players, and parents/guardians.
- Clearly communicate expectations around training, carnival attendance, behaviour, and performance.
- Escalate any concerns regarding player welfare, team dynamics, or parent behaviour to the Representative Coordinator.



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4. Player Development & Conduct

The Coach is expected to:

- Promote fair and inclusive practices while also recognising performance and effort.
- Monitor player progress and provide constructive feedback.
- Uphold and model high standards of behaviour at all times.
- Adhere to Cowra Netball Association's Code of Conduct, Child Safety Policy, and any Netball NSW guidelines.
- Ensure all players comply with the CNA Representative Behaviour Policy and manage any behavioural concerns in accordance with the outlined procedures in this policy.

5. Team Selection and Court Time

The Coach has:

- Final say on, on-court decisions.
- Responsibility to manage court time appropriately, with consideration for fairness, player safety, and team strategy.
- The authority to implement consequences (such as reduced court time) for poor attitude or breaches of behaviour expectations, in line with the Representative Player Behaviour Policy.

6. Commitment and Expectations

The Coach understands that:

- This is a voluntary role that carries significant responsibility.
- A high standard of leadership, preparation, and professionalism is expected.
- The CNA Committee may review the coach's performance at any time, and reserves the right to revoke the coaching appointment if expectations are not met.



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Agreement

I, the undersigned, accept the position of Representative Team Coach for Cowra Netball Association and agree to carry out the duties and responsibilities outlined above to the best of my ability.

Coach Name:	
Signature:	
Date:	
Team (Age Group):	-
CNA Representative Coordinator Name:	
Signature:	-
Date:	