

Monash University Baseball Club

Expression of Interest – Development Coach (Winter Season)



Are you passionate about teaching the next generation of baseballers? Do you want an opportunity to teach at the club with the most incoming raw potential in the State? Want to experience first use of a brand-new state-of-the art facility?

About the role

As part of the Club's yearly review, supported by Monash University, MUBC have identified an opportunity to further support and develop player enjoyment & ultimately membership retention.

- Reporting to the Club Coach, the Development Coach will be responsible for the development of fundamental skills and knowledge of the game for all "rookies" and new to the club members that have little to no experience playing baseball.
- The desired candidate will not only have a passion for our great sport, but a keen interest in teaching and guiding the next generation
- The Development Coach will need to be a patient and encouraging teacher, ideally experienced in guiding players brand new to the sport.
- The Development Coach will need to be able to commit to Wednesday night training, Saturday Games & social functions throughout the winter season as well as any coaching sessions as directed by the Club Coach &/or Committee.
- Key measures of success will include new member retention, club training attendance and player development
- The Development Coach does not need to be a playing coach

Club Member Profile

As part of the O week festivities Monash University sees thousands of new students enrol into its education program. Fully backed by the University's mandate to increase student participation in sport, Monash University Baseball Club offers an inclusive & supportive program for newcomers young and old to build their network as well as an opportunity to be involved in the sport at any skill level.

Being a Monash Sporting Club affiliate, we welcome over 40+ young adults every year to our club wanting to try or reconnect with baseball. 70% of our members are university students and of the remainder a high percentage are alumni. We also welcome members outside of the Uni as part of our community approach to our sport.

MUBC prides itself on being a student led-club. The average age of our members is 26 and over the past 10 years we have seen the ratio between men and women range from 70-90% men to 10 – 30% women and will continue to support all those interested in baseball.

We have more than 75 active club members, with a 'club alumni' list of over 400 members.

Remuneration and Ongoing Support

MUBC is very happy to engage in ongoing discussion with candidates about what the most feasible role will entail. In addition, the successful candidate will have the complete ongoing support of the MUBC committee to best ensure their own developmental objectives from the role are met. The club is fully committed to providing remuneration to the successful development coach. The amount will be mutually agreed, based on the criteria set out above and in light of the candidate's experience and own expectations of the role.

Club News

From the start of the winter 2020 season we will be taking over the occupancy of the newly developed Gladeswood Reserve Diamond that has seen over \$500k in improvements being made.

Training will still occur on the clayton campus as part of our club affiliation to Monash University

All expressions of interest should be forwarded to monashbaseball@yahoo.com.au

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