## **BRIGHTON BOMBERS**

Brighton Districts & Old Scholars Football Club Inc.

Job Title: Volunteer Club President

**Organisation:** Brighton Bombers Football Club

Location: Brighton Sports and Social Club, Highet Ave, Hove

Time Commitment: Monthly committee meeting 7-9pm and approx. 8-12hrs per week as required.

**Overview:** The Volunteer President serves as the chief leader and public face of the Brighton Bombers Football Club. This is a highly influential role responsible for overseeing the overall strategic direction, management, and success of the club. The President works closely with the committee, members, and external stakeholders to ensure the club operates efficiently, maintains financial sustainability, and continues to grow. The President will be a strong advocate for the club, ensuring that Brighton Bombers remains an integral part of the local community and a pillar of excellence in local football.

## Responsibilities:

**Strategic Leadership:** Develop and oversee the implementation of the club's strategic plan, aligning short-term actions with long-term goals. Lead the committee and provide guidance and direction to ensure effective club governance. Represent the club in local football leagues, regional meetings, and community events.

**Governance and Compliance:** Ensure the club complies with all legal, regulatory, and association requirements. Chair monthly committee meetings, set agendas, and ensure all decisions are made with the club's best interests in mind. Oversee the preparation and management of the club's annual budget, working closely with the treasurer to ensure financial accountability.

**Community Engagement:** Build strong relationships with players, members, sponsors, volunteers, and the local community. Promote a positive culture within the club by upholding the club's values and ensuring an inclusive, welcoming environment for all. Actively support membership growth and player recruitment initiatives by engaging with local schools, businesses, and community organizations.

**Sponsorship and Fundraising:** Lead efforts to secure and maintain sponsorship agreements, ensuring the club remains financially viable. Oversee fundraising efforts and events, working with the committee to plan and execute initiatives that support club operations and development. Build strong relationships with sponsors and donors, ensuring they feel valued and involved in the club's success.

**Volunteer and Staff Management:** Support the recruitment, retention, and development of volunteers, coaching staff, and support personnel. Provide leadership and motivation to the committee and volunteers, recognising their contributions and fostering a positive working environment.

**Crisis Management and Conflict Resolution:** Act as the primary contact for resolving disputes or issues within the club, ensuring fair and consistent decision-making. Manage any crises or challenges facing the club with professionalism and transparency, protecting the club's reputation and integrity.

**Qualifications/skills:** Proven leadership experience, preferably in a sports or community organisation. Strong organisational and communication skills. Ability to manage multiple tasks, prioritise effectively, and make sound decisions. A passion for Australian Rules football and a deep understanding of community sports. Financial literacy and an understanding of sponsorship, fundraising, and budgeting processes. Ability to inspire and lead a diverse group of volunteers, staff, and stakeholders.

**Benefits:** Lead a respected community football club and shape its future direction. Develop and enhance leadership, management, and strategic skills. Strengthen ties to the local community and contribute to its growth. Build lasting relationships with a passionate group of volunteers, players, and supporters.



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