## BRIGHTON BOMBERS Brighton Districts & Old Scholars Football Club Inc.

Job Title: Players Representative - Women's

Organisation: Brighton Bombers Football Club

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

Time Commitment: Monthly committee meeting 7-9pm and approx. 4-7hrs per week as required.

**Overview:** The Volunteer Women's Player Representative is a key position within the Brighton Bombers Football Club committee, serving as the voice of the women's players in club decision-making. The role involves representing the interests and concerns of the women's players to the club's leadership, fostering communication between players and the committee, and ensuring that players feel heard and supported in the club's operations. The Women's Player Representative works closely with other committee members and the coaching staff to address player welfare, promote a positive playing environment, and contribute to the overall success of the club.

## **Responsibilities:**

**Player Advocacy and Representation:** Act as a direct liaison between the women's players and the club committee, ensuring players' feedback, concerns, and ideas are effectively communicated. Advocate for the interests and needs of the women's players, providing a player-focused perspective during committee meetings. Address any player-related issues that arise, working with coaches and the committee to resolve matters in a fair and timely manner.

**Communication and Engagement:** Foster open communication between the players and the club leadership, ensuring players are informed about key club decisions, events, and initiatives. Keep players up to date on important club developments, policies, and changes that may affect them. Encourage a strong sense of community among the women's teams by promoting involvement in club events, social activities, and fundraising efforts.

**Player Welfare and Support:** Work closely with the coaching staff and committee to ensure the well-being of all players, with a focus on mental and physical health. Help players access any necessary support services, including health, wellness, and injury recovery resources. Provide advice and guidance to players on balancing their football commitments with other life responsibilities (e.g., work, study).

**Team Culture and Development:** Promote a positive, inclusive, and respectful team culture within the women's teams. Encourage player involvement in leadership opportunities and mentorship roles within the club. Help identify potential leaders among the women's players and support their development both on and off the field.

**Event and Initiative Support:** Assist in organising player-focused events, social functions, and team-building activities to strengthen camaraderie and morale. Support the club's fundraising and sponsorship efforts by encouraging player participation and engagement in club initiatives.

**Qualifications and Skills:** Strong communication and interpersonal skills, with the ability to represent and advocate for the women's players. A positive, approachable and a passion for fostering a healthy team culture. Understanding of the challenges and dynamics faced by players at the community football level. Ability to build relationships and work collaboratively with players, coaches, and committee members. Previous experience in leadership or representation roles (advantageous but not essential).

**Benefits:** Play a vital role in ensuring the voice of women's players is heard at the committee level. Gain valuable leadership, communication, and sports management experience. Help shape the future of the club by contributing to key decisions and initiatives. Build stronger relationships with players, coaches, and club officials while fostering a positive, supportive playing environment.



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