

Coaching Qualification Reimbursement Policy as at 15 March 2014

Eligible coaches may apply to the Technical Director to have the costs of obtaining AFC C License or higher qualifications reimbursed by WMFC.

The coach must commit to continuing their involvement in an eligible coaching role at the Club in order to access the reimbursement. The applicant must successfully complete the course and any assessment before applying for reimbursement. Successful applicants receive the reimbursement in two instalments. The first instalment of 50% is paid after the fourth round of the season, the second instalment of the remaining 50% is paid after the fourth round of the following season after the first instalment.

An eligible coach is defined as a coach:

- of a National Premier League (NPL) or Women's Premier League (WPL) team in any age group
- providing specialist position coaching for an NPL or WPL team in any age group (eg goalkeeping coach)
- providing group training for a junior age group
- providing Junior academy coaching.

Applicants will be selected on merit within the existing Club budget for each season. They should email the Technical Director (<u>technical@wmfc.org.au</u>) with an application of no more than 1 A4 page addressing the following questions:

- 1. What team/s they will commit to coaching
- 2. How long they are willing to commit to coaching at the Club
- 3. How they have already been involved in the Club (eg through playing, children at the Club, volunteering)
- 4. Their prior coaching experience
- 5. Coaches who have already obtained their license cannot be retrospectively reimbursed and may only apply for further qualifications that they intend to pursue.

Applicants have already been selected for 2014. The Club will announce on the website when the 2015 applications are open.