



Position Description: Umpire Club Champion (2022)

Position: Umpire Club Champion Department: Umpiring Name: League: AFL North West	Date: 8th February, 2022
Overview of Role	The position of Umpire Club Champion involves the management and coordination of the umpire group associated with your local AFL club to ensure they are provided guidance, support and resources to effectively deliver on their respective key tasks. The Umpire Club Superstar will be paid a set honorarium of \$200 subject to performance.

Key Relationships	Reports to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Umpiring Coordinator ACT & Regional NSW• AFL North West Football Operations Department Direct Reports: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Umpire Manager• Field, Boundary & Goal Umpires Other Key Relationships: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Clubs & Stakeholders• Other Appointed Umpire Coaches
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Key Jobs / Tasks	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Promote a positive image within and outside the local football community• Support Umpire growth with your local club• Facilitation and delivery of umpire training sessions using a variety of resources including a blended mixture of skills and coaching on a regular cycle. Resources to be provided.• Assist with coordinating the umpire registration and accreditation processes for your umpires associated at your club only.• Actively coach umpires in the current interpretation of the Laws of the Game. (If applicable)
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Undertake observations at local matches and facilitate feedback (Desirable) • Support the retention and recruitment of umpires through the delivery of strategies and programs as directed by the Umpiring Coordinator – ACT & Regional NSW • Assist the Ground Manager on game day – drinks for umpires, escort umpires on and off the field. • Attend monthly online education/catch up sessions
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Review / Monitoring	<p>It is expected that the Umpire Club Champion will meet with AFL North West Football Operations department and Umpire Coordinator – ACT & Regional NSW to review his/her performance once a year</p> <p>This will occur:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • End of season
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Key Selection Criteria	<p>Mandatory</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demonstrated high level interpersonal and communication skills • Ability to liaise and build relationships with a range of internal and external stakeholders • Sound knowledge of AFL Football and Laws of the Game • Working with Children Check valid for 2022 • Abide by AFL NSW/ACT rules in relation to appointment to a match (refer below) <p>Desirable</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Level 1 or 2 AFL Umpire Coach Accreditation or similar • Develop and deliver annual Regional Coach’s Workshop(s)
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AFL NSW/ACT Appointment of Umpires

Appointment of Umpires

(a) The League must ensure that all Umpires appointed by the League and/or Club are from a panel of Umpires that are approved by AFL NSW/ACT through the national Umpire registration process.

(b) Any senior field, senior boundary or senior goal umpire coach:

(i) shall be eligible to be appointed to any practice match or home and away match as required;

(ii) shall not be eligible to be appointed to a senior representative fixture match;

(iii) shall be eligible to be appointed to any grand final, with the exception of a senior (first grade or equivalent) grand final unless prior written approval has been granted by the State Umpiring Manager or an independent selection panel is in place.

(c) For the avoidance of doubt, any other field, boundary or goal umpire coach that formally holds a coaching position with AFL NSW/ACT (for example, but not limited to a state league umpires' coach or assistant coach) are not eligible to be appointed to Senior (first grade or equivalent) representative fixture matches or senior (first grade or equivalent) grand finals.

Umpire Coach Manager Position Accepted: Date / / 2022

Print Name:

Signature