

2020 NATIONAL YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIPS U16 & U18 NSW COUNTRY STATE REPRESENTATIVE TEAMS

Coaching Staff Expressions of Interest

Country Baseball NSW will once again be entering teams to participate in the 2020 National Youth Championships to be held in January 2020. Baseball Australia has yet to confirm the venue for the tournament at this stage. Country Baseball NSW has a very rich and successful history competing at National Championship level and this is your chance to lead our teams to National Championship success.

Country Baseball NSW is now calling for Expressions of Interest for voluntary positions for the following positions:

- Assistant Coach for both the U16 & U18 Country Representative Teams
- Pitching Coach for both the U16 & U18 Country Representative Teams
- Development Coach for both the U16 & U18 Country Representative Teams

PLEASE NOTE: The position of Development Coach is a self-funded position and the successful applicant will only be required for the preparatory phase of team preparation. Managers will have the ability, in conjunction with Baseball NSW HP Staff, to choose their own Executive Officer (EO).

Applicants are required to meet the following criteria to apply:

- Minimum Level three (3) Coaching Accreditation (Level four (4) may also apply)
- Hold a current Working with Children Check
- Demonstrate knowledge of current best practice models and strategy
- Work within the Baseball NSW High Performance Development Philosophies

Duty Statements outlining roles and responsibilities are listed below for each of the advertised positions and each successful applicant is expected to fulfil these duties in full:

- Assistant Coach
- Pitching Coach
- Development Coach

Applications including Coaching Experience and Resume (No longer than 3 pages) should be sent via email to CLSC Secretary Stephy Thompson – stephy.1@bigpond.com
Please place “2020 National Youth Championships State Team Coaching Application” in the subject line.

Applications close Sunday June 9, 2019.

ASSISTANT COACH

The Assistant Coach is responsible for assisting the Manager in any way possible in both team preparation and game-day activities for the National Championships each calendar year. Duties include, but are not limited to the following:

- Participate in team selection as per the BNSW Selection policy in conjunction with High Performance Staff.
- In consultation with the Manager, assist in all pre-tournament preparation and ensure the team is prepared to its maximum capacity.
- Assist, in consultation with the Manager, the “Sydney Blue Sox Playbook” in regards to team play and instruction.
- Assist in the monitoring of player workloads and ensure best practice methods are applied in regards to player workload and injury prevention.
- Work with the individual athletes to enhance their offensive and defensive aspect of their development and preparation.
- Responsible for athlete behaviour on the field and ensuring the BNSW Ethics & Expectations Policy is implemented and adhered to at all times. This includes all fellow Coaching Staff.
- Assist the Manager in co-ordination of all game-day preparation and activities.
- Assist in the off-field supervision of the athletes as required by the Manager and Executive Officer (EO).
- Be accountable to the Team Manager and BNSW High Performance Manager.

PITCHING COACH

The Pitching Coach is responsible for the co-ordination and development of the teams Pitchers' in preparation for the National Championships each calendar year. Duties include, but are not limited to the following:

- Participate in team selection as per the BNSW Selection Policy in conjunction with High Performance Staff.
- In consultation with the Team Manager, assist in all pre-tournament preparation and ensure the team is prepared to its maximum capacity.
- Ensure the implementation of the "Sydney Blue Sox Playbook" in regards to pitching related matters and instruction.
- Monitor pitching workloads and ensure best practice methods are applied in regards to player workload and injury prevention.
- Working within the BNSW High Performance Curriculum, co-ordinate all pitching drills and instructional activity during the preparation and tournament phases.
- Work with the individual athletes to enhance the pitching aspect of their development and preparation.
- Responsible for athlete behaviour on the field and ensuring the BNSW Ethics & Expectations Policy is implemented and adhered to at all times. This includes all fellow Coaching Staff.
- Assist the Manager in co-ordination of all game-day preparation and activities.
- Responsibility for teams needs concerning pitching equipment and facilities. These include: Bullpen Balls and Rosin, Mound Conditions and supervision of Pitch Chart activities.
- Be accountable to the Team Manager and BNSW High Performance Manager.

DEVELOPMENT COACH

The Development Coach is responsible for assisting the Manager in any way possible in team preparation for the National Championships each calendar year. This position is aimed at an energetic and hard-working coach who has aspirations to hold a higher position within our State Team structure.

Duties include, but are not limited to the following:

- Participate in team selection as per the BNSW Selection policy in conjunction with High Performance Staff.
- In consultation with the Manager, assist in all pre-tournament preparation and ensure the team is prepared to its maximum capacity.
- Assist, in consultation with the Manager, the “Sydney Blue Sox Playbook” in regards to team play and instruction.
- Assist in the monitoring of player workloads and ensure best practice methods are applied in regards to player workload and injury prevention.
- Work with the individual athletes to enhance their offensive and defensive aspect of their development and preparation.
- Adhere to personally and also implement the BNSW Ethics & Expectations Policy in regards to athlete and staff behaviour. This is to be adhered to at all times.
- Enhance their own knowledge and skill set by participating in team workouts and performing drills as designated by the Team Manager or BNSW High Performance Staff.
- Be accountable to the Team Manager and BNSW High Performance Manager.