



## Paris Soccer Club Coach-at-large

### **Role**

Support Paris Soccer Club with filling in for a missing head coach or assistant coach with running a soccer practice and/or leading a team in a game.

### **Help the association to**

- Ensure no team would have to forfeit a game on account of a missing coach. Coach-at-large can offer new ideas and strategies for players that will help players develop better skills and strategy.

### **Time commitment**

- One year term
- On average, 3-4 hours per week

### **Responsibilities**

- Attend PSC coaches clinic and offer info and a presentation on and off the field.
- Review coaches resources and submit all volunteer paperwork including Vulnerable Sector Police Check
- Prepare for practices by planning out drills and gathering all of the required equipment
- Support coaching staff, on all teams, to discuss roles and divide up tasks, offer support, advice and instructions on running a good practice and game strategy.
- Get to know each of your players, their strengths, weaknesses and goals for the season to help them attain them.
- Be available to speak to parents to listen to their ideas, concerns and develop camaraderie.
- Support players during games by offering suggestions, constructive feedback, encouragement and praise.
- Deliver a fun experience.

### **You are**

- *interested in the sport of community soccer*
- *willing to share your knowledge, experience and passion of soccer with your players and fellow coaching staff*
- *committed to the confidentiality of all Paris Soccer Club including player records*
- *genuine interest in participating and supporting community volunteer events*
- *interested in community development in Brant county*

### Requirements & qualifications

- Patience and ability to work with youth
- Interest and soccer knowledge
- Experienced coaching skills

### Benefits

- Gain valuable experience
- Support a volunteer led sports organization
- Meet new friends and increase your social circle
- Promote soccer throughout Brant County

### Key contacts

- Paris Soccer Club Coaching Director
- Paris Soccer Club Convenor
- Paris Soccer Club Coaches
- Paris Soccer Club Volunteer Coordinator

### Training / Orientation

- Paris Soccer Club Volunteer Handbook provided
- Paris Soccer Club Constitution
- Paris Soccer Club Policies/Procedures Manual
- Paris Soccer Club – coaches handbook
- PSC access to coaches section of website

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### Agreement

"We have discussed this volunteer position description and I make a commitment to carrying out these responsibilities to the best of my ability for \_\_\_\_\_. (Length of time)

I am accountable to \_\_\_\_\_ for my work within this position.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Volunteer signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

"In turn, the club commits to supporting

\_\_\_\_\_ in his/her volunteer work.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Coordinator of Volunteers

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

### Intake checklist

- volunteer information form updated*
- position description reviewed and signed*
  - copy to file*
  - copy to volunteer*
- volunteer information added to Paris Soccer Club volunteer contact list*

### Follow-up

- at one year*  
*Date: \_\_\_\_\_*

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**To apply to any Paris Soccer Club volunteer position, please contact:**

Paris Soccer Club's –  
Volunteer Coordinator:

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