

Position	Ballarat FNL Football Manager
Location	Saxon House 1431 Mair Street, Ballarat
Reports To	Ballarat FNL General Manager
Classification	Full Time
Commencement	As negotiated

About the BFNL	The Ballarat Football Netball League is a major football netball league in country Victoria providing participation through senior, junior, and female football competitions along with senior and junior netball.
The Role	The role of Football Manager is primarily responsible for the effective operation and management of the senior and junior football competitions of the Ballarat FNL.
	Reporting to the General Manager, the Football Manager shall collaborate with a team of operation staff to meet the objectives of the Ballarat FNL.
	This role will allow the individual flexibility to influence change and provide ideas to lead the Ballarat FNL in to a sustainable and modern future.
Overall Role	 The Football Manager will: Manage the operations of the senior and junior football competitions Manage the operations of the BFNL Independent Tribunal Manage the CCSP program Develop strong relationships with all stakeholders, including senior and junior clubs, neighbouring leagues, local councils, partners, and umpires Coordinate meetings of club contacts and coordinators through the season Ensure clubs comply with the rules and policies of AFL Victoria and the Ballarat FNL
Experience & Qualifications	 Established background in operations and management of a sporting body or similar Strong stakeholder management skills and experience Strong working relationship and understanding of volunteers in sport Excellent attention to detail Ability to work independently and meet deadlines Preparedness to work flexible hours including evenings and weekends where required
	 Preferred Tertiary qualification in business, sport, or relevant fields Understanding of football / netball administration at club and/or league level Familiarity with competition management tools

Football Knowledge

- A knowledge and understanding of community football and the landscape in which the Ballarat FNL operate is desired.
- An understanding of the issues that impact and influence community football / netball clubs

Relationship Development

- Develop and sustain productive working relationships with all stakeholders, including clubs, leagues, and local councils.
- Meet stakeholder needs including club administrators, coaches, umpires, players, and volunteers.

Planning & Organisation

- Ability to plan objectives and implement strategies
- Problem solving ability
- Identify risks and challenges to implement preventative actions
- Prepare and coordinate meetings of league stakeholders as required

Effective Communication

- Ability to use a range of communication methods to communicate effectively with stakeholders, such as written, verbal social media
- Ability to anticipate stakeholder needs and communicate accordingly
- High interpersonal skills

Administration

- Excellent attention to detail and presentation skills
- Ability to use electronic and online systems to record information, process and maintain records
- Competency with Microsoft Office, Google Drive, and other tools
- Record keeping skills for meetings of stakeholders

Direct Report

- Ballarat FNL General Manager Shane Anwyl
 - Board of the Ballarat FNL

Relationships

Team Members

- Netball Manager
- MCDFNL Operations Manager
- Administration Officer
- Casual Staff

Key Skills and Knowledge