



One Association One Program One Philosophy

Selects FC Coaching Policy and Information

As of the indoor 2019-2020 soccer season, Selects FC is implementing the first phases of a revamp of its soccer program.

As MWSA moves to fulfill its new mandate of:

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One program

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Selects FC coaches must take on a key role within that revamp. Within the new mandate we all must recognize that our strength comes from the grass roots program of our communities. For if it's not strong we will not have a flow of coaches and players coming to our club. Therefore we all must do our part to strengthen the MWSA soccer program as a whole.

The **coaching policy** will foster a sense of professionalism and unity within the Club by demonstrating a common set of standards and expectations for all coaches within the club.

Selects FC has determined that coaches will meet the following minimum expectations.

- It is recognized that at club premier level our coaches are expected to adhere to a higher standard and set the example for community coaches.
- Selects FC Coaches will be required to complete their provincial C-License to remain in good standing as selects coaches.
- Selects FC Coaches will be required to follow the club program guidelines for their age group. (This guideline to be developed in phases in collaboration with the Director of Soccer operations and the technical staff). This is not meant to be a prescriptive guide. Coaches will be still be required to evaluate their players in order to best discern how to meet the outcomes of the program. It is intended that this program will be used across all MWSA teams. Thereby giving us a baseline for all MWSA players.
- Selects FC Coaches will be expected to participate in all professional development sessions as required by the Director of Soccer operations. These sessions will be instrumental in training our coaches to utilize the new program, guideline and increase their professional skill as coaches in delivering soccer training to our players.
- Coaches will be required to develop relationships with the community coaches within their age group. This will facilitate much needed mentoring for those coaches as well as allow us to identify players from within MWSA to play on our competitive teams.
- Coaches should actively encourage during the indoor season those appropriate players to come to their practices and trialist with their teams as appropriate.
- Each coach will be required to sign a coaching agreement yearly with MWSA.

- Coaches must be prepared to collaborate with the technical department in order to foster the new mandate and to ensure appropriate training occurs for their team.
- Each coach must wear club uniforms/apparel at each practice and game.
- Coaches will enforce the new club rules in regards to apparel within the club. It is essential to do this to ensure branding is maintained and enhanced.
- In the event coaches do not enforce the policy, the Club will use its best judgment to develop appropriate sanctions.