



# **CROQUET AUSTRALIA**

## **NATIONAL COACHING PROGRAM**

### **SUMMARY OF PREREQUISITES**

This document summaries the prerequisites required to attend coach training for all mallet sport codes at all levels.

A copy of the application for coach training can be found at the end of the document.

## RESPONSIBILITY OF TRAINING

The training of coaches at Level 1 and Level 2 is the responsibility of State Coaching Coordinator (SCC) in each State and may be delegated to appointed Presenters / Assessors.

The training of coaches at Level 3, and above, is carried out by Presenters / Assessors appointed by the National Coaching Coordinator (NCC).

## ELIGIBILITY FOR TRAINING

To be eligible for training as a coach, there are certain pre-requisites that **MUST** be met before attending any coaching program.

## ASSOCIATION

For entry into the AC1 training program a potential coach must:

1. Have a **Minimum of 12 months** experience as an Association Croquet player.
2. Be **recommended by the Club Coaching Coordinator / Club Captain**.
3. Have at least a **basic knowledge of the Laws of Association Croquet** and be able to play all the strokes required for Level 1.
4. Be prepared to actively involve him/herself in the general coaching activities of their Club; and
5. Have completed either a **Working with Children Check (WWCC), Working with Vulnerable People (WWVP) or Blue Card (BC)** whichever title is applicable to your state.

For entry into the AC2 training program a potential coach must:

1. Have a **minimum 12 months active coaching experience**;
2. Have at least a **basic knowledge of the Laws of Association Croquet** and be able to play all the strokes required for Level 2;
3. Have played in events outside his/her home Club;
4. Have completed either a **Working with Children Check (WWCC), Working with Vulnerable People (WWVP) or Blue Card (BC)** whichever title is applicable to your state; and
5. Be prepared to actively involve him/herself in the general coaching activities of their Club.

For entry into the AC3 training program a potential coach must:

1. Have a **minimum 12 months active coaching experience at Level 2**;
2. Be able to **play all the strokes required for Level 3**;
3. Be **qualified as an Association Croquet Umpire**;
4. Have **played in events at either State or National level**;
5. Have completed either a **Working with Children Check (WWCC), Working with Vulnerable People (WWVP) or Blue Card (BC)** whichever title is applicable to your state; and
6. Be prepared to **mentor Level 2 Coaches**.

For entry into the AC4 training program a potential coach must:

1. Have a **minimum 12 months active coaching experience at Level 3**;
2. Be able to **play all the strokes required for Level 4**;
3. Be **qualified as an Association Croquet Referee**;
4. Have **played in events at National level**;
5. Have completed either a **Working with Children Check (WWCC), Working with Vulnerable People (WWVP) or Blue Card (BC)** whichever title is applicable to your state; and
6. Be prepared to **mentor Level 3 Coaches**.

The Association High Performance Manager (HPM) is a Croquet Australia appointment.

## **GOLF CROQUET**

For entry into the GC1 training program a potential coach must:

1. Have a **minimum of 12 months experience** as a Golf Croquet player;
2. Be **recommended by the Club Coaching Coordinator / Captain**;
3. Have at least a **basic knowledge of the WCF Rules of Golf Croquet** and be able to play all the strokes required for Level 1;
4. Be prepared to actively involve him/herself in the general coaching activities of his/her Club; and
5. Have completed either a **Working with Children Check (WWCC), Working with Vulnerable People (WWVP) or Blue Card (BC)** whichever title is applicable to your state.

For entry into the GC2 training program a potential coach must:

1. Have a **minimum 12 months active Coaching experience**;
2. Have at least a **basic knowledge of the Rules of Golf Croquet** and be able to play all the strokes required for Level 2;
3. Have played in events outside their home Club;
4. Have completed either a **Working with Children Check (WWCC), Working with Vulnerable People (WWVP) or Blue Card (BC)** whichever title is applicable to your state; and
5. Be prepared to actively involve him/herself in the general coaching activities of their Club.

For entry into the GC Level 3 training program a potential coach must:

1. Have a **minimum 12 months active coaching experience at Level 2**;
2. Be able to **play all the strokes required for Level 3**;
3. Be **qualified as a Golf Croquet Referee**;
4. Have **played in events at either State or National level**;
5. Have completed either a **Working with Children Check (WWCC), Working with Vulnerable People (WWVP) or Blue Card (BC)** whichever title is applicable to your state; and
6. Be prepared to **mentor Level 2 Coaches**

The Golf Croquet High Performance Manager (HPM) is a Croquet Australia appointment.

## RICOCHET

For entry into the RC1 training program a potential coach must:

1. Have a **minimum of 12 months experience** as a Ricochet Croquet player;
2. **Be recommended by the Club Coaching Coordinator / Club Captain;**
3. Have at least a **basic knowledge of the Rules of Ricochet Croquet** and be able to play all the strokes required for Level 1;
4. Be prepared to actively involve him/herself in the general coaching activities of his/her club; and
5. Have completed either a **Working with Children Check (WWCC), Working with Vulnerable People (WWVP) or Blue Card (BC)** whichever title is applicable to your state.

For entry into the RC2 training program a potential coach must:

1. Have a **minimum 12 months active Coaching experience;**
2. **Be qualified as a Ricochet Croquet Referee;**
3. Be able to play all the strokes required for Level 2;
4. Have played in events outside his/her home Club;
5. Have completed either a **Working with Children Check (WWCC), Working with Vulnerable People (WWVP) or Blue Card (BC)** whichever title is applicable to your state; and
6. Be prepared to actively involve him/herself in the general coaching activities of their Club.

## GATEBALL

For entry into the GB1 training program a potential coach must:

1. Have a **minimum of 12 months experience** as a Gateball player;
2. **Be recommended by the Club Coaching Coordinator / Club Captain;**
3. Have at least a **basic knowledge of the Rules of Gateball** and be able to play all the strokes required for Level 1;
4. Be prepared to actively involve himself/herself in the general coaching activities of his/her club; and
5. Have completed either a **Working with Children Check (WWCC), Working with Vulnerable People (WWVP) or Blue Card (BC)** whichever title is applicable to your state.

For entry into the GB2 training program a potential coach must:

1. Have a **minimum 12 months active Coaching experience;**
2. Have a good **knowledge of the Rules of Gateball** and be able to play all the strokes required for Level 2;
3. Have played in events outside him/herself home Club;
4. Have completed either a **Working with Children Check (WWCC), Working with Vulnerable People (WWVP) or Blue Card (BC)** whichever title is applicable to your state; and
5. Be prepared to actively involve themselves in the general coaching activities of his/her Club.

For entry into the GB Level 3 training program a potential coach must:

1. Have a **minimum 12 months active coaching experience at Level 2;**
2. Be able to **play all the strokes required for Level 3;**
3. Be **qualified as a Gateball Referee;**
4. Have **played in events at either State or National level;**
5. Have completed either a **Working with Children Check (WWCC), Working with Vulnerable People (WWVP) or Blue Card (BC)** whichever title is applicable to your state; and
6. Be prepared to **mentor Level 2 Coaches.**



## APPLICATION FOR COACH TRAINING

### APPLICANT DETAILS

Surname \_\_\_\_\_ Given Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Suburb \_\_\_\_\_ Post Code \_\_\_\_\_

Year of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Croquet Club \_\_\_\_\_ Playing Experience \_\_\_\_\_ years (for required code)

**Training Required** (please tick as required and use separate application for each code)

#### **QUALIFICATION**

Level 1 Coach

Level 2 Coach

Level 3 Coach

Level 4 Coach

#### **CODE** (please tick required training)

AC – Association

GC – Golf Croquet

RC – Ricochet

GB – Gateball

I meet all the pre-requisites required to attend this level of training.

WWCC / WWVP / BC No: \_\_\_\_\_ ACA ID No: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicants Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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### CLUB COACHING COORDINATOR / CLUB CAPTAIN / SECRETARY

\_\_\_\_\_ Croquet Club supports this application to attend Coach training

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

SCCACTION

Request Registered		Presenter Allocated	Training Date Advised	Manuals Forwarded