

# Seaside Youth Football Position Description-Head Coach

## Primary Function

The primary goal of the Head Coach is to provide a positive learning environment so the players return to play football the following year through their freshman year in high school.

## Scope of Responsibility

- All the responsibilities of an Assistant Coach
- Consult with coaches from Seaside High School about
  - Drills for youth players
  - Position and Play naming terminology
  - Use of school facilities and equipment
- Run pre-season coaches meetings for your team to assign responsibilities and coordinate the multiple facets of the game
  - Blocking schemes
  - Defensive alignments
  - Offensive formations
- Attend the annual “Rules” League meeting prior to the start of practice and become USA Heads Up certified and NFHS Fundamentals of Coaching certified
- Highly organized to plan, in advance, the running of practices from August-October
  - Delegate responsibilities to Assistant Coaches as needed
  - Teaching football in simple terms from basics to advanced
- Self confidence with positive approach to dealing with possible issues from:
  - Assistant Coaches
  - Parents
  - Referees
  - Visiting Teams
  - Seaside Kids Board Members
  - League Officials
- Responsible for handing out and collecting gear in a timely matter
- Ensure player equipment is properly fitted and well maintained
- Plan and execute player rotation during games, appropriate for the level being coached
- Enlist player parents for volunteer opportunities with Seaside Kids

## Education/Knowledge/Skills

- Must have extensive knowledge of football
- Must enjoy working with children of all ages and abilities
- Must be able to communicate with players and parents in a positive manner

## Performance Measures

- To execute the vision of the Seaside Kids program as outlined by the Board of Directors
- To instruct athletes in individual and team fundamentals, strategy, and physical training necessary for them to realize a degree of individual and team success.
- Retention and development of players in this program from year to year