

Tri-County Tigers Basketball Association Coaching Policy

Purpose:

To help ensure that Tri-County coaches are consistent in meeting the objectives and adhering to the policies of Tri-County Tigers Basketball Association

Scope:

All Tri-County coaches without exception.

Becoming a Tri-County Tiger coach:

The basic requirement for becoming a coach with the Tri-County Tigers Association are to complete a coach registration form and consent to a criminal records check. Criminal records checks must be done by the date posted on our website. Coaches are often parents of players, but this is not a requirement. A head coach must be at least 18 years of age. Assistant coaches do not have to meet this requirement.

In order to coach at the basketball Nova Scotia provincial, at least one coach must have completed the NCCP Introduction to competition course. Details can be found through Basketball Nova Scotia.

Coaches will be selected based on the following criteria:

To ensure the highest standards for our athletes, preference will be given to those applicants who, at a minimum, have completed the Learn to Train - Training or higher as set by the Coaches Certification Pathway identified by Canada Basketball and endorsed by Basketball Nova Scotia. If applicants who apply for the position(s) do not meet this minimum standard, then the Committee may choose from the next best suited non-qualified applicant. All non-qualified applicants must be willing to complete minimum training by year end as set above unless approved by the Board.

- Qualified and Non qualified applicant selection will also be based on the following:
- Basketball coaching experience and proven success with player development.
- Outstanding ability to teach, relate, motivate and lead players at specified age group and level

Please note: Tri County Basketball reserves the right to add quality candidates to the process at their discretion.

Coach Development and Training:

Basketball Nova Scotia holds coaching seminars and more formal course through the year. The intent of the Tri-County Association is to pay for these courses for our coaches and only our selected coaches. The policy is to approve each course as it comes up. This is necessary as course fees and coaching interest can vary, along with the Tri-County Association budget from year to year