

Club Roles

Title	Child Safety Officer
Position Summary	To deliver advice and awareness within the Essendon Netball Club around developing a child safe environment Manage Essendon Netball Club's Child Safety Program
Key duties and responsibilities	Represent Essendon Netball Club at the Essendon District Netball Association (EDNA) Child Safety Working Group, and attend all meetings as required
	Develop processes and procedures that assist ENC to
	 Prevent, identify and mitigate risk to children and young people, whilst promoting wellbeing and safety in netball
	 Respond to any child safety concerns in a timely manner, and ensure that these processes are child focused, and clearly and easily understood by children and young people
	Provide education to coaches, administrators, players and club members around child safety in netball
	Ensure child safety messaging, and ENC's commitment to ensuring a child safe environment, is clearly communicated and prominently displayed within the club eg. on social media posts, website, at functions etc.
	Ensure child safety materials are made available to all members, club officials and volunteers
	Have a good working knowledge of Netball Victoria's Child Safety in Netball Policy and Child Safety in Netball Code of Conduct
	Be familiar with Essendon Netball Club's Child Safety Policy and all other relevant policies eg Social Media Policy, to ensure a child safe environment
	Understand the definitions and indicators of child abuse and neglect
	Acquire and demonstrate a knowledge and understanding of the requirements under the Children's Protection Act 1993, of the legal responsibilities of staff and volunteers working with children
	Have knowledge of the Child Abuse Report Line processes and procedures outlined in Netball Victoria's Child Safety in Netball Policy.
	Have a good understanding of Victorian Legislation in relation to the eleven Child Safety Standards
	Develop an ongoing child safety strategic plan and child safety practices for ENC, aimed at upholding the eleven Child Safety Standards
	Regularly review ENC's child safety strategic plan and child safety practices, and amend as required, to ensure compliance with State and Federal Government and peak sporting bodies such as Netball Victoria
	Oversee the formation and continued management of the
	- Junior Netball Committee, represented by some of our junior playing members
	- Child Safety sub-committee comprised of some of our adult members

Reports to the Essendon Netball Club Committee via the President on all child safety

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