NEW ZEALAND COACHING STRATEGY

CORE PRINCIPLES

- Participant and Athlete Focused
- Coaches are leaders
- Continuous learning
- Collaboration among coaches

VISION

"A world leading coaching system that enables coaches to meet the needs of community sport participants and performance athletes"

KEY OBJECTIVES

- Coaches at all levels are valued and supported
- Coaching communities are developed to meet participant and athlete needs
- More and better coaches
- A collaborative culture sustaining life long learning

Delivered through aligned Community Sport and High Performance Coaching Plans



NEW ZEALAND SPORT AND RECREATION PARTICIPANT AND ATHLETE PATHWAY

COACHING COMMUNITY PROFILES

COACHING COMMUNITIES

Participant focused development coaches

- Nurture a love of multiple sports
- Focus on skill development and decision making
- Reinforce ethical approaches to sport and recreation
- Provide for participant need and aspiration

Participant focused foundation coaches

- Nurture a love of sport and active recreation
- Focus on fun, participation and skill development
- Encourage multiple sports and skills
- Introduce the concept of fair play
- Provide experiences that are stage and age appropriate

Informal play



COACHING COMMUNITIES

Athlete focused

high performance coaches

- Leave a legacy of people and structures
- Are relentless learners
- Are driven by athlete need
- Collaborate to accelerate learning

Athlete focused

performance coaches

- Nurture a love of competing and being the best you can be
- Focus on skill development and decision making in a competitive environment
- Help athletes develop a wider sense of sporting ethics
- Provide appropriate sequenced development opportunities and guidance





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