

# Role Of Coach

## QUESTION:

I am head coach at a club. I listen to what other coaches do / don't do. Expectations (from clubs) vary as do our skills. What do you think is your role / responsibility as the club coach?

## ANSWERS

### • Club:

- Does a coach need accreditation?
- Job description / KPI's.
- Influence culture, attitudes.
- Club leadership.
- Setting season goals.
- Guard the interest of the team.
- An employee on a limited tenure.
- Selector, or, only participate in selection in an advisory capacity.
- Team and player performance appraisal.
- Numerous club executives dumbfounded as to what to expect of the coach.

### • Players:

- Understanding skills and a player's role.
- Structuring training drill sessions.
- Providing basic technical ski programs.
- Motivate players.
- Captain of the top side in the club.
- Developing new, hidden talent.
- Assisting new members.
- Analysing opposition and analysing competition venues.
- Be an amateur psychologist.
- Being approachable to players.
- Coach for every member.
- Take different approaches to different individuals.

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