



Honorary Coaches England Counties U20 XV

The England Counties U20's XV is looking to appoint **two** coaches to this newly created team.

The RFU Player Pathway Task Group [June 2010] accepted that U20 County Championship rugby has real value in creating interest, enriching the Community Game, driving up quality and aiding retention of all participants. To strengthen the U20 County Championship an England representative team will be established at this age, with players having to have played in the County Championship to be eligible.

The coaches will work as part of the England Counties U20s XV Management Team, to produce a successful team on and off the field. The responsibilities would include, supporting the selection process, and leading the playing & match preparation for the England Counties U20s XV.

Due to the creation of this team, two positions are vacant; one position will be appointed to lead the backs, and another the forwards. One of the posts will also be appointed head coach, and applicants should make clear in their application that they wish to take up this role.

Applicants should demonstrate Coaching/selecting experience at appropriate county or representative level; coaching specialism in one of the particular areas (backs or forwards); commitment to and engagement with the RFU's Coaching Development Qualification structure (minimum of Level 2 or equivalent); and have an affinity with the community game

Applications should be sent to The Recruitment Officer, Rugby House, Rugby Road, Twickenham, TW1 1DS, or by email to recruitment@therfu.com.

Closing date for applications is 17th September 2010
Interviews will be held on 30th September 2010.

For further information, and an informal discussion please contact
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