

Intro to Coaching Course (sanctioned by B.F.A)

Aug. 23-25 & Aug. 30-Sept. 1, 2019

Course runs over both weekends

The Intro to Coaching Course was designed using the same UEFA Licensing standards as the BFA C License course. It serves as the entry point for the BFA's coaching education pathway.



The course curriculum is developed by Jacques Crevoisier and is delivered over two weekends, with instruction led by UEFA B qualified coach educators from the BFA. It comprises classroom and on-field sessions, with individual assessments held at the end of the course.

The course is sanctioned by the Bermuda Football Association (**BFA**) and helps to qualify the successful candidate to receive the BFA "D" license, required to coach at **U7, U9, and U11** age level teams. Coaches will also need to complete FIRST AID certification and SCARS training modules independently in order to fulfill the BFA

requirements for coach license certification.

Who is Jacques Crevoisier?

Jacques coached for the French Football Federation at Clairefontaine, winning the under 18 European Championship in 2000, and served as a UEFA Senior Director for the Technical Department. He was also the first team coach at Liverpool FC from 2001 to 2003, consulted for Sochaux, St. Etienne and Monaco and provided psychology work at Arsenal and Tottenham (he has a degree in sports psychology.) Jacques is a regular match day commentator on English Premier League and other top European games and a regular public speaker

Course objectives

This 16 hour course teaches participants how to plan, organize, and deliver enjoyable coaching session in a safe environment. Participants will learn how to organize small-sided games and age appropriate sessions, and develop in players a variety of technical skills - juggling, passing, receiving, shooting, dribbling and running with the ball. The course curriculum also focuses on working with and educating parents about positive support, reinforces responsible conduct of a coach and deliver knowledge of basic laws of the game.



Who is the Intro to Coaching course for?

The course is geared toward Parents, Team Managers, PE Teachers, Current & former players who are new to coaching; and existing coaches (especially U7-U11) who have not had any formal coaching education. Candidates are encouraged to be in reasonable physical condition and to be prepared to participate in drills being run by their fellow coaches.

Those participants achieving a specific score and demonstrating proficiency in their assessment will be considered for recommendation as candidates to progress to the BFA's UEFA C equivalent course.

Tentative Schedule

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Date	Time	Pitch/Theory	Venue
August 23, 2019 Friday	6:00-8:00 PM	Theory Classroom 2 hrs.	Cedarbridge Academy
August 24, 2019 Saturday	8:30 AM – 11:30 AM	Pitch session – 3 hrs.	BFA Field
August 25, 2019 Sunday	8:30 AM – 11:30 AM	Pitch session – 3 hrs.	BFA Field
August 30, 2019 Friday	6:00-8:00 PM	Theory Classroom 2 hrs.	Cedarbridge Academy
August 31, 2019 Saturday	8:30 AM – 11:30 AM	Pitch session – 3 hrs.	BFA Field
Sept. 1, 2019 Sunday	8:30 AM – 11:30 AM	Pitch session – 3 hrs.	BFA Field



Costs

The BFCA underwrites some of the expenses of our courses to help keep access to coaching education affordable for those who have a desire to become certified and gain more proficiency with their standard of coaching. This is reflected in the low costs to the candidates:

Intro to Coaching Course (D License) - **\$150** *includes:*

- BFCA Member fee (financial member for 2019-2020) - **\$75**
- Intro to Coaching Course Fee) - **\$75**

How do I register for the course?

You can register for the course by simply sending an email to coacheducation@bfca.bm . All the relevant registration materials and information will be sent to you in a reply email. The form can be completed emailed back to the **BFCA** to complete the process. Or print the form and complete to bring to the course check-in (***send an email in advance to RSVP your place in the course***). All participants must be paid in full prior to the start of the course



Payments can be made by cheque or cash or directly to our account at the HSBC, Acc. No. 011-113669-001. Please include your name on the payment.

Completed forms with cheque or cash payment can be hand delivered in a sealed envelope to the offices of the Bermuda Football Association for collection by the BFCA. Please label the envelope Attention: BFCA Intro to Coaching Course.

Clubs who wish to register and pay for their coaches can send an email communication to coacheducation@bfca.bm .

If you have any questions contact Richard Todd @ **337-1120**.

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