



## Waterloo Minor Soccer Club Coaching Credit – House League

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Did you know that all WMSC House League coaches are volunteers and that no formal soccer or coaching experience is necessary? All volunteer coaches require to get involved is a positive attitude, enthusiasm, and a willingness to learn!

As a volunteer at WMSC you are provided with resources that will ensure that you, along with your team, have a soccer season that is both fun and enjoyable! WMSC is proud to provide free Coach Education Workshops as well as session plans, warm-ups, and many more valuable resources to ensure your coaching experience is as enjoyable as possible.

To better recognize the volunteer Head Coaches/Game Leaders in the House League Program, WMSC is offering a \$50.00 coaching credit to those who successfully complete the full season which can be used toward future programming. This credit does not apply to the U3 Parent & Child program.

### **Terms and conditions:**

- The value of the credit is \$50.00 and only the Head Coach/Game Leader of the team is eligible.
- Head Coaches/Game Leaders must complete all required tasks and responsibilities by the deadlines given, to be eligible to receive a credit (see below).
- Credits must be used within twelve (12) months, and can be used towards any WMSC program. Unused portions are not redeemable for cash.
- Credits are non-transferrable, and may only be used for members of the same household.
- Head Coaches/game leaders who are High School students, in lieu of credit, will receive volunteer hours.
- Head Coaches/game leaders who are University students, in lieu of credit, will receive \$50 gift card to their campus bookstore.
- Assistant Coaches/Game leaders, while appreciated, are not eligible for this program.

The following must be completed/occur in order for Head Coaches to receive their credit:

- Game Leader Program (coaches in U4/5 – U7)
- Respect in Sport Certification (coaches in U8+, valid for 5 years)
- Vulnerable Sector Screening (valid for 2 years).
- End of Season player evaluations (players U7+).
- Attendance at Coach Education Workshops.
- Consistent & regular communication with team families.
- Ensure all adults working with team (at practice, on game day, etc.) are registered and approved by the club office and have completed their Vulnerable Sector Screening.
- Enforced all WMSC program policies within their team.
- Zero “Coach Code of Conduct” violations must have occurred.