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## INFORMATION BULLETIN

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**To:** Ontario Soccer; District Membership, ORA, Associate Members  
**CC:** Ontario Soccer Board of Directors, Staff  
**From:** Bryan Rosenfeld, Senior Manager, High Performance  
**Subject:** Registration open for Online C License Course

Ontario Soccer, in consultation with Canada Soccer and governmental advisors, continues to monitor the most recent developments surrounding the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic and the resulting public health crisis.

Ontario Soccer is pleased to announce a new National C Licence course, to be delivered online, with an in-person date taking place at the Ontario Soccer Centre, at a date to be confirmed.

The course includes online and in-person education. For the in-person portion of the course, attendees will be required to observe regional public health and safety protocols, while properly socially distancing and wearing appropriate personal protection equipment.

### **Overview:**

The National C Licence is the entry-level course for the Licensing Stream pathway and prepares the coach to progress to the Development Stream (Children), Development Stream (Youth) or Performance Stream (Senior). The C Licence involves the facilitation of learning opportunities for the coach to develop an understanding of the coaching process.

### **What do you learn?**

The C Licence content involves theoretical and practical components focusing on holistic, effective coaching. The workshop modules covers content including:


- Vision, Mission, Values;
- Understanding the Person, the Practice & the Play;
- Mental Health and wellbeing in coaching;
- Safe Sport;
- The Coaching Process;



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- Designing and delivering a training session;
- Introduction to the Principles of Play;
- Developing the individual player;
- Introduction to presentation skills;
- Introduction to the use of technology in coaching.

Coaches who obtain a C Licence Certification will be able to be a Head Coach in some Regional Leagues, and an Assistant Coach in the Ontario Player Development League (OPDL) or League1 Ontario.

### **What are the course pre-requisites?**

Prior to registering for the C Licence course, coaches must complete the following:

- [Learn to Train OR Soccer for Life](#)
- [Make Ethical Decisions Course](#) + [Make Ethical Decisions Online Evaluation](#)
- [Respect in Sport Online Module](#)
- [Making Headway in Soccer Online Module](#)

### **Structure of the C Licence Course**

The course will consist of eight (8) online Zoom sessions and one (1) on-field practical day.

### **Dates & Location**

Evening Online Classes via Zoom – Starting Tuesday, October 27, 2020 at 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

- Tuesday, October 27, 2020 - 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.
- Tuesday, November 3, 2020 - 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.
- Tuesday, November 10, 2020 - 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.
- Tuesday, November 17, 2020 - 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.
- Tuesday, November 24, 2020 - 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.
- Tuesday, December 1, 2020 - 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.
- Tuesday, December 8, 2020 - 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.
- Tuesday, December 15, 2020 - 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

On-field Practical at the Ontario Soccer Centre (7601 Martin Grove Road - Vaughan, Ontario)

- *Weekday TBC, 2021* – 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

**NOTE:** 100% attendance and engagement is required for the duration of the course.


### **What is the cost?**



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### **Application and Registration**

Coaches are required to apply for the course via [Coach Centre](#), providing proof of their completion of the pre-requisites. Upon being approved, coaches are then able to register for the course they are interested in.

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If you have any questions, please contact [Alex Di Noia](#), Coordinator, Coach Development.