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# RICHMOND FOOTBALL CLUB POSITION DESCRIPTION

Commercial Partnerships Account Manager
Commercial Operations
Commercial Partnerships Manager
Community, Marketing & Communications, Events, Consumer Business, Football.
One (Data Analyst Intern)
Permanent Full Time#

#### **POSITION PURPOSE:**

Richmond are uniquely placed to support and enhance the unique role that sport plays in driving brand and social impact. This Commercial Partnerships Account Manager requires a high level of commercial and stakeholder acumen, focusing on delivering exceptional client services and engagement by managing a portfolio of partnerships from industry sectors which may include corporate, government and agencies, philanthropic and community.

#### **KEY RESPONSIBILITIES:**

# 1. Partnership Account Management

- Manage the commercial requirements and relationships of a portfolio of Partners ensuring that contractual obligations are delivered to appropriate standards.
- Ensure clear briefs and objectives are agreed to and documented and evolve as needed to ensure objectives are met or exceeded.
- Generate and implement annualised Activation Plans and engagement strategies that support target objectives for each Partner.
- Build and maintain strong working client relationships and deliver best practice account management.
- Provide timely and accurate delivery of all contractual Partner benefits for the allocated portfolio.

# 2. Programs, Campaigns, Activations and Outcomes

• Coordinate the development and execution of programs, campaigns and activations whilst ensuring appropriate analysis, insights and outcomes are captured and reported.







- Work with Partners, and internal stakeholders, to identify mechanisms to capture appropriate reports and outcomes that demonstrate return on investment and value for the Partner.
- Conduct periodic formal and informal reviews on Partnership deliverables and status.
- Prepare, maintain, and report to the Commercial Partnerships Manager detailed records of communications, including WIP documents and activation plans.
- Oversee the monthly budgeted revenues and expenses for each Partner in the portfolio and assist Commercial Partnerships Manager as required.

# 3. Stakeholder Engagement & Communications

- Create and manage an engagement plan to ensure all stakeholders are informed, engaged and connected to the partnership.
- Develop an effective relationship engagement matrix for each Partner to ensure key stakeholder are engaged, connected and new relationships developed.
- Coordinate internal colleagues to ensure communications and content is efficiently shared with Partner channels and stakeholders.

# 4. Expanding & Strengthening Partnerships

- Work collaboratively alongside the Partners to uncover additional needs and objectives which will further deepen, expand and strengthen relationships.
- Work alongside internal stakeholders to identify new products and program opportunities or enhancements to drive incremental revenue, value and deepen the connections with Partners.
- Identify, facilitate and report on business-to-business opportunities to drive mutual relationships, commercial opportunities and shared learnings between Partners and stakeholders

# 5. Renewal & Growth

- Ensure Partner needs are met or exceeded leading to advocacy, revenue growth and renewal.
- Develop deep insights on Partners, including industry intelligence and insights, to ensure that the Partnership and activations are aligned to current and future needs.
- Prepare and present formal and informal partnership reports and presentations, and implement retention and growth strategies in conjunction with Commercial Partnerships Manager and other stakeholders as necessary.
- Work with internal and external stakeholders to ensure that Partners have all necessary information, intelligence, research, reports and outcomes to strengthen and support renewal.







# **SKILLS, EXPERIENCE & QUALIFICATIONS**

- 1. At least five years' relevant experience within the corporate/enterprise space in a client facing account management role.
- 2. Demonstrated ability to meet deadlines, manage budgets, and work both as part of a team and autonomously.
- 3. A proven understanding of managing business relationships and navigating through complex stakeholders at all levels.
- 4. Strong financial management and negotiation skills.
- 5. Demonstrated ability to create business development opportunities.

# PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES

- 1. Strong negotiation, interpersonal and relationship management skills.
- 2. Highly motivated and self-driven towards delivering exceptional client service.
- 3. Highly organised, excellent attention to detail and be a strategic commercial and analytical thinker.

<sup>#</sup> Flexibility is something we value and recognise that this will mean different things for different people. If this is important to you please raise this with us.

**Contact:** For any further information or if you have any queries please contact the Commercial Partnership Manager on (03) 9426 4000.

**Applications:** To apply for this position please forward a cover letter and resume to <u>employment@richmondfc.com.au</u> by 5pm, Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2017.

This role will be subject to relevant pre-employment checks including a current Victorian Working with Children check.



