

# Player Services Chart

The AFL Players' Association, enhancing the security and personal development opportunities for past, present and future AFL Footballers.

| Transition Services   | Career & Education  | Psychology Services  | Indigenous Support Program             | Grant & Scholarships          |
|---|---|--|--|-------------------------------|
| Mark Porter   | Gillian Tan   | Dr Pippa Grange  | Ralph White                            | Jessica Fairchild             |
| Induction Camp  | Career Counselling & Coaching   | Personal Counselling   | Cross-Cultural Awareness               | Mike Fitzpatrick Scholarships |
| Football Apprenticeship   | Educational & Course Guidance   | Specialist Referral Network  | Indigenous Camp                        | Education & Training Grants   |
| 3 Pillars Program   | Elite Athlete Friendly Uni Network  | Industry education & Initiatives   | Mentor & Family Support                | Computer Grants               |
| Next Goal Work Placement  | Study Skills & Tutoring   | Support for Partners   | Club Liaison Services                  | Workshops                     |
| Employment Opportunites   | Literacy & Numeracy Skill Development   | <b>Psychology Consultants</b><br>VIC Kim Mercer & Emma Campbell<br>NSW Patsy Tremayne<br>QLD Tracey Veivers<br>WA Geoff Paull<br>SA Matti Clements | Research & Endorsement Grants          |                               |
| Financial Education   | IT Skills Training  |  | Drake Professional Development Courses |                               |
| Retired & Delisted Support                                      | Job Preperation Tools   |  |  |                               |
| <b>National Career Transition Co-ordinator</b><br>Rayden Tallis | <b>Career &amp; Education Consultants</b><br>VIC Mary Grech<br>NSW Jamie Breden<br>QLD Lydia Najlepszy<br>WA Lisa Cunningham<br>SA Prue Wilcosz |  |  |                               |

## Transition Services

Mark Porter & Rayden Tallis

### INDUCTION CAMP

3-day induction for newly drafted players entering the AFL.

### FOOTBALL APPRENTICESHIP\*

A year long induction program designed to give players the necessary skills and competencies required to be an elite AFL footballer.

### 3 PILLARS PROGRAM

Comprehensive skills and knowledge for players with interests in business, property and share investing.

### NEXT GOAL WORK PLACEMENTS

Work Placement program designed to provide practical work experience in an industry of the player's choice.

### RETIRED & DELISTED SUPPORT

Support for recently retired or delisted players transitioning into life after football.

### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Connecting players with employer networks.

### FINANCIAL EDUCATION

Seminars providing information to players about managing their financial affairs.

## Career & Education

Gillian Tan

### CAREER COUNSELLING & COACHING

Facilitating sound career choices via exploration of work values and interests, counselling, assessment, and personal profiling.

### EDUCATION & COURSE GUIDANCE

Assistance in selecting appropriate educational courses

### ELITE ATHLETE FRIENDLY UNIVERSITY NETWORK

National network of Elite Athlete Friendly Universities supporting players with their studies.

### STUDY SKILLS & TUTORING

Support for players requiring assistance to meet their educational and study needs

### LITERACY & NUMERACY

Support for players with literacy & numeracy needs.

### IT SKILLS TRAINING

Specific training to develop your IT skills.

## Psychology Services

Pippa Grange

### PERSONAL COUNSELLING

Strictly confidential service where players can get support for off field issues, including relationships, career stress, transition and injury.

### SPECIALIST REFERRAL NETWORK

Strictly confidential service where players can access specialist advice for support of the field, this may include gambling, depression and substance abuse.

### INDUSTRY EDUCATION & INITIATIVES

Informing stakeholders with regard to specific issues that affect the AFL industry.

### SUPPORT FOR PARTNERS

Partners of players may access a range of services offered in Player Development this may include personal and career counselling, our specialist referral network, education guidance and indigenous support.

## Indigenous Support

Ralph White

### CROSS-CULTURAL AWARENESS

Education and support for players and clubs in developing an awareness of Multiculturalism.

### INDIGENOUS PLAYERS CAMP

Biannual camp for Indigenous players.

### MENTOR & FAMILY SUPPORT

Support for players and their families.

### CLUB LIAISON SERVICES

Support for clubs in dealing and understanding with Indigenous affairs.

## Grants & Scholarships

Jessica Fairchild

### EDUCATION & TRAINING GRANTS

Grants to assist players in subsidising their education expenses.

### MIKE FITZPATRICK SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarship allocated annually to potential AFL footballers who require financial assistance to reach their educational goals.

### COMPUTER GRANTS

Grants to assist players in subsidising a purchase of a computer.

### DRAKE PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT COURSES

Courses to assist players with their professional development during and after their football career.

### WORKSHOPS

Interactive and educational sessions covering a range of life and professional skills.

### JOB PREPARATION TOOLS

Tools to guide players in obtaining employment.