



ELTHAM FOOTBALL CLUB INC.

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The club is pleased to announce that Brett Weatherald has been appointed Senior Coach for season 2012.

Brett had a long and successful playing career before taking up coaching.

Brett started his Senior playing career playing with Fitzroy under 19s and Reserves then went on to have a very successful career in the VFA firstly with Camberwell for two years, then played under Phil Cleary at Coburg for 5 years with two V.F.A premierships 1988 and 1989. He was leading Goalkicker on 3 occasions and was VFA representative on 4 occasions.

In 1991 Brett started his Coaching Career as a playing assistant at Balwyn, then in the South Eastern League.

In 1992 was playing coach of Upwey Tecoma in the Mountain Valley League the Club finished third that year. Brett was also leading Goalkicker.

Brett moved to Templestowe in the Eastern League coaching for four years from 1993 to 1996. Templestowe were runners up on 2 occasions under Brett. He was Eastern Districts Interleague coach in 1996.

Brett then took a break from the rigors of Senior Coaching with support roles at both Research and Eltham Juniors.

Now involved at Eltham, with his son Jackson playing juniors, He then again took up Coaching having instant success with his first premiership with the Under 17s in 2006 and then following up the next year with the Under 19 winning the flag in 2007. Brett then coached one more year guiding the Under 19s to 3rd in 2008. Brett was also an assistant coach to Phil Maylen during this period.

In 2009 and 2010 Brett took a break from football to concentrate on business commitments. Brett now feels that he is ready to get back into the hurly burly of coaching at a Senior level, and feels confident that he can bring success to the Eltham Football Club.

The club would very much like to thank Craig Hayes for his work as Senior Coach over the past three seasons and wish him all the best for the future.