



SCOTTISH FA SOUTH EAST REGION COACHING CONFERENCE 2010

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GARY BOWYER

HEAD YOUTH COACH
BLACKBURN ROVERS

28 MARCH 10:00 - 16:00
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INTRODUCTION

We are delighted to host the fourth Scottish FA South East Region Coaching Conference 2010 from Almondvale Stadium, Livingston Football Club, West Lothian. The Conference is aimed at coaches working at all levels of football and will be a variety of practical sessions and a discussion forum. We anticipate there will be a huge demand to attend this event and encourage interested coaches to book early. We hope to see you at the event.

RICKY SBRAGIA

Chief Scout, Sunderland AFC

Sbragia commenced his coaching career with York as youth-team coach and obtained his Football Association coaching badge in May 1990. He took over as youth-team coach at Sunderland in 1994 and was later promoted to reserve team coach. He moved to Manchester United as reserve team coach on 20 November 2002 where he built up a successful reserve side. He was then appointed as first team coach of Bolton Wanderers on 10 October 2005. Sbragia rejoined Sunderland's coaching staff in November 2007, and was appointed manager on 27 December 2008 after a brief spell as caretaker following the departure of Roy Keane. In July 2009 it was announced that Sbragia would take on the new role of Sunderland's Chief Scout.

CONFERENCE FORMAT

10.00	WELCOME /TEA AND COFFEE ON ARRIVAL
10.15	PRESENTATION – JOHN HUGHES
10.30	PRESENTATION – GARY BOWYER
10.45	PRACTICAL DEMONSTRATION – JOHN HUGHES
11.45	PRACTICAL PRESENTATION – GARY BOWYER
12.45	LUNCH (PROVIDED)
13:15	PRESENTATION – RICKY SBRAGIA
14:00	PRACTICAL SESSION – RICKY SBRAGIA
15:00	TEA AND COFFEE
15:15	DISCUSSION FORUM
16:00	DISPERSAL

JOHN HUGHES

First Team Manager, Hibernian

John Hughes is the Scottish former professional footballer, who is now the manager of Hibernian. Hughes played primarily as a central defender for several clubs, including Falkirk, Celtic, Hibernian and Ayr United. Towards the end of his playing career, Hughes took on coaching responsibilities, and was appointed manager of Falkirk in 2003 and quickly guided Falkirk to promotion to the Scottish Premier League and a Scottish Cup Final during his time in charge. John left Falkirk to become Hibs manager in 2009 and has done a remarkable job with the club, keeping them in touch with the Old Firm this season and on track for a place in Europe for next season.

GARY BOWYER

Head Youth Coach, Blackburn Rovers

Gary was a former professional player with Hereford, Nottingham Forest and Rotherham. Following the end of his playing career prematurely due to injury, he undertook a part-time role as a Derby County youth coach. Gary graduated to chief youth coach in 2000, a position he held for four years before moving to Blackburn Rovers to take up a full-time position as full time youth team coach. Gary has progressed and now holds the position as Head of Youth teams at the club.



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