



Monday 11 November 2019

David Parkin

David Parkin played 211 games for the Hawthorn Football Club won the Best and Fairest award for Hawthorn in 1965, and was captain of the club from 1969–1973, including Hawthorn's 1971 premiership winning side.

Parkin went to Western Australia and captain-coached Subiaco in 1975. He was back at Hawthorn as Assistant Coach taking over as Senior Coach in 1976 and was coach to the premiership winning Hawks in 1978.

He coached Carlton in his first stint from 1981–1985, winning back to back premierships in 1981–1982. He coached Fitzroy from 1986–1988, making the preliminary final in his first season at the Lions.

Parkin is currently a media commentator who has appeared on *Talking Footy* on the Seven Network and is now a panellist Fox Footy's *Fox League Teams* and a commentator for *ABC Radio*.

He is a lecturer in Sports and Exercise Science at Deakin University, Melbourne campus. He holds a Bachelor of Education from the University of Western Australia.



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