

ASC Fall 2017 Referee Meeting Agenda

1. Check-in and discuss mentoring program. Counts as community service time for high school referee mentors.
2. Code of Conduct and Game Day Reminders.
3. Changes in Rules – see ASC website Referee/Resources section for all changes in the Laws of the Game.
Kickoff can go in any direction, including backwards and must clearly move.

Substitute who comes into the game on a throw-in must step onto the field prior to taking a throw-in.

Fall High School 7 v 7 – NO OFFSIDES and likely no ARs

4. Game assignments – All referees input availability and accept/reject games at www.usofficials.com
5. Game reports (and payment) – Complete within 24 hours of the game.

All In-town games are reported to USOfficials.

All BAYS games are reported to BAYS only (see one special situation below). For BAYS games, when a referee accepts a game, a link to the game report will be provided.

BAYS Grade 6 ARs must report scores on USOfficials in order to get paid.

Payment for In-town and BAYS happens about three times each season and should happen automatically if you have entered game reports to the appropriate sites.

6. DISCUSS WITH IN-TOWN REFEREES DIFFERENCES IN RULES BETWEEN GAMES THEY PLAY AND IN-TOWN GAMES

7. DISCUSS WITH REFEREE GRADE 8 GROUP:

- Referees should register on the BAYS site; if they are not registered, there will be a delay in getting their games assigned, as BAYS can't assign them until they are registered, apply to Arlington, and get accepted. See process for Referee Certification handout or on ASC Website.
- What BAYS pays for (center ref for grade 3 - grade 8, AR for grade 7-8 only) - on BAYS Rules Summary
- What ASC pays (AR for grade 6, and all intown games) \$20
- Reminder to BAYS referees – need to check player and coach passcards (current 2017-2018 sticker on coach cards). See BAYS Rules Summary for which ages/divisions need player passcards.
- If any same-day changes happen, contact both Paul Athanasiadis at paul2319@gmail.com and Lisa Kiker via BAYS website under Referee Section, enter Arlington Soccer Club, look for Organization Members and Assignor
- BAYS sends automated emails when referee assignments are made/changed, even if the game is in the past... no need to worry about it if we're correcting a change that happened.
- Under no circumstances should a referee submit a game report for a game he/she doesn't do - it is harder to change once report is submitted.
- Referees in school grade 9 or above can sign up for Central Assigning at BAYS website. This allows you to be assigned to Sunday high school games. You may get assigned games outside of Arlington so should be sure you are able to reject these games if need be.

8. QUESTIONS

Contact Paul Athanasiadis with questions about assignments at paul2319@gmail.com

Contact Lori Barry-Smith with other questions, including payment issues at lori.barrysmith@gmail.com