



L.B.S.R.A. Newsletter

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From the President LBSRA

RECERTIFICATION PROCEDURE 2010

On Thursday November 18th we will have our grade 8 recertification class. You will need to log on to the Cal South web site and sign in for the clinic. Go to referees then clinic Schedule then click Search. Find the Long Beach clinic for November 18th click on it and once it is open click on Register and follow the instructions. If you have a password use it if not create a new one and follow instructions.

If you do not register with cal South then you will have to fill out a form from there web site. Go to referees and then go to Registration once you have opened it go to USSF Registration form print it and fill it out so you can bring it with you to the clinic. **DO NOT MAIL BRING IT WITH YOU!!!!**

You will need to bring \$45.00 cash or check with you along with the form. If you do not bring the form with the cash you will not be registered for 2011. I will not except one with out the other you must have both or registered on line to meet the requirements of recertification.

If you are Grade 8 going to a 7 or grade 6 or grade 5 you must attend one of the clinics put on by the state which you can go on to cal south web site and register for one of those clinics.

Grade 15 & 16 emeritus may fill out the form from cal south and bring \$80.00 cash or check for recertification to be certified for 2011.

Any questions please contact me before Wednesday evening

I can only offer any referee this time to get recertified for 2011. It blows my mine that you referees do not take advantage of this time to get certified.

DON'T WAIT BECAUSE IT MAY BE TOO LATE TO GET RECERTIFIED THIS MONTH OTHERWISE AFTER THE FIRST OF THE YEAR YOU MAY NOT GET GAMES TO OFFICIATE.

Registration information 2011 for LBSRA

You must go to the web site and down load the forms. (Calsouth.com.) Test for grade 8 will be given at our October Meeting. Mark you calendar Now.

Test for grade 8 only, 11-18-2010

Referees who are registered with the United States Soccer Federation (USSF) must renew their registration annually. To re-certify or maintain your current referee grade please follow the directions below and mail in all requirements with your registration form to the address at the end of this page. Referees going Emeritus must submit a note stating this with their registration form. The referee must have held the grade for a minimum of 3 years prior to the request. A registration is valid from January 1 thru December 31 of each year. Registration for the 2010 calendar year is now closed. Registrations must be submitted between September 1, 2010 to June 30, 2011.

PLEASE ALLOW 3 WEEKS FOR PROCESSING AND APPROVAL. ONCE APPROVED YOUR NAME WILL APPEAR ON THE REGISTERED OFFICIALS LIST. USSF MAILS OUT THE PACKETS, THIS CAN TAKE UP TO 1 MONTH FROM WHEN YOUR NAME IS LISTED ON THE WEBSITE.

RISK MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENT

All Cal South referees age 18 and up must have their Risk Management done to referee any youth games within Cal South. It can take up to 14 days for approval of your Live Scan fingerprinting to come back from the California Department of Justice. To download the form and a listing of live scan sites in your area please click [here](#) . Once completed you must email or fax over a copy of the form to Lisa Wolfs lwolfs@calsouth.com, fax # 714.441.0715.

REFEREES MUST SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING:

(Please note USSF will not be sending out the packet with registration forms anymore and you will receive a reminder in the mail for 2011 registration).

1. Completed [USSF Referee Registration Form](#)
 2. Along with the [2011 Maintenance-Renewal Requirements](#)
 3. Payment by check or Money Order, made payable to Cal South [2011 Referee Renewal Fees](#)
- YOU MUST GO TO CAL SOUTHS WEB SITE AND REGISTER FOR THE CLINIC WHICH WILL BE POSTED. CAL SOUTH WANT'S YOU TO PAY ON LINE.**

Print 2 copies of the form, keep one for yourself Complete the form using one letter per square.

Complete as much of Step 1 as you can. If you are re-certifying, your USSF ID Number is required. If you don't know your USSF ID Number or can't locate it, go to USSF type in your password to find your number.

Current State Affiliation = CAS

Grade = Referee Grade, not your grade in school.

The DISTRICT field leave blank.

Re-certifying Referees should report the number of matches done in the past year in Step 3, Affiliated Game Experience For Prior Year. Write in the actual number of games done at each level. Do not use "X's" or check marks.

Read Step 5 and then check the appropriate box. If you have checked the "yes" box, please submit the following information with your form: description of offense, date, court, and sentence. Information is evaluated on a case by case basis in relationship to being a referee. If a box is not checked in Step 5, the form will be returned.

Sign and date your form on the signature line provided. Your signature attests that all information contained on the form is true and correct. Misrepresentation or falsification of facts are reason for possible dismissal. Unsigned forms will be returned.

ALL MATERIALS MUST BE given to the instructor handling the class. All info will go to:

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Danielle Bryant

Cal South Referee Registration

1029 S. Placentia Ave.

Fullerton, CA 92831

Incomplete packages cannot be processed and will delay your registration.

To: All Referee Associations' Presidents

From: Arturo Angeles, SDI

- Recertification for Active Emeritus Referees
- Recertification for Grade 8 referees
- Recertification and Upgrading Clinics for Grades 7, 6 and 5

An Active Emeritus Referee is one that referees regularly at least three times per month. An Active Emeritus Referee then must meet the following requirement to recertify for 2011:

Emeritus Referees Grades 13, 14, 15 and 16 annual requirements:

Active emeritus Referees must qualify each year for the level that they will be officiating

- **In-Service Training:** Five hours during the preceding 12 months
- **Refreshing Exam:** see table below

Active Emeritus Referee	Referees	Test to be taken	Passing Score
Grade 16	Adults and youth games	State test Grade 6	75%
Grade 15	Adults and youth games	State test Grade 5	85%
Grade 14	Adults and youth games	State test Grade 5	85%
Grade 13	Adults and youth games	State test Grade 5	85%
Grades 13, 14, 15 and 16	Youth games including U18	Grade 8 test	75%

- **Field Evaluation:** Not required
- **Physical Fitness Test:** Not required

If an Active Emeritus Referee decides to become a Grade 8 then he/she must meet these requirements annually:

- **In Service Training:** Five hours during the preceding 12 months
- **Refresher Exam:** Passing Score of 75% Required
- **Field Evaluation:** Not required
- **Physical Fitness Test:** Not required

See next page

Active Emeritus Referees can recertify at the Grade 8 recertification clinic, however they must notify the clinic coordinator what test they are taking so that the instructor has the right number test for the clinic.

Currently there are three Recertification and Upgrading Clinics for Grades 8, 7 and 6. The location and dates are as follows:

Santa Ana College 1530 W 17th St Santa Ana, CA 92706-3398	Nov 13, 2010 from 8am to 5pm – Check in time 7:30am on the track	CLOSED*
Murrietta Valley High School 42	Nov 20, 2010 8am to 5pm check in time 7:30am on the track	OPEN

BOARD OFFICERS

Your LBSRA Board of Directors will hold office until May of next year 2011.

President /Newsletter
Vice President of Referee Operations/Assignor
Vice President of Adult Referee Mentoring/Training
Treasurer
Director of Administrative assistant
Director of Instruction and Assessment
Director of Human Resources/Referee Recruiting
Director Debriefing/Mentoring
* Denotes Voting Board Member

Butch Renken *
Larry Yee *
Kent Kirkland *
Larry Taylor
Roy Schwarzer *
Toros Kibritjian *
Vern Geiger
Mike Holguin *

NEXT Meeting
WEDNESDAY
AT 7:00PM
NOVEMBER, 17 2010

Grace First Presbyterian Church
3955 Studebaker Road Long Beach, CA
90808 Located at the intersection of Stude-
baker Road & Los Coyotes, diagonal just
south of Carson Street

Treasurer report

Several items have been brought to my attention. I would like to have you look at several items on your checks when you receive them:

1. Make sure your name and address is correct.
2. On the bottom left of the check is a line stating the site, games & any deductions.
3. Make sure the amount of the check is correct.
4. If you have any questions about the amount or games paid for, please e-mail or call so the items can be corrected.
5. Cash the checks with in a reasonable time so we can clear the check register.

Thank you '
Larry Taylor, Treasurer

OCWSL

We still can not get it right when doing games for the OCWSL. What does it take to follow the instructions that has been given out to all you referees doing these games?

Each week Larry is putting the info on the emails that he sends to all confirming your games and you still can not get it right.

We still can't get the cards mailed it time. When you tell Larry and I the excuses that you give and we have heard them all, but 95% of the cards get's to Kathy on Wednesday something just does not click.

I am very heavily disappointed when we do not follow procedures laid down by USSF and FIFA. When I hear about these and the referees do not follow them we will come down heavy on you from now on. If you are not sure how to follow procedures ask our Instructors that's why we have them so you do get it right.

ARE YOU READY FOR STATE AND NATIONAL CUP MATCHES..... IS THE REAL QUESTION??

With CSL drawing to an end for many age groups and tournament season will be upon us soon as well as both State and National Cup, are you up to the challenge?

Try to push yourself to be the best referee you can be.

Our adult mentor/coordinators have looked at a lot of both youth and adult referees these past 3 plus months. They are seeing good stuff out there. Our lead instructor (Toros) needs a pat on the back for the good work he is doing with all of our training session. Good stuff every month is being shared at meetings as well as on the field.

You BOD is here for YOU!! We want you to meet your goals. But the only way we can be sure that we are seeing everyone, is when you contact your assignor and myself to have someone come out to observe you. YOU must take the first step.

The high school season will be starting up in the next 3 weeks for many of our adult members. Lets make sure that we are in the best shape possible for doing these very competitive high school matches. The players deserve your best at all times. Make sure you are dressing warmly during the season so you will stay healthy.

Adult leagues are doing well and for some of them, their seasons are also coming to an end. But they will start up again after a short break.

If you are interested and feel you can handle this level, please contact me. I have leagues in the Corona and Ontario area and all are very competitive.

DON'T FORGET TO RE-CERTIFY!

We need all of you.

Regards and see you all on the pitch.

Mike Holguin

hope everyone enjoys the holiday season and is getting ready for National and State Cup starting right after the holiday season. as for now the YMG will have a few fields down in Escondido for the thanksgiving weekend, as i will not be able to attend, Juan Contreras, Carla Contreras, and David Lyday will be running this weekend as well as others from my staff.. enjoy and have a great time

Thanks

Don't forget to re register

Mark Perry and YMG Staff

LBSRA YMG President

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Various Fall season youth and Adult leagues from 9/2010 to end of 12/2010

12/11 to 12/12 PSA Canyon Winter Cup

12/11 to 12/12 Potential Anaheim Recreation tournament

As you can see the list is getting shorter

We will be listing the new tournaments in a month or so. We have lost several but the good news is that we have got some new tournaments to replace the ones we lost.

As Treasurer, I am still @ at a lost of the number of checks that are not being cashed within a short period. If you are having troubles depositing or cashing the checks call me @ 909 241-5466 or e-mail @ laptaylor@verizon.net. Thank you for your cooperation.

Larry Taylor

