

# L.B.S.R.A. Newsletter



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## LBSRA PRESIDENTS NOTES

Let's start with the good news of having lot's of games for all of Long Beach members. We have more SCDSL league games this year Than we did last year. We have again CSL a few fields. We again have the showcase games for SCDSL in Norco, Silver Lake complex, total of 15 fields at Citrus and Hamner. We are doing LBYSO in Long Beach, also doing a few fields for are regular weekend adult leagues. So as you can see it takes a lot of referees to cover all these games. To all of LBSRA members please give you're availability to the assignors Larry Yee, Lee Harmon, Ardy Saedi. Give them the time like AM Saturday, PM Saturday, AM Sunday, PM Sunday, All day Saturday, All Day Sunday. If you give them this information and they assign you games, make sure you honor the games that you receive.

That nasty word "RECERTIFICATION" as every referee knows that in order to Officiate affiliated games at the USSF level you must have a current USSF certification. . This protects each referee with insurance which helps in law suits. It helps protect you against assaults being a current certified official. But most of all it gives you the right to earn money for doing the games. With all the money that you make (non taxable) per year, what is \$100.00 dues, and fees for registration. This fee is nothing, so go on line and get reregistered, take the test . Don't wait until the last minute, get it done now. Can't put it any plainer than that.

Ardy has given you the information tools on page four for recertification so follow the steps listed and get recertified before December 31<sup>st</sup> for 2016.

We still have referees with the old style faded uniforms or faded new uniforms and shorts and ladies with jewelry on. You as referees make the money to buy uniforms. We have given you information on how to save on the purchase of new uniforms. Take advantage of these offers. You don't have to go out and buy all the different colors at once. Buy one a month or one every two months.

Thanks to all the referees doing games at Sliver Lakes complex for SCDSL Showcase for doing the extra games to help out and get the job done. LBSRA could not do it without all your help.

Thanks to all Referees from the SCDLS Referee Coordinator.

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**NEXT MEETING**  
**Wednesday AT 7:00PM**  
**October 21, 2015**

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

**A reminder to all members, if they have changes in there  
email address, street address, name change or phone #'s  
I need to have these so I can update the roster each  
month or sooner.**

**Lee Harmon**

## **SILVERLAKES — ONLY**

For those assignors that are assigning games at Silverlakes, please let your referees know that in order to NOT pay the \$8.00 parking fee at Silverlakes **THEY MUST SHOW THEIR REFEREE CREDENTIALS OR THEY WILL HAVE TO PAY FOR PARKING.** This only applies at Silverlakes. Not the other venues that charge for parking  
Getting to Silver Lakes complex: do not use address it will take you several miles from the complex. Use instead GPS cross streets of Citrus & Hamner Norcco. This will put you at the entrance to the complex

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**For those of you have become recent members of our association, I want to congratulate you for joining the finest referee association in Southern California**

**We pride ourselves in recruiting and training future high level referees. It is our goal to promote those who want to move up into the upper levels of soccer officiating. The Long Beach Soccer Referee Association, and Cal South, look forward to the opportunity to advance the careers of any referee who aspires to higher levels of officiating.**

**If you wish to promote to upper levels it is important to always present yourself as professionally as possible. Not only do you represent yourself professionally, you represent your association and the United State Soccer Federation. This means being on site early, being in full professional uniform, and presenting yourself, on the field, as an expert in your field.**

**On behalf of the Board of Directors, and the membership, we thank you for your service to the great game of soccer.**

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**We have many tournaments going on between now and March of 2016 so please make yourself available To the assignors. Give Larry, Lee, & Ardy an email or text to let them know what hours you can work AM or PM or all day with a break in between. Good money for all the referees before the Holidays so take advantage of the tournaments. Hope to see you all on the Pitch this winter?**

## LBSRA Referees

If you feel ready to upgrade, it is the time.

step 1 : **Grade 8 referees** need to upgrade to level 7 on line only( no assessment game needed).

Step 2: Once it is done , register on line with Calsouth to take part in RDP sessions, physical and written test to upgrade 7 to 6 .

Step 3: Next step is to request 2 assessment games before end of the year, .

Step 4: **some time next spring or summer** , You need to **register on line to upgrade 7 to 6**, State badge 2016 or 2017 ,submit the assessments and RDP to Cal South . You will receive your state referee badge for 2016-17

If you have any question call or email me .

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Cal south approved youth tournaments for lbsra to service. 2015

## SCDSL & CSL leagues playing now!!!! From September to December

### Adult Leagues:

City of Los Alamitos Adult

City of Placentia North Orange County YMCA Adult

City of Mission Viejo Adult

City of Ontario Adult

City of Eastvale Adult Coed

City of Chino Hills Adult

Fullerton Indoor

Mission Viejo Indoor

