

L.B.S.R.A. Newsletter



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LBSRA PRESIDENTS NOTES



*Happy Holidays to all members of
LBSRA*

WOW this year has gone by so fast. Who would think that we all have done all these soccer games this year. It is time to be thankful for all that we have done this year in LBSRA.

Many THANKS to all members and the board of directors who has worked so hard to make it possible for the members to make the money for the year and had a good time in most cases doing it.

A very hardy Thanks to Larry & the rest of the Assignors for assigning all the games this year.

This is the time to spend with FAMILY and give thanks for all that we have. Just take a look around, this has been a rough year for many who have lost there jobs and some who has lost everything homes and health. Be thankful for good health and enjoy the holidays.

A great bid surprise will come to those referees who has not registered for 2015. After January 1st you will not be assigned games, you will not make that money until you have been cleared by Cal South for Live Scanned and being Registered. The assignors will have a list to work from. I can only lead you but I can not make you get registered you have to do that yourself. Refer to page #3 for a message from Cal South.

The LBSRA BOD of directors cannot express how important it is to get re-certified for 2015. Make sure you read the information about Cal South on page #3. There are still a lot of referees that need to pay there money and go on line and review the modules, answer the questions at the end.

Make sure you see Toro's information on page #4. Toros will be asking questions and giving answers, possible watching some video's at the meeting next Wednesday's meeting. Will be short meeting and after you can collect your checks to have money to spend for Christmas.

Happy Holidays from the President LBSRA

BOARD OFFICERS

LBSRA Board of Directors will hold office until May of next year 2015.

President /Newsletter
Vice President of Referee Operations/Assignor
Treasurer
Director of Administrative assistant & Human Resources/
Director of Instruction
Assessment Program/Assignor
Web Master /Assignor/
Assignor
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Lee Harmon

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NEXT MEETING

Wednesday AT 7:00PM

December 17, 2014

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

NO CHECKS TO BE MAILED OUT PER LARRY, YOU MUST PICK THEM UP AT THE MEETING.

USSF Recertification Alert

December , 2014

All Referees that has not re-certified for 2015, This is a friendly reminder that your 2014 USSF certification will expire at the end of this month.

This means if you do not have your 2015 certification, you will not be allowed to officiate any games when the new year starts. Please remember that it normally takes up to 2 weeks to show approved from the time all your certification items are complete.

If you are missing in-service hours, this will be the only year we are providing you an opportunity to still register. We will forgive any hours you are still missing. Moving forward, please remember that you have the full 2015 year to participate in (5) in-service hours offered by local referee associations.

To recertify now, please follow the instructions [outlined here.](#)

LAWS OF THE GAME

QUESTIONS YOU NEED TO KNOW

THE ANSWERS

1._A substitute warming up behind his team's goal, sees that his team is in danger of conceding a goal. He enters the field of play and stops a goal being scored by kicking the ball away.

What decision should the referee make?

2.- An attacking player positions himself in the goal, at the same time , a teammate scores a goal. What action does the referee take if the player's action distracts an opponent?

3.- extra time is to be played to determine the winner of the match. Are payers entitled to an interval at half time of extra time?

4.- an Indirect free kick is awarded outside the penalty area of the defending team. The referee does not raise his arm to indicate that the kick is indirect and the ball is kicked into the goal. What decision should the referee make?

5,- During a match, a goal is scored after a deliberate handling of the ball. Is there any way this goal could be valid?

6.-the referee shows a yellow card for a reckless foul. The caution is his second and the payer is sent off. The assistant referee who is closest advises the referee that the ball had previously gone out over the goal line.

What should the referee do?

If you know the answers send me an email with the correct answers.

If you don't know, then you need to attend our next meeting to learn why most referees miss these questions when taking the National Test.

Toros

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LBSRA referees

I like to thank LBSRA referees including new members who worked CSL , SCDSL, LBYSO, Irvine Junior Academy , Thanksgivings Surf Cup ,Escondido , Oceanside,,, and coming weekend at OC/Anaheim games .I had the privilege to assign and know some of you closely.

Starting January 2015, LBSRA will handle few youth tournament 8 to 14, followed by State/national Cup , first week of February through early March for youth under 14, then March through April for older age U15- 19.

To prepare and coach youth referees for coming events, I am inviting all male/female referees age 12 to 25 to join our Mentor Group which you will be assigned to appropriate age group, mentored, coached to get ready taking over any games you can manage.

LBSRA is blessed to have number of experienced, certified assessor, Instructor and mentors to assist you . we will attend your game, talk and mentor , make sure you understand the laws of the game and game management.

All referees must be 2015 certified/registered (over 18, needs finger print).

If you haven't , the following information is needed: **Full Name, Cell phone number, e-mail address, age, experience.**

State/National cup games will be paid cash on the fields, held at Lancaster soccer Complex, hotel room will be provided for those wishes staying over night, teaming is advised. Mentor group referees will be assigned together, watched and mentored.

To join the team, please forward the information asked and your availability.

John Bonifacio assessor, mentor will assist us in this program (**562**) 244-1852

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cal south approved youth tournaments for lbsra to service. 2014

12/13 - 12/14	Anaheim Surf Winter Cup
12/13 - 12/14	OC Tournament of Champions

