

# HUMBOLDT YOUTH SOCCER LEAGUE

## Fall 2006 Referee Agreement

The Humboldt Youth Soccer League (HYSL) offers the undersigned, the opportunity to referee matches during the 2006 Fall season. This offer terminates December 31,2006. The undersigned accepts this offer and agrees to abide by the following guidelines and policies.

### *General Guidelines and Policies*

Games **MUST** start and end on time. If necessary, shorten game halves to end game on time by using the following table. Calculate end time by adding game duration to the scheduled start time.

Age Group	Game Halves	Game Duration	Ball Size
U6	15 Minutes	35 Minutes	#3
U8	20 Minutes	50 Minutes	#3
U10	25 Minutes	60 Minutes	#4
U12	30 Minutes	70 Minutes	#4
U14	35 Minutes	80 Minutes	#5
U16	40 Minutes	90 Minutes	#5

1. A team must field a minimum of 7 players for the game to be official.(except U6/U8)
2. Shinguards are mandatory and must be worn under socks. Player without shinguards will not be allowed to play.
3. No player will enter the field of play without the acknowledgment of the referee.
4. Explain your calls to the player (especially U8 & U10). The games are meant to be a positive learning experience.
5. The Center Referee may call a “substitution break” midway through each game half if no previous substitutions were possible. Half time should last 5 minutes and should never exceed 10 minutes. U6 and U8 ONLY.
6. Substitutions are made on possession throw-in, (for U10 and up-on goal kicks), at a called substitution break, after a goal has been scored,ball crosses endline, or at an injury.
7. Unruly spectators are the coach’s responsibility. Coaches and or spectators can be ejected from the field area for infraction.
8. A coach **MUST** be able to produce player passes signed by HYSL Registrar & District Registrar for all competitive Class I and Class III teams; and a completed USYS membership form (yellow copy 1601)for all Class IV teams before players can participate in a game. Report all irregularities of this policy to your Referee Coordinator.
9. The official CYSA score card shall be filled out entirely for ALL games (except U6). Encourage coaches to use team roster stickers whenever available.
10. If a red card is issued to anyone during a game, a send-off form must be filled out and reported within 24 hours to your Referee Coordinator.
11. Tie scores stand.
12. A player who has been cautioned (yellow card) **MUST** be replaced by leaving the field until the next possible substitution.
13. Closely monitor FOUL/TRASHY language and Yellow Card the player(s).

*Guidelines Applicable to U6,U8 and U10 Recreational Teams*

14. Slide tackles are **BANNED** for all Div IV U6,U8 and U10's. Infractions will result in the awarding of an indirect kick.
15. Make sure games are played on proper size fields as scheduled.
16. Maximum number of players on the roster shall be 11 for U8 and 13 for U10. Maximum number of players on the field (including goalkeepers) is 7 for U8 and 9 for U10.
17. Substitutions are made when the ball goes over the endline, at a called substitution break, possession throw-in, or after a goal has been scored.
18. Each player **MUST** participate a minimum of 50% of the total playing time.
19. Opponents must be 6 yards from the ball for a kick off. The ball is in play once it has moved.
20. Offside Law will be in effect.(except U6)
21. All intentional fouls will result in an indirect kick with opponent 6 yards away. The Referee is encouraged to explain ALL infractions to the offending player.
22. Referees are encouraged to explain the incorrectness of the first throw-in. A second throw-in is allowed for U8.
23. All free kicks shall be **INDIRECT**. A goal may not be scored until the ball has been played or touched by another player.
24. There will be **NO** penalty kicks. Tie games stand.
25. There will be no league or division standings for U6 or U8's.
26. Encourage coaches and players to shake hands with the opponents after each game.

**CYSA Scorecards**

27. The official CYSA scorecard should be given to your Referee coordinator no later than the Monday following the game. Print **CLEARLY** all Referees' names on each scorecard.
28. The CYSA scorecard will be used to report game scores for standing and to determine Referee pay. They **MUST** be legible and accurate.
29. Any CYSA score card not turned in within 30 days of the game will not be paid.
30. A signed referee agreement for each referee must be on file before payment will be made.

**Referee per Game Pay Schedule**

<b>Div IV (Recreational)</b>					
Unlicensed:	U8-\$8	U10-\$9	U12-\$11	U14-\$13	U16-\$15
Licensed:	U8-\$12	U10-\$14	U12-\$16	U14-\$18	U16-\$20
<b>Div III (Must be licensed)</b>					
Center:		U10-\$16	U12-\$18	U14-\$20	U16-\$22
Lines:		U10-\$14	U12-\$16	U14-\$18	U16-\$20

Keep this page for reference throughout the season.  
Sign the following page and immediately mail the signature page to:

# HUMBOLDT YOUTH SOCCER LEAGUE REFEREE AGREEMENT

By signing below, you are attesting to the following:

1. I have read the Rules and Policies in this Agreement and will abide by them.
2. I understand the importance of the CYSA scorecard and recognize that I may not receive payment for my services if the card is not properly filled out.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name (Print) \_\_\_\_\_

Parent (Guardian) signature if less than 18 \_\_\_\_\_

Please print the following information:

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

If licensed, Grade of License: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_