



TARSA Referee Summary Instructions



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PRE-GAME

For the u19 age group the center official must be a minimum of 21 years of age. For the u16 age group the center official must be a minimum of 18 years of age. The Club should follow FSR guidelines for all other age groups.

Teams must provide a copy of their FYSA Roster, player and coach passes (or other approved player/coach pass), and a game report provided by the home team for every game.

Player/Coach Passes:

Teams are to present a laminated player/coach pass which can include a FYSA Permanent, Temporary Pass, or TARSA player/coach pass. They must include signatures, pictures, and be laminated. Coaches may also use a copy of a FYSA roster with the pictures laminated to the back in order of roster number with no signatures required. No person(s) is allowed on the sideline unless listed as a player or coach on the FYSA roster. There will be a two week grace period for teams to laminate the passes.

GAMES

Played using FYSA Rules as modified.

1. U8 games are played without off sides. All kicks are Indirect.
2. U10 Games - NO off sides will be called but if the referee determines a coach is deliberately playing a player in a 'cherry pick' position to gain advantage, the referee will call unsportsmanlike conduct on the coach- not the player and award an indirect free kick to the other team at the spot where the player was deemed to be 'cherry picking'.
3. Player numbers and max and min are:

U9 & U10 - 6 v 6 including a goalkeeper		Max	Min
U11 - 8 v 8 including a goalkeeper	U10	6	4
U12 - 8 v 8 including a goalkeeper beginning 2005 Seasonal year	U12	8	6
U13 and above - 11 v 11 including a goalkeeper	U13+	11	7

4. Teams are required by TARSA Rules to play down when ahead by 5 or more goals.
5. U10 and U12 can only have a person play goal keeper for half of the game.
6. All Players are to play 1/2 of the game. These Rules are not FIFA rules. Please request that they follow them, and if they do not please note on game report.
7. Water Breaks are allowed at the discretion of the referee per current FYSA water break policy.
8. Any Coach must substitute a player immediately for one who has just received a yellow card to allow a cooling off period. The opposing coach may substitute an equal number of players to coincide.
9. If the goal differential reaches five goals the coach that is ahead is required to pull one player from the field. If the score continues to climb the coach is expected to place additional restrictions on the players to control the score of the game. If the losing team begins to diminish the 5 goal differential, the coach that is ahead may make appropriate adjustments. In no cases can a coach modify this rule or play with less than the minimum number of players.
10. If the goal differential reaches ten goals in the second half, including the start of the second half, the game will be called and the score at that time will be reported as the final score.

POST GAME

The winning coach is to receive the white copy of the game report and the FYSA rosters collected at pre-game.

The losing coach is to receive the pink copy of the game report.

Red Cards or Send offs - DO NOT PULL THE PASSES.

Please send a copy of the Game Report plus your supplemental report to:

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