

**Referees -
Welcome to
AYSO Region 60**



Annual Referee Meeting



Introductions

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Send ALL Referee Emails to: referee@ayso60.org

Referee Certifications

- **8U** – On-line course
- **Regional** – On-line Companion Course plus 3 hour in person practical or 8 hour in person course
- **Intermediate** – 8 hour two-day course. Assessment on a 12U Boys game by a registered Area 1C Assessor.
- **Advanced** - Two 8 hour day course, plus physical agility test. Two Assessments on a 14U Boys game by a registered Area 1C Assessor as an Assistant Referee and as the Referee.
- **National** – Two 8 hour day course, plus physical agility test. Assessments on a 16U Boys game by a registered Outside Area 1C Assessor as an Assistant Referee and twice as the Referee.

Managing the Game

- The main goals for managing an AYSO game are to ensure player safety and development, promote good sportsmanship, and provide a fun experience for everyone, rather than focusing solely on winning or losing. Key goals include maximizing ball contact and player involvement, preventing "blowouts" to keep the game competitive and educational, keeping players engaged, and developing skills by encouraging mistakes as learning opportunities.

U6 – 20 minute Game.

U8 – 40 minute Game

U10 – 50 minute game

U12 – 60 minute game

U14 – 70 minute game

Game Management

- **Team Check-In**
 - Inspect Footwear. Soccer Cleats Only
 - **NO** baseball cleats or sneakers allowed.
 - **NO** Shin Guards = **No Play – must be standard shin guards**
 - **NO** Bracelets, Watches, Necklaces, Jewelry & Sunglasses
 - **NO** hoodies under uniform shirt
 - Only prescription glasses or sports goggles
 - Beads in Hair for Girls okay
- **Pre-game Ref Talk**
 - The Referee (Center) talks to his Assistant Referees reviewing expectations
- **Halftime**
 - Referees meet at Center Circle
 - Verify game score and share observations
- **End of Game**
 - Referees meet at Center Circle complete game card
 - Observe hand-shake between teams Referee on one side both AR's on other side

The Referee

- A Referee's authority extends to everyone at the field, including players, coaches, team officials, spectators, and even assistant referees
- Referees have the final say during, before and after the game. We recommend every coach to become a referee, your perspective will change once you do both.
- Discuss any issues with the referee after the game. Step aside from your parents and players and discuss the issue.
- Heckling will not be tolerated period. **NO EXCUSES**. Coaches can be cautioned.
- **Youth Referees will wear the Blue Jersey so they can be easily identified. Zero Tolerance towards Youth Refs. If not, spectators would be escorted from game.**

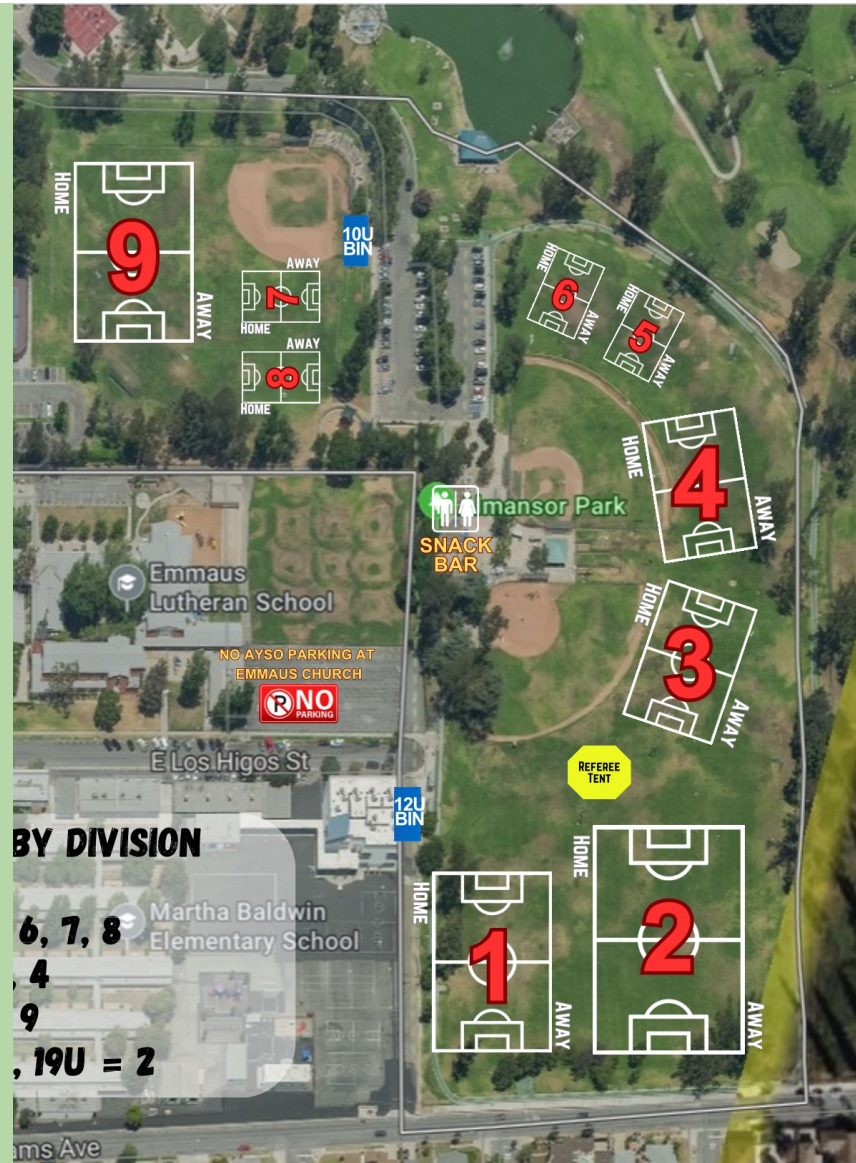
Team Referee Responsibilities

- Your team is responsible for refereeing the assignment after your game on the same field
 - **A little different for 10U Games. Assistant Referees will referee their own game**
- If you are the last game of the day, you will do the first game on the same field
- Sign-up for game(s) in CGI by Wednesday night
- Make sure you sign-up for your game
 - If you can't and need to do another game please communicate with your DC & RRA & ARRA.
 - If you want to Referee or AR for more than 1 game, please feel free to do so
- Calls will be made Thursday night, if there are open slots
- **Possible game forfeits will be known by Friday night**

Looking the Part



Fields



Region 60 CGI

Region 60 : Referee Schedule Log On

Welcome! Please enter your Username and Password below to access the referee schedule database. If you have any questions or difficulties, please contact your [Referee Scheduler](#), Zhentao Li, zhentao@ayso60.org

Username :

Password :

Login

Not registered in this league's referee scheduler system? [?](#)
[Please click here now to create a login account for this system.](#)

[Forgot your password?](#)

Enter your email address below, click Reset Password, and follow the instructions in the email that you will receive shortly.

Reset Password

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• Register for CGI Account

- <https://cgisports.com/ref/5768/>

Region 60 : Register

Hello, [Log Off](#)

Welcome! Use the form below to register for access to our online referee scheduler. You will be sent an email notification when your request has been approved. We appreciate your help!

*required fields	
First Name *	<input type="text"/>
Last Name *	<input type="text"/>
Username *	<input type="text"/>
Password *	<input type="password"/>
Are you Adult or Youth? *	<input type="text"/>
Are you a new ref this year? *	<input type="text"/>
Badge *	<input type="text"/>
AR Comfort Level *	<input type="text"/>
Center Comfort Level *	<input type="text"/>
Email Address *	<input type="text"/>
Re-enter Email Address *	<input type="text"/>
Team #	<input type="text"/>
Phone *	<input type="text"/>
Street Address	<input type="text"/>
City	<input type="text"/>

Send Request

Reset Form

CGI (Sign-Up for Game)

Welcome! Select from the options below to search the referee schedule. Narrow your search by selecting more than one search parameter.

Division:

Date:
 Time:

Location: Field:

Team:
 Team Credited:
 Ref Name:
 Game ID:
 Show:
 Sort by:
 Then by:

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Game 1191012: [B19U](#)
Sun Sep 17, 2023 - 10:00 AM
R2 - Arcadia HS
3-5-98-Sanchez vs 19B-1-13-Alkhadra

Mike Ball

Game 1161020: [B16U](#)
Sun Sep 17, 2023 - 10:00 AM
R88 - GSC #5
16B-10-13-Singh vs 16B-7-13-Chiu

CR: Scott Davis

AR: Kai Ryssdal

AR: ☐

Your Team: R60

Game 1191013: [B19U](#)
Sun Sep 17, 2023 - 12:00 PM
R98 - Live Oak Park
3-3-60-Fuentes vs 19B-7-1304-Bolanos

Game 1161022: [B16U](#)
Sun Sep 17, 2023 - 12:00 PM
R214 - SPHS
16B-6-214-Tanagho vs 16B-3-60-Ono

CR: Lawrence Abelson

AR: ☒ Check to be AR

AR: Richard Chen

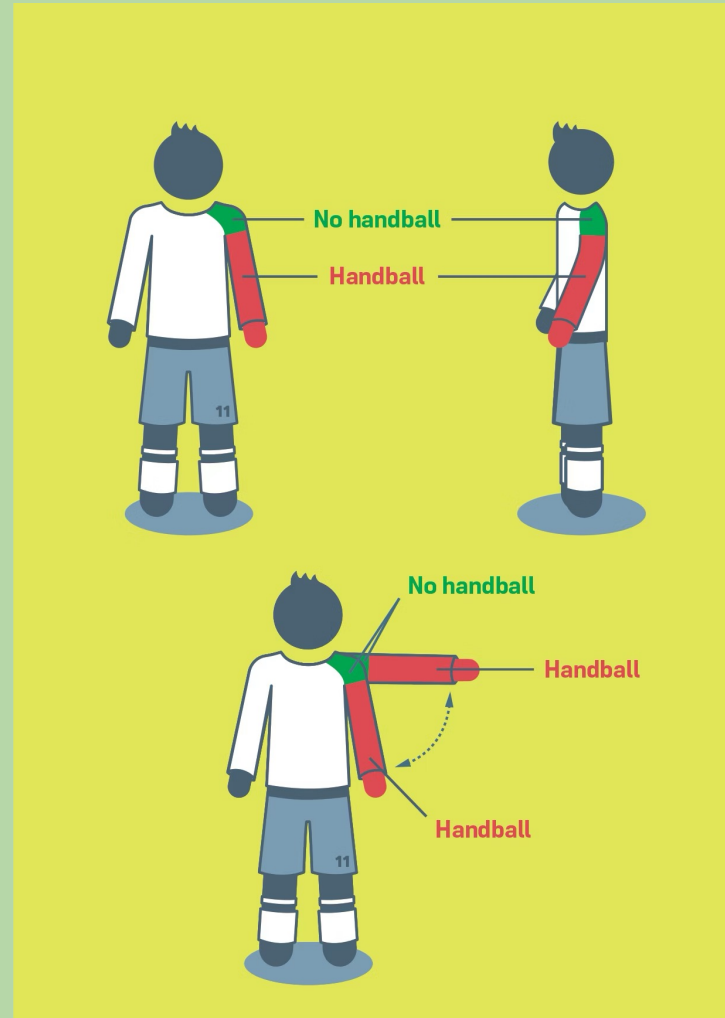
Your Team: R60

Basic Referee Calls

- Use Voice to control and Whistle when required
- Headers **ONLY** allowed in 14U or older
- Headers **NOT** ALLOWED 12U and under
- Drop Ball Procedure: Dropped for only one player.
 - All other players of both teams must be 4.5 yards away.
- Cautions & Send Offs can be given to Players in:
 - 10U (Don't show Card to Player)
 - 12U & 14U
- Safety of the players is paramount
- Are mistakes going to happen? Yes, but don't let it get to you

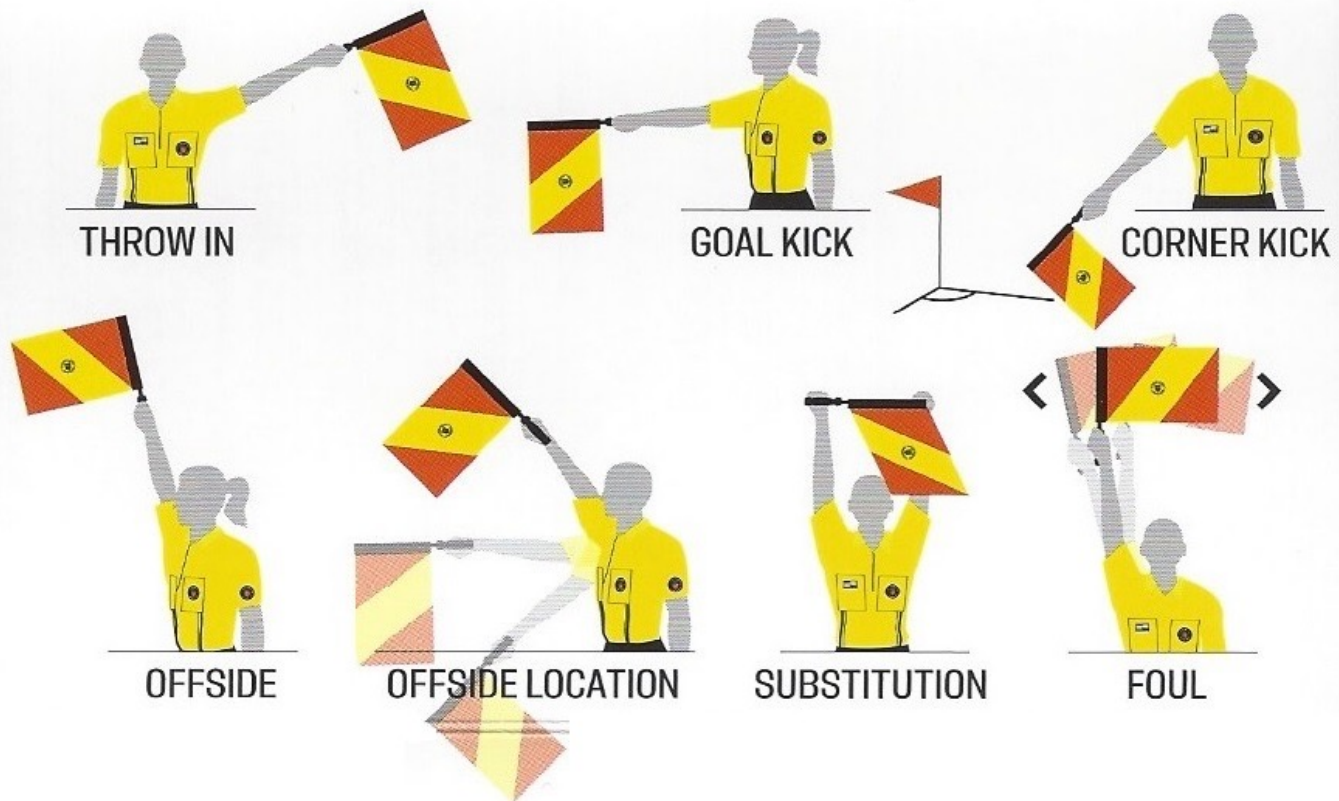
Handball

- Different guidelines suggest when handball should and should *not* be called.
- Handball will be called when a player gains possession or control of the ball after it touches their arm, and a goal is scored, or a goal-scoring opportunity arises – *even if the handball is accidental*.
- Handball will generally be called if the hands are up or out/away from the body or above the shoulder.
- Handball will usually *not* be called if the hand/arm is close to the body or if the player plays the ball and it then rebounds up and hits their arm.



AR flag signals

ASSISTANT REFEREE SIGNALS



End of Game

- Watch for Good Sportsmanship during end of game Handshake
- Completely Finish Game Card
- Drop off at Referee Tent
- Referee Score Submission Form:
 - <https://forms.gle/RBajvpjrdCZ9vpLk8>
 - QR Code will be at 10U and 12U Tent/Table
 - All coaches will use game cards with QR Code
 - **Any game result submitted not using the QR code will not count towards the standings**

Game Card

OFFICIAL LINEUP CARD

REGION **60** AGE GROUP **12UB** TEAM # **3** DATE **10/8/2022**

TEAM NAME **Rock Stars** OPPOSING TEAM **Zombies**

COACH'S NAME **Chuck Berry** ASST. COACH'S NAME **Peter Cottontail**

All team players must be listed in order by Jersey #. If absent, indicate reason.

No.	PRINT PLAYERS NAME	Goals Scored	"Ctrs." Not Played
			1 2 3 4
2	Peter AYSO	I	
3	Liam AYSO		x X X X
4	John AYSO	II	K K
5	Carlos AYSO		
6	Brett AYSO		
7	Derek AYSO		K K
8	Willy AYSO		x X X X
9	Diego AYSO	I	
10	Terry AYSO		
11	Bryan AYSO		
12	Andres AYSO		
13	Esteban AYSO		X X X X

Fill out header completely

Mark "K" for keeper

Mark with a "I" for each goal scored by a player

Include player first and last name

Mark with an "X" quarters not played

Age Group	Each Half, not to exceed	Duration of the Game, not to exceed	Ball Size
U-19	45 Minutes	90 Minutes	Size 5
U-16	40 Minutes	80 Minutes	
U-14	35 Minutes	70 Minutes	
U-12	30 Minutes	60 Minutes	Size 4
U-10	25 Minutes	50 Minutes	
U-8	20 Minutes	40 Minutes	Size 3
U-6	20 Minutes (10 min recommended)	40 Minutes (20 min recommended)	

Reorder #CS004-7 REV 4/04

All AYSO games shall be conducted in accordance with the current FIFA Laws of the Game and decisions of the International Board in effect at a date specified by the area director for his/her area (approximately the time of team formation for a given season), with the exceptions detailed in the AYSO National Rules and Regulations.

Referee Game Report

Date **10/8/2022** Time **10:30 AM** Field **6** Conditions **Good**

Home Team/Colors **Zombies/ Purple** Visiting Team/Colors **Rock Stars/Orange**

Halftime Score **3-1** In Favor Of **Team 3** Final Score **4-2** Winning Team **Team 3**

Overall Conduct & Sporting Behavior

Excellent Normal Poor Additional comments: Fill out completely

Players: ☐ ☐ ☐

Coaches: ☐ ☐ ☐

Spectators: ☐ ☐ ☐

Who were the match referees, what team?

Referee Name (Print): **Jason Terry** Phone/email: **12UG #4**

1st AR (Please Print): **Miguel Hernandez** Phone/email: **12UG #4**

2nd AR (Please Print): **Jose Chavez** Phone/email: **12UB #5**

Preliminary Incident Report

(A more detailed report may be required – Check with your local Administrator)

Disciplinary Action / Significant Injuries / Additional Comments: Please include names and player numbers.

Rock Stars # 3, 8, 13 Absent

Final score and winning team

4-2 Rock Stars or Team #3

Jason Terry - 12UG Johnson

Miguel Hernandez - 12UG Johnson

Jose Chavez - 12UB Tang

What coach gets referee credit

Signatures only needed if additional information is included in the Preliminary Incident Report

Referee's Signature: _____

1st Assistant Referee's Signature: _____

2nd Assistant Referee's Signature: _____

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Referee Score Submission Form

Referee Score Submission Form

Game info

matt.chavez01@gmail.com [Switch account](#)

* Indicates required question

Email *

Your email

Match Date *

Date

mm/dd/yyyy

Match Time

Time

: AM

Field Number

☐ Field 1 (10U)

☐ Field 2 (10U)

☐ Field 7 (14U)

☐ Field 8 (12U)

Division/Gender *

Choose

Home Team Name & Color *

Your answer

Away Team Name & Color *

Your answer

Center Referee (Full Name) *

coach credit/division

Your answer

AR 1 (Full Name) *

coach credit/division

Your answer

AR 2 (Full Name) *

coach credit/division

Your answer

Halftime Score (in favor of)

Your answer

Final Score (in favor of, team name)

Your answer

Cautions/Send-offs

Your answer

Incident Report

Your answer

Submit

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New Laws for 2025

- **Law 3 – The Players**

- 1 - Captain only allowed to interact with Referee

- **Law 4 – The Players' Equipment**

- 1 - Requirement for the team captain to wear an identifying armband.

- 2 - Clarification that players are responsible for the size and suitability of their Shin guards

- **Law 12 – Fouls and Misconduct**

- 1 - Clarification that non-deliberate handball offenses for which penalties are awarded are to be sanctioned in the same way as other fouls which are an attempt to play the ball or a challenge for the ball.

The referee is discouraged from displaying a card to 10U players. The referee should approach the offending player's coach, explain the misconduct to the coach while showing the coach you are recording the misconduct on your match report. The misconduct should also be recorded on the back of the game card and a misconduct form completed as required by the competition authorities.

New Laws for 2025

- **Law 14: The Penalty Kick**

- Part of the ball must touch or overhang the center of the penalty mark
- Encroachment by players will be penalized only if it has an impact (same philosophy as goalkeeper encroachment)

- **New Goalkeeper rule**

A goalkeeper holding the ball with their hands or arms for more than eight seconds after gaining control will be penalized with a corner kick to the opposing team. The referee will provide a five-second warning with a visual countdown using their raised hand to indicate the remaining time. This rule aims to reduce time-wasting and improve the pace of the game.

Referee Abuse Prevention

Policy 531-9 Penalty overview / Youth & Amateur

Referees are essential to the game and deserve to be treated with respect. We are all responsible for helping kids have fun playing soccer, and taking anger out on referees negatively impacts everyone and the future of soccer. As a result, US Soccer recently rolled out significant new sanctions for disrespect of Referees (U.S. Soccer Policy 531-9 Misconduct Toward Game Officials in Amateur Matches). AYSO has adopted this policy and outlined the standards of behavior of coaches, players, and spectators towards referees in accordance with this new policy. See Resources below for links.

Key Principles:

- Respect the Call: The call on the field stands.
- Protecting Our Referees: We are committed to ensuring the emotional and physical well-being of our referees.
- No Physical Abuse: There is never a reason to touch a referee outside of friendly handshakes.

Levels of Unacceptable Behavior:

The following outlines different levels of offenses against referees, as described in the sources:

- **LEVEL 1: VERBAL TAUNTING:** This includes insulting, belittling, insinuating, or taunting behavior that undermines referee authority.
- **LEVEL 2: HARASSMENT/INTIMIDATION:** This includes harassment, intimidation, retaliation, abusive or threatening language.
- **LEVEL 3: THREATS/DEROGATORY LANGUAGE:** This involves aggression, attacking, derogatory, cyberbullying, doxing, or threatening (physical/violence) language.
- **LEVEL 4: OFFENSIVE OR DISCRIMINATORY ACT:** This includes discriminatory or derogatory words or actions based on race, skin color, ethnicity, nationality, social origin, gender, disability, sexual orientation, language, or religion. **PHYSICAL ABUSE:** There is never a reason to touch a referee outside of friendly handshakes.



REFEREE ABUSE PREVENTION

POLICY 531-9 PENALTY OVERVIEW / YOUTH & AMATEUR

The Penalties Matrix defines consequences associated with physical and non-physical offenses against Referees.

NON-PHYSICAL OFFENSES of gross misconduct, abuse, and / or assault

NON-PHYSICAL *	MIN. GAMES	TIME
Insulting, Belittling, Insinuating or Taunting Behavior Undermining Referee Authority	2	
Harassment, Intimidation, Retaliation, Abusive, or Threatening (Non Physical) Language	4	
Aggression, Attacking, Derogatory, cyberbullying, Doxing or Threatening (Physical / Violence) Language	6	6 - 24 Months
Offensive or Discriminatory Act	10	12 - 24 Months

PHYSICAL OFFENSES of gross misconduct, abuse, and / or assault

PHYSICAL *	MIN. GAMES	TIME
Minor or Slight Deliberate Touching	3	1 - 6 Months
Pushing, Grabbing, Pulling, Squeezing, Pinching, Lightly Slapping, Use of Object in Non Striking Manner, or Physical Property Damage	10	6 - 24 Months
Hitting, Punching, Elbowing, Kicking, Biting, Spitting, Choking, Tackling, Throwing or Use of Object or Any Part of Body (Forearm, Knee, Head) in a Striking Manner		12 Months - Lifetime

(*) Disclaimer: These are only a few examples of abuse – other actions or statements may also fall into this category.

KEY PENALTY FACTORS

- Single offenses are at minimum the prescribed game penalty or time penalty for non red zone offenses
- Penalties can be both game and time depending on severity / circumstances
- Second time offenders receive double punishment
- Third time offenders receive a lifetime ban
- More than one offense at the same time is at least the punishment for the most serious offense
- Offenses against minors are automatically subject to a "minor multiplier" resulting in triple punishment
- One offense warning per league to be managed by states and leagues collaboratively
- Game consequences are inclusive of 1 game penalty for any red cards given
- Optionality for 50% penalty for first offense from a minor

Effective March 2025

For more information, visit: [USSOCCER.COM/RAP](https://ussoccer.com/rap)



Q & A

To become a Referee Volunteer Requirements

- **Register as a Volunteer** (5-10 min)
 - Yearly Before Start of Season
 - Required for Youths
- **Risk Status** (15-20 min)
 - Every Year
 - Not Required for Youths
- **Safe Sport**
 - Every Year
 - 90 min for first time.
 - 30 minutes every year afterwards
 - Not Required for Youths
- **Live Scan**
 - Not Required for Youths
- **Concussion Awareness** (15-20 min)
 - Required for Youths
- **Sudden Cardiac Arrest** (15-20 min)
 - Required for Youths
- **Safe Haven** (15-20 min)
 - Required for Youths

Volunteer Information

- AYSO Reg 60 Site: <https://www.ayso60.org/>
- Go to:
 - Volunteers
 - Steps to Volunteer
- Instructions
 - **Youth Referee Steps** (pdf)
 - **How to Register as a Volunteer** (pdf)
 - **Guide to Completing Volunteer Requirements** (pdf)
 - **Enrolling in Coach Referee Courses** (pdf)
 - <https://www.ayso60.org/Default.aspx?tabid=963327>

Register for a Course (etrainu)

- Login to AYSO 60 Account
- Volunteer Tab
- Click on “AYSOU”
- Select Training Event
- Under Courses type what you are looking for
 - Regional Referee Courses
 - Intermediate Course
 - Advanced Course

Matthew Chavez
ID Number: 69740-656125
Assistant Coach 2023-2024 EXTRA 69740-656125 12U - Boys

Region 60 Area 1C

Certification	Expiration Date	Status	Compliant
<input type="checkbox"/> Risk Status (Submitted for the season)	10/29/2024	Green	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Concussion Awareness	None	Verified	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Fingerprinting California Only	None	Verified	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Sudden Cardiac Arrest	None	Verified	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> AYSOs Safe Haven	None	Verified	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> SafeSport	08/28/2024	Verified	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Coaching License	None	Advanced (19U) Coach	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Referee Grade	None	Intermediate Referee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Renew & Update

Matthew Chavez
LMS LEVEL
Learner
USERNAME
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Log out

Home
Skills Passport
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Training Event
My Training

Training Event

Regions: Search events by region(s)
Location: Search events by location 10km
Courses: line + In-Person Companion Course

☐ My Enrolled Events ☐ My Waitlisted Events ☐ Events With Positions Available

September 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
27 See all events	28 See all events	29 See all events	30 See all events	31 See all events	1 See all events	2 See all events
3 See all events	4 See all events	5 See all events	6 See all events	7 See all events	8 See all events	9 See all events
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Referee Courses (etrainu)

- **Regional Referee Courses**

- Full In-Person (Around 8 Hours)
 - Regional Referee - Full In-Person Course
- Companion (Around 3-4 Hours)
 - NEW - Regional Referee - Online + In-Person Companion Course
 - Regional Referee - Online + In-Person Companion Course (2 Part Bundle)
- Good to Referee 10U Games
- Good to AR 12U Games
- For Reg 60 Core Season you can Center 12U Games and AR 14U Games

- **Intermediate Course (2 Days)**

- Intermediate Referee - Full In-Person Course
- Good to Referee 12U Games
- For Reg 60 Core Season you can Center 14U Games and AR 14U Games – AR Upper Division with Regional Referee Administrator approval

- **Advanced Course (2 Days)**

- Advanced Referee Course - Full In-Person
- Good to Referee 14U Games & Upper Division

**Thank You for Attending our Annual
Referee Meeting !**