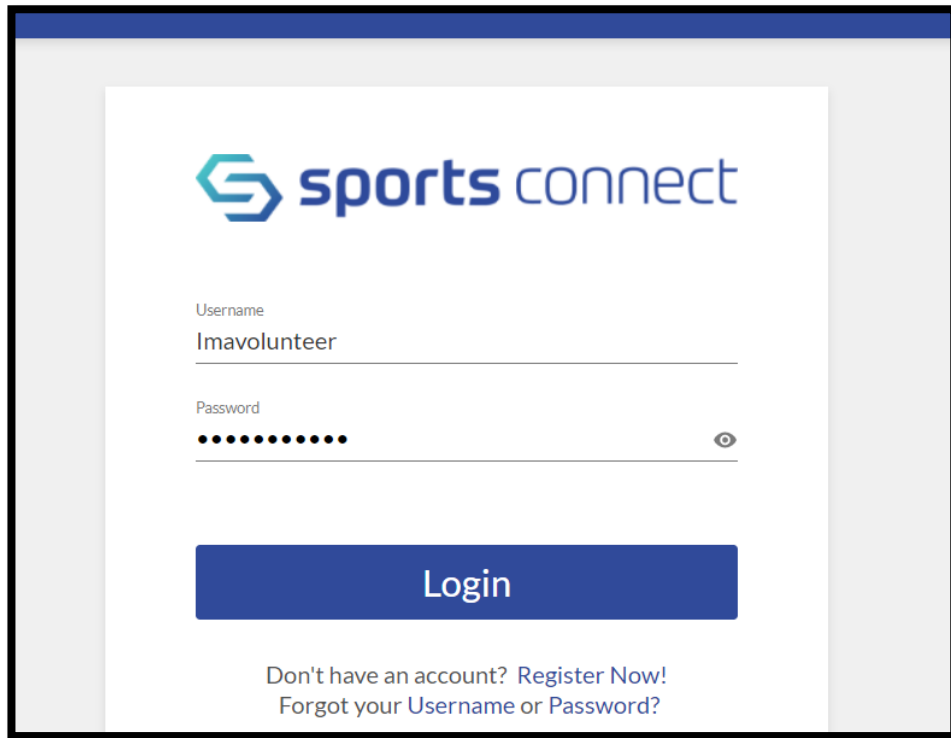


Steps to Becoming a Referee

First, You Must be a Registered Volunteer! if you already are, scroll down to page 5 to see the Steps to begin your Referee Training

1. *Sign into or register for your Sports Connect Account from your Region's Portal.*

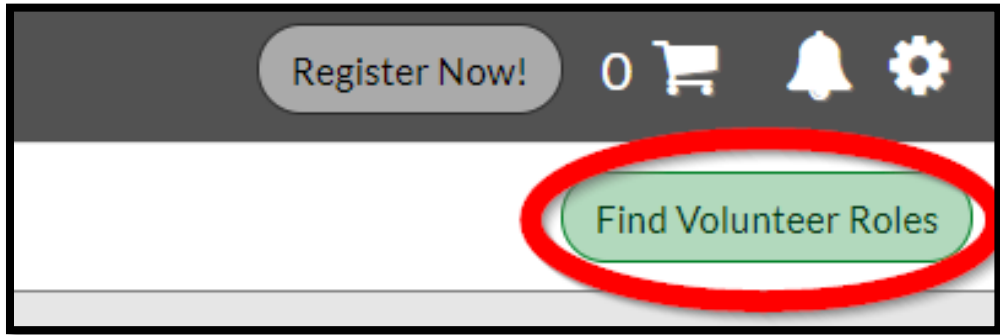


The screenshot shows the Sports Connect login interface. At the top is the logo with a stylized 'S' icon and the text 'sports connect'. Below the logo are two input fields: 'Username' with the text 'Imavolunteer' and 'Password' with a series of dots and an eye icon to toggle visibility. A large blue 'Login' button is centered below the fields. At the bottom, there are links: 'Don't have an account? Register Now!' and 'Forgot your Username or Password?'.

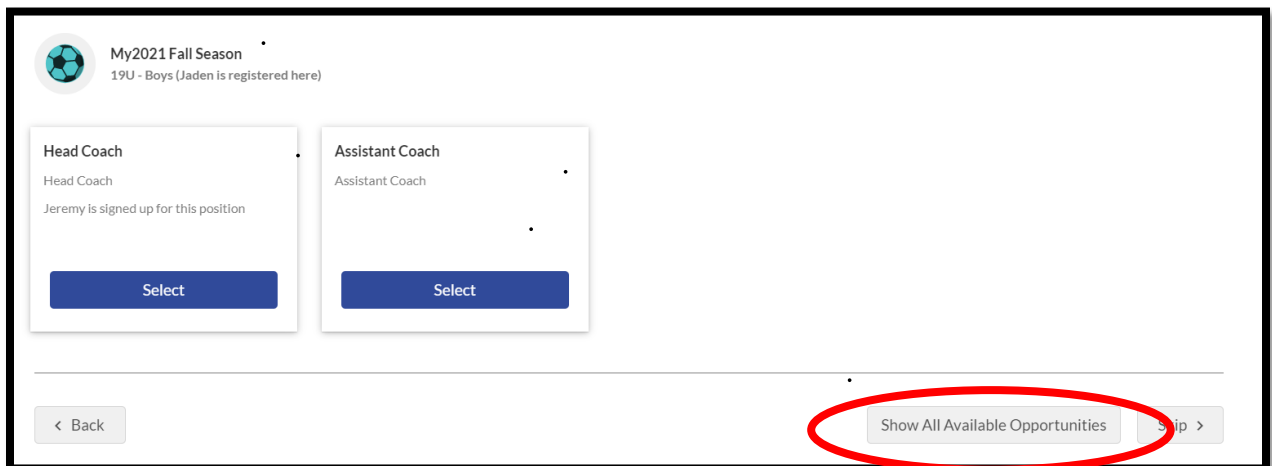
2. *Select "Volunteer" from your "My Account" Portal.*



3. Select "Find Volunteer Roles."



4. Click "Show All Available Opportunities"



5. Click "View Division", then check the "volunteer" box; then click "View Selected Opportunities"

Additional Volunteer Opportunities.
Select a program below to view and select any division with available opportunities.

Programs

1 Volunteer Registration - My21 Hide Divisions

Select Divisions:
 Volunteer

2 MY2021 - VIP (Special Needs) Program View Divisions

3 My2021 Fall Season View Divisions
Jaden is registered here

< Back View Selected Opportunities

6. Scroll Down and Click "Select" in the referee tab, Choose yourself if you have already supplied your information or else choose "sign up an new user" then scroll down and click "continue"

Volunteer Registration - My21
Volunteer

Head Coach
Head Coach
Jeremy is signed up for this position
Select

Assistant Coach
Assistant Coach
Select

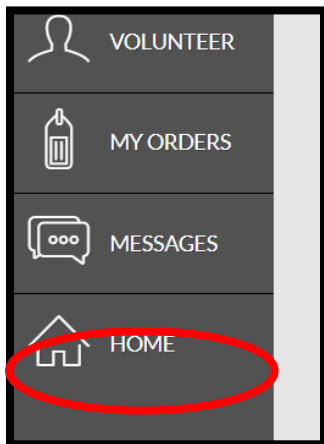
Referee
Referee
Select

Team Parent
Team Parent
Select

7. Fill in the required information, view and accept each of the tabs at the bottom, Then click “continue”

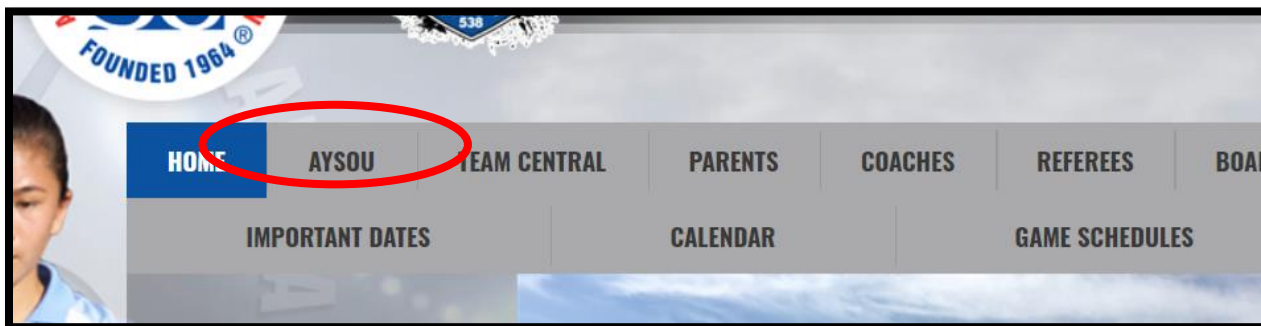
The screenshot shows a registration form for a volunteer opportunity. At the top, it says "You've selected the following opportunity:" followed by a card for "Volunteer Registration - My21". Below this is a "Contact Information" section with fields for Legal First Name, Legal Last Name, Email Address, Date of Birth, Gender, Street, City, State, ZIP, and Cell Phone. There is also an "Upload Profile Picture" button. The "Proof of Identification" section has a field for Social Security Number. The "Additional Information" section lists three roles: "Volunteer Registration - My21", "Concussion Awareness", and "AYSO's Safe Haven". Each role has a "View / Accept" button. There are also two "View / Accept" buttons for "AYSO KIDS ZONE PLEDGE" and "WARRANTY OF LIABILITY RELEASE, INDEMNIFICATION AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT". A red circle highlights the "View / Accept" button for "Volunteer Registration - My21". Another red circle highlights the "View / Accept" button for "AYSO KIDS ZONE PLEDGE". A third red circle highlights the "View / Accept" button for "WARRANTY OF LIABILITY RELEASE, INDEMNIFICATION AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT". A fourth red circle highlights the "Invite User and Continue" button at the bottom right.

8. Follow the prompts to submit your Risk Status background check and E-sign your form. Once your form is submitted, you will receive an email from Sterling Volunteers – you will need to click on the link in the email to initiate your background check.
9. You should be returned to your account Screen. Click the “HOME” button



Steps To Begin Your Referee Training

10. From your Region's Home Screen, You can access AYSOu – your portal for training in all disciplines



11. If you aren't logged in automatically, you can Login using the same username and password you created earlier



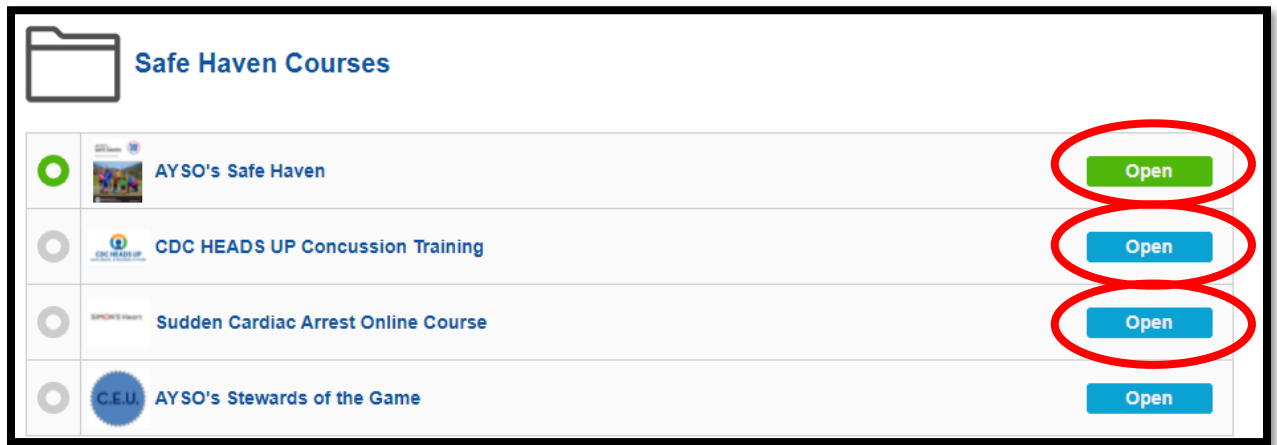
12. Then click on the "Online Courses"



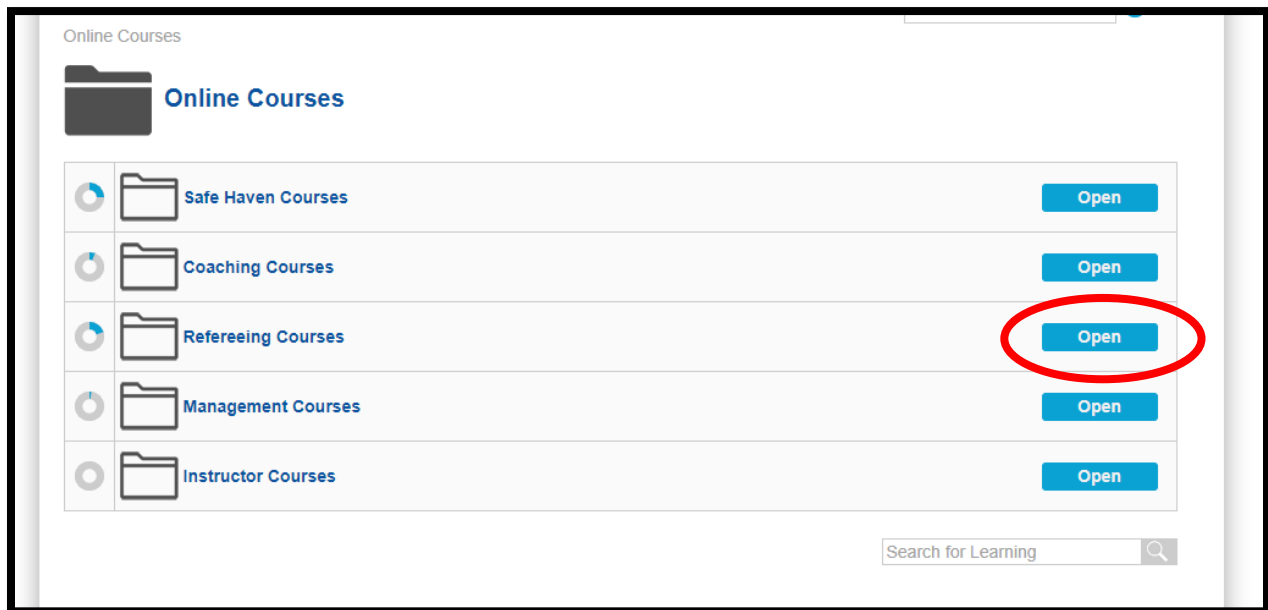
13. Within the Online course tab, Click the "OPEN" button for Safe Haven Courses



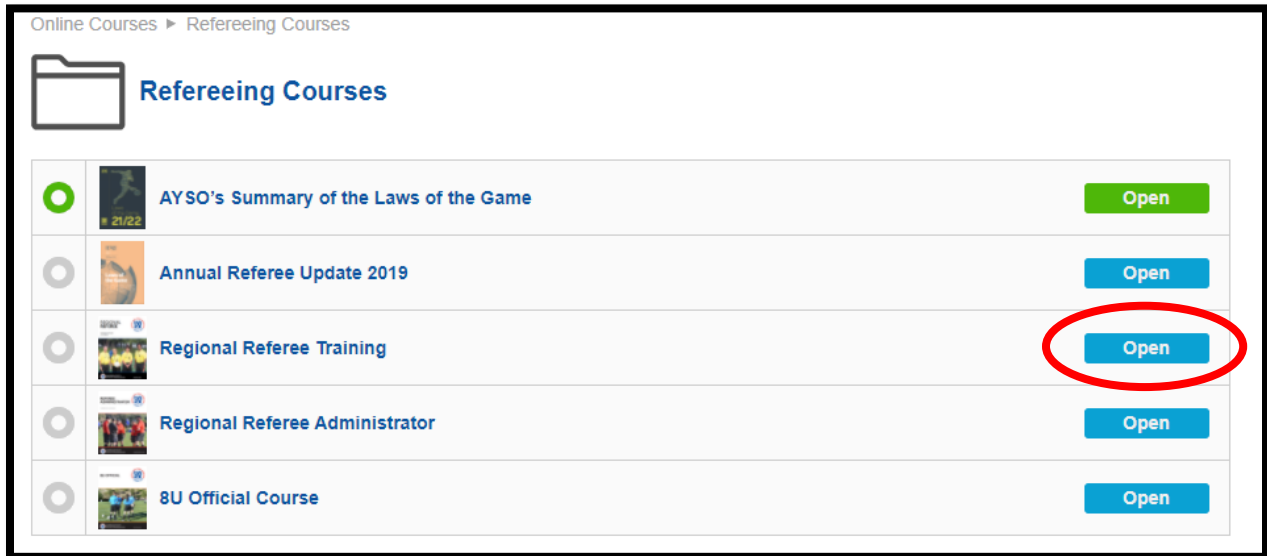
14. Open and complete the first 3 online courses



15. Once the Safe Haven Courses are completed, you can return to the Online Courses tab and "Open" the Refereeing Courses tab.













16. Within the Refereeing Courses Folder, Click the “Open” button for “Regional Referee Training” and Launch and Complete each of the Chapters in the Course.



Online Courses ▶ Refereeing Courses

Refereeing Courses

	 AYSO's Summary of the Laws of the Game	Open
	 Annual Referee Update 2019	Open
	 Regional Referee Training	Open
	 Regional Referee Administrator	Open
	 8U Official Course	Open

17. Once all chapters and the exam are completed, please contact your Region’s Referee Administrator to attend the Instructor led “Regional Referee Companion Course” which is offered through Zoom sessions.

Congratulations – You are now a certified Referee!