

2008 HCSL Referee Instructions

Roster/Player Pass Check

Prior to the start of the game, the Referee or Assistant Referees are required to check Player Passes against each Player and the Roster. Failure to produce the Player Passes and a Roster within the HCSL's 15-minute grace period shall result in a forfeit. The teams may then play a friendly.

Match Reports – Submit Online

- Use of the “Official Game Report Card” has been discontinued.
- Please submit your match report via Arbiter. If there are no:
 - o Red or Yellow Cards that were shown or sending off or expulsion of a Team Official, or
 - o Termination of any game, suspension of play or refusal to start a game, all that needs to be reported is the score by team. If there is a forfeit, then just advise which team has forfeited. Only the HCSL Administrator and HCSL President have access to Arbiter.
- As an alternative, an e-mail with the above information can be sent to hcsadmin@comcast.net
- Referees must file an incident report, covering the details of any Red or Yellow Cards that were shown, any sending off or expulsion of a Team Official, the termination of any game, suspension of play or refusal to start a game (in all cases except for weather related conditions). This report is expected in the HCSL office within 24 hours, by any means of communication (preferably via Arbiter or via e-mail to hcsboard@comcast.net).

HCSL Fall 2008 Fees PER TEAM – Cash on the Field

Age 3 Referees 2 Referees 1 Referee

U8/U9/U10 \$35 \$27 \$16

U11/U12 \$38 \$29 \$17

U13/U14 \$44 \$33 \$20

Substitution Rule Exception

When the team in possession is substituting, the other team can substitute on a one for one basis.

Respect

We expect our players and coaches to respect the referees and the game and vice versa. We have acted on every card issued or sending off reported to us with, at minimum, a one game suspension and will continue to do so. Our rules stipulate:

“The Referee(s) are in complete charge of the field and adjacent areas from the time they arrive at the game site until they depart. The Referee(s) is empowered to:

1. Dismiss anyone in attendance.
2. Terminate a game for spectator misconduct. The determination of the outcome of a terminated game shall be the responsibility of the R&D Director, in consultation with R&D Committee.
3. Refuse to allow the game to be played if, in the Referee's judgment, the field is unplayable due to length of grass, inadequate lines, or other impediments. Referees may depart the area certain of receiving their fee.”