

Becoming A New Soccer Referee

The next scheduled clinics for new referees will not take place until February/March of 2015. Dates and locations will be posted on the "Event Calendar" in late December.

Becoming a soccer referee is a great way to contribute to the sport and to the players. It is also an excellent motivator to improve your physical fitness level. You begin by attending classes where you will learn the Laws of the Game, the Spirit of the Game, what are fouls, offside and misconduct and how to deal with them. All Entry Level Referee Clinic sessions are posted on our Event Calendar (a summary of all clinics are shown in the chart below).

REQUIREMENTS

Certification requires successfully completing the following items:

1. OSSRC On-Line Training - Prior to the first classroom session you must complete the on-line training.
2. Three (3) Classroom Sessions – Clinic sessions 1, 2, and 3 may be taken at different locations.
3. Outdoor Field Session - Outdoor session maybe taken at any scheduled location.
4. Pass a written test on the Laws of the Game

- The required minimum age is 14 years old, i.e. born prior to year 2002.
- The fee for the course is \$60.00, payable to OSSRC.
- Pre-registration is required.

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