

District Referee Administrator's Report

November 8, 2006

1. Annual Fitness Test/Written Examination

The fitness test/written examination is scheduled for 11/13/06 and 11/21/06 at the Fresno City College Track (7:00 PM). Following the fitness test, the written examination will be given at the D7 office. Referees wishing to upgrade or maintain their current referee grades of Referee Grade 7, State Referee Grade 6 and State Referee Grade 5 must pass these annual tests/examinations. Referees who fail to attend the scheduled dates will have to reschedule with the District Director of Instruction (there will be a financial cost to each referee requesting a private fitness/written examination.)

2. Regional Referee Academy

Christel Yant (Regional IV Referee Administrator) has selected Mike Zapata as one of the 2 representatives from CNRA to attend the Region IV Referee Academy in conjunction with the ODP Regional Playoffs to be held in Las Vegas, Nevada in January 2007.

Congratulations to Mike. He continues to represent D7, CNRA and CYSA-N well.

3. State Premier League - 2006 Cal North vs. Cal South Tournament

CYSA is hosting North v. South Premier League Tournament. This hosting of this annual event alternates between CYSA-N and CYSA-S. This year's tournament will be held at the Fresno Regional Sports Complex on November 11th and 12th and will feature matches between the top two teams from CYSA's State Premier League and CYSA South's Coast Soccer League. The U15, U16, U17 and U18/19 age groups will be represented with preliminary games beginning on Saturday and the championships games will be on Sunday.

Referees from D7 as well as other districts within CYSA-N have been selected to officiate these matches.

4. USSF Referee Registration for 2007

Referees currently registered for 2006 recently received notification from the USSF regarding re-registering for 2007. Grade 8 referees can either go online to re-register for 2007 or they can continue to re-register through US mail. Either way, they must go to www.cnra.net, and follow the instructions. In either

instance, the referee will need to enter their referee registration number. I have registration numbers for referees who registered for 2006. I do not have registration numbers for referees who last registered in 2005 or prior. If a referee does not know their number or is unable to locate their number (on their current 2006 license), the League Referee Coordinator can contact me or the referee can contact www.ussoocer.com.

Referee Grades 7, 6 and 5 as well as referees upgrading for the coming year must send the re-registration forms to Mick Walker, DRA.

Referees, who last registered with USSF in 2005, can re-register for 2007 either online or through the paper route. Should they fail to register for 2007 but wish to referee in the future, they will be required to retake the entry level referee clinic.

If last registered in 2004 or prior, they will be unable to re-register for 2007 until they retake the entry level referee clinic.