

DUBLIN SOCCER LEAGUE

Due March 15th

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To: DSL Youth and Adult Referees:

## What a great fall season of soccer we had!

## Let's have another one this spring!

As much of winter is behind us, it's time to start planning for spring soccer. Enclosed is your DSL referee availability form used to schedule DSL recreation games (including MSSA/HSSA for adults) throughout the spring.

DSL spring recreation season begins Saturday, April 5<sup>th</sup>, and ends May 17<sup>th</sup>. MSSA (middle school) games start April 2<sup>nd</sup> and HSSA on April 6<sup>th</sup>.

On the availability form, under "comments", you will find noted specific events taking place on those particular Saturdays or Sundays to assist you in marking your DSL availability.

Please keep in mind the following:

- **MSSA players** If we are not aware of your game schedule before we schedule referees, you may be scheduled for some Saturdays that may require you to be substituted.
- Adults Be sure and check for conflicts with other schedules (including children) so that you can accurately indicate your availability.
- **Club players** Check on tournaments (including statewide cup events) in which you may be participating.
- <u>All</u> referees must have a current concussion course certification, submitted, or previously submitted, an IRS W-9 form along with their Referee Availability form prior to refereeing.
- <u>Adult</u> referees must also be currently compliant with Safe Sport certification and approved background check.

**<u>Returning Referees</u>**: Please note that if your pre-printed form indicates in <u>red</u> that a requirement needs updated prior to refereeing, information will be included with this mailing to complete the requirement(s).

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Please don't hide this form in a drawer! Do something before you forget! Do not hold onto the form waiting for other schedules – just note that other info is forthcoming

Fill out the enclosed referee availability form for the spring, 2025 season and **return it by March 15<sup>th</sup>** by mail (address above), fax (793-9626 (ask for confirmation)) or dropped in our office mailbox. You can even take a clear picture of the completed form. A PDF version of the form is available on the DSL website under the *Referee* tab. IF RETURNED BY FAX: USE A DARK BOLD PEN OR MARKER AND DO NOT WRITE NEAR THE PAGE BORDERS.

If you have any questions, please email us, or call us at the above. I look forward to working with all of you again this spring.

Sincerely,

John Muir Certified Referee Assignor

You cannot be in two places at oncer

Do NOT overlap DSL games with other programs