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REFEREE PAYMENT SYSTEM CURRENT

FWYSA will provide the Referee Assignor with a complete and final schedule of games before the beginning of the season. No games on FWYSA fields will be rescheduled, except due to weather-related cancellations. The following pay scale is currently in effect (the first number is the center referee with the two following numbers being the assistant referees, or “linesmen” for U10 and above).

U4-6	\$15 (*4 games=\$60 total to each coach)
U7-8	\$15 (*4 home games=\$60 to each coach)
U9-10	\$18/\$10/\$10 (*5 home games=\$190 to each coach)
U11-12	\$20/\$12/\$12 (*5 home games=\$220 to each coach)
U14	\$22/\$14/\$14 (*5 home games=\$250 to each coach)

All coaches will be provided a check to cover the costs of their referee payments for their home games. The home team coach will pay each referee in cash before each game. All coaches should have the appropriate change to pay each referee and assistant referee individually.

The schedule of games printed at the beginning of the season is fixed and final. Referees are assigned well in advance of their games, and a commitment is made at the time of assignment to compensate them. If a home team does not show for a game, the coach must still make arrangements to pay the referees. If a FWYSA team that is scheduled as the home team (and required to pay the referees) does not appear and does not make arrangements to pay the assigned referees, that team will be assessed a fine equal to the referee payments for that game (FWYSA Rule XIV.B.3.).

If a referee does not show, the coach should note this absence clearly on the game report and return the unused referee fees to FWYSA.

Even if the weather is threatening, unless you have heard on the message or otherwise from FWYSA that the games have been cancelled, it is your responsibility to pay the referees on the field at the scheduled time.

Please pay referees in bills as large as possible (not in coins and not in a pocketful of one dollar bills).