



# NORTHWEST SOUND YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION NSYSA

Subj: NSYSA Monthly Board Meeting Agenda

Date:

## Location:

Time: 6:30 - 8:30

All Star Lanes  
10710 Silverdale Way NW  
Silverdale, WA 98383

## In Attendance:

### NSYSA Board:

President - Darcy Buell  
VP of Admin - Val Corden  
Competition - Bob Bjornemo  
VP of Awards and Recognition - Naomi Carrier

Registrar - Susie McGill  
Treasurer - Liming McMillan  
Secretary - Kent Hassebrock

### Club Representatives:

BIYSC - Ian McCallum  
BSC - Shannon Bayne  
CKSC - Chris Hunt  
KAFC - David Connolly  
JCSC - Andrew Fiske

NKSC - Ken Markaryan  
NMYSC - Jason Henningsen  
SKSC - Ryan DeCrona  
TSC - Vicky Webb

### Committee Representatives

NSYSA Discipline - Bob Bjornemo  
Recreation Cup – Louie Bond  
Soccer to the Maxx - Louie Bond  
Operations Committee - Dawn Byron - Shannon Bayne

NSYSA Nominating - Kent Hassebrock  
Development - Darcy Buell

### Others in Attendance:

Steve Shively - NSYSA Scheduler

## Agenda:

### 1. Roll Call:

- a. NSYSA Board
- b. Club Representatives
- c. Guest Introductions

### 2. Communications:

- a. JCSC Check \$50
- b.
- c.



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### 3. Approval of May 2019 Minutes:

- a. May 2019
- b. July 2019

### 4. Officer's Reports:

- a. President
- b. VP of Administration
- c. VP of Award and Recognition
- d. VP of Competition - See Attached
- e. Registrar
- f. Treasurer
- g. Secretary

### 5. NSYSA Scheduler Report:

- a.
- b.

### 6. NSYSA Website Administrator Report:

- a.
- b.

### 7. Committee Reports:

- a. NSYSA Discipline Committee - Bob Bjornemo
- b. Recreational Cup Committee – Louie Bond
- c. Soccer to the Maxx Committee - Louie Bond
- d. Operations/Documents Committee - Dawn Byron / Shannon Bayne
- e. Nominating Committee - Kent Hassebock
- f. Development - Vacant

### 8. Club Reports:

- a. BIFC
- b. BSC
- c. CKSC
- d. KAFC
- f. NKSC
- g. NMYSC
- H. SKSC

### 9. Kitsap Peninsula Referee Association:

- a. FIFA Laws of the Game discussion.
- b.
- c.



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## **10. Unfinished Business:**

- a. May 2019 Minutes
- b.

## **11. New Business:**

- a. 2019 Mission Statement (draft)
- b. Play Down FAQ (draft)
- c.

## **12. Good of the Game:**

- a.
- b.

## **13. Adjourn:**

- a. Time:



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Date: 01 July 2019

Subj: NSYSA Board meeting minutes.

Location: All Star Lanes

10710 Silverdale, WA

Silverdale, WA 98383 NSYSA

## **In Attendance:**

NSYSA President – Darcy Buell (P)

NSYSA VP of Administration – Val Corden (P)

NSYSA Secretary – Kent Hassebrock (E)

VP of Competition Bob Bjornemo (P)

NSYSA - Registrar – Susie McGill (P)

NSYSA Treasurer – Liming McMillan (E)

NSYSA VP of Awards

and Recognition – Naomi Carrier (E)

## **Club Representatives:**

BIYSC Representative – Ian McCullum (E)

BSC Representative – Shannon Bayne (P)

CKSC Representative – Dawn Byron (P)

JCSC Representative – Jeni Banks (P)

KAFC Representative – Dave Connolly (P)

NKSC Representative – Kit Baldwin (P)

NMSC Representative – Jason Henningsen (P)

SKSC Representative – Keven McPherson

TSC Representative – Vicky Webb (P)

## **Committee Representative:**

KPSRA Representative – Vacant

NSYSA Discipline – Bob Bjornemo

Recreation Cup – Louie Bond

Soccer to the Maxx – Louie Bond

Documents Committee – Dawn Byron

NSYSA Website & Scheduler – Steve Shively

## **Guests:**

WYS Top Soccer Chair – Tom Tate

1. Introduced himself as WYS Chairman for Topp Soccer.
2. Related experiences and knowledge of the program.
3. Defined WYS stand and support for the program.
4. Offered assistants to bring the program on board.

## **Communications:**

Post Office Box receipt delivered to NSYSA Treasurer

WA State Office of Employment and Security delivered to NSYSA Treasurer



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## Minutes Approval:

1. June NSYSA Association minutes approved with an amendment.
  - a. Correct the Spelling of Ken Markaryan for NKSC
2. Motioned NKSC Kit Baldwin - Second KAFC Dave Connolly

## NSYSA Officer Reports:

### NSYSA President:

Hope everyone has been enjoying the weather. I have seen a lot of Facebook traffic about soccer that is great! Registration open, what ages still have openings, practices, referee clinic. Clubs sharing other clubs' stuff like camps, skill building, and referee clinic.

1. At July 1 meeting I will be seeking approval of Louie Bond for Director of Rec Cup Committee.
2. Conduct memo is attached, have discussion and asking for approval to have documents committee review and have a final draft for August meeting.
3. Where do clubs stand for High School aged teams please have this information for your club. Are we presiding with 11 v 11 or 9 v 9 for NSYSA league play.
4. At the May meeting I spoke about each club having Emergency response/sheltering for their fields how is this going? Have club boards discussed this? Do fields have plans in place since most fields are owned by school districts or county fields?
5. Safe Sport club point of contact; who is it? Each club have one person responsible for SafeSport Incidents. One person recommended that it be the clubs and association president. This person would be the P.O.C. for all volunteers of your club to contact if an incident occurred. The club person then would contact the NSYSA association person. Please let me know who this person is for your club. Please include Name, Position, Email and Phone Number or bring to July 1 meeting.

### NSYSA VP of Admin:

1. VP of Administration has had a very busy month.
  - a) Assisting Club Registrars with getting players register and websites operational
  - b) Dealing with WYS for matters of RMA and Stack Sports.
  - c) Dealing with Affinity for RMA issues.

### NSYSA VP of Recognition and Awards:

1. no report

### NSYSA VP of Competition:

1. See Attached



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## **NSYSA Registrar:**

1. Association Registrar continues to be busy with registration issues. Working to mitigate RMA difficulties and the transfer of information to support staff.
  - a) Emailed Club Presidents and Registrars guidelines for completing RMA registration
  - b) Emailed Club Presidents and Registrars recognizing that coaches and staff must complete RMA requirements prior to be associated with a team.
  - c) The new agreed deadline for RMA expiration date is 30 April 2020.
  - d) Slack Sports is experiencing difficulties in assigning players to teams. - Mre information will be forwarded as resolution is found.
  - e) With 2020-2021 season all certification will be swiped clean of individual RMA records. Everybody will need to re-establish certifications and upload.
    - a. Annual Certification will be Safe Sports and Concussion training.
    - b. 3 Year certification will be Cardiac Arrest.
  - f) There will be no grace period for RMA registry in the future.

## **NSYSA Treasurer:**

1. Budget Accounting was mailed to Clubs and Executive Board. See Attached.

## **NSYSA Secretary:**

1. Post Office Box receipt delivered to NSYSA Treasurer
2. WA State Office of Employment and Security delivered to NSYSA Treasurer

## **NSYSA Committee Reports:**

### **NSYSA Documents Committee:**

1. Preparing to incorporate 2019 - 2020 FIFA Laws of the Game into the Operating Procedures.

### **NSYSA Disciplinary: authority.**

1. Scott McKee has joined the group.
2. Most have committed to this year.

### **NSYSA Recreation Tournament Committee:**

1. Louie Bond has been selected Director of this tournament.



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## NSYSA Soccer to the Maxx Tournament Committee:

1. No report.

## NSYSA Website & Scheduler

1. Notes may be viewed at  
<http://nysasoccer.org/files/NSYSA%20July%20Board%20meeting%20packet.pdf> Page 15.

## KPSRA Representative

1. No report.

## NSYSA Club Reports:

### BIYSC Representative:

1. Women's World Cup:
2. 60+ @ Westside Pizza to watch US beat France
3. Tuesday, 7/2: 12pm Kick off @ Westside Pizza for USA v England
4. Sunday, 7/7: 8am Kick off @ Plate & Pint for WWC Final

### BIFC - Sounders Game Package

1. Contact Ron @ [ron@bifc.net](mailto:ron@bifc.net) for tickets
2. \$40 for 2 game package: Sounders v Borussia Dortmund & Sounders v Timbers

### Camps:

1. July 8-11: 120 kids @ BPP
2. July 16-18: 40 kids @ BIFC Residential Camp (9v9 specific camp) - spots available - contact [ian@bifc.net](mailto:ian@bifc.net)

### Recreational

1. Spring: Great season
2. Fall: Registration open
3. Adult: Fall registration open

### Select

1. Spring Classic: 3 Champions & a Finalist
2. Rainer Valley Classic: 2 Champions & a Finalist
3. Crossfire (July 26-28): 07G, 01B, 03B, 05B, 01G, 10B are looking for guest players - email [ian@bifc.net](mailto:ian@bifc.net)



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## Island Cup Series:

1. Aug 9-11: 10 teams registered (01-05 ages)
2. Aug 23-25: 40 teams registered; lots of new teams coming and Portland FC
3. Sept 29: 4v4 Wooden Spoon

## Coach Education:

1. May: 11v11 USSF course completed (BIFC coaches & from across the state)
2. June: 7v7/9v9: 28 Coaches (BIFC, North Kitsap, Storm King, Sequim, Aug and Silver FC).
3. July 29: Select Coach Training
4. Aug 21: 4v4-7v7 Coach Training

## Coach & Parent Workshop:

1. Sept 8-9: Coach & Parent Education Workshop: If your club would like to join - email [ian@bifc.net](mailto:ian@bifc.net) (\$300 per club)
2. Sept 8 (1-4pm): Field Sessions & Coach Q & A
3. Sept 9 (7-8:30pm): Classroom Q & A (Coaches & Parents)

## Referee Education:

1. Aug 12: Referee Refresher
2. Aug 12: In-house 7v7 Referee Training

## International Team Travel (April 2020)

1. 2006 age group traveling to England

## BSC Representative:

1. No report.

## CKSC Representative:

1. Registration open.

## JCSC Representative:

1. Struggling with registering.
2. Numbers of registered players is up.
3. Executive Board is struggling to make it happen with only two (2) active participants.





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4. Unless more members become active participants, JCSC will most likely dissolve in 2020 -2021.

## **KAFC Representative:**

1. In the midst of tournament season, some successes.
2. Referee training camp 27 July.
3. Goal Keeping training camp presented by an Argentina player, 02 July.

## **NKSC Representative:**

1. Registration is open.
2. Experiencing fewer numbers than past years at this time.
3. United Kingdom sponsored camp is in progress.

## **NMYSC Representative:**

1. .NMYSC held a Board meeting 30 June 2019.
2. NMYSC will host a Soccer Camp 7/8 - 7/12.
  - a. AM Sessions - 10:00 to 12:00
  - b. PM Sessions - 5:30 to 7:30

## **SKSC Representative:**

1. SKSC Board meeting held 30 June.544 Players currently registered.
2. Jamboree Aug 24
  - a. \$75 Entry fee.
  - b. Open to U07 - U08 - U09 - U10
3. Small Sided Referee training on 12 July, At Retsil field. Others to follow.
4. Club will host coaches training with 3 certificated instructors.

## **TSC Representative:**

1. 900 plus players registered.
  - a. 25 Recreation Teams.
  - b. 4 Select teams.
  - c. TSC Soccer Camp in Late August.
  - d. Coaches meeting/training will be held during this time.

## **Old Business:**

- a. Unable to approve May Board meeting minutes due to no copy available.



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- i. Need issuer to correct and reissue for August Board meeting.

## **New Business:**

1. NSYSA Code of Conduct was redistributed to members in attendance.
  - a. Unable to locate copies of document signed last year.
2. Discussion pursued regarding the proposed policy sheet presented by President Buell, Memorandum of Conduct Policy.
  - a. Returned to Documents Committee to develop a policy for application and uses of this document.
3. Safe Sports - Application and management needs definition.
  - a. Each Club MUST create a policy and identify a POC.
  - b. NSYSA President is the Association 1<sup>st</sup> line of contact.
4. President Buell entered a discussion of HS age teams being registered by Clubs.
  - a. Only 3 Clubs will be registering teams.
    - i. TSC 5 teams
    - ii. NKSC 1 team
    - iii. JCSC 1 team (mixed ages 16 - 19)
5. Clubs and Association must make a decision of how our HS age teams will be supported in the future (2020 -2021). This will help to advertise and make players aware of changes.

## **Good of the Game:**

- a. 2019 World Cup - Go USA

**Next Meeting:** 05 August 2019

**Location:** All Star Lanes, Silverdale.

Please forward all comments and corrections NLT 29 August 2019.

## **DRAFT – NSYSA Meeting Notes May 6, 2019 – DRAFT**

**Attendance** and report summary:

- Darcy / President: RMA, safe sport required for anyone in regular contact with players this includes youth aged small sided referees. Action plan for club fields (active shooter). Respect logo on all jerseys by Fall of 2020.
- Bob / VP of Comp: Please see report.
- Val / VP of Admin : Please see report.
- Liming / Treasurer : Passed out invoices for money due to clubs.
- Naomi / Awards: Scholarship information sent to Liming for check issue.
- Susie / Registrar: Please see report.
- Kent / Secretary: Excused
- Steve / Administrator: Banners for NSYSA site could use more. Registration links from NMYSC and BIFC.
- Ian / Bainbridge Island
- Shannon & Jason / Bremerton
- Unexcused / Central Kitsap
- Unexcused / Jefferson County
- Chris, Vickey, Benoit & Travis / Kitsap Alliance
- Kitt / North Kitsap
- Bryan & Jason / North Mason
- Kevin / South Kitsap
- Vicky / Tracyton

**Club reports:** Registration is open for all clubs.

- BIFC - 46 people traveled to England played four games won 3 lost 1. 260 participating in spring soccer. Island Cup August 23 - 25. High school tournament August 9 - 11.
- BSC - Board meeting this Friday. Field fees increased.
- KAFC - AGM complete. Tryouts on going. Team info night is scheduled. Referee training scheduled for July. Wanting to attend other clubs meetings and see if they can assist / help.
- NKSC - Tryouts on going. Spring academy going on now.
- NMYSC - Board meeting this Friday.
- SKSC - Tryouts on going. Club has expectations for all members.
- TSC - Registration numbers are up from last year. Tryouts are on going. U5 - U8 Tracyton cup.

**New Business:**

- Billy from PCA attended and spoke about training / life experiences. Double Goal Coach. Left business cards and other information.
- Discussion on a need for a **field cost committee**: I would like all to report back to me of the pros and cons of this committee being formed. The committee would be seeking possible ways and speaking to the school districts and the park departments of possible fee reductions. End of last night and today I am not sure how many want this?
- **Soccer to the Maxx** Director Louie Bond has scheduled it for first Sunday of October. Bremerton has volunteered to help host.

- Action needed - Please come to June meeting prepared for discussion and vote. Please discuss with your clubs, U16 and above, U13 and above recreation play. Keep at 11 v 11, 9 v 9, or something else. How would this affect Rec Cup.
  - Included the **Fall 2019 - Spring 2020 KPRSA Referee Fee** Schedule.
- Submitted by - Darcy Buell, NSYSA President

# Northwest Sound Youth Soccer Association

## Financial Summary as of 7/31/2019

		FY 2019-2020	
	July 2019	Actual YTD	FY Budget
<b>Income</b>			
Game Fee	\$ -	\$ 1,710.00	\$ 21,455.00
Other Income	\$ 919.25	\$ 1,164.25	\$ 11,500.00
Player Fee	\$ 841.80	\$ 16,389.80	\$ 55,128.25
Tournament Fee	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 12,000.00
Total	\$ 1,761.05	\$ 19,264.05	\$ 100,083.25
<b>Expenses</b>			
Administrative Expenses	\$ -	\$ 159.35	\$ 4,482.00
Bank Charges & Fees	\$ 5.95	\$ 23.80	\$ 150.00
Dues/Player Fees - WYS	\$ 912.00	\$ 912.00	\$ 48,206.75
Other Expenses	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,131.96	\$ 15,350.00
Scheduler/Webmaster	\$ 1,800.00	\$ 7,200.00	\$ 21,600.00
Tournament Expenses	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 10,055.00
Total	\$ 3,717.95	\$ 9,427.11	\$ 99,843.75
<b>Net Income</b>	\$ (1,956.90)	\$ 9,836.94	\$ 239.50

**Northwest Sound Youth Soccer Association**  
**Balance Sheet**  
As of July 31, 2019

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**ASSETS**

Current Assets

Bank Accounts

Kitsap Bank Checking 62,450.69

Total Bank Accounts \$ 62,450.69

Other Current Assets

Undeposited Funds 0.00

Total Other Current Assets \$ 0.00

Total Current Assets \$ 62,450.69

**TOTAL ASSETS \$ 62,450.69**

**LIABILITIES AND EQUITY**

Total Liabilities

Equity

Opening Balance Equity 64,898.61

Retained Earnings -12,284.86

Net Income 9,836.94

Total Equity \$ 62,450.69

**TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY \$ 62,450.69**

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## Actuals vs Budget

April 2019 - July 2019

	July 2019	Total	
	Actual	Actual YTD	FY Budget
<b>INCOME</b>			
<b>Game Fees</b>			
Competitive Program	0.00	1,710.00	7,290.00
Recreational Program	0.00	0.00	7,280.00
Small Sided Program	0.00	0.00	6,885.00
<b>Total Game Fees</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>	<b>\$ 1,710.00</b>	<b>\$ 21,455.00</b>
<b>Other Income</b>			
Late Fee/Changing Fee	50.00	50.00	0.00
RMA-Background Check	0.00	245.00	3,000.00
Small Sided Referees	869.25	869.25	8,000.00
TopSoccer	0.00	0.00	500.00
<b>Total Other Income</b>	<b>\$ 919.25</b>	<b>\$ 1,164.25</b>	<b>\$ 11,500.00</b>
<b>Player Fees</b>			
Competitive Program	82.80	5,740.80	15,231.50
Recreational Program	207.00	6,279.00	22,703.00
Small Sided Program	552.00	4,370.00	17,193.75
<b>Total Player Fees</b>	<b>\$ 841.80</b>	<b>\$ 16,389.80</b>	<b>\$ 55,128.25</b>
<b>Tournament Fee</b>			
Recreational Cup	0.00	0.00	9,000.00
Soccer to the Maxx	0.00	0.00	3,000.00
<b>Total Tournament Fee</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>	<b>\$ 12,000.00</b>
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$ 1,761.05</b>	<b>\$ 19,264.05</b>	<b>\$ 100,083.25</b>
<b>EXPENSES</b>			
<b>Administrative Exp</b>			
Communication	0.00	60.00	200.00
Meetings	0.00	0.00	300.00
Office Supplies	0.00	0.00	50.00
Postage/Mail Box	0.00	99.35	82.00
Software/Website	0.00	0.00	3,500.00
Taxes & Fees	0.00	0.00	350.00
<b>Total Administrative Exp</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>	<b>\$ 159.35</b>	<b>\$ 4,482.00</b>
<b>Bank Charges &amp; Fees</b>	5.95	23.80	150.00
<b>Dues/Player Fees - WYS</b>			
Competitive Program	252.00	252.00	13,745.50
Recreational Program	180.00	180.00	20,215.00

# Northwest Sound Youth Soccer Association

## Actuals vs Budget

April 2019 - July 2019

	July 2019	Total	
	Actual	Actual YTD	FY Budget
Small Sided Program	480.00	480.00	14,246.25
<b>Total Dues/Player Fees - WYS</b>	<b>\$ 912.00</b>	<b>\$ 912.00</b>	<b>\$ 48,206.75</b>
<b>Other Expenses</b>			
Awards	0.00	0.00	2,100.00
Meals/Travel	0.00	131.96	600.00
Miscellaneous	0.00	0.00	150.00
RMA-Background Check	0.00	0.00	3,200.00
Scholarship	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Small Sided Referees	0.00	0.00	8,000.00
TopSoccer	0.00	0.00	300.00
<b>Total Other Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 1,000.00</b>	<b>\$ 1,131.96</b>	<b>\$ 15,350.00</b>
Scheduler/Webmaster	1,800.00	7,200.00	21,600.00
<b>Tournament Exp</b>			
<b>Recreational Cup</b>			
Awards	0.00	0.00	400.00
Fields	0.00	0.00	425.00
Referee Fees	0.00	0.00	2,000.00
State Fees	0.00	0.00	3,000.00
T-Shirts	0.00	0.00	1,700.00
<b>Total Recreational Cup</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>	<b>\$ 7,525.00</b>
<b>Soccer to the Maxx</b>			
Referee Fees	0.00	0.00	430.00
T-Shirts	0.00	0.00	2,000.00
Tournament Fee	0.00	0.00	100.00
<b>Total Soccer to the Maxx</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>	<b>\$ 2,530.00</b>
<b>Total Tournament Exp</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>	<b>\$ 10,055.00</b>
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 3,717.95</b>	<b>\$ 9,427.11</b>	<b>\$ 99,843.75</b>
<b>Net Income</b>	<b>-\$ 1,956.90</b>	<b>\$ 9,836.94</b>	<b>\$ 239.50</b>





# NORTHWEST SOUND YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION NSYSA

Date: 05 August 2019

Subj: July 2019 VP of Comp Report

1. We have raised the ranks of our referee community in our area. Additional classes are scheduled. Clubs please assess your area referee pool and look for adequate numbers. Please follow the following link:  
[New \(Grade 8\) Referee - Saturday training Feb 9 2019 8am-4pm](#)
2. Small Sided Referee and the RMA requirement.
  - a. There will be much confusion and difficulty getting our Small Sided Referees ready for this season. We need to start the process a little earlier.
3. I have created a slide show presentation for SSReferee instruction. I have forwarded a copy of the presentation to all Clubs. It may support the training of your young referees. Some modification may be necessary for individual club information.
4. We have several expected changes that have been approved by the Ruling Body of FIFA. The outcome of these decisions has not filtered down from FIFA to USSF and ultimately WYS.

We are waiting this information Washington Soccer Referee Committee and hoping for a briefing from KPSRA.

There are some of these proposals that make good sense. And some, I am not seeing benefit at the Recreation level. But hopefully KPSRA will share how they will apply in time for us to share with our coaches before the season begins.

- I highly recommend that you tell coaches ask for briefings, with both coaches and referee, before each game. This may be the only briefing we get.

A brief synopsis of the rules follows:

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Free kicks: No attacking players in wall

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The IFAB has approved a rule change which prohibits attacking players- i.e. those from the team on attacking from the free kick - from being in the wall. Specifically, when there is a wall of three or more players attackers are not allowed within one meter of it.



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Any attacking player found to be less than one meter from the wall when a free kick is taken will be penalized and the other team will be rewarded with an indirect free kick.

The idea behind the change is to avoid time-wasting and disturbances between players that may result in physical altercations.

The IFAB said: "There is no legitimate tactical justification for attackers to be in the 'wall' and their presence is against the 'spirit of the game' and often damages the image of the game."

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Substitutions: Players must leave pitch at nearest point

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The rule-makers have struck a further blow against cynicism in the game by introducing a change to substitution protocol.

Players who are being taken off and replaced must now leave the pitch by the nearest point on the touchline, which means we will no longer be forced to endure preposterously slow walks to the half-way line.

So players will have to think twice about how they exit the pitch and, not only that, they must make their way straight to the technical area or dressing room otherwise they risk being sanctioned for unsporting behavior.

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Yellow & red cards for coaches

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In order to clamp down on difficult behavior from coaches who don't see eye to eye with the referee or their opposite number, officials will be able to show them yellow or red cards, in the same way they do with players.

If, in the event of a touchline melee for example, the offending individual cannot be identified for punishment, the senior coach who is in the technical area will be the default recipient.

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Penalty kicks: Goalkeepers must have at least one foot on line

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That hasn't changed with the latest update to the rules, which dictate that the shot-stopper must not be moving or touching the goalposts.

The new rule changes also say that the goalkeeper must have at least part of one foot on or in line with the goal-line.

"Allowing the goalkeeper to have only one foot touching the goal line (or, if jumping, in line with the goal line) when the penalty kick is taken is a more practical approach as it is easier to identify if both feet are not on the line," goes the IFAB's explanation.

"As the kicker can 'stutter' in the run, it is reasonable that the goalkeeper can take one step in anticipation of the kick."

As well as those points, the penalty taker will now be permitted to receive a quick treatment if necessary before taking the kick.

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## Handball: Accidental offences deemed free kicks

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Essentially, the changes will mean that there will be no goal in cases where the ball accidentally strikes a player's hand before crossing over the line.

Similarly, if a player has accidentally handled the ball and created an advantage or subsequently scores, they will be penalized with a free kick.

Despite the IFAB's attempts, we reckon that this one will still cause plenty of debate and consternation.

The dropped ball is no more. Well, at least not as we know it.

If play is stopped inside the penalty area the ball will simply be dropped for the goalkeeper.

If it is stopped outside the penalty area the ball will be dropped for a player from the team that last touched the ball. In all cases, players will have to be at least four meters (four and a half yards) away.

Here's the IFAB's explanation: "The current dropped ball procedure often leads to a 'manufactured' restart which is 'exploited' unfairly (e.g. kicking the ball out for a throw-in deep in the opponents' half) or an aggressive confrontation.



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"Returning the ball to the team that last played it restores what was 'lost' when play was stopped, except in the penalty area where it is simpler to return the ball to the goalkeeper.

"To prevent that team gaining an unfair advantage, all players of both teams, except the player receiving the ball, must be at least 4m (4.5 yds) away."

Also, additional information is on the following website:

<https://www.espn.com/soccer/blog-fifa/story/3799425/handball-revamp-confirmed-as-ifab-reveals-new-laws-of-the-game-for-2019-20>

5. The date for the NSYSA 2019 Fall Soccer Season scheduling meeting is established for 17 August @ 8:30 AM. The location has been set to be Haselwood Conference Room, Silverdale Haselwood YMCA @8:30.
  - a. Clubs will receive the games to be scheduled and located by 21 August.
  - b. All schedules will be populated and returned to the NSYSA Scheduler, Steve Shively; no later than 24 August.
  - c. The schedule should then go live 26/27 August and forwarded to KPSRA for assigning.
  - d. As we are typically ending by 1:00ish, **no lunch or coffee will be served.**
  - e. There is an expresso station @ Hazelwood YMCA and therefore coffee will not be provided. Water will be available.
  - f. Light snacks will be provided.
  
6. Please complete the down load and complete the [YMCA Guest Facility Use](#).
  - a. You can either bring the completed form to the YMCA with you on the day of the meeting. A slight bit of time will be needed for processing.
  - b. Complete the form and scan it and forward to me. My wife says she would put it into the system early. This will save a bit of time.
  
7. Clubs are telling stories of more players, not enough players, or not enough coaches. Please speak with your neighbor to help with these needs.



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8. Clubs looking to assign players down to a younger team due to medical reasons or physical handicap issues must apply to WYS and receive approval before they may assign the player to a team.
  - a. A copy of the approved documents from WYS must be provided to NSYS Registrar.

## NSYSA Webstaff & Schedulers July 2019 activity briefing

- Successfully facilitated the July 1 RMA updates to enhanced Safe Sports + Affinity system sync
  - As of August 1<sup>st</sup> 133 Active NSYSA Users have registered with Approved WSYSA RMA status.
- Scheduling final updates to be communicated with all from VP Comp & Registrar regarding the 17 August @8:30 AM Fall Scheduling meeting location, invitation and related documents
- Facilitated VP of Admin and VP of Comps request for reviewing historic team rosters related to processing a U10 waiver request
- Corresponded with NSYSA VP of Comp regarding request to update select FAQ's to better reflect current policies and procedures.
- Building on last summer's Air Quality web alert for forest fire smoke – thanks to Bob's suggestion - we worked with RidgeStar to build an enterprise wide National Weather Forecast feature linked to each and everyone of our Fields. This is feature now active and can be referenced for both scheduled games and teams preparing for practices. Severe weather flags will aide in the event thunderstorms or other severe weather is forecast.
- Worked – again - with RidgeStar to 'reset' the season in initial preparations for Fall 2019 after NSYSA executive committee members missed deadlines for culling last years data.
- Prepped, posted, and updated as needed the [NSYSA August Board meeting packet.pdf](#)
- Closed "WYS for the "Of the Year" details per correspondence with NSYSA Awards and Recognition officer
- Working with RidgeStar on emerging Outgoing SMTP queue hold of emails. Same some sort of issue springs up for the last 4 or 5 years, usually right around the first week of the Fall season (previously impacting Comcast, and now the Microsoft domains).
  - So far testing is showing that the @NSYSAsoccer.org domain on Google Suites isn't being impacted.
- Scheduled personal referee support of both Dungeness Cup (Sequim) and Island Cup (Bainbridge) for August.
- Ready for Fall!

Respectfully submitted –

Steve Shively



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## MEDICAL PLAY DOWN APPLICATION Disabled or Physically Challenged Child

1. A parent of a child who is considering participating in Washington Youth Soccer playing small sided, or recreational soccer may request a medical play down exception to allow the player to play down in age one year if the following criteria are met.
2. The child's physician will submit a letter with the following information.
  - I. Brief explanation of the child's medical condition.
  - II. How specifically will the player benefit from playing with children one year younger?
  - III. Does the player pose a danger to children younger than the player during physical activity?

Washington Youth Soccer strictly adheres to the US Youth Soccer Registration Policy.

A medical play down exception once approved is only in affect for the seasonal year and expires at the end of the regular season.

The parent shall submit:

- I. Physician Statement
- II. Signed Hold Harmless agreements
- III. Completed Play Down Form with Medical Release
- IV. Completed Birth Date Verification Form
- V. Copy of the state issued birth certificate.

Please mail to the address below, or send the completed packet to:  
Terry Fisher, CEO, [terry@WashingtonYouthSoccer.org](mailto:terry@WashingtonYouthSoccer.org).

Washington Youth Soccer  
Medical Play Down Request  
7100 Fort Dent Way, Suite 215  
Tukwila, WA 98188

Only completed packets will be considered.

Once received at the Washington Youth Soccer Office, you may be contacted by phone for an interview within 7 to 10 days following a review of the packet.  
If you have questions, please contact:

Washington Youth Soccer Office at 877-424-4318.



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2. Once authorization is received from Washington Youth Soccer Office, a copy of all documents must be forwarded to the Club Registrar.
  - I. No player may be affiliated to a team roster in which the player would play down in age one year until the WYS approval is delivered.
  - II. The Club Registrar will deliver a completed packet to NSYSA.
3. Packets not provided to NSYSA may result in the delay of the player being associated to a team roster.





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## Northwest Sound Youth Association

In collaboration with U.S. Soccer and Washington Youth Soccer, the objectives of Northwest Sound Youth Soccer are to provide a positive impact and support for the members of our Associate Clubs. Through the game of soccer and a commitment to excellence provided by our member Clubs, young men and women will gain experiences that will guide the development of their character, athletic, academic and leadership abilities and their sense of community.

Northwest Sound Youth Soccer is a 501 (c) (3) non-profit organization.

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