



League structure changes in 2015

At the most recent OSA League Management Committee the following important changes will occur in 2015:

1. One or Two geographic Conferences of 6 – 8 teams will exist in each Regional League. This will be defined by the Regional League based on its knowledge of the competition levels in its area and allow the League to size itself accordingly. Teams from Northern Districts will be provided a pathway into the most appropriate Regional League listed below;

Regional League	Conferences
East Region Soccer League	1 Conference for Male players 1 Conference for Female players
Central Girls Soccer League	2 Conferences for Female players (East & West)
Central Soccer League	2 Conferences for Male players (East & West)
Western Ontario Youth Soccer League	1 Conference for Male players 1 Conference for Female players
South Region Soccer League	To Be Determined

2. Removal of ALL L4 Age Divisions from Regional play. Players will move to District Competitive Leagues or District Recreational Leagues. The entry of these teams in to new District Leagues will be defined by the District League. The OSA League Management Committee and Technical Advisory Council have identified four ways in which this can be decided and a District League is welcome to use any combination of the following:
 - a. ***Self Determination – each Club decides where their teams are best suited***
 - b. ***Technical Leadership – District led panel of Technical Directors/Club Head Coaches to identify most appropriate Teams to enter each year.***
 - c. ***Pre-Season Evaluation- a short Tournament to help grade teams for entry into a League.***
 - d. ***Representation- as defined by the District League.***
3. Each Region's 2001s may populate the U14 Regional League in 2015 as per 2014 Standings
4. Each Region's 2002s (U13) will play in their respective District Leagues. These District Leagues may be solely within a District Association boundary or may be a combination of 2-3 District Associations. This will enable Players to participate in competition that best suit their ability and commitment levels and not restrict them to District Associations' boundaries, which are inherently there to serve governance, not a developmental purpose.

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