

Hello. Referees are needed for the annual GMIT (Grand Mesa Invitational Tournament)/Border Battle and I would like to personally invite you to return to work games. I will be assigning for this year's tournament, which will be played mostly on Saturday, May 18 and Sunday, May 19 in Grand Junction, Colorado. A small number of games are also expected to be played on the evening of Friday, May 17.

We are anticipating well more than 100 teams and the referee need is significant, so your assistance would be greatly appreciated.

If you would like and are able to referee, please complete this simple Google Survey online form at:  
<https://forms.gle/YiyVMMgRVFwLkSgs7>

The referee compensation package is generous, has been increased significantly from previous years and includes the following:

- State League pay for significantly shorter games (2x35 for highest age) according to the scale below:
  - U10: \$25 (Center)
  - U11-12- \$35Center/\$25 AR
  - U13-14- \$50 Center/\$40 AR
  - U15-16- \$75 Center/\$60AR
  - U17-U19- \$95 Center/\$75 AR
- Payments will be made via Assignr within 10 days following the tournament
- A \$35 bonus for each referee who works 8 or more games during the tournament
- A complimentary hotel room (shared with another referee) for the nights of Friday, May 17 and Saturday, May 18 for out-of-town referees who live 80 or more miles away **OR** lodging for one night (Saturday only) for referees who live between 30-80 miles away and who are working a full schedule on both days.  
*Note:* Because the number of rooms may be limited, you must apply by April 19 to be guaranteed a room.
- Complimentary Lunch for each day you ref 3 or more games
- Complimentary Beverages and Snacks
- As a special incentive to commit early, a free tournament shirt if you sign up prior to April 19.
- A commemorative tournament flipping coin

Please let me know if you have any additional questions.

I look forward to hosting you.

Thank you,

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