

Referee Meeting

11/11/2020

1. Refereeing is just like any other Job.
 - a. Always do your best - the kids on the ice depend on you to be good refs, just as each one of you did when you were younger. Refereeing is hard work. Hustle at all times.
 - b. Show up 15 minutes before game and leave 10 minutes after the game per MN Hockey Officials Guidelines. Respect for your partner on the ice and be there on time. It is hard to find a ref in those few minutes. Contact your partner if you are going to be tight on the time frame.
 - c. Uniform (Referee Jersey w/ current season crest, Black Pants, 2 whistles, Certification card and other useful equipment) - Crest must be on jersey to ref a game - don't go on the ice without it. Carry your certification card in your bag or on you in case you are asked for your ref number.
 - d. Fill out W-9 forms.
 - i. <https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/fw9.pdf>
 - ii. Print, Fill out the Form, and Mail to:
Charles Lundgren
1125 SOMERSET DR
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MN 56701

Or

Jeremy Williams
16244 Center St E
St. Hilaire, MN 56754
 - e. Pay Scale, process, and Reimbursements.
 - i. 2-man system Game Pay
 1. Level 1 = \$25
 2. Level 2 = \$35
 3. Level 3 = \$45
 - ii. 3-man system Game Pay – Bantam Only
 1. Referee = \$55
 2. Linesman = \$40
 - iii. Tournament
 1. Mite = \$30
 2. Squirt = \$40
 3. Bantam & Peewee = \$45
 - iv. Registration Fee Reimbursement
 1. Level 1 = \$45
 2. Level 2 = \$90
 - f. The schedule will be emailed out. Typically, I send it out 2 weeks advanced notice. I will send out as soon as I can with updates and have the updates highlighted. The Schedule will also be posted on the TRFAHA site. Please do not contact me and ask if you ref, what time, and rink. Look at the schedule that has been emailed or the posted.
2. Game Time
 - a. TRFAHA Parents - If you ref a game and have issues with our own parents yelling out to you or they try to stop you from going in the referee room to discuss how you are ref'ing - keep walking, they are not to be talking to you. Please contact Tim or Jeremy and let them know the level you ref'd and if you know the name of the person.
 - b. Coaches may want to talk to you about a call - answer questions as well as you can. Again, if issues arise, please contact Tim to discuss.

3. Evaluations

- a. Local – Tim M. is our local Referee mentor and will be giving feedback on how you are doing and I will be attempting to schedule you with our more experienced referees to learn from.

4. COVID-19

- a. If you are showing symptoms contact me and do not go to the arena.
- b. If you are quarantined or diagnosed with COVID-19 please contact me.
- c. I will contact any official the works a game that later has a COVID-19 case reported.
- d. Review new COVID-19 Rules.
- e. Review and Follow all COVID-19 Guidelines.