



4th – General Association Meeting
Wednesday, December 11, 2019 at 7:00 pm
TSC Recreation Center (2000 W. University Blvd., Brownsville, Texas 78521)

- I. Call to order
- II. Welcome by the President
 - a. Membership Report (65 officials as per today)
 - b. Coach's Meeting
 - c. 6A Draft: accept or decline games immediately
 - d. Tournament Showcase
- III. Secretary
 - a. Uniforms:
 - i. **NEW OFFICIALS** - MUST have 3 PRO long sleeves shirts (Red, Green, & Blue), shorts and socks
 - ii. **RETURNING OFFICIALS** - MUST have 5 PRO long sleeves shirts (Red, Green, Blue, Black & Yellow), shorts and socks
 - iii. If you placed an order with Mr. Cano, pay him at end of meeting
 - b. Election Committee
 - c. Nominations for Vice President (at end of training elections will be held)
 - i. Juan Jose Trejo
 - ii. Angel Labastida
 - iii. Any one else
- IV. Treasurer's Report
 - a. Local Fees - \$40 (if you have referee communication head set, \$10); late fee will apply ONLY for returning members after TODAY (\$50)
 - b. Scrimmage Sheets Process – in order for every Referee to get credit for scrimmage games done, referees must submit Scrimmage Pay Form to Treasurer
- V. Assignor Report
 - a. **65** registered refs: 48 are in compliance (paid dues, clinic, & exam); they are the only ones that can ref tournaments
 - b. Tournaments: posted on website <https://bosasoccer.weebly.com/tournaments.html>
- VI. Vice President Report
 - a. Scrimmage Games: December 12 – January 1
 - i. Each member must do at least 5 Scrimmage games due to number of days and games; failure to do so will be a \$50 fine
 - ii. Refs are credited \$3 towards their assigning fees for every game that they do
 - b. **NOT** Scrimmage Teams during December 12 – January 1
 - i. MMA, PHARR ORATORY, ST. JOE, & MIDDLE SCHOOLS
- VII. Soccer Rules that **DID NOT CHANGE**: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X9eszi3QlnU>
 - a. Ball has to completely leave Penalty Area on a Goal Kick in order for the ball to be in play.

***Note:** This includes ANY restart to the defending team, originating from the Penalty Area, not just goal kicks. If the ball doesn't leave the Penalty Area on the initial touch, retake the Goal Kick or Free Kick.*

VIII. Soccer Rules that **CHANGE:**

- a. Stop the clock during the last 5 minutes of the second half or overtime half **ONLY** if the team in the lead substitutes.
- b. Drop ball: following temporary suspension of play for an injury or unusual situation AND a goalkeeper is not in possession of the ball (**no more Indirect Free Kick to a team in clear possession**). Any number of players may contest a dropped ball, including goalkeeper.

***Note 1:** Only if goalkeeper is in possession, it will be IDF.*

***Note 2:** If a dropped ball enters the goal without touching at least two players, play is restarted with a goal kick if it enters the opponent's goal or a corner kick if it enters the team's own goal.*

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jPk-wmqP5ec>

IX. President Report

- a. Officials interested in Regionals/State – notify President ASAP (Tentative Dates are on UIL Website)
- b. Date for Fitness Test: Saturday, Dec. 21 @ 3 pm
- c. Referee Anecdotes

X. Elections for VP

XI. Training

- a. Mr. Ciro Fuentes: Responsibilities and zones of impact for an Assistant Referee during the game
- b. Mr. Arturo Ibarra: Assistant Referee Mechanics (this is only for refs with 3 or less years of experience, but everyone is welcome to attend).

XII. Adjournment