

## **Fall 2012 Rules and Discipline Activity**

### **Matters Decided with Hearing**

**ASA 12/1** – During the spring 2012 season, the team's coach earned a red card requiring he sit out next game. The team failed to document he sat out. As a result, the coach was suspended for the first 3 games of the fall season. The team got a new coach, but the old coach remained affiliated with the team. The team failed to document the former coach sat out the first three games. The former coach was suspended for the remainder of the season, the current coach was suspended for 3 games and the team was fined \$550.

### **Matters Decided Without Hearing**

#### **Protest**

**GRFL 12/5** – Coach received a red card during the game requiring he sit out the next game. GRFL filed a protest of the card and requested relief from the sit out requirement. They cited no law or rule violation, nor offered any explanation why the protest was not related to a referee judgment call. Protest denied as not meeting standards for protest.

#### **Disciplinary**

##### **Failure to Document Sit Outs**

**BFC 19/1** – BFC allowed player on sit out list for having reached the accumulated points threshold in last game of the spring 2012 season to play in match. Game declared a forfeit against BFC, player and coach assessed one game suspension.

**ASA 17/2** – ASA failed to document player on sit out list for having received a red card in the last game of the spring season who sat out the first game of the fall 2012 season. Player and coach both suspended for 3 games. Game declared a forfeit.

**ASA 15/4** -- ASA failed to document player on sit out list for having received a red card in the last game of the spring season who sat out the first game of the fall 2012 season. Player and coach both suspended for 3 games. Game not declared a forfeit because forfeit would have benefitted ASA (they lost by more than 3-0).

##### **Causing Referee To Abandon Game**

**VIST 19/3** -- Referee abandons game as a result of coach and players misconduct. Game declared a forfeit.

**CUGI 15/2** – Referee abandons game as a result of coach and players misconduct. Game declared a forfeit.

**FWSA 15/2** – Referee abandons game when ejected parent refuses to leave. Game declared a forfeit.

**Other**

**TAPK 17/4** – Game day roster includes all 20 players from the state roster, and all play. Game declared a forfeit for team exceeding 18 player limit.

**Matters Decided By Clubs With R&D Approval**

**Coaches**

**Violation of Sit Out Rule After Ejection**

**ASC 19/3** – Ejected trainer/assistant coach returned to field. Suspended for one game in addition to the red card sit out.

**MCLN 17/4** – Ejected coach returned to field. Suspended for one game in addition to the red card sit out.

**CHAN 15/1** – Ejected coach used foul and abusive language after ejection. Suspended for one game in addition to red card sit out.

**HERN 15/2** – Ejected coach returned to field after game to complain to referee. Suspended for one game in addition to red card sit out.

**TAPK 12/1** – Ejected coach returned to field to talk with team during half time. Suspended for one game in addition to red card sit out.

**CYA U11** – Ejected coach returned to field to talk with team after game. Suspended for one game in addition to red card sit out.

**EPIC U11** – Ejected coach used foul and abusive language after ejection. Suspended for one game in addition to red card sit out.

**Other**

**VIST 19/3** – In game where referee abandoned the match due to the VIST coach's actions, the coach was also suspended for one game.

**NVSC 16/3** – Coach got into argument with opposing players after game. Suspended for one game in addition to red card sit out.

**HERN 14/3** -- Coach who arrived at half time proceeded to abuse referee which incited parents. Coach and all parents are suspended for one match and team fined \$250.

**SMU U10** – Coach used inappropriate language during game. Suspended for one game.

**VIST U10** – Coach and team didn't show for second game in a row without advising league. Suspended for one game.

### **Players**

**MCLN 19/1** – Ejected player used foul language after ejection. Suspended for one game in addition to the red card sit out.

**CHAN 17/1** – Player punched opponent. Suspended for one game in addition to red card sit out.

**FPYC & TAPK 17/4** – Two players from each team engaged in a fight. Each suspended for one game in addition to the red card sit out.

**VIST 17/3** – Ejected player used foul language after ejection. Suspended for one game in addition to red card sit out.

**MCLN 16/2** – Ejected player continued to dissent for remainder of game from bench. Suspended for one game in addition to red card sit out.

**LMVS 16/3** – Two players continued tirade after referee shows them red card after game. Both players suspended for one game in addition to red card sit out.

**CALV 15/2** – Player received a yellow card for reckless foul followed by yellow card for taunt towards fouled player. Suspended for one game in addition to red card sit out.

**MRM 15/3** – Player displayed obscene gesture at referee after ejection. Suspended for one game in addition to ref card sit out.

### **Affiliates**

**NVSC 16/5** – Affiliate confronted the referee during game and then refused to leave. Referee ejected coach. Coach suspended from next game due to red card. Affiliate also banned from attending next game.

**VIST 14/4** – Affiliate confronted referee after game. Banned for two games.

**FWSA 12/1** – Affiliate disrupted game. Banned for remainder of season.

**PWSI 12/3** – Affiliate confronted referee. Banned for one game.

**BETH U11** – Ejected affiliate returned to field after game to confront referee. Banned for at least one game (club is separately assessing further sanctions).

**DSC U11** – Affiliate confronted referee after game. Banned from all games until she completes online PCA course.

**HERN U9** – Affiliate disrupted game. Banned for one game.