



Interested in becoming a Greater Sycamore Soccer Association (GSSA) SAY soccer referee, putting your soccer experience to work, being outdoors, and earning good money?

GSSA will hold our annual referee training course on **Wednesday, February 28**, and **Thursday, March 1, 2018** from **7:00 - 8:45 PM** at Sycamore High School. This training is to prepare you to ref the younger age group games: Instructional/U6; Passers/U8; and Wings/U10 – with games played primarily at Weller Park (U6 & U8) and Symmes Elementary (U10).

The training is held at **Sycamore High School, classroom 233**. Pre-registration for the course is required. Once we have a full classroom of 35 students, the registration will close. Please send an email to gssa.ref.coordinator@gmail.com to confirm registration. Provide your first and last name and a parent/guardian's preferred email address as well as emergency contact information (mobile # is preferred) for a parent or guardian. This will help us gather the required communication info, not just for arranging the class but for scheduling games in the spring season.

Eligibility: at least 12 years old by May 31, 2018. The class is open to residents of other communities in the surrounding area, many of which open their summer referee training courses to Sycamore residents.

Cost: \$20– check, cash, Google Wallet, Zelle or other apps

Pre-work: You will receive a SAY rule book and test booklet prior to the initial class. There will be two opportunities to retrieve the class materials and make payment during the week of February 19-23. More details to follow via email.

Attendance: It is mandatory to attend **both** nights. The first night is review of the material; the second night is additional review followed by the required test.

There will be a backup date in the event that either of the primary dates is postponed due to weather or other school cancelation reasons. If Sycamore Schools are closed on Wednesday 2/28 or Thursday 3/1, we will not be able to hold the referee class that night. Additional details to follow.

Again, please email gssa.ref.coordinator@gmail.com with any questions and to begin registration.

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