

# BY-LAWS REVISED 9/1/2014

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#### 1. Foundation

- 1.1 The East Bay Senior Soccer League (EBSSL) is established to permit and encourage the enjoyment of competitive soccer for persons 30 years of age and older.
- Those persons whose 30th birthday is on or before December 31st of the year in which the season begins, are eligible to play in the EBSSL (i.e.: to play in the 2014/2015, you must be born on or before 12/31/1984). Those persons whose 40th birthday is on or before December 31st of the year in which the season begins, are eligible to play in the EBSSL Over-40 divisions (except for players 'grandfathered' in by decision of the League Meeting of August 2005).
  - a. Existing EBSSL teams who founded the Over-40 division are allowed to retain 5 players on their roster who were under 40 provided they were registered to that team as of 1/1/05 (additional exemptions were also granted).
- 1.3 Each year the teams that participated in the EBSSL the previous season are invited to return to participate in the league for the new season. New teams wishing to enter the EBSSL shall request admission prior to the Kick-Off League Meeting. Admission shall be decided by a majority vote of the League at the at the Kick-Off League Meeting or a League Committee designated by the Commissioner. For exceptions to paragraph 1.3 see Section 15.
- 1.4 Each year the league will produce a League Information Pamphlet (LIP). This document will include the following:
  - a. Current EBSSL By-Lawsb Player Pass Application
  - d. New Player & Transfer Registration Datese. Phone No. For Game Results and Complaints
  - f. Fee Amounts and Payment Schedules
  - g. Any other information specific to that particular season which is not covered in the By-Laws.

# 2. Meetings

- 2.1 A League Meeting shall be held at the close of the season.

  The Commissioner may call additional meetings as required.
- 2.2 One (1) representative from each team is required to attend the League Meetings. If this representative is not the team manager, the League Secretary, or his representative, shall be informed at the beginning of the meeting and prior to voting on any motions.

A \$50.00 fine will be assessed to the team if the team has no representative present at any meeting. The fine will be due before the beginning of the season.

- 2.3 In order for the League Committee to vote on any matters a quorum (two thirds of the team managers) must be present.
- 2.4 Teams not represented at the Kick-Off League Meeting will lose their opportunity to vote at that league meeting and may be dropped from league play that season. This decision can only be made by a majority vote of the League Committee.

- 2.5 More than one team representative may attend, however only one (1) vote is allowed per team.
  - 2.5.1 All by-law changes require majority vote of quorum.
- 2.6 Each team shall satisfy the following league requirements at the Kick-Off League Meeting:
  - 2.6.1 Complete and submit the Team Information Sheet Provided by the League Registrar
  - 2.6.2 Pay all league fees for upcoming season (not including field fees)

#### 3. Fees

The following fees and their scheduled payment shall be as stated in the new seasons LIP. Teams not paying these fees, on time and in full, may be dropped from the league. The League Commissioner shall make this decision.

- 3.1 New teams shall pay a one-time initiation fee.
- 3.2 All teams shall pay an annual League fee.
- 3.3 The EBSSL is not responsible for any Referee fees.
- 3.4 The EBSSL is not responsible for any field use fees.
- 3.5 The EBSSL is not insured to cover individual player injuries.

# 4. Laws of the game

4.1 All games played in the EBSSL are to be in accordance with the Federation Internationale De Football Association (FIFA) and the United States Soccer Federation (USSF) with exceptions noted in the EBSSL By-Laws.

#### 5. Team rosters

- 5.1 The maximum number of players on a roster at any time shall be twenty-three (23). However, the maximum number of players that can play on any specific Game shall be Eighteen (18)
- The game day roster must list each player's name and player's age, identification number and EBSSL player pass number.
- 5.3 Teams may continue to add new players to their roster within the dates specified per 11.4

#### 6. Game Card

6.1 One (1) roster shall be submitted to the referee, by each team prior to the start of the game. It is each manager's responsibility to have the most current roster at Game time. Altered or handwritten games cards will not be accepted. Any manager who alters a game card, shall be disciplined according to 13.4

After the game the referee should enter the results on the Game Card, along with any other pertinent information, and mail it immediately to the League offices (or the individual assigned this responsibility in the LIP) along with any ejected player passes. If the report is not received by the following Friday, ½ of the referee fee is forfeited. If the report is not received after 10 days of the game, the entire referee fee will be forfeited.

#### 7. Uniforms

- 7.1 Every player must be in a team uniform with an assigned number clearly showing on the jersey.
- 7.2 Teams that pass out jerseys prior to the start of the game must see that each player receives the jersey with his assigned Line-up Card number.
- 7.3 In the event of a color similarity between jerseys of opposing teams, the home team will make alternate uniform arrangements.
- 7.4 A solid color tee shirt, matching the team colors, shall be acceptable provided that the numbers can be seen clearly. If the numbers are temporary, contrasting adhesive tape shall be acceptable.
  - 7.4.a If the referee determines that there is too much similarity between the jersey colors of the opposing teams, and the home team is unable to provide acceptable alternative jerseys, the home team will forfeit the match and will be responsible for the referee's fees.
- 7.5 All players must wear shin guards in order to participate in any EBSSL game.

  Material such as cardboard, newspaper, bits of clothing, etc., may not be used.

  The referee has the final say as to whether or not the shin guards are acceptable.

#### 8. Absentees

- 8.1 A minimum of seven (7) players per team is required to start a game. If one team is absent or has less than 7 players after 15 minutes from the scheduled kick-off, the absent team forfeits the game with a recorded score of 3-0.
- 8.2 If neither team has the minimum required seven (7) players 15 minutes after the scheduled starting time, the game shall be rescheduled.

  The home team is responsible for the referee's fee.
- 8.3 If a team starts with seven (7) players and drops below seven because of an injury, the game shall be terminated and the result shall be a forfeit by the team with less than seven players. The recorded score shall be 3-0.

- 8.4 If the referee is absent after 30 minutes from the scheduled kick off, the managers of both teams shall agree to one of the following courses of action:
  - a. No game is played and the game is rescheduled.
  - b. A "pick-up" referee is agreed upon and the game counts. The referee can be anyone agreed upon by both team managers. He shall be furnished the Game Card and all player passes.
    Both managers must notify the Commissioner after the game and The 'Pick up" referee must mail the Game Card to the League Registrar immediately following the game.
  - c. If the team managers cannot agree to a specific course of action, paragraph 8.4 (a) shall prevail.

#### 9. Substitutions

- 9.1 Substitutions may only be made at the following times:
  - a. Prior to any kick-off.b. Prior to any goal kick.
  - c. Prior to a corner kick (that team only).
  - d. Prior to a throw-in (that team only).
  - e. Following the cautioning of a player (cautioned player only).
  - f. Following an injury (injured player only).
- 9.2 If a team makes a substitution under 9.1, the opposing team is allowed to do Make substitutions as well.
- 9.3 Unlimited substitutions are allowed per game.
- 9.4 All reserves must be listed on the Line-up Card and their assigned jersey number must be as shown on this card.
- 9.5 Any player who is bleeding must be immediately removed from the game.

  When the bleeding has stopped and the wound has been covered, the player may re-enter the game per the substitution rules. Any blood stained clothing must be changed before re-entering the game. The referee has the final say as to whether or not the player may return to the game.

# 10. Player Passes

- 10.1 It is necessary for each player to obtain a validated player pass before being allowed to play in any EBSSL League or Cup games.
- The pass shall be processed, validated and issued by the EBSSL Registrar.
- 10.3 All player passes must show the following:
  - a. The player's name.
  - b. A photocopy of the players Passport or U.S. Identification Card or U.S. Driver's License showing documented proof of date of birth.
  - c. A clear 1 1/2"x 1 1/2" photo of the player.
  - d. EBSSL player pass ID number

	10.4		players without an EBSSL player pass will forfeit each game in yer plays and is liable for disciplinary action by the league 13).		
	10.5	• •	team using falsified information to procure a Player Pass is liable y action by the league (See Section 13).		
	10.6		ust sign an insurance waiver, with the league, before they are y in any EBSSL game.		
	10.7		who plays a player who does not have a valid EBSSL player pass sciplinary action by the league (See Section 13).		
	10.8	with the perm	is is lost, a duplicate must be issued. The player may only play ission of the Registrar/Commissioner, however a new player pass ned within ten (10) days of the loss, or transfer.		
11.	1. Transfers				
	11.1	New Player Pa Only the offic	egistrar needs to be made aware of all player transfers. asses will not be generated. ial team roster will be changed. The team manager is responsible Game Cards each time a new player is registered.		
	11.2	_	ason, a player may transfer to a different team as long as this less the league requirements defined in the LIP and section 11.4		
	11.3		ot be registered on more that one (1) team, nor play for more than n any weekend.		
11.3.a Any p		Any player vi	olating the above 11.3 shall be suspended according to rule 13.4.1		
	11.4	No player can be added or transferred after 11:59PM PST on December 1 <sup>st</sup> If December 1 <sup>st</sup> falls on a Saturday or Sunday, the deadline will automatically Roll-over to the following Wednesday at 11:59PM PST.			
12.	Disciplinary				
	12.1	Disciplinary c	Disciplinary committee		
		12.1.1	A Disciplinary Committee shall be formed, as required, by the		

12.1.2 The Committee shall include, if possible, the recently retired Ex-Commissioner to provide continuity of information.

participated in the EBSSL in some capacity.

Commissioner and, a minimum of two (2), maximum of five (5) persons. The committee shall preside with not less than three (3) voting committee members. The Commissioner shall

Different persons may be selected for each disciplinary action meeting. Active EBSSL referees may not participate on the

select the committee members from persons that have

committee as voting members.

- 12.1.3 Committee members participating on a case shall be totally impartial to the player(s) in question.

  No committee member shall be a player or manager within the division of the teams involved.
- 12.1.4 The Commissioner shall only vote on proceedings in the event of a tie by other members.
- 12.1.5 The penalties outlined herein are to be considered as guidelines for a first offense.

  The degree of penalty may be increased or decreased.
- 12.1.6 The committee shall preside only on severe cases (See Section 12), or whenever the Commissioner deems it necessary.

# 12.3. Cautions (yellow card)

- 12.3.1 Cautions will be recorded against all players and team personnel for a period of two (2) seasons. In the event of an ejection these cautions shall be considered and extra penalties added to the ejection penalty.
- 12.3.2 Any player receiving five (5) yellow cards during the current season shall be suspended for one (1) game, and shall be suspended for one (1) game for each additional three (3) yellow cards thereafter.
- 12.3.2.a Any player that has a combination of ten (10) yellow cards in the previous and current season shall be suspended for one (1) game.
- 12.3.2.b Minimum penalty for an ejection due to a player receiving two yellow cards be one game, subject to the Commissioner's discretion

#### 12.3.3 Cautionable offenses:

- a. Dangerous play, ungentlemanly conduct and/or unsportsmanlike conduct.
- b. Persistent infringement of the laws of the game.
- c. Unsportsmanlike gestures to the referee, linesmen, spectators, coaches or players.
- d. Incidental foul and abusive language.
- e. Entering or leaving the field without the referee's permission.
- f. Dissent of the referee's decisions.
- g. Excessive celebration of goal by delay of game restart or removal of jersey

# 12.4 Ejections (Red Card)

- 12.4.1 Ejections will be recorded against all players and team personnel for a period of two (2) seasons and shall be given for the following reasons:
  - a. Violent conduct or contact.
  - b. Serious foul play.
  - c. Persistent foul and abusive language or gestures.
  - d. Persistent misconduct after cautioning.
  - e. Spitting at an individual.
  - f. Denying goal scoring opportunity by deliberate handball.
  - g. Denying goal by deliberate handball.
- 12.4.2 If applicable the following additional penalties shall be applied to a player's suspension:
  - a. One (1) additional game if the suspended player has accrued five (5) or more yellow cards during the current season.
  - b. One (1) additional game if the suspended player has accrued seven (7) or more yellow cards in this season and the preceding season.
  - c. One (1) additional game if the suspended player received one (1) red card in the current or preceding season.

# 12.4.3 Ejection Offenses (Class 1)

- a. Dangerous play.
- b. Dissent of referee's decisions.
- c. Ungentlemanly conduct.
- d. Use of foul language or gestures directed towards another individual.

#### Penalty:

a. One (1) game suspension.+ Additional penalties per paragraph 12.4.2.

# 12.4.4 Ejection Offenses (Class 2)

- a. Deliberate and violent conduct.
- b. Serious foul play.
- c. Insulting a referee or other league official.
- d. Attempting to fight or strike another person.

#### Penalty:

a. Three (3) game suspension + Three (3) game probation + additional penalties per paragraph 12.4.2.

#### 12.4.5 Ejection offenses (Class 3)

- a. Fighting or striking another person.
- b. Threats to a referee of other league official.
- c. Pushing or striking any coach or team manager.

#### Penalty:

a. Five (5) game suspension + Five (5) game probation + Additional penalties per paragraph 12.4.2.

# 12.4.6 <u>Ejection offenses (Class 4)</u>

- a. Pushing or striking a referee or linesman.
- b. Pushing or striking any league official acting in that capacity exclusively.
- c. Uncontrollable violence.

#### Penalty:

- a. Minimum action is suspension for one (1) calendar year and one (1) calendar year probation.
- b. Maximum action is banishment from the league for life.
- 12.4.7 The League Commissioner has the authority to administer all of the penalties addressed in these By-Laws as well as those specified by the Disciplinary Committee.

# 12.5 Actions Not Seen by the Referee

12.5.1 Spitting on or striking another player.

If a player spits on or strikes another player behind the referee's back, the team manager has the right to file a grievance. This grievance must be submitted to the Commissioner in writing within 5 days of the incident. If there is sufficient evidence of the offense, in the opinion of the Commissioner or the Disciplinary Committee, the infraction shall be considered a Class 3 offense.

12.5.1	Probation			
	12.6.1	Individual probations shall continue into the new season(s) if necessary.		
	12.6.2	Probations begin when a player returns from his suspension.		
	12.6.3	If a player receives a yellow card during a probationary period he shall be suspended for one (1) game.		
	12.6.4	If a player receives a second yellow card during a probationary period he shall be suspended for three (3) games.		
	12.6.5	All red card or ejection penalties given to a player who is on probation shall be doubled.		
	12.6.6	When a team receives five (5) red cards it will automatically be placed on probation for six (6) games or the remainder of the season which ever occurs first. When a team is placed on probation each player on that team is on probation. (see Section 12.6).		
12.7	A player must be on a team roster for games played to count towards their suspension or probation. If a player is not a member of any EBSSL team roster (e.g. is dropped), then games played will not count towards their suspension or probation.			
13	Team Respo	Team Responsibilities		
13.1		The player and the team manager are responsible for the information submitted for the purpose of procuring a player pass.		
13.2	If any team becomes suspicious of the eligibility of a player, the manager of that team may challenge and require proof of identity. That proof must be provided.			
13.3	If the league becomes aware of a possible ineligible player, the Commissioner can request proof of identity.			
13.3.a	If a player plays in any game while suspended, the player and manager shall be subject to rule 13.4 1-2			
13.4	When a player is found to be ineligible the action to be taken by the league is as follows:			

- Contempt by a Player: The team forfeits all of the games in which the ineligible player has played and the team has won. The results of these games shall be 1:0. The results of all games that the team has lost shall remain as recorded. This includes league and cup games. The player shall also be suspended for the remainder of the current season, and shall be suspended for the entire following season; this shall include all league and cup games.
- 13.4.2 Contempt by the Manager: The team forfeits all of the games in which the ineligible player has played and the team has won. The results of these games shall be 1:0. The results of all games that the team has lost shall remain as recorded. This includes league and cup games. In addition the manager shall be suspended from managing and playing for the balance of the current season as well as all league and cup games for the following season.
- 13.5 If a team manager wishes to file a protest or an appeal, he must do so in writing to the Commissioner within 5 days.

# 14. Home Team Responsibilities

- To provide a suitable playing field with goals, nets, and field markings as necessary or as requested by the referee.
  - 14.1.1 Artificial turf fields shall be acceptable fields for EBSSL play.
  - 14.1.2 All new fields shall be inspected and approved by the EBSSL Commissioner or their designate prior to EBSSL use.
- The home team shall forfeit the game if the referee decides that the field is unplayable unless the condition was caused by inclement weather.

  Should this occur the home team is liable for the referee's fees.
- It is recommended (Not required) to contact the opposing team manager at least four (4) days prior to game day to verify time and place of the upcoming game.
- To call in the game results to the league voicemail (925) 274-3490, as described in the LIP, by five (5:00 pm) o'clock on the day of the game. The visiting team is also required to call in the game results by four o'clock.
- 14.4.a 1<sup>st</sup> time failure to call in scores promptly would result in a warning, 2<sup>nd</sup> time would be a \$100 fine, 3<sup>rd</sup> time (and subsequently) would result in a \$100 fine and a one (1) point deduction in the standings.
- To contact the Referee Coordinator and the opponent team manager as soon as possible in the event of a rainout or other postponement.
- To contact the Referee Coordinator, the League Scheduler and the opponent team manager relative to any changes to the scheduled time and/or place. This is to be done at least four (4) days prior to game day. Without this action being taken the home team faces forfeiture of the game and a penalty equal to the referees fee and field fee for that game.

The League Commissioner shall decide in this matter.

14.7(A) Any team that wishes to forfeit a game MUST notify the opposing team

manager, the league and the Referee coordinator BY 9:00PM. WEDNESDAY of the week the game is scheduled.

The team that forfeits will lose that game by a score of 3-0.

- 14.7(B) Any team that fails to comply with 14.7 (A) and instead notifies the opposing team, League and the referee Coordinator by **9:00 PM Friday** will lose that game by a 3-0 score.
- 14.7(C) Any team that fails to comply with 14.7 (A)/(B) will be additionally penalized as follows.
  - 1. Loss of the game by a 3-0 score
  - 2. Fined an amount equal to the referee's fee and field fee for that

game **NO** 

# THE FINE MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE LEAGUE

# LATER THAN TEN (10) DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FORFEITED GAME.

If any team fails to pay this fine within this time period it will forfeit all subsequent games until paid.

14.8 The home team for each game (League or Cup) is responsible to provide three (3) balls and present them to the referee at the start of each game. Failure to do so will result in a warning, 2<sup>nd</sup> time (and subsequent) would result in a \$25 fine. Fine is due by the following Wednesday.

# 15. League Divisions and Division Cups

- 15.1 The EBSSL shall consist of one or more divisions.
- 15.2 Assignment to a particular division will be based on the team's results from the previous season.
- 15.3 If a team exhibited disciplinary problems in the previous season any league official may request an "approval for participation" vote at the Kick-Off League Meeting. Should the majority of team managers vote NO, the team in question shall be prevented from participating in the EBSSL that season.
- 15.4 New teams shall be assigned to the lowest division unless further determination of the new teams' skill level can be made. Even after a determination has been made that the skill level of the new team is sufficient to play in an upper division, new teams cannot displace existing ones without the agreement of all parties.
- The top four teams in the A Division will play-off for the Referee's Cup.
  The top four teams in the B Division will play-off for the Commissioner's Cup.
  The top four teams in the C Division will play-off for the Senior's Cup.
  The top four teams in the +40A Division will play-off for the Veteran's Cup
  The top four teams in the +40B Division will play-off for the Gray Cup.
  All Teams in the A, B and C Divisions will play in the Association Cup.
  All Teams in the +40A and +40B Divisions will play in the Keith Bower Cup.
- The winners of each division will receive a Division Championship Cup for their keeping for one season. These cups will remain as "Perpetual" league trophies.
- 15.6.a All trophies must be returned to the League by 12/1 of the same year. Failure to do so will result in the team paying for the cost of the replacement of the trophy. This fee will be due at the following meeting.

15.7 At the end of each season the first and second place teams of the lower division(s) will automatically move into the division(s) above.

The last and second to last place teams will automatically move down to the

The last and second to last place teams will automatically move down to the division(s) below.

- 15.8 In the event of a tie in the final league standings the following tie breaker formula, in the order shown, shall be used to determine the winner:
  - a. Head to head season results
  - b. Head to Head Goal differential
  - c. Goal differential for the entire season
  - d. total goals scored
  - e. total goals against
  - f. Playoff game
- 15.9 In the event that there is a tie in the play-off or Divisional Cup game the game will move directly to a penalty shoot-out. Five (5) penalty shots are to be taken. If there is still no winner, a system of sudden death penalty shots will be utilized.

Different players must be utilized in the penalty shots until such time as all of the players on the Game Card have attempted a penalty shot.

- In any divisional Cup game, there shall be no grace period granted to organize a team.
   The referee's clock shall start at the assigned starting time for the game.
- 15.10 League standings will be based on a scoring system as follows:

  Three (3) points for a win, one (1) point for a tie and zero (0) points for a loss. Any team that forfeits a game under rule 14.7 (b) or (c) will be assessed a minus 1 (-1) point for that game.

#### 16. Association Cup

- 16.1 The Association Cup schedule will be based on a one (1) game elimination system.
- In this competition teams will not be segregated by league divisions.
  All EBSSL teams will be scheduled to play in this cup.
  This will be by blind draw of all teams in the league.
- In the event that there is a tie in a Cup game, the game will move directly to a penalty shoot-out. Five (5) penalty shots are to be taken. If there is still no winner, a system of sudden death penalty shots will be utilized. Different players must be utilized in the penalty shots until such time as all of the players on the Game Card have attempted a penalty shot.
  - a. In any Association Cup game, there shall be no grace period granted to organize a team. The referee's clock shall start at the assigned starting time for the game. If both teams have the minimum 7 players and game is being delayed by either team for whatever reason`

    The referee clock will start at 10 minutes after the 'scheduled kick-off' and the 1st half shall end at 55 minutes after said 'scheduled kick-off' plus any injury time added by the referee.

# 17. League Officials

Officials are to be nominated and elected by simple majority vote.

Officials can also be removed from office by a simple majority vote.

17.2 Voting is to be carried out by the League Committee members and the team

managers or their appointed team representatives. One (1) vote per team only.

17.3 There are no time limits on any office.

17.4 The League Committee consists of the following members:

Commissioner Mario Vela
Referee Coordinator Mario Vela
Registrar/Scheduler/Statistician/Treasurer Kamran Ghanbari

All Team Managers

# 18. EBSSL History

#### 1974 FALL SEASON

Division A Champions: Alameda United

#### 1975 FALL SEASON

Division A Champions: Walnut Creakers

# 1976-77 SEASON

Division A Champions: Walnut Creakers

#### 1977-78 SEASON

Division A Champions: Moraga Soccer Club

#### 1978-79 SEASON

Division A Champions: Berkeley Soccer Club

# 1979 FALL SEASON

Division A Champions: Moraga Soccer Club

#### 1980 SPRING SEASON

Division A Champions: Berkeley Soccer Club

#### 1980 FALL SEASON

Division A Champions: Alameda United Division B Champions: Hayward Old Boys

# 1981 SPRING SEASON

Division A Champions: Hayward Old Boys Division B Champions: Danville

# 1981-82 SEASON

Division A Champions: Moraga Soccer Club Division B Champions: Paisanos Association Cup Champions: Moraga Soccer Club

Referees Cup Champions: Moraga Soccer Club

#### 1982-83 SEASON

Division A Champions: Berkeley Soccer Club Division B Champions: Academy Association Cup Champions: Berkeley Soccer Club Referees Cup Champions: Berkeley Soccer Club

#### 1983-84 SEASON

Division A Champions: Paisanos Division B Champions: Muggers Association Cup Champions: Berkeley Soccer Club Referees Cup Champions: Alameda Rangers

#### 1984-85 SEASON

Division A Champions: Berkeley Soccer Club Division B Champions: Carquinez Straits Association Cup Champions: Hayward Old Boys Referees Cup Champions: Berkeley Soccer Club

#### 1985-86 SEASON

Division A Champions: Paisanos Division B Champions: Juventus Association Cup Champions: Carquinez Straits Referees Cup Champions: Berkeley Soccer Club

#### 1986-87 SEASON

Division A Champions: Alameda Rangers Division B Champions: Walnut Creakers Association Cup Champions Alameda Rangers Referees Cup Champions: Walnut Creakers

#### 1987-88 SEASON

Division A Champions: Berkeley Soccer Club Division B Champions: Carquinez Straits Association Cup Champions: Alameda Rangers Referees Cup Champions: Berkeley Soccer Club

#### 1988-89 SEASON

Division A Champions: Moraga Soccer Club Division B Champions: American International Association Cup Champions: Walnut Creakers Referees Cup Champions: Moraga Soccer Club

# 1989-90 SEASON

Division A Champions: Berkeley Soccer Club Division B Champions: American International Association Cup Champions: Berkeley Soccer Club Referees Cup Champions: American International

#### 1990-91 SEASON

Division A Champions: Walnut Creakers Division B Champions: Africari Association Cup Champions: Clayton Rovers Referees Cup Champions: Clayton Rovers

#### 1991-92 SEASON

Division A Champions: Clayton Rovers Division B Champions: East Bay United Association Cup Champions: Leon Referees Cup Champions: Clayton Rovers

#### 1992-93 SEASON

Division A Champions: Clayton Rovers Division B Champions: White Star Association Cup Champions: Clayton Rovers Referees Cup Champions: Napa Sporting

#### 1993-94 SEASON

Division A Champions: Clayton Rovers Division B Champions: North Bay Soccer Division C Champions: Carquinez Straits Association Cup Champions: Clayton Rovers Referees Cup Champions: Walnut Creakers Commissioners Cup: North Bay Soccer Seniors Cup: Carquinez Straits

#### 1994-95 SEASON

Division A Champions: Clayton Rovers
Division B Champions: Africari
Division C Champions: Clayton Wanderers
NO CUP GAMES PLAYED

#### 1995-96 SEASON

Division A Champions: Clayton Rovers
Division B Champions: Sporting Club
Division C Champions: International
Association Cup Champions: Clayton Rovers
Referees Cup Champions: Walnut Creakers
Commissioners Cup Champions: Moraga Soccer Club
Seniors Cup Champions: Not Played

#### 1996-97 SEASON

Division A Champions: Clayton Rovers
Division B Champions: Moraga Soccer Club
Division C Champions: San Ramon United
Association Cup Champions: Alameda Rangers
Referees Cup Champions: Sporting Club
Commissioners Cup Champions: Moraga Soccer Club
Seniors Cup Champions: San Ramon United

#### 1997-98 SEASON

Division A Champions
Division B Champions
Division C Champions
Division C Champions
Division A Champions
Clayton Orient
Benicia Arsenal

# NO CUP GAMES PLAYED

#### 1998-1999 SEASON

Division A Champions: Ajax
Division B Champions: Moraga Soccer Club
Division C Champions: Dinamo
Division D Champions: Walnut Creek United
Association Cup Champions: Africari
Referee's Cup Champions: Ajax
Commissioners Cup Champions: Alameda United
Seniors Cup Champions: American International
"D" Cup Champions: East Bay United

#### 1999-2000 SEASON

Division A Champions: Clayton Rovers Division B Champions: Alameda United Division C Champions: Africari International Division D Champions: East Bay United Association Cup Champions: Clayton Rovers Referee's Cup Champions Clayton Rovers Commissioner's Cup Champions: Alameda United Seniors Cup Champions: Africari International "D" Cup Champions: Juventus

#### 2000 - 2001 SEASON

Division A Champions: Clayton Rovers Division B Champions: Dinamo Division C Champions: Berkeley Fog Division D Champions: Milan

Clayton Rovers

Association Cup Champions: Clayton Rovers (A)

Referee's Cup Champions:

Commissioners Cup Champions: Dinamo Seniors Cup Champions: Berkeley Fog "D" Cup Champions: Europe FC

# 2001 - 2002 SEASON

Division A Champions: Sporting club Division B Champions: Moraga S.C. Division C Champions: Milan Division D Champions: Cosmos Association Cup Champions: Africari (B) Referee's Cup Champions: American International Commissioners Cup Champions: Africari Seniors Cup Champions: Milan "D" Cup Champions: Cosmos

#### 2002 - 2003 SEASON

Division A Champions: Sporting club Division B Champions: Africari Division C Champions: Africari International Division D Champions: East Bay United Division E Champions: Brothers FC Association Cup Champions: Africari (B) Referee's Cup Champions: Clayton Rovers Commissioners Cup Champions : Africari Seniors Cup Champions: Africari International "D" Cup Champions: Mt. Diablo S.C. "E" Cup Champions: The Crown Old Boys

#### 2003 - 2004 SEASON

Division A Champions: Africari Division B Champions: Clayton Wanderers Division C Champions: Berkeley Fog Division D Champions: Brothers FC Division E Champions: Starry Plough Association Cup Champions: Africari (A) Referee's Cup Champions American International Commissioners Cup Champions: Clayton Wanderers Seniors Cup Champions: Mt. Diablo S.C. "D" Cup Champions: FC United (Richmond)

"E" Cup Champions: Starry Plough

# 2004 - 2005 SEASON

Division A Champions: Clayton Wanderers
Division B Champions: Walnut Creakers
Division C Champions: Berkeley Pars
Division D Champions: F.C. United
Division E Champions: Polonez
Association Cup Champions: Berkeley Fog (B)
Referee's Cup Champions American International
Commissioners Cup Champions: Moraga S.C.
Seniors Cup Champions: Walnut Creek United
"D" Cup Champions: Alameda Athletic
"E" Cup Champions: Polonez

#### 2005 - 2006 SEASON

Division A Champions: Clayton Wanderers
Division B Champions: Walnut Creakers
Division C Champions: Berkeley Pars
Division D Champions: F.C. United
Division E Champions: Polonez
Association Cup Champions: Berkeley Fog (B)

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#### Referee's Cup Champions:

American International

Commissioners Cup Champions: Moraga S.C. Seniors Cup Champions: Walnut Creek United "D" Cup Champions: Alameda Athletic "E" Cup Champions: Polonez

# <u>2006 – 2007 SEASON</u>

Division A Champions: Africari
Division B Champions: Clayton Rovers
Division C Champions: Polonez
Division D Champions: Starry Plough
+40 Division Champions: Shamoofee
Association Cup Champions: Clayton Rovers (B)
Referee's Cup Champions: Africari
Commissioners Cup Champions: Clayton Rovers
Seniors Cup Champions: No Cup Games Played
"D" Cup Champions: No Cup Games Played
Keith Bower Cup Champions: Clayton Royal Oaks

# 2007 - 2008 SEASON

Division A Champions: Clayton Rovers
Division B Champions: Alameda Athletic
Division C Champions: Starry Plough
Division D Champions: Walia
+40 Division Champions: IFC Shamoofee
Association Cup Champions: Africari (A)
Referee's Cup Champions: Sporting Club
Commissioners Cup Champions: Polonez
Seniors Cup Champions: Starry Plough
"D" Cup Champions: Walia
Keith Bower Champions: Clayton Royal Oaks

# 2008 - 2009 SEASON

Division A Champions: Sporting Club
Division B Champions: International
Division C Champions: Walia
Division D Champions: IFC Dinamo
+40 Division Champions: Africari Big Time
Association Cup Champions: Moraga (A)
Referee's Cup Champions: Sporting Club
Commissioners Cup Champions: The Crown
Seniors Cup Champions: ASC Juventus
"D" Cup Champions: IFC Dinamo
Keith Bower Cup Champions: Clayton Royal Oaks

# 2009 - 2010 SEASON

Division A Champions: Sporting Club
Division B Champions: Moraga
Division C Champions: ASC Juventus
Division D Champions: IFC Arsenal
+40 Division Champions: IFC Shamoofee
Association Cup Champions: IFC Ajax (A)
Referee's Cup Champions: Sporting Club
Commissioners Cup Champions: Africari International
Seniors Cup Champions: Walnut Creek United
"D" Cup Champions: IFC Arsenal
Keith Bower Cup Champions: Africari Big Time

#### 2010 - 2011 SEASON

Division A Champions: IFC Ajax
Division B Champions: Africari Deep Roots
Division C Champions: Oakland Defiant
Division D Champions: F.C. Dahlak
+40 Division Champions: IFC Shamoofee
Association Cup Champions: Sporting Club (A)
Referee's Cup Champions: IFC Ajax
Commissioners Cup Champions: Africari Walia
Seniors Cup Champions: Oakland Defiant
"D" Cup Champions: F.C. Dahlak
Keith Bower Cup Champions: Shamoofee

# <u>2011 – 2012 S</u>EASON

Division A Champions: IFC Ajax
Division B Champions: Starry Plough
Division C Champions: Alameda United
40 Division Champions: Shamoofee
Association Cup Champions: IFC Ajax (A)
Referee's Cup Champions: Rovers
Commissioners Cup Champions: Africari Walia
Seniors Cup Champions: FC United
Keith Bower Cup Champions: AFC Real

#### **2012 – 2013 SEASON**

Division A Champions: IFC Ajax
Division B Champions: Berkeley juniors
Division C Champions: Cosmos
40 Division Champions: Shamoofee
Association Cup Champions: IFC Ajax (A)
Referee's Cup Champions: IFC Ajax
Commissioners Cup Champions: ASC Juventus
Seniors Cup Champions: The Crown
Keith Bower Cup Champions: Shamoofee

#### 2013 - 2014 SEASON

Division A Champions: IFC Ajax
Division B Champions: Walnut Creek United
Division C Champions: Oakland Defiant
40 Division Champions: Berkeley Old Boys
Association Cup Champions: Sporting Club (A)
Referee's Cup Champions: IFC Ajax
Commissioners Cup Champions: ASC Juventus
Seniors Cup Champions: Oakland Defiant
Keith Bower Cup Champions: Berkeley Old Boys
Veterans Cup Champions: Berkeley Old Boys

#### **Commissioner's Awards**

This award is given to an individual, or individuals, who have provided services to the league above and beyond the call of duty, that season, and/or in the past.

#### 1994-95 SEASON

**Roy Shepherd** - For many hours of work as League Registrar, Scheduler and Statistician for the 1993-94 and 1994-95 seasons.

**Graham Giggins** - For his 12 years of continuous service to the league (1983 through 1995) as Commissioner and Treasurer.

#### 1995-96 SEASON

**Martin Hammer -** For many hours of work as Field Coordinator for the 1994-95 and 1995-96 seasons. **Ken Lett -** For his 18 years of refereeing in the EBSSL and his 6 years of continuous service to the league (1991-1996) as Referee Coordinator.

# 1996-97 SEASON

**Mike Bernasek** – For his tireless work as League Commissioner (1993-94). For developing and implementing an automated league database to facilitate registration, scheduling, standings and player discipline records. And for developing and maintaining the East Bay Senior Soccer League web page.

1997 -1998 SEASON No award given 1998 -1999 SEASON No award given 1999 -2000 SEASON No award given 2000 -2001 SEASON No award given 2001 -2002 SEASON

**Ken Lett -** For his 24 years of refereeing in the EBSSL and his 11 years of continuous service to the league (1991-2002) as Referee Coordinator.

**Bob Palin** – For his 7 years of continuous service to the league as League Treasurer (1995-2002)

2002 -2003 SEASON No award given 2003-2004 SEASON No award given
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Rob Kraus - For his 25 years of Continuous Service and tireless work getting fields for the EBSSL

2009-2010 SEASON

Ron Fassl - For his continuous Service as Concord Field coordinator

2010-2011 SEASON No award given 2011-2012 SEASON No award given 2012-2013 SEASON No award given 2013-2014 SEASON No award given