



11th January 2025

Panhandle Soccer Referee Association (PSRA)

Website: <https://panhandlesoccerrefereesassociation.org/>

PSRA Board of Directors (BOD) & Membership Meeting

Location: Beef O' Brady's

Date & Time: January 11th, 2025, 6:35–6:57 PM

Attendance: 16 members

During the meeting, the following items were discussed:

- 1. District Games and PSRA Committees**
 - District games are nearing completion, and PSRA committees are actively preparing lists for the finals and regional games. Currently, 14 members are eligible to officiate these games.
- 2. Red Card Situations**
 - Adolfo provided an update on red cards issued this season. To date, only three red cards have been given, which is a positive outcome.
- 3. Bob Hemme Night**
 - The Bob Hemme Night event was discussed, that event was played @ Tate HS vs Navarre HS. David Werdung confirming that funds are available for sponsorship. Adolfo will provide David with the necessary address to mail the check.
- 4. PSRA Finances**
 - David Werdung shared an update on PSRA's finances. The organization is currently in a better financial position compared to the same time last year.
- 5. December Game Payments**
 - Payments for December games are still pending. David is awaiting payments from a few schools and anticipates paying everyone within the next couple of weeks.
- 6. Arbiter Availability Issues**
 - John Brockman raised concerns regarding Arbiter availability and timely game acceptance. Games remain in Arbiter for five days before they are reassigned back to John.
- 7. Tobacco-Free Policy**
 - Adolfo emphasized the importance of enforcing a no-tobacco policy on the field. Any use of tobacco constitutes a serious violation of the code of conduct.
- 8. Discussion Points from David Docarmo**
 - **Elections:** The upcoming elections for Vice President, Treasurer, and President were discussed. Adolfo announced his intention to step down as President at the end of the season in March 2025.
 - **Committees and By-Laws:** A review of committee structures and by-laws is planned.
 - **Awards:** Referee of the Year and Rookie of the Year nominations were discussed.

Next Meeting

- **Date:** February 8, 2025 (pending reservations)
 - **Time:** TBD
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Adjournment: 6:57 PM

Submitted by:

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