

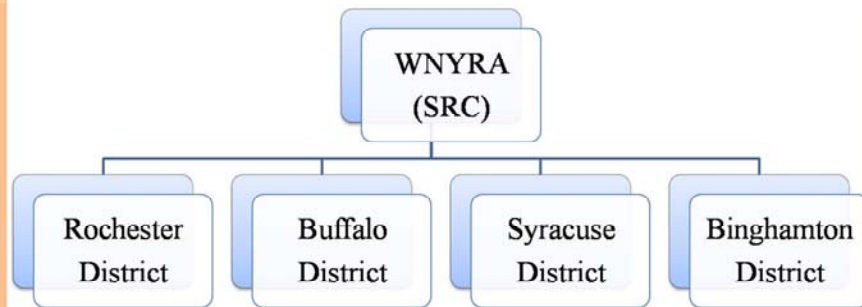
Miscellaneous Stuff you should  
know

## SRC – State Referee Committee

- SRA – State Referee Administrator
- SYRA – State Youth Referee Administrator
- SDI – State Director of Instruction
- SDA – State Director of Assessment
- SCA – State Coordinator of Assignors
- DRA – District Referee Administrator

These are some of the common abbreviations you will hear. These people are members of the State Referee Committee, and oversee all of Western New York.

## Hierarchy (Doesn't include all districts)



Western New York (WNY) is broken down into several districts, including Rochester. The chart does not include all of the districts in WNY.

## Game Record

- **Date of Game**
- **Age level of players**
- **Referee/A.R.**
- Teams
- Field
- Fees

You need to keep track of the games that you officiate. This is known as your Game Record. You must include the date of the game, age level of players, and whether you were referee or assistant referee. Any other information is optional, but it may be more convenient for your own records if you record a few more things.

## Leagues

- RDYSL
- Upstate Premier
- RDSL
- SWYSL
- Other house leagues

You can request games in any and all youth leagues that you wish to work. Adult games (RDSL) are generally assigned only to experienced officials.

## Arbiter

- Web based system used to assign games
  - Youth Travel
  - Youth Premier
  - Adult Travel
  - SWYSL
  - Greece house
  - Other house

Detailed information on registering for The Arbiter is available at the Rochester District web page.

## Unit Meetings

- Business meetings – 3 each year, attend at least 2
- League Specific Meetings – for RDYSL and RDSL. Attend one each year for league(s) you officiate

The Business Meetings are used as training time to ensure that you meet your five hour requirement.

## Requirements for next year Recertification clinics

- Registration Form – On-line or paper
- Five hours of classroom training
- Game Record
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- Written testing
- Fitness testing (only required for higher level officials.)

You will receive information regarding registration in the fall or winter. Most important thing to remember now is to keep a Game Record so that you don't have to try to create one several months from now!

## Miscellaneous Things

- Upgrade
- Referee assault/abuse
- Your concerns?????????

If you wish to upgrade some time down the road, contact a senior official for details. If you are assaulted or subjected to serious abuse, IMMEDIATELY contact a senior official, local unit board member or instructor for assistance in determining your course of action. Referee abuse cases require a complete report which must be submitted promptly. An experienced official is your best resource to assist. In the case of a youth referee who is subjected to unwanted physical contact by a coach, spectator, etc., it is highly recommended that a police report be filed immediately.