

CENTRAL SANTA CLARA VALLEY YOUTH SOCCER
LEAGUE

CONSTITUTION

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Article 1 - Constitution

NAME :

This League shall be known as the Central Santa Clara Valley Youth Soccer League, also referred to as 'CSCVYSL', OR 'Central Valley League'.

Article 2 - Constitution

PURPOSE AND BOUNDARIES :

Section 1: The purpose of this league shall be to develop, promote, and administer the game of soccer among youth (under nineteen (19) years of age) within the CSCVYSL territory.

Section 2 : The boundaries of the Central Santa Clara Valley Youth Soccer League are as follows:

1. South along Highway 880 (17) to Branham Lane.
2. East along Branham Lane to Almaden Expressway, North along Almaden Expressway to Capitol Expressway
3. Northeast along Capitol Expressway to Monterey Road to Highway 880 (17)

Article 3 - Constitution

AFFILIATION :

This League shall be an affiliated branch of the California Youth Soccer Association, also known as 'C.Y.S.A.'.

Article 4 - Constitution

COLORS:

The representative colors of this League shall be Red, White, and Blue. (Amendment to the Constitution - AGM 12/98 - The colors of

the League's Class I and III teams shall be Red, White, and Blue on each piece of the uniform. Each player must wear the Central Valley League patch on their uniform.)

Article 5 - Constitution

AUTHORITIES :

Section 1: This League shall be governed by its Constitution, By-Laws, and Regulations, except when these are superseded by the California Youth Soccer Association.

Section 2: The Governing Authority of this League, whose power shall be designated in the By-Laws, shall be vested with the Board of Directors of this League.

Section 3: The Governing Board, hereinafter referred to as the 'Board of Directors', shall be comprised of the President, Vice-President, Registrar, Secretary, Treasurer, Past President, Referee Coordinator, Equipment Manager, Coaching -Coordinator, Field Coordinator, Tournament Coordinator, Abronzino League Representative, and Recreational Coordinator. (Amendment to Constitution - AGM 12/98 - New additions to the Governing Board - U6 Recreational Coordinator, U8 Recreational Coordinator, U10 Recreational Coordinator, Recreational League Registrar. Existing Registrar position to become Competitive League Registrar.)

Article 6 - Constitution

MEMBERSHIP:

Section 1: Membership in this League shall consist of parent(s), legal guardian(s) of all properly registered players in the league, properly registered coach(s), assistant coach(s), and team manager(s).

Section 2: All members shall abide by the Constitution and By Laws of this League, Rules / Regulations and General Procedures as set forth by the Board of Directors, and all applicable Rules and Regulations of the organization with which the League is affiliated.

Article 7- Constitution

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Section 1: The President, with concurrence of the Board of Directors, shall call for an Annual Meeting (AM) of the membership, to be held no later than January 31st. Notification to all Affiliated

Teams shall be made at least thirty (30) days prior to said Annual Meeting, in writing.

Section 2: The order-of business at the Annual Meeting shall be as follows :

- A. Call to order
- B. Roll Call
- C. Reading of minutes of the previous AM
- D. Acceptance of the minutes of the previous AM
- E. Reports:
 - 1. Presidents
 - 2. Treasurer
 - 3. Secretary
 - 4. Registrar and Insurance
 - 5. Committee Chairpersons
- F. Unfinished Business
- G. Proposals for change of the Constitution, By-Laws, Rules and Regulations, or General Procedures.
- H. Election of New Officers
- I. New Business
- J. Good of the Game
- K. Adjournment

Section 3: The head coach, a duly appointed representative of that team selected by the head coach, or the sole member in attendance who is in good standing of each team registered with the league shall be entitled to one (1) vote. Voting by proxy shall not be allowed, and only those members of record, in good standing, shall be entitled to voting privileges.

Article 8 - Constitution CHANGES

Section 1: Amendments to the Constitution, and the By-Laws of the League shall be made at the Annual Meeting of the membership, except in such cases as specified in the By Laws of the League.

Section 2: An amendment shall be deemed adopted by an affirmative vote of the voting membership present and shall be required to have A. Three-fourths (3/4's) for the Constitution B. Two-thirds (2/3'rds) for the By-Laws.