



President's Report 2015-2016

As the season draws to a close it is once again time to look back on what happened over this past year.

Provincial Cup Champs included A Cup - NSGSC Renegades – B Cup – Vancouver United – Classics – CMFSC – U21- Croatia Threat. Congratulations to all of the winning teams. In National Action – NSGSC Renegades came in 5th and in the Western Masters CMFSC took home Gold.

Referee Development – I read every single game report that coaches and managers submit and take the development of the referee pool very seriously. To help increase understanding and training for the ref's in our league we have done the following: 1. Yearly referee meeting to discuss expectations of the league and answer any questions they may have regarding the rules and interpretation of said rules or rule changes. 2. Michelle Pye our head referee has ensured that any ref's not meeting the standards we set for them is spoken to and if the behaviour does not change then we do not use them anymore. 3. Tim Blaine our ref scheduler has worked on recruiting new refs and encouraging the one's we have to keep improving. 4. We have ensured that regular assessments occur for our referee pool. 5. Worked with BC Soccer to host women's only ref courses and educational seminars.

Also big Congratulations to Michelle Pye for being selected to ref the Women's World Cup 2015.

We have worked closely with the Whitecaps, Soccer Express and Canadian Soccer Association to ensure that our members are getting opportunities for savings and events. Big Thanks to all of our Sponsors.

Committee's we were part of this year include:

1. Governance – BC Soccer
2. Legacy - BC Soccer
3. Competitions – BC Soccer
4. Adult Soccer – BC Soccer
5. 18 and Beyond – BC Soccer

Well on a personal note I added up all of the hours I spent volunteering for you this year and it comes in at over 900 hours. So with that in mind I sign off for another year

Yours in Soccer,

Laurie Robertson