

## **Referee Programs - FRA Qualified and USAR Certification**

The “FRA Qualified Referee” program is a quick start program that is intended to help the FRA be able to provide better referees for our FRA sponsored tournaments. It is designed to be a sub set and not a replacement of the requirements for USAR certification as noted below.

### **FRA and USAR Referee Individual Status**

<b>Last Name</b>	<b>First Name</b>	<b>FRA Status</b>	<b>USAR Status</b>	<b>Clinic Date</b>
Buffington	Randy	Qualified 02-09-2007	Pending 02-09-2007	2/9/2007
Buffington	Yvonne	Qualified 02-09-2007	Pending 02-09-2007	2/9/2007
Davis	Mark	Qualified 04/13/2007	Pending 04/13/2007	4/13/2007
Decker	Julie	Qualified 12-02-2006	Pending 12-01-2006	12/1/2006
Faircloth	Harland	Qualified 02-09-2007	Pending 12-01-2006	12/1/2006
Fields	Michael	Pending 04/13/2007	Pending 04/13/2007	4/13/2007
Foecking	Eric	Pending 04/13/2007	Pending 04/13/2007	4/13/2007
Forrest	Randy	Qualified 12-02-2006	Qualified 02-11-2007	12/1/2006
Fry	Gene	Pending 12-01-2006	Pending 12-01-2006	12/1/2006
Geels	Kathy	Qualified 04/13/2007	Pending 04/13/2007	4/13/2007
Geisler	Pete	Pending 04-09-2008	Pending 04/09/2008	4/9/2008
Gifford	Ken	Pending 02-09-2006	Pending 02-09-2007	2/9/2007
Ijeoma	Chigozie	Qualified 04/13/2007	Pending 04/13/2007	4/13/2007
Jones	Russ	Qualified 12-03-2006	Pending 12-01-2006	12/1/2006
Kochanowski	Paul	Qualified 04/13/2007	Pending 04/13/2007	4/13/2007
Lee	Cheryl	Pending 12-01-2006	Pending 12-01-2006	12/1/2006
Loiis	Jay	Pending 12-01-2006	Pending 12-01-2006	12/1/2006
Lopez	Glenda	Qualified 06-15-2008	Pending 04/09/2008	4/9/2008
Maisel	Ron	Pending 12-01-2006	Pending 12-01-2006	12/1/2006
Mitchell	Nancy	Qualified 06-15-2008	Pending 04/09/2008	4/9/2008
Pawlowski	Andy	Qualified 12-02-2006	Pending 12-01-2006	12/1/2006
Rowe	Tom	Qualified 12-02-2006	Pending 12-01-2006	12/1/2006
Russell	James	Qualified 09-23-2008	Pending 04/09/2008	4/9/2008
Sheppard	Robert	Qualified 12-02-2006	Pending 12-01-2006	12/1/2006
Trimble	Jean	Qualified 12-02-2006	Qualified 02-11-2007	12/1/2006
Wolf	Stephen	Qualified 04/13/2007	Pending 12-01-2006	12/1/2006
Young	Chris	Qualified 02-11-2007	Qualified 02-10-2007	2/9/2007

### **To become a FRA Qualified referee and be paid \$10.00 for the 5 FRA sponsored tournaments you must:**

- 1) Attend a rules clinic and pass the standard USAR written closed book test.
- 2) Referee three matches with the third match being an assessment match of B singles or C doubles.
- 3) Once completed your name you will issued a “FRA Qualified Referee Card” that will be honored at the FRA sponsored tournaments for which you will be paid \$10.00 per match.
- 4) Your name will also be put into the pending file for USAR certification. To become a certified USAR referee you have one year to complete the requirements as noted below.

Note: Current “**AmPro Certified Instructors**” will also be paid \$10.00 per match, but will need to go through the entire process to attain a USAR state level certification.

**To go on to acquire a level 1 (state level) USAR certification, the additional requirements are as stated on the USAR site:**

1) Referee 5 additional matches, which would bring the total count up to 8 matches (as noted on the attest card)

2) Pass two assessment matches according to what is noted on the USAR web site.

Note: The above must be completed within one year of passing the USAR written test. Detailed information regarding USAR level 1 certification can be found on the USAR web site at:

<http://www.usaracquetball.com/Programs/RefereeCertification/tabid/2025/Default.aspx>

The FRA plans to hold rules clinics and administer tests at our FRA sponsored tournaments. The current referee committee consists of Andy Pawlowski, Randy Forrest and Jean Trimble, and we surely will be looking for additional as needed.

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