

Canadian Soccer Hierarchy

How it all links together

NATIONAL SPORTS ORGANIZATION – CANADIAN SOCCER ASSOCIATION (CSA)

The Canadian Soccer Association is the official governing body for soccer in Canada.

CSA promotes the growth and development of soccer in Canada, from grassroots to high performance on a National scale.

CSA is affiliated with the Fédération Internationale de Football Association (FIFA)

The Confederation of North, Central American and Caribbean Association Football (CONCACAF) and

The Canadian Olympic Association.



PROVINCIAL SPORT ORGANIZATION - BRITISH COLUMBIA SOCCER ASSOCIATION (BC SOCCER)

Creates & maintains rules & regulations that oversee the game in BC.

Provides insurance for all participants within the Province.

Provides coaching & refereeing certification.

Provides guidance when needed to the membership (i.e. Districts, Snr Leagues, BCSPL).

Sets registration/Insurance fees for the Province.

Represents our Province at and registers our players with the Canadian Soccer Association



DISTRICT - FRASER VALLEY YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION (FVYSA)

An Administrative Board made up of 2 Reps from each Club within the Fraser Valley.

(Clubs in FVYSA: Abbotsford Soccer Association, Abbotsford United, Aldergrove Youth Soccer, Chilliwack FC, Langley FC, Langley Utd)

Reps from this Board, represent the District at the various Leagues, in which our teams play i.e. 5 District, BCCGSL, Tri-Cities.

Chair & Vice Chair attend BC Soccer meetings on behalf of the District/clubs.

Registration fees paid by players within their respective club are paid to the District and then forwarded onto BC Soccer.

The District is a member of BC Soccer and the Clubs are members of the FVYSA.



CLUB - ABBOTSFORD SOCCER ASSOCIATION (ASA)

Provides a full range of soccer activities & programs for all levels of ability & commitment, from Introductory programming to Adult teams.

Pay fees to the FVYSA, which are then forwarded to the BCSA.

Reps from this Board (President + AN Other), sit on the FVYSA Board.

