

# John David McGee – Hall of Fame

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- Became involved in soccer in Louisville while in graduate school at the University of Louisville in the 1960's . He played on the original men's adult traveling team, Louisville Soccer Club. He started refereeing high school soccer in 1968.
- Registered as a USSF referee in 1980 and quickly became a USSF grade 5 and certified USSF instructor. In 1984, he was the highest certified referee in Kentucky and was the referee liaison for the indoor franchise, Louisville Thunder.
- In 1986, he became the State Director of Instruction and certified as a NISOA Clinician – two short years later he became Kentucky's first USSF National Referee.
- In 1994, he went National Referee emeritus with the USSF and NISOA while becoming a National Referee Assessor.
- Upon moving to Florida in the mid 1990's, John continued to his participation with USSF, NISOA and the Federation of High School referring and currently serves as the State Director of the Florida Referee Academy.

