

J. Patrick Long - Hall of Fame

- Became involved in soccer in the early 1960's when soccer in Louisville was limited to a few unofficial high school programs and a group of teenagers at Tyler Park.
- Organized all of the "unaffiliated" leagues in Louisville in the 1960's.
- Established Greater Louisville Soccer League in 1972 and served as the original Chairman until his involvement ended in 1977.
- Instrumental, along with Leo Jansons, to create a Junior Division of Greater Louisville Soccer League in 1974.
- League founded on the general concept to restrain roster size so everyone could have equal playing time.

