

**IYSA & ISRC
District and State
Annual Awards Recognition Categories**

Referee of the Year Award (W. John Denkmann Referee of the Year Award)

This award honors a referee that is regarded as professional in appearance, dependable, consistent in performance, has a positive attitude toward players and team officials. This referee has a high impact on referee development through mentoring or administrating referees. This referee must have a considerable amount of experience on the field.

Young Referee of the Year Award (Girls/ Boys)

The recipient of this award should be a Grade 8 Official. The young male and female that receives this award is professional in appearance, dependable, consistent in performance, has a positive attitude toward players and team officials. This young referee must be a role model both on and off of the playing field. They also give that extra effort to the game of soccer.

Thoughtful Comment of Recommendation:

Northeast Indiana Soccer Referee Association would like to nominate Mallorie Schon for the Young Female Referee of the Year Award. Mallorie is a junior in high school and has been an active licensed referee for two years. She started as a referee on youth level recreation games and has progressed to being an AR on women's amateur games.

Mallorie is extremely busy as a travel player and a high school player. Every week I either get a phone call or an e-mail saying she can work more games into her schedule. She is also willing to work games at any site. Vlade Jovevski is very impressed with her refereeing skills. I hear the Mallorie is always dress appropriately, is on time and is pleasure to work with.

Mallorie has played outside defender as a three year soccer varsity player for Bishop Dwenger High School. Bishop Dwenger girls have won the state championship two years in a row. Mallorie's honors as a high school player are 1st team Summit Athletic Conference, honorable mention on the state team, and 1st team district 2.

Her other activities include volunteering at St. Ann's Nurseing home, helping to coach basketball at Precious Blood grade school and playing basketball for Bishop Dwenger High School.

As a referee Mallorie has shown dedication to becoming a better referee. Therefore we would like to nominate Mallorie for the Female Young Referee of the Year Award.