

Born and raised in Williamsport, Pennsylvania I graduated from high school in 1964. I received a Bachelor of Arts in Mathematics from Millersville University (PA) and a Master of Science in Counseling/Student Personnel Administration from Shippensburg University (PA).

When I moved to Northern Virginia I joined NVSUA and have maintained active membership since then. I have served on the Training Committee for several years and currently hold the position of Treasurer.

Prior to that I umpired fast pitch softball and refereed girls basketball in the FCIAC (Fairfield County Interscholastic Athletic Conference ) in Fairfield County, Connecticut from 1992 through 1997 and before that I umpired softball (slow pitch and fast pitch), baseball and refereed boys and girls basketball in the Winchester/Frederick County associations from 1978 to 1992.

My other passion is festivals and events and I have served organizations within that industry in various capacities over the past 40 years. My company, The High Road, Inc., currently produces and manages two craft beer sampling festivals in Northern Virginia and provides site and operations management for a festival in Connecticut.

When not umpiring, at a festival or babysitting grandchildren, the Washington area sports teams (mostly the Nationals) get a good bit of the rest of my time.