



2008 ADULT REFEREE OF THE YEAR

HILARIO (CHICO) GRAJEDA

The Southern Ohio Adult Soccer Association proudly announces Hilario (Chico) Grajeda as the 2008 Adult Referee of the Year. He is widely regarded as the most accomplished referee in the state. He continues to referee at all levels locally although he has been officiating in the Major League Soccer for several years. He conducts training sessions for all of the local officials who wish to improve their fitness. He, along with Mike Salyers (a former National Adult Referee of the Year) organizes and conducts high level officiating academies at local tournaments. He also volunteers to assist the SOASA in many different activities. He has become an invaluable asset to the soccer community.