

# **JAMES L. HISER**

## **1985**

Jim became involved in Michigan racquetball in 1978. Although he started as a player, he soon became involved in promoting tournaments and started the Michigan Super Seven Racquetball Series in 1982.

His career in racquetball administration started in 1983 when he and four others started the first state affiliate of the AARA. Since then, Jim has been vice president of the state association, adult and junior regional director, vice president of the national AARA board and head official for the International Amateur Racquetball Federation. Most recently, Jim was appointed commissioner of the men's professional racquetball tour.

Jim was the stimulus for the creation of Team Michigan for junior players and the Mike Yellen Junior Scholarship Fund. He authored the national referee certification test and the national AARA Junior Handbook.

Jim has a PhD in biology from Michigan State University and is currently employed by the AARA in Colorado.