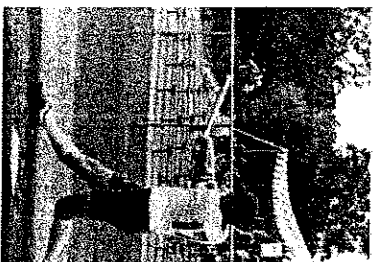


Mike Busch **Slow Pitch Player**



Mike Busch played slow pitch softball for more than 20 years and established himself as one of the best in the game over that time period. He initially made his mark in the famed ASA sanctioned Lutomski League at Jayne Field in Detroit back in 1973. Busch went on to play on the some of the top teams in the Detroit area – Burkes Sport Haven, Redford Miller Auto, Snyder's Softball Club, and the Budweiser/Nothdurft Tool Softball Club.

In 1978, Busch helped guide Burke's Sport Haven to the championship in one of the toughest leagues in the area – the Major Metro Travel league. In 1981-82, Busch was a member of the Redford Miller Auto team, which won two national invitational tournaments in Springfield, Ohio and in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

In 1985, Busch joined the powerful Budweiser Softball Club, which captured ASA Masters national championship in 1984, 1985, 1986, and 1987. In 1988, under the sponsorship of Fred and Karl Nothdurft, the Nothdurft team once again captured national titles in 1988, 1989, and 1990. From 1985-1990, the team won 33 consecutive games in national tournament play.

Busch was named first team All-American in 1985 hitting a .636 average, 1985 (team leading .680 average), and in 1987 (.778 average). In the 1987 tournament in Iowa, Busch was batting a perfect 14-14 heading into the championship game. Another highlight of the 1987 tournament was Busch hitting a grand slam home run in the seventh inning to win the team's first game.

The left-handed hitting first baseman averaged .651 during his six ASA national tournaments going 84 (hits) for 129 (at bats) with 15 home runs. Busch currently resides in Roseville with his wife Sandra, son Patrick and daughter Natalie.

Tim Doyle Commissioner



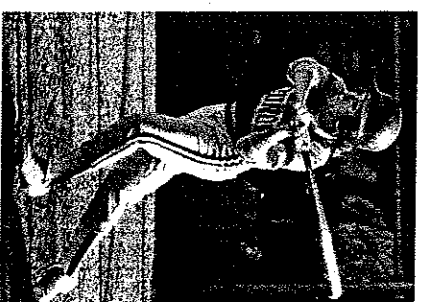
Tim has served on the MDASA board since 1975 where he started out as an active board member and eventually a Deputy Commissioner. Doyle also served as the association's president in 1980 and 1981. In 1990, Tim was selected as the MDASA Commissioner and is still in that capacity today.

Tim also serves as the national ASA/USA Softball Chairman of the Substance Abuse Committee since 1996. Tim is the ASA/USA Softball Drug Testing Representative where he has been an on-site coordinator for the United States Olympic Committee at 13 national ASA championships.

Tim has served the Parks and Recreation industry for more than 32 years. Currently Tim continues his hard work serving the public sector by providing quality recreation-related equipment as a partner and Vice-President for Engan-Toohey-Doyle. Tim has also been a leader throughout his many jobs either serving the public sector in the Parks and Recreation field . . . or by providing recreational equipment to the Parks and Recreation agencies . . . or by volunteering his time with the Metro Detroit Amateur Softball Association / national ASA.

Tim Doyle, a dedicated true professional to the Metro Detroit ASA . . . and the entire country in promoting the game of softball!

Angela "Angie" Fielder Fast Pitch Player



Angie Fielder was a dominant force on the women's fast pitch scene not only in the metro Detroit area, but on the national scene. Her playing days including 10 years with class A fast pitch Daily Restaurant out of Livonia from 1989 to 1998.

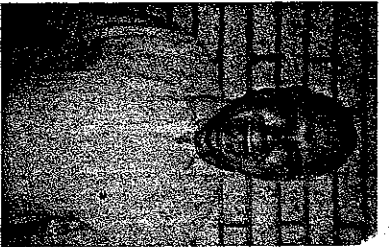
The left-handed leadoff hitter Fielder competed in 10 Class A fast pitch national championships. She led her team to three-second place finishes (1989, 1995, and 1997) and two third-place finishes (1994 and 1996). Fielder was named ASA All-American five times including a first team All-American in 1991 – named to the second team in 1989, 1995, 1997, and 1998.

Fielder played a total of 402 games with 1324 at bats, 526 hits, 300 runs scored, and a lifetime batting average of .397. She also was a three-time team-bating champion – in 1989 with a .439 batting average, 1990 with a .440 average, and in 1998 with a .330 batting average.

Fielder's leadership throughout her 10 years on the Daly team set the pace for the team's success during those years. During those 10 years, Daly had eight top ten finishes which included a .810 winning percentage.

The Daly star was also inducted into the Eastern Michigan University Hall of Fame in 2002.

Gary Urbanczyk **Meritorious Service**



The name of Gary Urbanczyk might not be a household name throughout the country, but in metro Detroit he was instrumental in the growth and promotion of softball.

Back in 1988 MDASA Hall of Farmer Leon Grunalt, then manager for the four-time Men's Masters 35 & over National Champions Budweiser softball team, came to his friend Gary Urbanczyk and asked for help in preparing and submitting a proposal for sponsorship. The name of that sponsor was Nothdurft Tool & Die, and, as they say, the rest is history. In 1989 Urbanczyk joined the team initially as a videographer, taping all the major and national championship games. As the team continued their unprecedented success, Manager Grunalt and the Nothdurft's expanded his duties to include all public relations and media spokesman for the team.

In 1990, he was instrumental in his team's support in securing the 1992 ASA Men's Masters National Championship in Troy, Michigan. In addition Urbanczyk has been a staunch supporter of the ASA through newspaper, radio and television interviews across the country. He prepared the successful presentation for the selection of Fred and Karl Nothdurft into the ASA's National Hall of Honor, as well as biography's for several of his Nothdurft teammates into the Metro Detroit ASA Hall of Fame. He was also responsible for local, state and national recognition for Nothdurft's success. Gary has four 35 and over national championships and one 40 and over in his resume. With the induction of Mike Busch, Urbanczyk joins nine other former Nothdurft team members in the Metro Detroit ASA Hall of Fame.

Urbanczyk is the man "behind the scenes"...but invaluable to the game of softball!



Harold "Ted" Younce **Umpire**

Harold, better known as Ted in the softball arena, has been an active ASA registered umpire for more than 26 years. Younce has worked numerous local and regional tournaments as well as umpiring in eight national ASA tournaments -- seven slow pitch nationals and one fast pitch national.

Younce was one of the first umpires in metro Detroit to be certified by the International Softball Federation in slow pitch (1977). He is a member of the Medals program, at the Gold Level, and a member of the ASA National Indicator Fraternity (inducted in 1993). These are two prestigious honors for Younce.

Younce has been a member of the Metro Detroit ASA umpire staff, Deputy Umpire-in-Chief, for 11 years. He also served one year as the metro Detroit ASA Umpire-in-Chief.

Younce is also an active Michigan High School Athletic Association umpire (and referee) for 31 years, which includes umpiring in two MHSAA tournament finals in softball -- 1995 and 2004.

A respected arbiter, and a skilled clinician, Ted Younce has also been a mentor to many umpires throughout his career.

Ted Younce... a true professional umpire on the ball diamond!