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Bio Information for Tony Zirille:
(for IYSA)

Professional

1. Executive Vice President/General Counsel, Equity Investment Group, Fort Wayne (1998-present);
2. General Counsel, Blue Vista Sponsor Equity Funds I & II and Place/BV Student Housing Fund, Chicago, IL (2003-current)
3. Co-owner and officer, Safe-Way Garage Door Company, Warsaw, IN
4. Former Co-owner and officer for the UHL Quad City Mallards professional hockey team, Moline, IL (2001-2005) and the Northern League Gary Southshore Railcats professional baseball team, Gary, IN (2002-2007)
4. Attorney, Baker & Daniels, Fort Wayne (1993-1998)
5. Graduate: University of Notre Dame (1989); Indiana University School of Law, Bloomington (1993)

Soccer

1. Member (current), Fort Wayne Fever Academy and Fort Wayne Sport Club; former member of Citadel FC;
2. Oldest son, Frankie, is a current member of the Indiana State ODP Team (1994 older); plays club soccer for the Fort Wayne Fever Academy (u15s); and is a varsity-rostered freshman for the Homestead High School (2008 State Finalist) boys soccer team
3. Assistant Coach (current), Fort Wayne Sport Club u13s (second son, Joey);
4. Youth Volunteer (current), Fort Wayne Fever Academy for third son, Rocco, and other 6-8 year olds as part of the STEP ONE and NEXT STEP programs for kids;
5. As member, parent and/or coach, have taken part in 10+ seasons of NISL, 6+ seasons of ISL, several recreational youth soccer programs and many Indiana-sanctioned tournaments, State Cup and youth soccer training events;
6. Coach (2005-2007) for championship 3v3 team (3rd place at National Championships, 2007)
7. Player, recreational (not very good!)

Personal

1. Life-long Fort Wayne, Indiana resident
2. Wife, Joy (17 years) and four children, Frankie (14), Joey (12), Rocco (7) and Gianna (4)
3. Member, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, Fort Wayne
4. Board Member and former Vice President, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northeast Indiana (1995-current)
5. Advisory Board Member, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northeast Indiana (1993-current)
6. Member of Board of Trustees, St. Joseph Community Health Foundation (2007-current)
7. Currently organizing a free, youth soccer program for Fort Wayne's inner-City youth in conjunction with Wellspring Interfaith Services' summer camp program to begin in July, 2009

References

1. Jim Casaburo (260.602.6757), Fort Wayne Sport Club, Indiana ODP
2. Ian McMahon (260.415.8949), President, Fort Wayne Fever Academy
3. Paco Castillo (260.609.7226), Citadel FC, Homestead High School Coach
4. Tim Haffner (260.460.1616), Managing Partner, Baker & Daniels, Fort Wayne, IN