



## **Jimmy Dyce**

Jimmy was born in Scotland and resided in both Edinburgh and London. He apprenticed as a pantograph machine engraver in Edinburgh before moving to Sydney in 1979 with his Australian wife. Over the next five years, he worked in his trade. In 1985, he secured a traineeship with Telstra in Sydney, where he went on to hold various roles across the city and Australia until his retirement in 2015.

Throughout his life, Jimmy has maintained a keen interest in football. Having played extensively in both Scotland and Australia, he participated in Federation football in Sydney. He transitioned into coaching, completing Level 1 and 2 courses through the Australian Soccer Federation and earning his Senior Coaching Certificate in 1984. Jimmy spent several years travelling to different regional centres in New South Wales, coaching coaches and facilitating grading sessions for levels 1 and 2.

His favorite playing position is midfield, although he has experience in central defense and is flexible to play wherever needed.

In addition to his football activities, Jimmy enjoys supporting Hearts F.C., walking, traveling, reading, and participating in walking football. He currently plays walking football three times a week. Jimmy is also a family man, having raised two children and now enjoying three grandchildren.