**Position Plaques, American Flag, and Compliance Record**

**Football Crew Position Plaques**

Football officials may wear the position plaques. If they are worn, each plaque must correspond with the position being officiated. This is to be done correctly and professionally if a crew wishes to wear the plaques. This is not an OSSAA requirement, nor will it be required during the playoff games. The following have been approved for each respective position.

- R – Referee
- U – Umpire
- H – Head Linesman
- L – Line Judge
- B – Back Judge

**American Flag**

Football officials may wear our National Colors, The American Flag. If the flag is worn, each member of the crew will wear one. The flag will be worn at the top of the left breast pocket. Flag must be worn correctly and professionally in honor and recognition of our country.

**Game Compliance Record**

Each referee will use a Game Compliance Record (Gold Card) to certify that each of the football teams involved in the game are in compliance with the National Federation of State High School Association Football Rules dealing with Player Equipment. Reference, Football Rule Book, Rule 1, Section 5, and Articles 1 through 6. This gold card will be completed by the referee of the game and signed by the referee and head coach. The cards will be maintained for record by the referee for a period of two years. All games involving OSSAA member schools, grades seven (7) through twelve (12) will be required to complete the Game Compliance Record. The cards will be provided by the OSSAA Office.