



Irish Hockey

HALL OF FAME

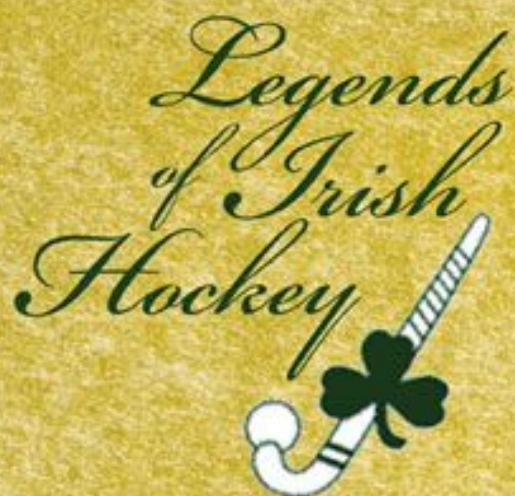
MARK BURNS

INTERNATIONAL CAREER: 1979 – 1990

INTERNATIONAL CAPS: 107

POSITION: MIDFIELD

At U21 level Mark Burns won a Silver Medal at the 1978 European U21 Championships in Dublin and finished 8th at the first U21 Junior World Cup in Versailles in 1979. A core member of the Senior Irish team since his debut against Australia in 1979, his hockey career covered two Intercontinental Cups – Malaysia (1981) and Spain (1985), two European Cups - Amsterdam (1983) and Moscow (1987) and the 1990 World Cup in Lahore. A commanding and competitive midfielder player with excellent distribution skills, he seriously challenged his opposition's defence with his solo runs.



HALL OF FAME INDUCTION: 2011