



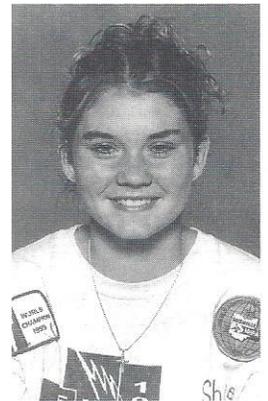
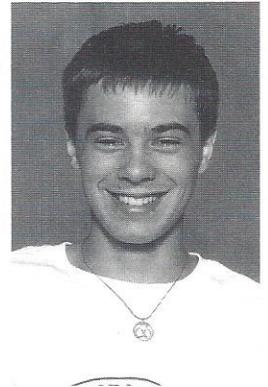
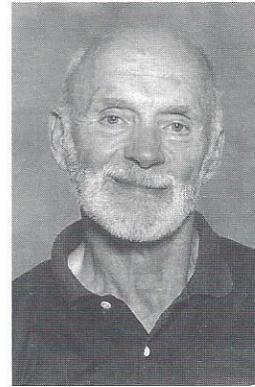
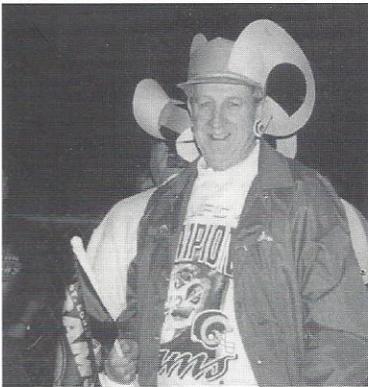
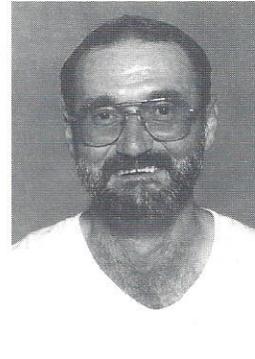
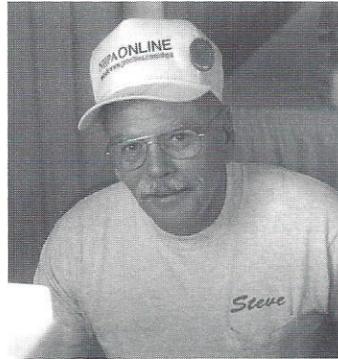
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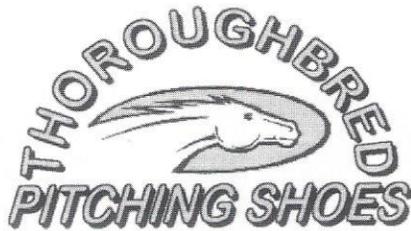


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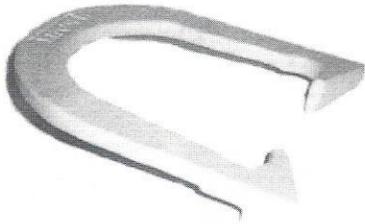
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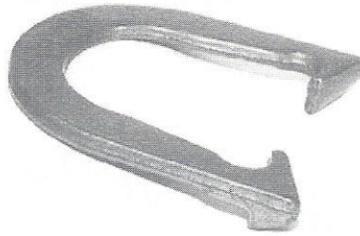
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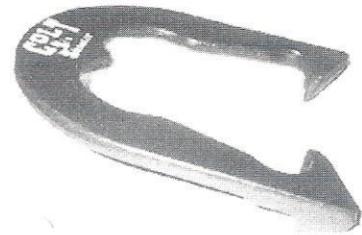
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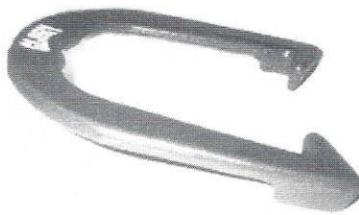
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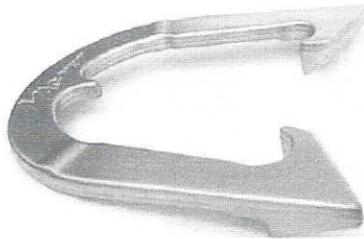
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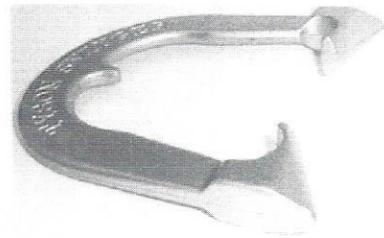
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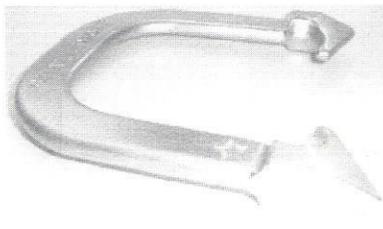


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# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

**H**ibbing, Minnesota, will be the site of our 2001 World Tournament. It is difficult to gauge the level of participation this far in advance but with the event being held in the state with the largest NHPA membership, there is reason to anticipate an entry level of 1,400 or more. The pitching venue will take place in two different arenas several blocks apart. This will necessitate an increased number of workers and frequent return of scoresheets to the computer room, which will be housed in the main arena. The logistics of a World Tournament are always a challenge but Hibbing will present a circumstance similar to, but more demanding than, Greenville in 1999.

Readers will find a lodging guide for Hibbing in this issue. While entrants should have little problem locating a room, the great majority are 30 minutes or more away from Hibbing. Initially, the community had 230 motel rooms in town. Unfortunately, that number has dropped to 170 as the Days Inn with 60 rooms is closing down at the end of this year. Nonetheless, Hibbing offers more immediate area rooms than did Greenville or Ainsworth. As always, entrants are encouraged to make room reservations well in advance.

The NHPA website plans to have a link to Hibbing when their site is fully developed. Interested pitchers will be able to obtain a lot of information from this link. If you have access to a computer and have not yet visited the NHPA website, I suggest you

make the effort to log on. Website director Paul Stewart and his able crew have done a wonderful job in providing a wealth of information on the site. Probably the most visited link is the Message Post where visitors can post questions, comments and non-derogatory opinions. It is an opportunity to learn and discuss what things about the game sometimes concern pitchers. Other links will give you the latest publicity info, pitching averages, tournament schedules, player profiles and much, much more. Log on to [www.horseshoepitching.com](http://www.horseshoepitching.com), you'll not be disappointed.

By the end of the year, every household with an NHPA member should receive a very informative piece of literature on the National Horseshoe Pitchers Foundation (NHPF). This information was developed to explain the goals, projects and plans of the Foundation, which is a charitable entity of the NHPA. It is estimated that less than 50% of the membership has heard of the NHPF and probably no more than 25% have a good idea of the opportunities it presents to our sport. Please read and save the information when it arrives in your mail. We hope that you will be sufficiently informed to send a contribution or make a pledge to the NHPF because only you can help assure that the goals and growth of our sport and association will be met. Remember, any contribution to the NHPF is tax deductible.

On behalf of my fellow NHPA officers, I'd like to wish each and every one of you good health and a happy holiday season.

## DAVE'S COURT REPORT

■ Congratulations to Ed Arionus of Seguin, Texas. Ed pitched his first perfect game on September 9th at the Riverside Classic in East Bernard. Pitching in the 30' Elder class, Ed threw 24 consecutive ringers against Henry Carmichael. Ed's been on a roll since finishing eighth in the Elder Championships at the World. In August, in San Antonio, Ed had games of 93.5% and 95%.

■ The Governor of the State of West Virginia provided signed certificates honoring the pitching accomplishments of Brenda Tawney, Rosalie Judy and Anna Marie Dawson at the Bismarck World Tournament. These awards came about through the efforts of WHPA secretary Charles Bunner who continues to use every avenue available to promote the sport in his state.

■ In May, Six Pac horseshoe manufacturer and promoter of several tournaments, Harvey Wobbe, sponsored his ninth year Home Coming tournament on portable courts set up in the street in front of the Jefferson County Court House. Harvey is the primary sponsor of the annual Six Pac Invitational hosted each year by the New Melle Horseshoe Club.

■ Don "Fuzzy" Hittle of Zanesville, Ohio reports that he and two other Buckeye pitchers recently attended the Blind Pigs Open held on the 24 new courts in Wilkesboro, North Carolina. Not only did they have a great time but also Fuzzy says that the facility is outstanding and is a glowing example of what motivated members can accomplish when working with local government. The County provided some \$20,000 toward the courts and the local pitchers provided all the labor. Special thanks to Randy Joines and Paul Stewart for their hospitality.

■ NHPA 1st VP Allen Baptist reports that at the Bismarck World Tournament, his Regional Directors and assistants checked

3,335 horseshoes for weight and measure compliance. Only 28 were rejected, one of the lowest number in recent years. The Deadeye horseshoe was the most popular with 810 being checked in followed by Ted Allen's with 576. All total, more than 20 different brands were used at the event.

■ While the delegates in Bismarck voted against raising the number of sanctioned events needed to qualify for a World Tournament (currently 4 in 12 months) it was interesting to note that NatStat records showed that 74% of all entrants had pitched in 6 or more events in the previous twelve months.

■ For the year 1999, three charters reported 100 or more sanctioned events to NatStats. Northern California led all charters with 137 events followed by Southern California with 120 and Florida with 100. Reporting less than 10 were the states of Mississippi, Maine and Vermont

■ In April 2000, the Yolo Horseshoe Club in Northern California hosted a dedication of the new Hall of Fame building that will recognize pitchers from the Northern charter who have been inducted into their Hall of Fame. Jerry Smith, NCHPA secretary/treasurer, almost singlehandedly made this project a reality. Started in the fall of 1997, Jerry started selling bricks at \$50 each. These bricks would not be used in the outside construction but made part of an interior wall that would recognize all who donated to the cause by having an engraved plate attached to the brick. When all was said and done, the building was constructed for some \$7,000 in material and a lot of donated labor, much of it by Jerry. At the dedication, 19 Hall of Fame members were in attendance to be honored and extend thanks to all those who worked on this project.

# FROM THE **RULES CHAIRMAN** by Casey Sluys

**T**here have been a number of vague references to the Rules Committee. Perhaps it's time to let all of you know who the Rules committee is and exactly what we are here to do?

The members are: Casey Sluys, CA, NHPA 2nd Vice President and Chairman; Dick Hansen, WI, NHPA Sec./Treas.; Lorraine Sternberg, WI, NHPA 3rd VP; Allen Baptist, CO, NHPA 1st VP; Bonnie Seibold, IN, NHPA 4th VP; Paul Stewart, NC, NHPA 5th VP; Wally Shipley, CA; Lance Twyman, NY; Dennis Carlson, MN; Barry Chapelle, OR; Tom Smock, IA; Phil Zozzaro, NJ; Walter Ray Williams, FL; Deborah Michaud, MA; Keith Thompson, CO; and Ex officio member NHPA President Dave Loucks.

Our primary function is to look over all the proposals we receive for a certain year. We rephrase, correct wording, punctuation, spelling, and perhaps shorten some of the wordy ones. It is not our duty to necessarily throw any of them out, unless, of course, it happens to be so ludicrous that it doesn't make sense. We do keep in mind what is best for ALL horseshoe pitchers and tend to recommend a no vote on items that are strictly territorial, and perhaps would better fit in your Charter playing rules or By-Laws.

These proposals are then printed in this publication and posted on the website for distribution to all the members in your Charter. It is critical that all members have a vote on these suggested rule changes, therefore make copies of them and hand them out to each club President and ask for a vote from that club. The delegates will then be instructed how to vote on these proposals as directed by the members in that Charter. Please keep in mind that all of you have a voice, whether or not you attend a convention. Your delegates need to be instructed by you, the members, how to cast their votes.

It would be nice if one day we could set up a committee of people, one from each Charter, with the power to say yes or no to all the proposals submitted. Certainly most other organizations have Rules Committees, and these committees are, in fact, appointed to make the rules. Most professional sports organizations have this in place, I believe it's high time we begin looking

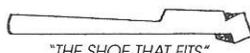
into this. These rule changes would, of course, be discussed and talked about for a year prior to implementation, but I feel we could really streamline the rules if a committee such as this were formed.

This is something we may want to bring up for further discussion? Perhaps you don't agree with this concept at all, then let us hear from you. Either send in a letter to the editor of send me

one directly. Don't just tell me it's a ridiculous idea, tell me WHY you think it's a good idea, or WHY you think it is not so good. In order for us to make informed decisions we need to have the facts.

All this said, the deadline for this year's rules proposals is Dec. 31, 2000. Any received with a postmark later than this will have to wait an additional two years before it is again considered.

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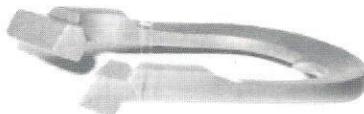
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Shoes with blunt points, or shoes flipped with the slope of the heels going up, makes the top plane of the shoe to be the first part of the heel to hit the stake. This, more apt that not, will cause the shoe to flip over backwards and come to rest several inches from the stake - a lot of times out of scoring range.



# REGIONAL DIRECTOR'S **REPORT**

## New Regional Directors

I would like to welcome two new Regional Directors. Wayne Bennett from Wolf Creek, Montana is taking over the duties for Montana. Wayne Roope has taken over for Rick Bollick in North Carolina. I would like to thank Rick for the excellent job he performed as NC Regional Director.

## From The Mail Bag

Myrtle May Kamoku, Hawaii RD, reports that the 2000 Hawaii State Singles Championships were held on the island of Kauai in Anahola. The courts are located at the base of the mountain shaped in the profile of King Kong. It is the site of such films as Indiana Jones—Raiders of the Lost Ark, King Kong and many other films. The two-day event drew 55 pitchers.

Pat Bacus, Wyoming RD, reports that their State tournament was held on 16 new courts in Rock Springs, complete with concrete walkways, grass and

lighting. Pat is working hard on bringing in new members to Wyoming.

Bobby Holland, Alabama and Mississippi RD, reports that Alabama is continuing to sign new members and it looks good for the future. Bobby was approached by a member stating that they were going to build new courts in the near future. Mississippi has opened some new courts since the property that their other courts were on has been sold. Bobby was also elected to the Alabama Hall of Fame this year.

Bernie VanLerberg, Kansas RD, reports that they have had a very successful tournament season in 2000. Bernie reports that Duane Goodrich was inducted into the Kansas Hall of Fame this year. Duane has single handedly computerized Kansas's records and has also been very involved with the NHPA's website. Hats off the Kansas pitcher Doyle Derrick who is 90 years young and has pitched in 11 sanctioned tournaments this year.

Steve Summerlin, Michigan RD

reports that he has sanctioned two new sets of courts. They are the Brighton Horseshoe Pitchers Club and the St. Claire Shores Horseshoe Club courts.

Rick Rebman, Oregon and Idaho RD, reports that Eugene held its 2nd annual NHPF Benefit tournament which raised over \$600.00.

George St. Pierre, New England RD, reports that he is organizing a youth league in Hamilton, MA, hoping to raise interest of the local children in the area. George has appointed Debby Michaud as Assistant Regional Director to help him cover the seven states that he oversees.

Ward Lutz, Minnesota RD reports that the Fridley Horseshoe Club hosts every year a tournament for the local Make-A-Wish Foundation. This event receives much media attention and has celebrity participants. Also, a local merchant provides financial support for this tournament.



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## *End of the Year Information for Sanctioned Leagues*

Since I have been home from the World Tournament, I have been kept very busy with all the leagues reporting in with final stats. Hopefully, everyone is getting their patches in time for their award presentations. It would be very helpful if league directors could send their final stats and patch request forms in, at least two weeks before their presentation date.

I am still waiting on at least 43 clubs to report on their membership for this year. A few of these clubs are up for

5,10,15 or 20 year plaques. If you are one of these clubs please contact me so that I can have all the plaques done up at one time.

Remember Top Ten forms are due December 15th this year. This should help those clubs that are able to pitch later in the season. Also note that when sending in your reports, mark whether they are 30', 40' men, women or junior boys or girls. I have been getting lots of these forms in without this information on them. This is very

important, for me to have this so that I am able to put everyone in the right division.

The deadline for the Junior Scholar Pitcher award is the 15th of November. I would like to emphasize that these scholarship awards are for juniors who participate in a sanctioned league. You can find details on the scholarship award program in the Red Book. You can also contact me for more information.

With that I would like to wish everyone a very Happy Holiday Season!

## **FEATURED CLUB** by Don Sanders

### *The Whetstone Horseshoe Club of Ohio*

The Whetstone Horseshoe Club is located at the Whetstone Recreation Center, 3923 North High Street, Columbus, Ohio. The club was formed in the mid-1960s upon completion of 4 regulation courts, with lights, on the North side of the recreation center. Many of the original club members had been pitchers in a league at Linden Park, but when the new courts with lighting became available, Whetstone Park became a more popular gathering place for horseshoe pitching in Columbus.

Under the leadership of Jerry Boesch, the club flourished. At that time, the Clintonville Conservation Club sponsored the club and all horseshoe pitchers were also Conservation Club members with many attending their meetings and helping with their annual fish fry, a big fund-raiser. At that time, the handicap league pitched on Thursday nights and I remember that many of us wore white pants and a white shirt, standard dress for horseshoe pitchers at that time, with

"Clintonville Conservation Club" embroidered above the shirt pocket. The club also sponsored a "traveling team" composed of some of the top pitchers in our club. Some of you may know or remember Jerry and Tony Boesch, Mil Montgomery, Rudy VonDach, and others who traveled around central Ohio and beyond pitching against several other top teams in the area.

With our growing membership, there was a need by the mid 1970's for additional courts, and the recreation department agreed to supply the materials if we would supply the labor. The result was 2 additional courts plus the addition of a chain-link fence along the North and South Ends. In 1978, the NHPA began their Sanctioned League Program and Jerry Boesch took the necessary steps to make our club one of the charter clubs. Among these 13 charter clubs across the United States, 8 have maintained continuous membership as of this writing.

A second growth spurt in 1986

yielded still 3 more courts (a total of 9 now), new walkways for all courts, new benches for spectators and scorekeepers, and additional fencing and lighting. At about this time, the WHC was one of the largest clubs in the state with over 100 members pitching in 3 handicap leagues and a scratch league. We were the host club for the World Tournament in 1992 and also hosted The Ohio State Fair Governor's Invitational Tournaments through 1998. Although our membership has fallen off some in recent years, we still run handicap leagues on Monday and Thursday nights and a scratch league on Tuesdays. Our summer season begins the second week in May and runs through August, or beyond, depending upon the number of rain-outs during the regular schedule. The WHC also host The Columbus Open Tournament of Roses in June of each year, a 4th of July Club Tournament, and an end-of the year Club Tournament and awards banquet. New members are always welcome!

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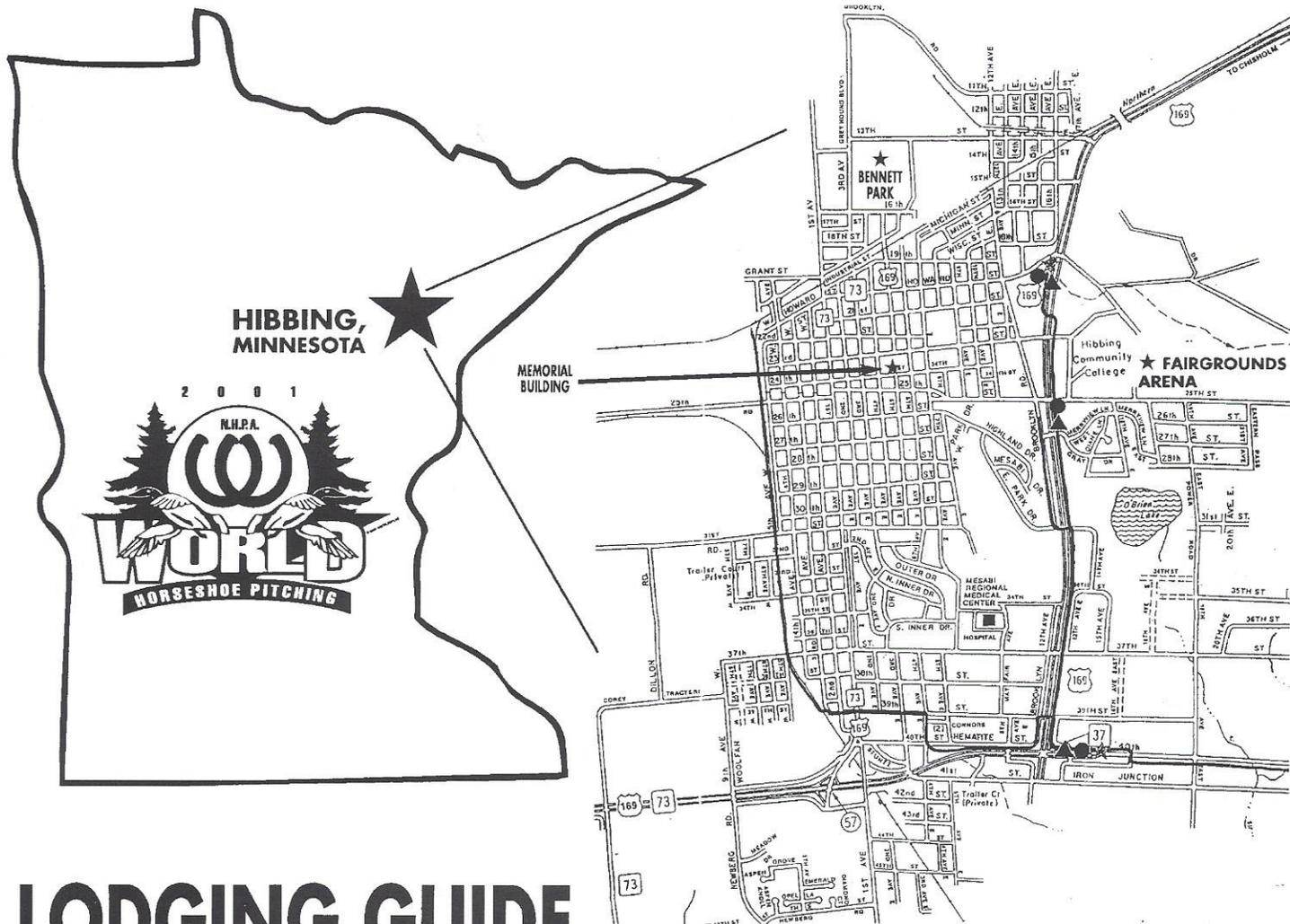
The program booklet will include a page dedicated to "*Friends of Horseshoe.*"

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McNair's B&B	2	No	No	No	30 minutes	218-254-5878
Bimbo's Motel	6	Yes	No	No	30 minutes	218-254-2576
Chisholm Country Inn	43	No	No	Yes	10 minutes	218-254-2000/877-255-3156
Americinn Motel	45	No	No	Yes	25 minutes	218-741-7839/800-634-3444
Voyageur Motel	18	No	No	No	30 minutes	218-741-9235/800-235-3521
Park Inn	50	Yes	No	Yes	30 minutes	218-749-1000/800-777-4699
Eveleth Inn	144	Yes	No	Yes	35 minutes	218-744-2703/888-354-6230
Super 8	54	No	No	Yes	35 minutes	218-744-1661/800-800-8000
Biwabik Lodge	47	No	No	Yes	40 minutes	218-865-4588/800-383-3183
Lodge at Giants Ridge	93	Yes	No	Yes	40 minutes	218-865-7170/877-442-6877
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CC Campground	43	All	Yes	0	30 minutes	218-254-5301
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Sherwood Forest	28-	4	9	0	30 minutes	800-403-1803
McCarthy Beach St. Pk.	17	18	88	0	30 minutes	218-254-2411/800-246-2267
Eveleth Veteran's Park		4	8	0	30 minutes	218-744-9908

# Be Careful What You Wish For

by Bob Dunn

Ideas, dreams, planning, hoping, whatever you term it, are all phases that lead to greater things, endeavors and achievements. Successes begin as an idea. However, not all dreams or ideas materialize into a plan or project or end up successful. That is why one should be careful of what you wish for, it might happen. In other words, reality can sometimes be a burden.

Our NHPA organization is clearly going through such a situation. At one time, to hope that the NHPA would someday have our own Hall of Fame and Museum, or even a permanent court complex suitable to host a World Tournament was just a far-fetched thought or wish. That wish took a big step forward when a survey was conducted and the results indicated the membership would support such a project. Now that wish has become a reality and must be recognized and dealt with. Our sport and our organization have never had a greater opportunity than the one handed to us through the NHPF.

No truly interested member can

disagree with the potential and the expressed purpose of the NHPF. In reality, a scant portion of the membership has stepped forward so far, to support the project. Disappointment doesn't come close to describing the situation should the NHPA members stumble and fail to fully develop the NHPF and the Joelton, Tennessee, site.

The issue of support to the NHPF needs a wake-up call. The question quickly becomes, "What will it take to increase the financial support to the NHPF to ensure that the hopes and plans for a permanent Hall of Fame & Museum and a fully developed Joelton site become a reality?" I believe there are three critical issues that need to be addressed.

First, is communication that clearly spells out the purpose and potential of the NHPF. That communication needs to be continued through the expressed support by charter officers and Regional Directors. Not enough of the NHPA membership is even aware of the NHPF. Fortunately, there are brochures being developed to assist in that process and these will shortly be mailed to every NHPA household.

The second issue is expressed financial support direct by the members. This can be done through a pledge card process. Not every member is prepared to give a financial donation on the spur of the moment, but most will give a pledge and through their own planning, follow through on their commitment. A pledge process can aid in the NHPF's cash flow projection and budget planning.

Last is membership enthusiasm. We all need to accept the fact that the moment of reality is here and stop waiting for someone else to carry the load or to do the task. No member can deny the future of the sport is important and that we all wish for future generations to enjoy our sport. The potential for success is in the hands of each and every member and so is the responsibility to accept the challenge. It is so easy to do nothing. We need to stop procrastinating and make a contribution. Enthusiasm cannot be legislated or dictated, it is now up to the individual.

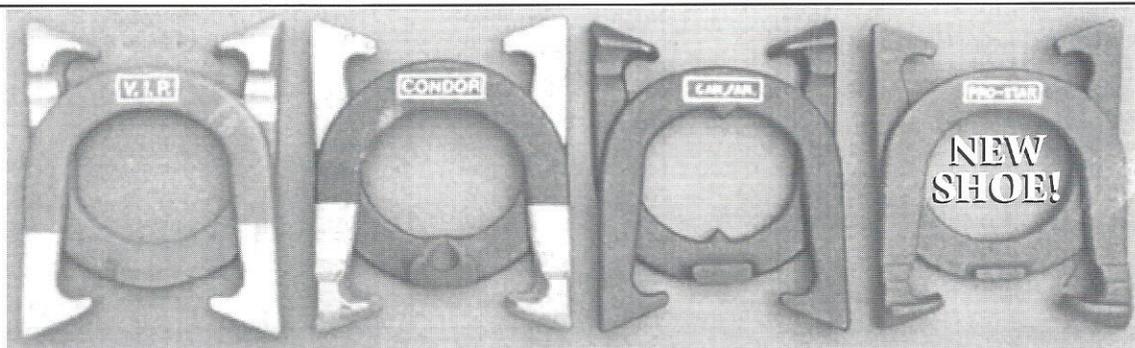
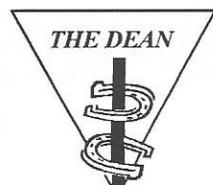
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# PROMOTION JOTTINGS

*This issue's look back in history will visit a couple of New England states, including the home state of the new Men's World Champion as it was written 60 years ago in the Horseshoe Compendium by Lee Rose, then NHPA Secretary/Treasurer:*

**Massachusetts**—Massachusetts joined the National Association in 1936, the first year the new membership plan was put into effect. They had been ably represented at the Moline Convention by Philip Gilpatrick, and in 1936 became the second highest state on the membership list. Their membership dropped to two-thirds in 1937 and was halved again in 1938. In 1939 they voted at their state convention to drop out of the National Association entirely. Communication between the National Secretary and the State Secretary indicated, however, that the Bay State would be willing to rejoin the National fold if they can be shown that it would be to their advantage to belong.

Here are the winners of the state title for the past seven years:

James Shea won the title in 1933, 1934 and 1935, with percentages of .580, .617 and .630; 1936, Stanley DeLeary, .607; 1937 James O'Shea, .816; 1938, James O'Shea, .811; 1939, Stanley DeLeary, .723.

Here are the winners of the New England championship for the past ten years: 1930 John Kilpeck, Massachusetts .502; 1931 Bernard Herfurth, Massachusetts .504; 1932 Char. Gerish, New Hampshire .514; 1933 Bernard Herfurth, Massachusetts .530; 1934 Bernard Herfurth, Massachusetts .662; 1935 James O'Shea, Massachusetts .676; 1936 Stanley DeLeary, Massachusetts .632; 1937 James O'Leary, Massachusetts .745; 1938 James O'Shea, Massachusetts .743; 1939 Kenneth Hurst, Rhode Island .762.

The ever-increasing ringer percentage tells the story better than words of the way the game is developing in the Massachusetts section of the land.

**Connecticut**—Horseshoe pitching owes its modern beginning in Connecticut

to Sam Bartram who, in 1925, moved from Kokomo, IN, to Connecticut, and introduced the game there by giving exhibitions throughout the state and interesting people in taking up the sport. By 1929 he had created enough interest to be able to hold a state tournament at Bridgeport. The winner of this tournament was S.C. Lane, of Stamford, a recent resident of Ft. Lauderdale, FL. Mr. Lane organized the Stamford Horseshoe Club, and from that time on the game grew steadily.

A state tournament was held yearly in Bridgeport, and Mr. Lane continued as champion until 1933, when G. Georgetti, of Manchester, won the crown. He successfully defended it the next year also.

In 1935 the Connecticut State Horseshoe Pitchers' Association was formed, and the site of the state tournament was moved to Greenwich. This meet won by Irving Wood of New

Canaan. William Crofut, of Shelton, captured the title in 1936 and S.C.

Lane came back as champion in 1937. The championship for the past two has gone to Crofut, who set a record by averaging 62 percent in the 1938 meet at Litchfield.

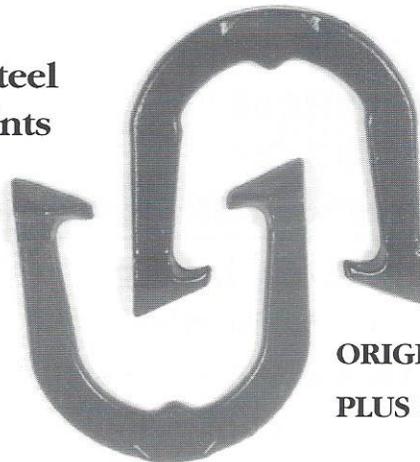
Connecticut has made great strides in organizing regular team leagues. Starting in 1935 by entering two teams in the Tri-County League, an organization that included part of New York, they continued to grow, and entered teams in the Hudson Valley League in 1938. The year of 1939 found Connecticut forming their present fine state league, and found them also staging the New England Tournament at Hartford.

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# THE JUNIOR WINDOW

# 2000 Junior Girls World Champion

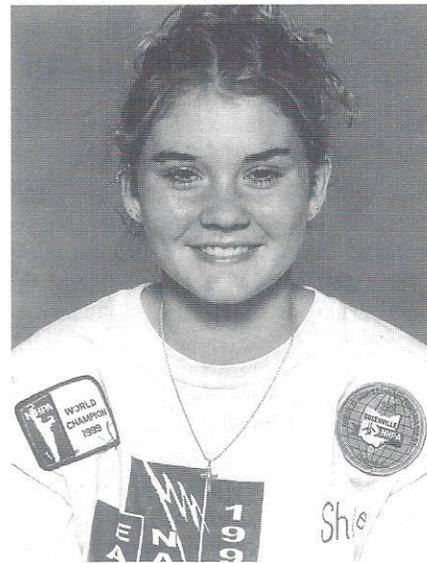
by Heidi Sternberg

**G**oing in with an average of 60.67%, Shalee Sebastian out-averaged her closest contender by 15%. Shalee came to Bismarck, North Dakota for the 2000 World Tournament to defend her title, and she did just that flipping her way to a 68.32% average. Dominating her opponents, Shalee ended the night with a 5/0 record and a high game of 72.50% against 1998 Junior Girl's World Champion, Rebecca King.

This year was Shalee's fourth World Tournament but Greenville, Ohio ranks as her most memorable when she won her first Championship. She has shown us that if you put your heart into the game, the practice and determination will pay-off. And that is her advice to other juniors that love the game as much as she does, practice, practice, practice! She enjoys the

World Tournaments because she gets a chance to spend time with her friends that she has met pitching horseshoes in the World over the past four years.

Shalee's parents and grandparents are the people that influenced her the most ever since she was little and watched them pitch horseshoes. She would like to thank them for bringing her to the World Tournaments; if it weren't for them she wouldn't be a 2-time Junior Girl's World Champion at the age of 16. With two more years of junior pitching to go, Shalee would like to see more juniors in competition. Having more juniors involved means new friendships and more fun and challenging games. Congratulations to Shalee Sebastian on another outstanding World Tournament performance! Good luck and we're looking forward to seeing all the juniors

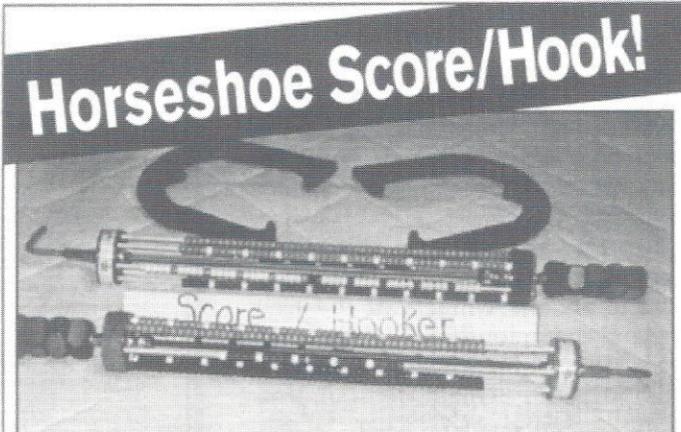


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# NHPF NEWS & CONTRIBUTION UPDATE by Dave Loucks

**A** newly developed informational literature piece has been developed explaining the background, goals and opportunities of the National Horseshoe Pitchers Foundation. This quad-fold piece, printed in four colors, is being mailed to every NHPA member household. It is felt that this mailing will be a big help in enlightening the majority of the membership who do not know of or do not understand what the NHPF is about. Please take the time to read the information when you receive it and don't throw it away. Keep it handy as a reference piece in the event you sometime

later have a question or should decide that you want to financially support the Foundation.

In the short time since our last report, 25 individuals sent in contributions. In addition, a nice donation came from various collections at the World Tournament and the interest from the NHPA Money Market account for August was donated. For those of you who were not in attendance, the delegates in convention voted to donate each month, the interest earned from that account. Altogether, deposits made between 8/15/00 and 9/22/00 totaled \$5,465.

Recent names reaching the \$500

level of contributions and being honored with an engraved plate of the plaque of major benefactors include; Independence Horseshoe Club, MO; Wisconsin HPA: Paul & Pat Stewart, NC; Donald Wendler, TX; Iowa City Lions Club, IA; Emerald Horseshoe Club, OR; North Carolina HPA; Bismarck Horseshoe Club, ND; Lee Wallace, OR and the Colorado HPA.

We wish to thank everyone who has contributed and encourage others to make a financial donation.

*Checks made out to the NHPF can be mailed to P.O. Box 159027, Nashville, TN 37215-9027.*

## Contributions received in August and September

### Donating \$10—45

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## How your state ranks in number and dollars contributed

1. Tennessee, 26 for \$18,315
2. California, 82 for \$9,374
3. Georgia, 8 for \$5,510
4. Massachusetts, 6 for \$3,990
5. Oregon, 33 for \$3,856
6. Minnesota, 81 for \$3,516
7. North Carolina, 47 for \$3,494
8. Wisconsin, 41 for \$3,450
9. Missouri, 37 for \$3,125
10. Colorado, 25 for \$3,019
11. Michigan, 50 for \$2,731
12. Florida, 31 for \$2,143
13. Ohio, 51 for \$1,993
14. Texas, 15 for \$1,875
15. Iowa, 16 for \$1,746
16. Kansas, 19 for \$1,667
17. Washington, 20 for \$1,575
18. Kentucky, 16 for \$1,400
19. Indiana, 14 for \$1,273
20. Illinois, 30 for \$1,135
21. Pennsylvania, 22 for \$1,114
22. Nebraska, 15 for \$1,086
23. Nevada, 6 for \$840
24. New Jersey, 13 for \$795
25. North Dakota, 4 for \$705
26. Connecticut, 12 for \$480
27. New York, 9 for \$372
28. South Carolina, 8 for \$335
29. West Virginia, 10 for \$295
30. Louisiana, 4 for \$275
31. Montana, 3 for \$250
32. Idaho, 5 for \$235
33. South Dakota, 8 for \$227
34. Oklahoma, 6 for \$215
35. New Mexico, 3 for \$210
36. Wyoming, 3 for \$182
37. Arkansas, 4 for \$135
38. Alaska, 1 for \$120
39. Alabama, 2 for \$120
40. Maryland, 5 for \$115
41. New Hampshire, 2 for \$105
42. Hawaii, 1 for \$100
43. Utah, 3 for \$100
44. Arizona, 3 for \$89
45. Virginia, 4 for \$73
46. Vermont, 1 for \$25
47. Delaware, 1 for \$7

# NHPA PUBLICITY CORNER

by Billie Sue Pennington



**W**ow! Where did the year 2000 go? But, best not to dwell on that and look only to the future! "Think Publicity!" We've come a very long way, in a short period of time, but as written in previous issues, we've only begun to scratch the surface of what's available to us.

Since this is the "off-season" for most horseshoe pitchers, it seems appropriate to look at an unprecedented milestone made this year in NHPA Publicity. History was made in Bismarck, when results were communicated, almost instantly, to newspapers all over the United States! This triumph can be credited to the combined dedicated efforts of Patti Reese, a non-pitcher, daughter of Regional Director, Bob Reese, OK, and Sam Tomasevic, British Columbia, CN. A couple of interesting points about this project should be noted here. One is that the three of us have never met, and the second is that neither Patti nor Sam was at the World Tournament. *Here's how it worked:*

Prior to the world tournament, Patti volunteered to research the 'net and put together a list of newspaper email addresses. She was asked to find addresses for the top three participants in each class and for all players listed in the Player Profile section. She then prepared and sent to me, via email, a 47-page alphabetical list of players matched with newspapers. I thought I'd be able to send results myself, but at the end of the third day, when the first classes were finishing, I suddenly realized, that I simply could not give the project the needed time, and that if I didn't "Do Something", satisfactory results would not be obtained from Patti's work. Then, late that night, while working from my hotel room, I saw, via computer, that Sam had logged on to the Internet. Ah-haaa! Could help be just a click away?

"Hey, ole' buddy, Sam, I need some help!" my message read, "are you game?" Without the slightest hesitation he replied, "Yes I am. What can I do?" The plan was quickly explained. Patti's list, final results of first three days, and a sample email to be modified for each newspaper, was sent and received by Sam in Canada within two minutes. And the project was underway!

Special files, which included pitchers hometown information, were obtained straight from world tournament stats files, after each squad finished. These were immediately emailed to Sam who notified newspapers. I should add that Sam and Patti established another system to locate other needed addresses, and began discussing ways to streamline

the list for use in following years.

Did we get results from all this work? You bet! Sam soon began getting "thank you" notes from newspapers. Some requested additional information. Newspapers began logging into our website and Player Profile section to obtain comments from players. I began getting inquiries at the WT info email address. Stories were published immediately, and reporters followed up with interviews and more detailed articles after the local winners returned home. Local winners were contacted by television stations, which resulted in spots on the evening news. Amazing! In some cases we may have spoiled the surprise for some pitchers. Curly Seibold, Elder A Champion, called home to tell his daughter the news and she replied that she already knew because it was in the paper.

There's no official award for "Publicity Team Members of the Year", but if there were such a thing, Patti Reese and Sam Tomasevic would be the year 2000 recipients! Congratulations and thanks for your outstanding contributions to NHPA Publicity! You both answered the call and "DID SOMETHING".

## Give this a try!

Below is a sample of an e-mail Sam sent. You can modify it to suit your needs and give it a try! Local publicity and tournament directors are realizing the ease of contacting their local newspapers using the Internet. E-mail addresses for newspapers are usually printed in the paper, and those of surrounding areas are available on the Internet at [www.newspapers.com](http://www.newspapers.com). Also visit [SportsTerminal.com](http://SportsTerminal.com), type the name of your state into the search engine, and there you'll find lists of television and radio stations, as well as newspaper listings. Just try it! Just DO SOMETHING!

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## PRESS DEMOCRAT

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Here is some sports news about a local resident.

**Santa Rosa, resident, Casey Sluys**, competed in the 2000 World Horseshoe Pitching Championships in Bismarck North Dakota, and finished first in his class out of 16 participants. Casey was named "2000 Men's World Class F2 Champion on August 5, 2000.

Casey finished with a win loss record of 13-2, and he averaged 37.33%.

At the 1999 world tournament Casey won the Men's World Class J Championships. To win two consecutive years is an amazing feat, especially, when you consider Casey was playing against tougher competition this year. Congratulations to Casey, all of Santa Rosa should be proud of his accomplishments in the last two World Horseshoe Pitching Championships.

The National Horseshoe Pitchers Association 2000 World tournament site was Bismarck, North Dakota. If you wish to contact the NHPA World Tournament Site, phone (701) 255-9001 or e-mail [wt@btgate.com](mailto:wt@btgate.com) and visit our website at [www.horseshoepitching.com](http://www.horseshoepitching.com). Personal history on Casey Sluys can be found in the Player Profile section.

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## Horseshoe Pitchers' Equipment Show and Open House Held

In April, the Mount Clemens Indoor Horseshoe Pitchers Club held its first Horseshoe Pitchers' Equipment Show/Open House. The event was well-attended with special attendees Steve and Paula Summerlin, Dan and Debbie Markley, officers in the Wolverine State Horseshoe Pitchers Association; Theresa Randolph, Recreation Director, Mount Clemens Parks and Recreation Department; Don Worrell, Mount Clemens Public Library Director; and many distinguished members of the horseshoe pitching community.

The show featured displays from local horseshoe pitchers, and Boyd Stonerock from the Lucky Shoe Pro Shop, one of six National Horseshoe Pitchers Association distributors, displaying the latest in horseshoes, clothing, books, videos, jewelry, pitchers equipment and tournament supplies.

Don Worrell accepted a subscription to *Newsline*, for the Mount Clemens Public Library in honor of Theresa Randolph, whose support led to the forming of the club.

Dean Schmitz, MCIHPC director, presented Randolph with a plaque of gratitude for her tremendous support.



*Dean Schmitz presents Theresa Randolph with a plaque.*

Door prizes were won by Roberta Kolosiek, receiving a membership in the WSHPA, and Bob Warren and Jim Stocker both receiving memberships in the MCIHPC and SMHC.

The club is sponsored by the Mount Clemens Parks and Recreation Department and has its home at Wilson Gym. The season runs from October through April and pitching is on Thursdays and Fridays.



*Don Worrell accepts a subscription to Newsline. l-r: Larry "Woody" Woods (Smith Creek), president of the Southeastern Michigan Horseshoe Club, a charity fundraiser organization; Boyd Stonerock (Lawton), NHPA distributor; Theresa Randolph; Don Worrell; Steve Summerlin (Brighton), secretary of the WSHPA; Claude Shannahan (Harrison Twp.), 1996 WSHPA Elders Champion; and Mike Reece (Clinton Twp.), assistant director of the MCIHPC.*

# SHOEBITS by Maynard

## ALABAMA

Bobby Holland, the latest inductee into the AHPA Hall of Fame and the undisputed leader of Alabama horseshoes, died of a heart attack on September 30th. Our sympathy is extended to his family.

## NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

The North took the Men's, Elders and Jr. Girl's Championships at the State tournament hosted by the Bakersfield Shoe Crew. Chuck Seal won his 1st Men's title after a 3-way playoff, Ray Santana went clean in the Elders for his 8th consecutive title and Amy Horton (Mr. Seal's grand-daughter) was Jr. Girl's Champ for the second year in a row.

Congratulations to Joe and Millie Schultz who were the recipients of the prestigious NHPA Presidential Achievement Award.

Not too many years ago WRW, Jr. pitched a tournament of seven 50 shoe games and averaged 92.28%. In one game he averaged 100% and lost. Go figure!

The Shasta Club of Redding found a way to get free advertising for their club and horseshoes. They adopted a 2-mile stretch of Interstate 5 and have a highway sign designating the area that thousands of people see every day (of course they have to do clean-up duty!).

## SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

The State Championships hosted by the Bakersfield Shoe Crew and the SCHPA was a successful, well-organized event. Diane Silva, former Women's World Champion and many times CA State Champion won the Ladies' title and Keith Boone won the Jr. Boys' with a 68.8% average. Four generations of the Hamman family took part in the Tournament led by 81 year old Russ Hamman, son Keith, Keith's daughter Michelle and Michelle's daughter Ashley. Prayers for a quick recovery are being offered for Russ who since the tournament has undergone open-heart surgery.

## COLORADO

The Denver Metro HSC has been tracking consecutive ringers in their leagues. In 1999 Paul LaCrosse had the most with 27.

A 60% game that might be considered routine for some, was a highlight for Nancy Wright. Nancy, who has been pitching for 10 years, has pitched all her tournaments from 40 feet.

Of the 53 members entered in the 2000 W.T., 34 brought home trophies and/or money awards. Kathy Flageolle went clean in her 1st W.T. with a 19.6% average to capture the women's "L" class. Marilyn Person, in her 2nd W.T. went 11-2 to take women's "F", also with a 50.9% average.

Paul LaCrosse, with a 74% average, picked up his 17th title as Men's State Champ after beating Rich Pintor in the final game.

## IOWA

Marv Woollums and Don and Mic Wilson spent four 6-hour days at Mt. Ayr High School teaching the P.E. classes how to pitch horseshoes, explaining the different types of games and how they score.

The "Horseshoe Float" has been a great success thanks in large part to Dick Walker's hard work. The "Float" is 48' long with a court at each end. Dick pulls it with his pick-up while 4 pitchers toss shoes (on the move). The "Float" has already been in parades at Cambridge, Gladbrook, Eldora, Maxwell and Des Moines. It has been a great crowd pleaser with Dick on the "mike" explaining the aspects and benefits of the game as they travel the parade routes.

## ILLINOIS

Bill Marvin, unable to attend the W.T. (he was vacationing in Europe) was a recipient of an NHPA Achievement Award for continuing service to the game at both the charter and national levels. Bill, in stating his appreciation, graciously shared the honors with his wife and all ILSHPA members.

## LOUISIANA

Several clubs in this charter host benefit tournaments for various causes. A recent tournament raised \$1,325 for Muscular Dystrophy (they do such a good job maybe they will consider hosting a benefit tournament for the NHPF?).

New next year will be the 1st annual TX/LA Challenge to be held in Houston. The LA/MS Challenge has been going on for several years.

Congratulations to Bob Hogan and Jerry Sneary, the newest inductees into the LSHPA Hall of Fame.

## MARYLAND

The Frederick HSC voted to have a 50/50 raffle at each of their tournaments with the 50% normally kept by the club being donated to the NHPF. Their attitude is that even though it won't be much "every little bit helps"

## MICHIGAN

Dean Schmitz has another great idea! You've all seen "For Sale" signs with a box underneath holding flyers describing the property. Why not make a sign "FREE—TAKE ONE—HORSE-SHOE PITCHING INFORMATION." Attach a box to the sign and fill it with information about your club, leagues, charter, etc. Attach it to a fence or any convenient spot at least during tournaments and leagues.

Congratulations to Steve Summerlin, recipient of the NHPA's "Stokes Award" for his many years of outstanding service to the NHPA.

Bob Mullenhour of Union City had 5 groups (150 total) of students who participated in horseshoe pitching classes for 7 days. The school buses brought the students to the courts for the lessons.

## MISSOURI

Don Harris of Smithville says "I've been saving money all my life and I was going to leave it in my will but decided I wanted to see something built before I died." Don at 78, has been pitching shoes for 70 years and is referring to a \$100,000 donation he has made to

have an indoor facility built. He has decided that the Ruth Stockdale Park in Liberty is the ideal location for an arena. He has formed an association to handle the design, construction and maintenance of the arena that he hopes will house 12 courts. The facility, which will be named after Harris will be owned by the city but leased back to the association.

### **NEW JERSEY**

Congratulations to Sol Berman on his 50th wedding anniversary. Sol recalls that in 1950 (for their honeymoon) he and his new bride drove to Utah to compete in the W.T. and then on to Yellowstone Park and Niagara Falls.

Gene Castner of the Warren County HSC whose courts were voted by the NJSHPA members as the place they most liked to pitch, wonders where the pitchers were at a recent tournament when only 16 showed up to participate. He feels that perhaps the 30+ tournaments scheduled throughout the state each year are too many and proposes fewer tournaments striving for greater attendance at better quality events. He believes that pitchers' support priorities should begin with the local clubs.

Ed Quigley continues to move up the ladder as an "Elder" pitcher. He had a personal high tournament at the West Essex Memorial in July pitching 70.53% for the day and a high game of 90%.

### **NEW YORK**

With 69 new members almost half of the 495 current members competed in the State Championships. Only 3 of the six 1999 champions who returned to defend their titles succeeded; Sue Twyman (women), Dave Scott (seniors) and Tenesia Mayer (jr. girls).

Traci Hastings is the new *MUD* editor taking over from Lance Twyman who has resigned after 7 years as the newsletter editor.

Congratulations to "Happy" Hopkins and "Mac" McFann on their induction into the NYSHPA Hall of Fame.

### **NORTH CAROLINA**

Tommy and Eric Gann won the State Doubles tournament in June making them the 2nd father/son team to win the honors.

President Jake Hoff wrote a glowing tribute on Paul Stewart in their recent newsletter and stating that he deserves to be in the NHPA Hall of Fame. (Gee Jake, why don't you send a copy to the chairman of the committee and get Paul's name on the ballot?)

### **OKLAHOMA**

Halfway between Oklahoma City and Dallas is the site of Ardmore's 12 new clay courts and 4 sand practice courts nestled in a grove of 100-year-old oak trees. The club is working on putting together a bid for the 2003 W.T. at the Ardmore Hardy Murphy Coliseum where OHPA president Bob Reese says there is enough space for 50 courts with plenty of elbow room.

### **OREGON**

The 2nd annual NHPF benefit tournament held in Eugene under the direction of Jerry Gorton was another big success with a check for \$644.00 being sent to the NHPF.

The all women "Hen House Scramble" tournament, also in Eugene, received some TV coverage. Three of the 20 entrants were very helpful in giving pointers to beginners and holding the classes together. Even though they were dressed in women's garb and their assistance was greatly appreciated, Lee(anne) Wallace, Robert(a) Hummell and Phil(lys) Hendry were disqualified from the competition. Way to go, guys!

Ben Wiedrich for the zillionth time is the Men's State Champion; LaVerne Ewing, Women's; Lowell Davis, Elders; and Joshua Scott, Juniors.

Lee Wallace, after working to set up a youth tournament that conflicted with the W.T. in Bismarck appreciated Jim Postell and Lloyd Kilgore following through and holding the tournament. They had 19 entries and while Jim was instructing on 1 court, Lloyd conducted actual games (20 shoe count-all) on an adjacent court. All youths received caps

with a "LET'S PLAY" logo and trophies were awarded for 3 places.

### **WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA**

The Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame has finally recognized the sport of horseshoes thanks to the efforts of Judge J.G. Brosky. If PA members join this association they will be able to vote to have WPASHPA members considered for induction.

Vice President Harvey Hayes, 30 year pitching veteran is AMAZED that there are people pitching in sanctioned tournaments that DO NOT KNOW how to keep score. Every club should be responsible for making sure their members know how to keep score, turn courts and even run a tournament. Training clinics can be held by those in the know.

Jean Reefer, secretary/treasurer of the Shelocta Club, which was the site of this year's State is proud of her club. She says that year after year ALL the members turn out and work as a team to not only prepare the courts for tournament play but also to help in the kitchen making their "world" famous pies.

Steve Morris, the computer guru of WPA has developed a main site which includes results, schedules, NatStats, etc. and a second site that covers the history of the WPASHPA. They get visitors from Canada, Ireland, England, Norway, Africa, China and Japan. Steve says, "this communication network can bring our charters closer together than was ever thought possible. This is the power of the Internet."

### **TENNESSEE**

There will NOT be a 4th annual May Music City Tournament. The turnout for this tournament has been disappointingly low. In 1998 there were only 26 teams and that was down to 15 in 2000.

Joan Elmore at 80% and Shannon Foster at 75% going undefeated captured the State Championship crowns on Sept. 9th. Frank Jones, voted Horseshoe Pitcher of the Year, was presented with a plaque and framed certificate.

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# New Editor for *Newsline* in 2001

The next *Newsline* will be under the direction of a new editor. The NHPA Council has appointed Lloyd Kilgore of Albany, Oregon, to replace me.

After twelve years as Editor and Publisher, I felt it was time to step down. I've enjoyed the responsibility and will certainly miss some things, though I do look forward to having more free time without month-long deadlines every other month. Please join me in wishing

Lloyd a great deal of success as the new editor. I will continue to give support wherever and whenever I can.

All future inquiries, contributions, notices, and advertisements should now be mailed to:

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*Thank You,*  
Dave Loucks, Retiring Editor

# SHOEBITS *continued...*

Fred Perry is a man of many talents. A retired stonemason, bricklayer and carpenter several years ago at age 72 he bought himself a computer to learn some new technology. Two years ago, after cancer surgery he decided to take up yet another hobby. This time he used his computer to find quilt patterns and has made several beautiful quilts for the ladies in his life; Loretta, his wife of 51 years and his daughters and grand-daughter.

## WEST VIRGINIA

Charles Bunner never quits. As a result of his efforts, Brenda Tawney, Rosalie Judy and Anna Marie Dawson all received framed Certificates of Recognition for participating in the W.T. in Bismarck from Governor Cecil H. Underwood.

## WASHINGTON

Thirty members traveled to Bismarck to participate in the W.T. Anthony Patterson, the only junior to make the trip this year, won Jr. Class B in a playoff. Vic Magnus, Ray DeBoer, Clarence Tiesen and Art and Carol Sperber all placed in class play. Art and Carol both qualified by % to pitch in the Senior Men and Women Championships. Congratulations to a great duo. Carol, averaging 60% trying to defend her state women's title lost to Babette Sparks who averaged 48%. Russ Phillips won the men's title after beating Art in a playoff game.

## WISCONSIN

The newsletter editor published a written apology to Pam Aiken, Lorraine Sternberg and all short distance pitchers after he was called on the carpet for referring to the winning team at the State Doubles as the "token" women's team. In his defense, he says he used the term because Pam and Lorraine were the "only" women's team. He wasn't trying to be derogatory but was trying to get the point across that there should have been more.

The Goldendale Club voted to send a donation to the NHPF in memory of former member Harry Johnson who passed away in June.

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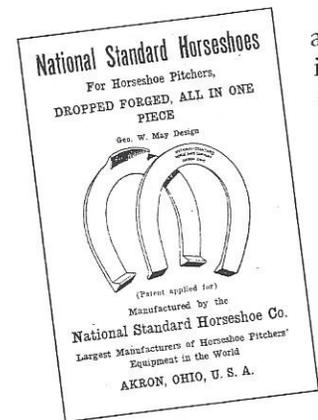
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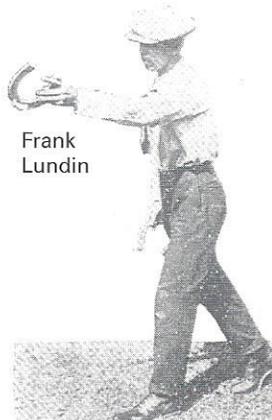
## And There's More Than Just The Shoes!

by Bob Dunn

Over the past three years or so, this series has concentrated on collecting pitching style horseshoes. Some mention has been made to keeping an eye out for old wooden horseshoe boxes, tournament medallions and rules brochures that accompanied the sale of a new pair or set of pitching shoes. The old brochures are becoming more and more interesting and actually could be a collection item all on their own. Several have now turned up and in each case provide considerable information about the shoes, or the various models by that manufacturer and serve much help in dating shoes. Most of the older brochure are real links back to our history, as most have pictures of named players endorsing their product and provide information about the state of the game at that time.



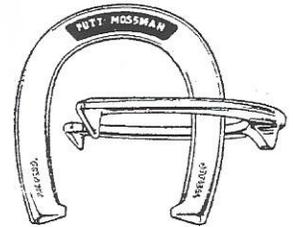
Two old brochures are featured in this issue. The older brochure is by National Standard prior to receiving approval of its patent, which dates this brochure prior to April 1923. Besides providing the rules of horseshoe pitching and some pitching tips by that day's



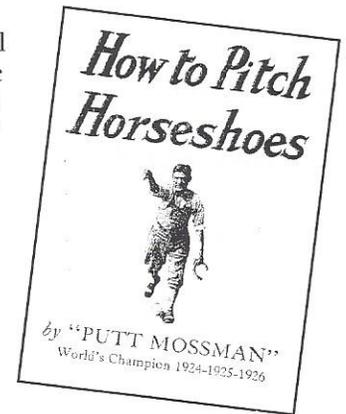
Frank Lundin

experts, this brochure has an excellent pitcher of Iowa's hero—Frank Lundin.

The Putt Mossman brochure dates to 1928 and is a masterpiece of information. The brochure boasts a picture of Mossman in action, right on the cover, followed by some interesting dialog which moved on into a very thorough description of how to pitch horseshoes. This brochure has two pages of individual endorsements, the final entry shown just above the picture of the Mossman shoe.



Over the next few issues, we will look at some more rules brochures, but in the meantime, if you have an old brochure, please get in touch with me or simply mail a photocopy of the entire brochure. It may be the subject of one of the articles.



## TRADER JOTTINGS

I wish to express a big thank you to the North Dakota hosts of World Tournament 2000, for the warm reception and generous support throughout my stay and time spent in displaying my antique horseshoe collection. The shoe display drew great attention and nearly continuous visitors. The many compliments by those viewing were certainly appreciated as well as the shoes donated for the NHPA collection and the shoes provided to my display. World Tournament 2000 was truly a great experience.

Each year members bringing in new finds enhance our research and documentation. This year the primary new

knowledge is the multiple military issues of shoes during WWII. Diamond Double Ringers seem to be the main model that bears a U.S., U.S.N. or a U.S. Navy mark.

Lee Wallace of Oregon provided for display, several shoes that were in addition to the specimens in my display. Among those shoes was two of particular interest. First, a White House shoe made in Independence, MO during the administration of Harry Truman, who was known as a horseshoe-pitching enthusiast. Also, Lee displayed a re-designed Mossman shoe that never achieved being placed on the market for sale. There are only four known to

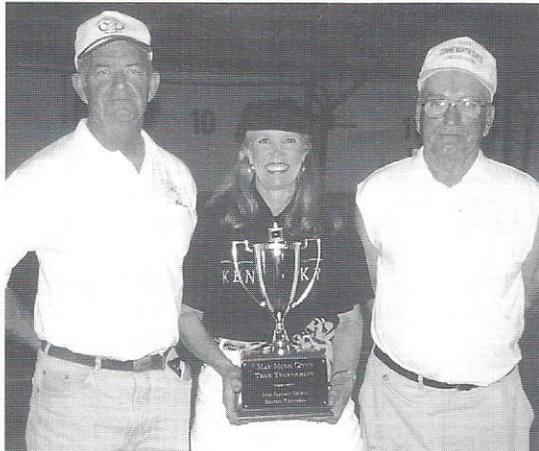
be in existence.

Here are acknowledgment and appreciation to those donating shoes to the NHPA collection: To Mr. & Mrs. Del Karsjens, Minnesota, for donating a pair of military issue Diamond Double Ringers. The shoes are marked U.S.N. right with the logo. To David Garen, Florida, for donating a shoe made by Erie Tool. The shoe is very unusual and must have been produced for a company picnic for on the points, rather than an A or B, the shoe is marked Ed and Bob. To Bob Jolley, Florida, for donating a U.S.A. made Franklin shoe. To Ed Arionus, Texas, for donating an old hookless Allith shoe.

# May Music City Tournament

**"We have tried several ways to increase participation in this tournament and don't seem to be having much luck... At this point, we are planning to cancel this tournament next year."**

Jack Freeman



Fifteen teams from eight states traveled to Joelton, Tennessee on May 27, 2000 to compete in the third annual May Music City Team Tournament held at the Jack Freeman Horseshoe Courts. Inclement weather (thunderstorms and tornado threats) kept the tournament on the indoor courts. Total payback for the tournament was \$2,085 with Class A and B paying three places and Class C paying two places since only four teams were in that class. Alabama, Illinois, Iowa, Kentucky, Missouri, Ohio, Tennessee, and Wisconsin were represented. Missouri fielded the most pitchers by having 12 pitchers participating. Tennessee was second with 11, followed by Illinois with 8 and Kentucky with 6.

The Kentucky team of Lois Webster, Jim Scott and Don Hayes were Class A champions. Class B champions were the Tennessee team of Shannon Foster, Carl and Donna Hyder and Cecil Cutshall. Winning Class C was the Kentucky team of Jim Culver, Monty Roberts and Ralph Sharp.

Lois Webster posted the high tournament percentage of 78%. Webster also had the high

game percentage of 87.5% and won all fifteen of her games. Shannon Foster had a high game of 85% to lead the men and a tournament percentage of 71.88. Jim Cooper of Ohio and Shannon Foster lost one game each.

This event used official NatStats averages to place the pitchers in the three classes. Six teams were placed in Class A, five in Class B, and four in Class C. The total percentage of the three players on a team could not exceed 160% with no minimum. All games were 40 shoe cancellation. The entry fee was \$105 per team with \$25 of each team entry being earmarked for the National Horseshoe Pitchers Foundation.

Jack Freeman, Facility Director at the courts, had these comments: "We have tried several ways to increase participation in this tournament and don't seem to be having much luck. The date of the tournament, i.e., Memorial Day weekend, seems to be an acceptable date for most pitchers. The payback is apparently adequate. The winner of each Class, whether "A," "B," "C," or whatever, wins \$360, or \$120 per pitcher. Second place wins \$225, or \$75 per pitcher; and third place wins \$165, or \$55 per pitcher. In a 4 team class, the payback is for first and second place only, but they get the \$360 and \$225 prizes. We raised the "cap" from 150 total percentage points to 160 because we thought the 150 might be too low. Still, we only had 15 teams sign up. At this point, we are planning to cancel this tournament next year."

*Above:* Class A Champions Jim Scott, Lois Webster and Don Hayes, Kentucky.

*Below left:* Class B Champions Carl Hyder, Donna Hyder, Shannon Foster, and Cecil Cutshall, Tennessee.

*Below right:* Class C Champions Jim Culver, Monty Roberts and Ralph Sharp, Kentucky.



# Music City Team Tournament Results

## CLASS A 1st Place

PITCHER	W-L	R	S/P	%
Lois Webster, KY	15-0	468	600	78.00
Jim Scott, KY	9-6	266	600	44.33
Don Hayes, KY	2.5-12.5	203	600	33.83

## 2nd Place

Jeanette Claas, MO	8-7	261	600	43.50
Jim Howard, MO	8.5-6.5	276	600	46.00
Sue Busch, MO	9.5-5.5	309	600	51.50

## 3rd Place

Jim Cooper, OH	14-1	386	600	64.33
Roy Lyons, OH	9-6	285	600	47.50
Dave Tabler, OH	1-14	192	600	32.00

## 4th Place

Bobby Fields, TN	8-7	333	600	55.50
Floyd Maxwell, TN	7-8	281	600	46.83
Jack Freeman, TN	5-10	261	600	43.50

## 5th Place

Loyd Wyatt, TN	9-1	214	400	53.50
Frank Jones, TN	5-10	240	600	40.00
Het Birchfield, TN	4.5-5.5	162	400	40.50
Willard Williams, TN	1-9	129	400	32.25

## 6th Place

Jim Jackson, IA	7.5-7.5	285	600	47.50
Leo Buell, IA	7.5-7.5	287	600	47.83
Betty McGregor, IA	3-12	269	600	44.83

## CLASS B 1st Place

Shannon Foster, TN	11-1	345	480	71.88
Donna Hyder, TN	5-7	199	480	42.46
Carl Hyder, TN	3-1	62	160	38.75
Cecil Cutshall, TN	3-5	114	320	35.63

## 2nd Place

Rich Altis, MO	9-3	286	480	59.58
Mick Gillette, MO	9.5-2.5	253	480	52.71
Roy Evans, MO	1-11	147	480	30.63

## 3rd Place

Bobby Holland, AL	10-2	290	480	60.42
Michael Byram, AL	4.5-7.5	175	480	36.46
Ottie Reno, OH	5-7	216	480	45.00

## 4th Place

Jan Kreienkamp, MO	9.5-2.5	294	480	61.25
Regi Jonak, MO	6-6	189	480	39.38
Andy Foulds, MO	3-9	159	480	33.13

## 5th Place

Ron Lingard, WI	6-6	201	480	41.88
Bob Power, IL	2-10	196	480	40.83
Hiram Chaffin, IL	2.5-9.5	204	480	42.50

## CLASS C 1st Place

Jim Culver, KY	10.5-4.5	297	600	49.50
Monty Roberts, KY	13-2	338	600	56.33
Ralph Sharp, KY	6-9	246	600	41.00

## 2nd Place

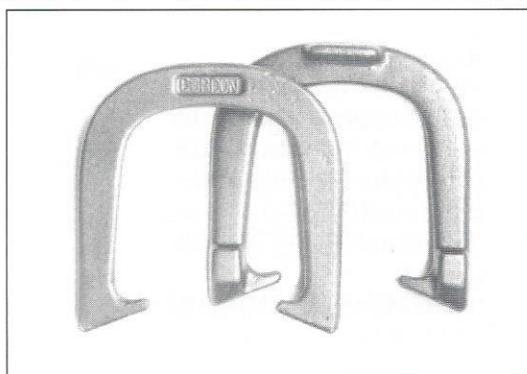
Luke Thompson, IL	5-10	216	600	36.00
Tom Reid, IL	9.5-5.5	266	600	44.33
Rich Andrysiak, IL	10-5	278	600	46.33

## 3rd Place

Judy Geisler, MO	11.5-3.5	270	600	45.00
Carol Howard, MO	6-9	230	600	38.33
Don Claas, MO	6-9	186	600	31.00

## 4th Place

Bob Pluckenbaum, IL	2-13	235	600	39.17
Owen Bloodgood, IL	10.5-4.5	285	600	47.50
John Press, IL	0-15	130	600	21.67



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We are celebrating our fourth year on the Internet and our first year with our own domain, www.horseshoepitching.com and it continues to grow by leaps and bounds. We have had over 150,000 hits or visits to the website in the past year.

We continue to get comments from sports writers, newspapers, magazine article writers, and Internet Gurus, telling us what a nice looking, professional, and informative website we have. Does this sound like we are bragging? "Yes we are."

I visited a park last weekend that has just completed building 12 new horseshoe courts and have decided to build 12 more courts while the contractor is there. All of the specifications and

information on how to build a horseshoe court, lighting, fencing, backboards and all other information on building the courts came from the NHPA web site.

*Would you believe?* There are 143 links on the NHPA website opening page. These links will take you to everything or anything you ever wanted to know about horseshoe pitching.

The drop-down menus on NatStats have 80 links that will take you to over 475 pages of data. All of the data on the NatStats links is updated weekly. "Oh! My fingers are tired."

The map link, "Pitch with us!" takes you to all of the State Charter links, plus all of Horseshoe Canada, Finland, Great Britain, and Sweden horseshoe links. All of these links will take you to countless pages of local and state horseshoe pitching information, schedules, contact persons, State Officers, State Hall of Fames, Charter history and much more horseshoe information.

Click the "Player Profile" link to fill out a form on your profile so others can read all about how you got started

pitching horseshoes, what turn and shoes you use, best tournament, best game; you can even leave a tip for other pitchers. Maybe I can learn something to help my pitching by reading your profile?

The "Publicity" link will take you to the NHPA Publicity page, where you will find more links to hundreds of pages of horseshoe news and publicity. This is an area you won't want to miss. You can find newspaper articles and highlights from the 2000 World Tournament and much more horseshoe news and publicity from around the world.

The blue section on the left side of the opening page has 3 groups of links, totaling, 45 links.

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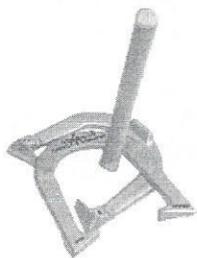
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# THE TOLL OF TIME

## **BOBBY HOLLAND**

Mar 9, 1946-Sept. 30, 2000

The NHPA and Alabama members especially were shocked to learn of the sudden passing of Bobby Holland at the age of 54. A resident of Owens Cross Roads, AL, Bobby died at home apparently of a heart attack in his sleep. An NHPA member since 1990, Bobby was an excellent pitcher who took part in 11 State tournaments and was Alabama State Champion in 1999. The 2000 State tournament was his 30th sanctioned event of the year. Bobby had pitched in seven consecutive World tournaments starting in 1994.

Bobby Holland was the current NHPA Regional Director for Alabama and Mississippi. He held offices as 1st and 2nd VP and President of the Alabama Charter. Just two weeks prior to his death, he was inducted into the AHPA Hall of Fame. A great promoter of the sport, Bobby was in charge of the annual American Diabetes Tournament, which annually drew many pitchers from surrounding states. He had put on numerous demonstrations at schools and was the driving force in getting indoor tournaments started in Huntsville. Survived by his wife Gail, one daughter, two sons and grandchildren, Bobby will be missed by many pitchers throughout the NHPA.

## **HARRY J. JOHNSON**

Wisconsin members will remember Harry Johnson as a very gregarious person. He loved to socialize often doing so during games, which didn't always set well with his opponents. But, that was Harry and over the years fellow pitchers came to understand that he was just a very friendly person. Harry was 80 years old when he died on June 24, 2000. He was a long time member of the Washington Park Club, the Pitchin Palace Association and the Goldendale Horseshoe Club. Many pitchers and his companion Rita Schmidt will miss Harry. Two sons, a daughter and four grandchildren survive him.

## **STEPHEN KRUCZEK**

The Loon Pond Horseshoe Club in Lakeville, Massachusetts, lost an important and much admired member with the sudden passing on August 25, 2000 of Stephen Kruczek, age 52. A long time member of the club who improved his pitching steadily, he had just one week prior to death, pitched his first 50% tournament. At the Kitchener World tournament, he finished 2nd in his class. Often the referee at local tournaments, Stephen will be best remembered for his up-beat personality and sense of humor. His wife Wendy, a son and daughter survive him

## **LEO D. MCGRATH**

July 18, 1903-July 3, 2000

Long-time Ohio and NHPA member Leo McGrath passed away just days before his 97th birthday. Leo was for many years a leader in the National and Buckeye State Horseshoe Associations. He was the Ohio Charter president for 27 years and in 1969 was inducted into their horseshoe pitchers Hall of Fame. In the same year, he received the NHPA Stokes Award and was elected 1st VP of the National. In 1974 he was inducted into the NHPA Hall of Fame. Leo's contributions were primarily as promoter and organizer for some 50 years. He often helped run the World Tournament and served the Ohio Buckeye HPA for years as a tournament director and judge.

## **IVA JO MILLER**

Dec 1940-Sept. 23, 2000

Members of the Southern California charter grieve the loss of a very special lady, Iva Jo Miller, who passed away after a short illness. She joined the NHPA in 1994. During her short time as a member, she won 13 Class Championships. She was State Champion in her class in 1996 and placed 2nd in 1995 and 1997. She achieved a high average of 48%. A member of the Bakersfield Shoe Crew, Iva Jo and her husband Leroy traveled to as many as 28 different tournaments a year. She leaves many friends with fond memories of a great person and keen competitor.

## **ANTHONY NACEWICZ**

In July 2000 Anthony Nacewicz of the Massachusetts HPA passed away after a long illness. He was 86 years old and had been in a nursing home. Tony was a member of the MAHPA Executive Board as a representative of the West Side H.C., one of the charter members of the NHPA Sanctioned League program.

## **JOHN ORIGER**

John Origer was a member of the Sonoma County H.C. in Northern California when he passed away in June at the age of 80. John joined the club in 1986 after winning an amateur tournament. He later served two years as club president. A master nurseryman, John owned his own nursery for 28 years. He was instrumental in getting the City Parks and Recreation Department to expand, rebuild and beautify the local horseshoe courts. His gardening expertise was invaluable during this process. His wife Sandi who for years served as club statistician survives him.

## **TOM PHELAN**

Jan 8, 1927-June 11, 2000

New Mexico member and Albuquerque Horseshoe Club member for more than 20 years, Tom Phelan died June 11 at the age of 73. He had just finished his class A play at a tournament in Pinedale and was preparing for a pitch-off to determine the tournament champion when he was felled by a massive heart attack. For some 45 minutes, his friends performed CPR until an ambulance from Gallup arrived but all efforts to bring him back failed.

Tom was a retired heavy equipment operator and foreman with an earthmoving company where he spent 31 years. A dairy farmer early in life, Tom went back to farming alfalfa fields after retirement, more to pass the time than a need. He also took time to pursue his horseshoe pitching passion, which took him to World Tournaments in Columbus and Spearfish and many events around his home state. His wife Ruth Ann who died in 1992 preceded Tom in death. Three children, grandchildren and great grandchildren survive him.

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### FEBRUARY 2001

**3-11 Valley of the Sun**—Mesa, Arizona. Entry fee \$30, scorekeeping included. Additional fee for those seeded into classes A-D. Entry deadline Jan 24th. Mail entry and fees to Dale Boss, Tournament Director, 8421 East Main #57, Mesa, AZ 85207. Phone 480-357-1283 for further info.

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### INCOME

Membership Dues . . . . .	\$20,262
Newsline Subscriptions . . . . .	4,642
Newsline Ads. . . . .	300
World Tournament Entry Fees . . . . .	720
World Tournament Finals Fees . . . . .	3,200
World Printouts, Photos and Misc. . . . .	1,548
Hibbing W.T. Bid Payment. . . . .	5,000
NHPF Donations . . . . .	197
Misc Patch Sales and Income . . . . .	55
Bank Checking & Money Market Interest . . . . .	3,277

**Total Income \$39,201**

### EXPENDITURES

Newsline Editor Allowance. . . . .	608
Sanctioned League Postage & Phone . . . . .	500
World Tournament Cash & Awards . . . . .	125,010
World Tournament Travel (Officers & Publicity). . . . .	8,443
World Tournament Postage, Supplies & Printing . . . . .	3,939
World Tournament Bid Refunds & Fees. . . . .	5,200
Hall of Fame Awards. . . . .	39
Sanctioned Tournament Patches. . . . .	33
Equipment Purchases, Rental, Repair . . . . .	435
NHPA Office Printing and Supplies . . . . .	1,686
NHPA Postage . . . . .	1,170
NHPA Officers Phone . . . . .	359
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Secretary/Treasurer Allowance . . . . .	3,040
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Professional Accounting Fees . . . . .	700
Special Events . . . . .	839
Misc. Fees, Bonds & Bank Charges. . . . .	171
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**Total Expenses \$158,444**

# STATE TOURNAMENT RESULTS

If your State results are not printed here, it is because they were not received by the October 10th typeset deadline mentioned in the last issue. Missing State results that reach the Newsline editor by December 1 in the below format will be printed in the January/February issue, the last for reporting 2000 State Tournament results.

## ALABAMA

### Gadsden

Sept. 16, 2000 Sanc. #26-00  
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Men Championship	W-L	%
Jerome McCarty	6-1	55.2
Jim Harris	5-2	48.1
James Conaway	4-3	48.9
Tyrone Lowry	4-3	43.7
Randal Light	3-4	50.5
Bobby Holland	3-4	44.1
Jackie Gary	2-5	43.3
Orville McElroy	1-6	41.3
Men B Bill Coggin	4-1	37.5
Men C Billy Jones	5-0	34.0
Men D Mike Campbell	5-0	32.2
Men E Jeff Huff	7-0	34.5
Men F Michael Huff	5-0	17.2
Elder Championship		
Ottie Reno	1-0	37.5
Fred Betterton	0-1	24.7

Women's Championship	W-L	%
Sheila Yancey		44.0
Jr. Boys Championship		
Kenneth Hathcock	1-0	36.9
Daniel Franks	0-1	27.5

## CALIFORNIA

### Bakersfield

Men's Championship	W-L	%
Chuck Seal	10-3	54.9
Nathan Williams	8-4	58.0
John Sylvester	8-4	55.9
Gus Martin	7-4	58.8
Dave Koch	7-4	58.4
Jesse Gonzales	7-4	56.8
Orville Lokken	6-5	50.2
Jerry Schneider	5-6	52.3
Earl Rapp	3-8	50.8
Paul Hopkins	3-8	50.5
Carlos Delgado	3-8	48.0
Mike Lawrence	1-10	45.4
Men B		
Jonathan Williams	8-2	51.0
Men C Tom Sharp	10-2	46.8
Men D Lance Hahaj	10-2	44.7
Men E Les Smullen	10-1	38.1
Men F Joaquin Mendez	9-1	33.7
Men G Efrem Bravo	9-2	29.0
Men H Kingston Lindsey	9-3	26.6
Men I		
Truman "Bud" Aduddell	10-2	22.5
Men J Marvin Sanders	9-2	31.5
Men K Dennis Barber	9-2	26.3
Men L Steve Johnston	10-2	23.3
Men M John Hammett	11-1	18.3
Men N Byrum Rice	9-1	15.0

Elder Men 30' Championship	W-L	%
Ray Santana	9-0	69.2
Victor Ford	5-4	66.4
Flash Mathenia	3-6	57.8
Robert Austin	1-8	52.1
Elder Men B Ken Schulze	7-1	51.2
Elder Men C Bill Padgett	8-2	44.5
Elder Men D Billy Wilkins	6-2	28.4

## Women's Championship

Diane Silva	7-1	59.4
Elaine Butcher	6-2	57.8
Vina Bowen	5-3	53.5
Gail Sluys	4-4	50.8
Linda Hoelscher	4-4	46.7
Foa Remillong	3-5	47.0
Marilyn Brown	3-5	44.0
Jeri Clark	3-5	41.0
Shelly McGrath	1-7	41.0
Wm B Connie Pannell	8-1	54.4
Wm C Sherril Dunkin	7-1	35.9
Wm D Dee Rice	9-1	23.0
Jr. Boys' Championship		
Keith Boone	6-3	68.8
Aaron Garcia	5-4	61.8
Robert Torres	2-6	55.8
Jr. Boys B Chris Riggins	8-0	36.5
Jr. Boys C Alfred Sample	8-0	22.8
Jr. Girls' Championship		
Amy Horton	7-2	25.6
Jr. Girls B Crystal Finch	6-3	9.4

## COLORADO

### Grand Junction

Men's Championship	W-L	%
Sept. 2, 2000 Sanc. #13-00-023		
Paul LaCrosse	7-0	74.0
Rich Pintor	6-1	56.4
Elder Championship		
Dee Powell	5-0	64.8
Glenn Kraft	3-2	50.4
Victor Klette	3-2	49.6
Clarence Garner	3-2	49.3
Maurice Drake	1-4	50.0
Joe Stencil	0-5	48.5

Women's Championship	W-L	%
Mildred Romero	5-0	56.0
Lou Conklin	3-2	55.6
Sheila Shepard	3-2	50.4
Beverly Martinez	2-3	53.5
Pam Cook	2-3	42.7
Sherri Franchini	0-5	44.2

Jr. Championship	W-L	%
Kameron Price	6-0	16.9
Noah Elich	3-3	12.5
Richard Barrera	3-3	10.6
A Dan Martinez	4-3	50.3
B Mel Crider	6-1	41.8
C Ken Trujillo	7-1	41.3
D Moises Carrillo	7-1	32.5
E Robert Pintor	6-1	26.1
F Richard Sewell	6-2	19.7
G Geno Sandoval	6-1	15.4
Elder B Tony Paiz	5-0	54.0
Mixed C Bob Champion	5-1	27.5
Mixed D Randi Reed	5-0	28.1
Mixed E Paula Lively	5-1	17.1

## CONNECTICUT

### New Haven

Men's Championship	W-L	%
Sept 16-17, 2000 Sanc. #49-00-016		
Norm Rioux	7-0	64.8
Bill Navratil	5-2	66.4
Kevin Duquette	5-2	58.2
Dave Lick	4-3	61.9

Cliff Costello	4-3	59.2
Pete Schermerhorn	2-5	50.0
Ron Murray, Jr.	1-6	46.3
Men B		
Don Maine	7-0	53.0
Men C		
Paul Jary	6-1	50.6
Men D		
Nick Longo	7-0	44.4
Men E		
Ron Murray, Sr.	6-2	38.5
Men F		
Steve Worcester	7-1	36.5
Men G		
Fred Hutchins	6-2	32.3
Men H		
Art Solhem	6-1	33.0
Men I		
C. Surprenant	6-1	31.3
Men J		
John Garcia	7-0	29.5
Elder's Championship		
Jim Pagliarulo	7-0	81.2
Women's Championship		
Janet Anzalone	5-0	42.6
Carol Atwood	3-2	36.7
Cheryl Garcia	3-2	33.9
Cathy Castleberry	2-3	29.4
Roxanne Main	2-3	24.3
Jr. Boys' Championship		
Torrie Byrne	3-3	17.3
Jr. Girls' Championship		
Tori Eaton	5-0	45.4
Jr. Girls B		
Amy Henson	6-1	25.6

## FLORIDA

Men's Championship		
Ron Deckard		66%
Women's Championship		
Carrie Carpenter		58%
Elder's Championship		
James Adcox		64%
Jr. Championship		
Brady Sunday		24%

## IDAHO

Men's Championship	W-L	%
Gary Kollmann	10-1	55.6
Charles Ault	9-2	55.6
Gary Opper	7-3	54.9
William Rust	5-5	52.8
Harry Chapin	5-5	47.1
Jesse Lyda	5-5	44.4
Joe Campbell	4-6	47.4
David Spears	4-6	46.8
Clyde Marquez	4-6	44.7
George Sasz	2-8	36.0
Tom Goss	1-9	42.1
Women's Championship		
Linda Vangorder	5-0	54.4
Sofia Corn	4-1	34.0
Linda Pickering	2-3	39.2
Teri Opper	2-3	27.6
Debbie Vulk	2-3	25.6
Virginia Manwill	0-5	17.2

## Elder Men's Championship

Don Moser	5-0	67.2
Clarence Webb	4-1	67.2
Dean Valentine	3-2	53.2
Ralph Warthen	2-3	54.4
Leon Johnson	1-4	42.4
Alma Clark	0-5	35.6
Men B Rodney Pickering	7-1	36.3
Men C		
Chester Whitworth	6-1	32.8
Elder Men B		
Don Manwill	5-1	40.6

## ILLINOIS

### Oakland

Men's Championship	W-L	%
Sept. 2-4, 2000 Sanc. #29-00-055		
Robert Schaver	14-1	64.9
Larry Knop	13-2	66.7
C. Leon Johnson	12-3	64.3
Cliff Baker	11-4	59.9
Charlie Webb	10-5	60.7
Michael Knop	10-5	60.0
Kenneth Schaver	10-5	55.6
Mike McBride	8-7	54.0
Jerry Dumstorff	6-9	56.1
Lawrence Fettes, Jr.	6-9	51.7
Craig Zuehlke	6-9	51.2
Harold Rutan	4-11	52.4
Dennis Griesbaum	4-11	46.1
Leslie Mullen	3-12	50.8
Norm Hartwell	2-13	45.0
Dennis Davis	1-14	38.3
Men B Chuck Carlson	10-1	53.4
Men C Gary Titus	10-1	46.9
Men D Bill Marvin	9-3	47.6
Men E Lee Watkins	10-1	46.5
Men F Bob Manion	9-2	36.9
Men G Todd Savage	9-2	38.3
Men H Bart Higdon, Sr.	9-1	32.8
Men I Don Mantz	9-1	35.2
Men J Dale Garrett	10-1	28.0
Men K Bryan White	9-1	32.2
Men L Dave Garrett	10-0	31.2
Men M Bob Massie	9-1	24.6
Men N Todd Pierce	10-0	16.8

Women's Championship	W-L	%
Nellie Fleming	7-1	49.4
Mary Hodges	6-2	53.2
Charlotte Renick	5-2	62.8
Suzanne Swank	4-3	57.2
Vida Marit	3-4	51.2
Sandra Hare	2-5	42.5
Judy Long	1-6	40.7
Hallid Lambert	1-6	37.6
Wm A Charlotte Renick	7-0	64.5
Wm B Judy Long	5-1	48.3
Wm C Verna Ramirez	6-0	42.6
Wm D Melissa Dickerson	6-0	32.0
Men 70+ Championship		
Walter Danielson	7-1	58.4
Ervin Starwalt	6-2	48.1
Edgar Brewer	5-2	52.7
Harold Bull	4-3	38.9
James Wilson	3-4	48.9

# STATE TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Roger Reinebach 3-4 46.0  
William Wordel 1-6 37.1  
Noah Matthews 0-7 30.7

**Men 70+ B**  
Russell Dockstader 7-0 42.1

**Jr. Boys' Championship**  
Tyler Koons 5-1 50.0  
Jay Kohlmeier 4-2 45.0  
Thomas Johnson 3-3 37.9  
Austin Bailey 0-6 31.6

**Jr. Boys B**  
Eric Marvin 5-1 20.4

**Jr. Girls' Championship**  
Danielle Rakstad 2-1 8.6  
Crystal Wason 1-2 16.4

## INDIANA

**Sept. 2-4, 2000 Sanc. #31-00-047**

**Men's Championship W-L %**  
Mark Seibold 9-0 70.4  
Dale Moles 7-2 64.1  
Ron Womack 6-3 51.0  
Dale Henry 4-5 62.5  
Fred Gross 4-5 59.0  
Phil Arnett 3-6 60.7  
Ralph Guffey 3-6 60.3  
Russell Baker 3-6 57.4  
Doug Ray 3-6 53.7  
Tom Cory 3-6 53.5

**Women's Championship**  
Nancy Yaros 5-0 58.8  
Dorothy Pittman 4-1 54.5  
Tammi Cunningham 3-2 48.1  
Carol Johns 2-3 42.3  
Jenny Morris 1-4 40.2  
Ruth Farley 0-5 37.6

**Elder Men's Championship**  
Curly Seibold 7-1 79.6  
Bob Logan 6-2 79.2  
Cooley Smith 5-2 78.8  
Ed Kowatch 3-4 67.7  
Warren Woolsey 3-4 67.4  
Fred Rink Jr. 3-4 62.8  
Dean Crail 2-5 54.7  
Harry Palmateer 0-7 55.1

**Jr. Boys' Championship**  
Brent Keen 3-1 58.5  
David Bradley 1-3 44.8

**Jr. Boys A**  
Lance Huth 3-0 51.0  
Erick Baker 0-3 19.3

**Jr. Boys B Lee Seibold** 6-0 17.9

**Jr. Boys C**  
Gary Pearman II 4-2 12.4  
Kyle Newell 2-4 6.4

**Mixed A Don Newell** 7-0 56.2

**Mixed B Ted Paver** 6-2 48.1

**Mxd C Herschel Walters** 6-1 50.9

**Mixed D Larry Wright** 7-0 49.4

**Mixed E Gerald Fisher** 8-0 35.8

**Mixed F Ed Besser** 7-0 42.6

**Mixed G Leroy Salmon** 5-2 29.3

**Mixed H Bill Hurley** 6-1 30.6

**Mixed I Dean Schieber** 7-0 29.7

**Mixed J Deb Rhea** 7-1 31.4

**Mixed K Herb McCoskey** 7-0 31.2  
**Mixed L Jerry Keck** 7-1 35.4  
**Mixed M Jack Rhodes** 6-1 35.5  
**Mixed N Duane Draper** 7-1 19.1  
**Mxd O Charles Swander** 7-1 21.3

## IOWA

**Aug. 13 & 20, 2000 Sanc.#24-00-39**

**Men's Championship W-L %**  
Marv Woollums 5-0 57.7  
Bob McKee 3-2 50.7  
Larry Purcell 3-2 49.6  
Leo Buell 2-3 54.4  
Marv. Engstled 2-3 47.2  
Joe Smith 0-5 41.6

**Men A Gary Reed** 5-1 46.6  
**Men B Chas Phipps** 5-0 38.7  
**Men C Darwin Mott** 5-1 39.9  
**Men D Glen Stover** 5-0 31.4  
**Men E Terry Shea** 5-1 46.6  
**Men F Keith Baker** 5-0 29.3  
**Men G Bob Lindberg** 4-1 38.5  
**Men H Brett Robb** 6-0 27.0  
**Men I Dick Huitt** 5-1 15.4

**Men's 30' Championship**  
Mac McKay 4-2 53.7  
Ed Walsh 3-3 53.4  
Wilbur Rasmussen 3-3 53.2  
Jack Roush 2-4 39.2

**Men's 30' A**  
Gene Rittman 3-0 33.1

**Women's Championship**  
Cathy Carter 5-0 60.9  
Mic Wilson 4-1 42.3  
Kristy Klizch 3-2 23.5  
Phyllis Von Thun 2-3 26.9  
Annette Hudson 1-4 18.9  
Lois Garner 0-5 10.4

**Jr. Championship**  
James Fortune 6-0 37.1  
Gage Smith 4-2 30.4  
Daniel Smith 1-5 17.0  
Kyle Roapp 1-5 9.3

## KANSAS

**Men's Championship W-L %**  
Bernie Vanlerberg 10-1 61.5  
Robert Booe 9-2 50.0  
Doug McConnell 7-4 49.6  
Dave Kincaid 7-4 46.9  
Roger Potts 7-4 46.7  
Don Swegel 5-6 46.0  
Terry Cuthbertson 5-6 42.9  
Ted Furtado 5-6 41.4  
Carl Folsom Sr. 4-7 36.1  
Les Bartels 3-8 39.6  
Ron Martin 2-9 40.1  
Tom Routh 2-9 35.4  
**Men A Tom Swain** 8-1 40.5  
**Men B Lyle Kern** 9-0 35.2  
**Men C David Tate** 8-1 29.4  
**Men D Cato Hernandez** 8-1 29.4  
**Men E Joe Newman** 9-1 22.6

**Women's Championship**  
Mary Ann Peninger 5-0 77.2  
Wynne Mihura 4-1 58.1

Ora Lee Jearde 3-2 45.9  
Janelle Peninger 2-3 44.5  
Jan VanLerberg 1-4 39.9  
Deanie Reheis 0-5 34.6  
**Wm A Priscilla Hedges** 3-0 41.7  
**Wm B Mary Trollope** 3-0 29.1

**Elder's Championship**  
Melvin Bray 5-0 71.8  
Charles Bud Green 3-2 62.1  
Charlie Pringle 3-2 61.9  
Alan Hillman 2-3 62.7  
Duane Pollard 1-4 60.6  
Bill Whitley 1-4 60.4  
**Elder A Ray White** 5-0 59.1  
**Elder B Harvey Washburn** 7-0 43.2  
**Elder C Harley Tucker** 6-1 18.6

**Jr. Boys' Championship**  
Austin Case 5-0 38.5  
Travis Thompson 4-1 44.9  
Joshua Routh 3-2 16.2  
Travis Turner 2-3 9.0

**Jr. Girls' Championship**  
Rachel O'Bryan 1-4 5.6

## LOUISIANA

**Men A W-L %**  
Ron Latiolais 7-0 62.1  
**Men B Jim Draper** 5-2 32.9  
**Men C Ken Stewart** 6-2 30.9  
**Men D Al Dodson** 5-0 36.0  
**Men E Donnie Irby** 4-1 25.5  
**Men F Chuck Lilley** 5-0 26.5  
**Men G Dennis Daughterly** 6-1 22.5  
**Men H George Gregory** 7-1 18.2  
**Men I Richard Hibbs** 7-1 13.6

**Elder Men A**  
Jack Atchley 7-0 53.6  
**Wm A Pat Strain** 7-0 45.0  
**Wm B Melanie Williams** 7-1 37.5  
**Wm C Dana Reed** 5-0 26.0  
**Wm D Janet Lilley** 4-1 17.0  
**Jr. A Damien Chaisson** 5-1 32.5  
**Jr. B Tracy Pearce** 5-1 19.2

## MAINE

**July 15, 2000 Sanc. #45-00-006**

**Men's Class A W-L %**  
John Leach 7-0 54.9  
David Gallant 4-3 50.9  
Joe Ramsdell Jr. 4-3 50.0  
Carl York 4-3 49.1  
Albert Lord 3-4 46.1  
Harlan Parsons 3-4 45.8  
Charlie Lytle 3-4 38.2  
Clifton Williams 0-7 40.3  
**Men B Dick Smith** 9-1 47.3  
**Men C Marc Ritchie** 5-2 35.3  
**Men D Robert Devou Jr.** 8-2 30.1  
**Men E Bill Reichert** 7-0 23.0

**Wm's Class A**  
Carol Simpson 73.5

**Jr. Boys A**  
Joseph Ramsdell III 6-0 66.0

**Jr. Girls A**  
Nicole Williams 5-1 18.1  
**Jr. B Matt Ramsdell** 3-3 33.4

## MARYLAND

**Sept. 2-3, 2000 Sanc. #42-00-008**

**Men's Championship W-L %**  
Elbert Shifflett 74.0  
Mandell Proctor 72.2  
Dale Dean 62.3  
**Men B Joe White** 49.2  
**Men C Don Wiley** 35.8  
**Men D Glenn Buckler** 33.9  
**Men E Bob McBride** 30.7  
**Men F John Kisielewski** 23.3  
**Men G Eddie Ellison** 17.7

**Elder Men's Championship**  
Don Gobeli 17.7  
Bob Cox 21.9

**Women's Championship**  
Mary Eversole 49.0  
Barbara Thomas 36.4  
Jane Barthlow 39.5  
**Wm B Janet Miller** 24.1

**Jr. Boys Championship**  
Steve Proctor 59.6  
Ryan Beall 35.7  
**Jr. Boys B Clark Boas** 23.3

**Jr. Girls Championship**  
Meredith Boas 10.2

## MASSACHUSETTS

**July 23, 2000 Sanc. #48-00-006**

**Men's Class A W-L %**  
John Kapnis 7-0 78.8  
Rick Howe 6-1 63.5  
Ray Bedard 4-3 60.1  
Jim Bigelow 4-3 55.7  
Edward Domey 4-3 51.4  
Bob Foisy 2-5 51.7  
Steve Kruczek 1-6 38.5  
**Men B Kirk Duluca** 7-0 51.6  
**Men C Dennis Vargeletis** 7-2 37.1

**Men D**  
Charles Richardson 7-0 41.0  
**Men E Ken Terrio** 7-0 34.8  
**Men F Edward Boehnke** 7-0 27.2  
**Men G Alan Carlsen** 7-0 28.8  
**Men H Edgar Turner** 3-1 7.9

**Wm's Class A**  
Barbara Hanson 8-0 70.9  
Kathleen Sullivan 6-2 66.9  
Debby Michaud 4-4 62.2  
Janet Dicalogero 2-6 55.1  
Marge Tyrie 0-8 43.3  
**Wm B Pat Army** 5-0 40.6

**Elder Class A**  
Angelo Cieslak 6-0 54.7  
George Davenport 3-3 35.0  
Joe Pepi 33 33.8

**Jr. Boys A**  
Tom Bigelow 5-0 23.4  
Marc Bedard 0-5 0

## MICHIGAN

**Sept. 1-3, 2000 Sanc. #30-00-065**

**Men's Championship W-L %**  
Tom Williams 16-2 70.0  
Douglas Bailey 15-3 62.0  
Larry Kemp 12-6 58.4  
Andy Matthews 12-6 58.3  
James Norville 10-8 54.8

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Marty Quillen	7-11	49.7
Fred Boller	7-11	46.5
Charlie Laramie	5-13	42.6
Larry Hinton	4-14	45.4
Rod Tanner	2-16	43.0
<b>Men B</b> Claude Gillin	8-4	46.2
<b>Men C</b> Bill Miller	10-1	41.5
<b>Men D</b> Greg Ferri	9-3	30.6
<b>Men E</b> Robert Boller	10-1	33.2
<b>Men F</b> Ralph Klauka	14-0	23.2

<b>Women's Championship</b>		
Judy Curtiss	10-0	81.5
Kathy Yaworski	7-3	60.0
Judy Dennis	7-3	59.8
Patty Ingraham	4-6	48.4
Fran Mieske	2-8	40.0
<b>Wm B</b> Kay Boller	10-4	27.5

<b>Elders Championship</b>		
Jim Wiltse	11-1	66.1
Elbert Hawkins	9-3	57.4
Claude Shannahan	2-10	50.9

<b>Elder B</b>		
Steve Summerlin	8-3	51.3
<b>Elder C</b> Frank Penterics 10-0 56.5		
<b>Elder E</b> Marv Falk 9-4 25.0		

<b>Jr. Championship</b>		
Frank Quillen	0-0	55.3
<b>Jr. B</b> Ryan Rademacher 6-0 29.2		
<b>Jr. C</b>		
Jonathon Stephenson	4-0	12.1

## MISSOURI New Melle

Sept. 2-4, 2000 Sanc. #19-00-029

<b>Men's Championship</b>		
Sam Carter	11-1	70.3
Stan Griggs	10-2	68.6
Randall Grady	9-2	61.6
Dale Parrott	6-5	58.9
Ron Hassler	6-5	54.6
M.O. Turner	5-6	61.9
Steve Johnson	5-6	55.4
Richard Altis	4-7	56.1
Charles Killgore	3-8	57.3
Elwyn Cooper	3-8	55.7
Ken Pogue	3-8	53.3
Larry Joe Lucas	2-9	54.6

<b>Men A</b> Jim Howard	7-1	50.4
<b>Men B</b> Dan Hobbs	7-0	45.4
<b>Men C</b> Edward Griffith	7-0	50.0
<b>Men D</b> Ron LeGrand	6-1	36.5
<b>Men E</b> Rod Romig	7-0	40.1
<b>Men F</b> John Bill Orf	6-2	33.1

<b>Men G</b> Al Gwinn	6-1	35.2
<b>Men H</b> Darrell Helton	6-1	35.5
<b>Men I</b> Jack Cargile	6-1	33.5
<b>Men J</b> Erbie J. Wisdom	7-0	35.6
<b>Men K</b> John Mike Barton	7-0	32.2
<b>Men L</b> Larry G. Brown	6-1	27.9
<b>Men M</b> Randy York	7-1	32.8
<b>Men N</b> David Redhage	5-1	26.7
<b>Men O</b> Doug Bartlett	6-1	24.3
<b>Men P</b> Lew Hayes	6-1	25.2
<b>Men Q</b> Leo Basler	6-2	23.4
<b>Men R</b> Delbert Bays	7-1	22.9
<b>Men S</b> Roland Ragan	6-1	16.1

**Women's Championship**

Rose Diekamp	7-0	68.0
Jan Kreienkamp	6-1	71.0
Loree Meier	5-2	60.5
Pam Henderson	4-3	64.3
Vicki Winston	3-4	58.8
Sharon Taylor	2-5	49.7
Jeanette Claas	1-6	44.4
Karen Romig	0-7	43.7
<b>Wm A</b> Regi Jonak	6-2	49.7
<b>Wm B</b> Dorothy Gooch	5-2	39.3
<b>Wm C</b> Mary Duke	6-1	27.9
<b>Wm D</b> Ann Strus	6-1	36.1
<b>Wm E</b> Angie Nesslage	7-1	25.7
<b>Wm F</b> Sharon Wolf	6-2	26.1
<b>Wm G</b> Betty Jean Hardy	7-0	30.7

<b>Sr. Championship</b>		
Clifford Collins Sr.	6-1	38.2
Wayne Barber	5-2	36.8
Wayne Henderson	4-3	37.2
Ed Foster	4-3	34.0
Reese Wardon	4-3	30.5
Frank Miles	2-5	32.5
Douglas Peoples	2-5	26.8
Earl Winston	1-6	24.6

<b>Senior A</b>		
Carlyle Gricks Jr.	7-0	41.7
<b>Elder's 30' Championship</b>		
Don Harris	7-0	63.5
Oden Sullivan	5-2	57.4
Ron Craven	4-3	55.1
George Weldon	4-3	51.2
Harrold Pettiecord	3-4	52.5
Gene Towne	3-4	49.3
Milburn Schrum	2-5	50.6

<b>Elder 30' A</b>		
Darwin Compton	7-0	55.1

<b>Elder 30' B</b>		
Charles Rogers	5-2	39.1

<b>Elder 30' C</b>		
Maurice Hines	5-0	33.1

<b>Elder 30' D</b>		
Howard Brandt	5-0	34.5

<b>Jr. Championship</b>		
Levi Blevins	5-0	63.9
Tyler Elfrink	4-1	66.8
Andrew Reeves	3-2	42.8
Clinton Beaver	2-3	28.4
Kevin Hampton Jr.	1-4	34.6
Delbert Bays Jr.	0-5	30.6
<b>Jr. A</b> Dyland Elfrink	5-0	24.8
<b>Jr. B</b> Mason Jennings	5-0	36.7

## MONTANA

Seely Lake Mt. Aug. 26-27, 2000

<b>Men's Championship</b>		
Jack Boston	7-0	52.8
Albert Dige	5-2	40.7
John Germann	4-3	44.0
Archie Dulaney	4-3	42.7
Jack Price	3-4	43.8
Darrell Beckwith	3-4	41.4
Don Larson	2-5	38.8
Rudy Crawford	0-7	34.5
<b>Men B</b> Gary Roe	6-1	31.6
<b>Men C</b> Michael F. Gribben	5-2	25.9
<b>Men D</b> Bert Mannix	6-00	27.7
<b>Men E</b> Freddie Jay	5-1	15.4

## NEBRASKA

Ainsworth

Sept. 2-3, 2000 Sanc. #17-00-036

<b>Men's Championship</b>		
Terry Hiatt	W-L	%
Lorin Mills		47.6
Dale Seybert		53.9
Don Branting		48.0
		47.4

<b>Women's Championship</b>		
Lorraine Gerdes		54.7
Velma Smith		51.2
Marion Thomsen		51.1
<b>Wm A</b> Bev Hinrichs		42.1
<b>Wm B</b> Debra Bargstadt		26.8

<b>30' Championship</b>		
Bill Nelson		62.0
Gael Sears		57.2
Gordon Fuhr		59.4
<b>30' A</b> Rolly Johnson		40.3
<b>30'B</b> Charles Derrickson		34.1

<b>Jr. Boys' Championship</b>		
Marcus Thomsen		60.5

<b>Jr. Girls' Championship</b>		
Sara Angel		27.1

<b>Jr. A</b> Joseph Thomsen 22.1		
<b>Jr. B</b> Erin Painter 11.0		

<b>Class AA</b> Steve Barry 37.5		
<b>Class A</b> Ron Welsh 39.8		

<b>Class BB</b> Paul Dubs 40.7		
<b>Class B</b> Joe Mertens 27.3		

<b>Class CC</b> Richard Kuehn 24.6		
<b>Class C</b> Louis Larabee 22.1		

<b>Class DD</b> Patrick Korth 27.8		
<b>Class D</b> Ralph Rein 25.0		

<b>Class EE</b> Doug Michael 21.7		
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## NEW ENGLAND

Keene, New Hampshire

Sept. 2-4, 2000 Sanc. #47-00-007

<b>Men's Championship</b>		
Jim Pagliarulo, CT	W-L	%
Brian Simmons, CT		7-1 83.8
Doug Kienia, ME		6-2 83.8
John Kapnis, MA		5-2 72.1
Kevin Hollister, VT		4-3 70.7
Gale Green, VT		3-4 72.8
Ray Charbonneau, VT		3-4 71.5
Rick Howe, MA		1-6 66.4
<b>Men B</b> Norm Rioux, CT		0-7 55.8
<b>Men BB</b> John Buzik, CT		7-0 71.0
<b>Men C</b> Bill Tompkins, CT		6-1 54.3
<b>Men CC</b> Carl York, ME		6-1 59.2
<b>Men D</b>		5-2 49.3

<b>Men DD</b> Joe Ramsdell, Jr., ME		7-1 47.5
<b>Men DD</b> Mike Hollis, CT		6-1 42.4

<b>Men E</b>		
Clarence Brainard, CT		6-1 39.6

<b>Men EE</b> Mike Brown, VT 6-1 48.9		
<b>Men FF</b> Charles Lytle, ME 6-1 44.6		

<b>Men F</b>		
Ron Murray, Sr., CT		6-2 43.3

<b>Men G</b> Joe Forgues, VT 6-1 39.3		
<b>Men GG</b> Robert Lee, NH 8-1 42.5		

<b>Men H</b>		
Dennis Vargeletis, MA		6-1 37.4

<b>Men HH</b>		
John Wardner, NH		6-1 36.4

<b>Men I</b>		
Lester Vose, Jr., MA		6-1 36.0

<b>Men II</b> Steve Frost, ME 7-0 36.9		
<b>Men J</b> Brian Hall, MA 6-2 26.8		

<b>Men JJ</b>		
Paul Welburn, CT		6-2 29.6

<b>Men K</b>		
Bruce Campbell, ME		7-0 36.3

<b>Men KK</b> Art Solhem, CT 6-2 31.3		
<b>Men L</b>		

Thomas Courtney, MA		7-0 33.0
<b>Men LL</b>		

Glenn Guyette, NH		6-2 25.8
<b>Men M</b>		

Paul Tetreault, NH		6-2 35.4
<b>Men MM</b>		

Bill Reichert, ME		7-0 30.2
<b>Men N</b> Bob Traquair, NH		7-1 24.6

<b>Men NN</b>		
Lance Carline, RI		6-1 22.9

<b>Men O</b> Jack Voss, ME 5-0 22.0		
<b>Men OO</b>		

John Garcia, CT		6-2 24.4
<b>Men P</b>		

Dennis Weston, NH		6-1 22.5
<b>Men PP</b>		

Austin Pudvar, VT		8-1 15.6
<b>Men Q</b> Bill Coburn, NH 601 18.7		

<b>Women's Championship</b>		
Carol Simpson, ME		7-1 75.0

Barbara Hanson, MA		6-2 69.7
Gerry Brooks, ME		5-2 75.9

Lisa Maille, NH		5-2 73.7
Katy Traquair, NH		2-5 60.0

Debra Brown, VT		2-5 58.6
Debby Michaud		2-5 55.4

Bev Conger, VT		0-7 26.6
<b>Wm B</b> Cindy Gale, ME 7-1 56.4		

<b>Wm C</b> Diane Pagano, CT 6-1 44.1		
<b>Wm D</b> Elise Forgues, VT 7-0 28.2		

<b>Jr. Boys' Championship</b>		
Joe Ramsdell III, ME		7-0 65.3

<b>Jr. Girls' Championship</b>		
Meagan Bigelow, VT		5-0 49.4

<b>Jr. Boys B</b>		
Torrie Byrnm CT		5-0 28.5

<b>Jr. Girls B</b>		
Aimie Wooster, CT		6-0 18.6

## NEW HAMPSHIRE

July 22, 2000 Sanc. #47-00-005

<b>Men's Championship</b>		
Steve Squires, Jr.	W-L	%
Bill Dannhauer		7-0 65.6
Dave Wilson		6-1 65.3
Paul Sarette		5-2 59.8
Wayne Skip Smith		4-3 47.9
Robert Ladd Sr.		3-4 36.2
Roger L. Boudle		2-5 30.0
<b>Men B</b> Norm Green		1-6 28.6
<b>Men B</b> Norm Green		6-2 51.5
<b>Men C</b> Jack Guyette		6-2 42.6
<b>Men D</b> Glenn Ryder		6-1 31.2
<b>Men E</b> Don Jarvis		7-0 32.9
<b>Men F</b> Paul Tetreault		7-0 29.5
<b>Men G</b> Bill Colburn		7-2 11.7

<b>Women's Championship</b>		
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Katy Traquair	3-1	71.3
Lisa Maille	1-3	65.6
<b>Wm B Marge Boudrias</b>	5-0	57.0
<b>Jr. Boys' Championship</b>		
Josh Chakarian	50-	36.7
<b>Jr. Girls Championship</b>		
Estelle Green	4-1	36.5

## NEW JERSEY

### Flemington Fairgrounds

Aug 31-Sep 4, 00 Sanc#51-00-0036

<b>Championship Class</b>	W-L	%
Joe McCrink	14-0	78.3
John Forti	9-5	59.8
Hobart Shelton	7-7	52.9
Bob Brown	7-7	52.3
Rich Fisch	6-8	52.5
Al Birchler	6-8	51.5
Bob Manzoni	4-10	49.8
Dave Crichlow	3-11	47.4
<b>Class A Ed Quigley</b>	7-0	58.5
<b>Class B Wells Reeve</b>	6-1	49.6
<b>Class C Cookie Elmer</b>	6-1	36.3
<b>Class D George Ripley</b>	7-0	32.9
<b>Class E Bob Wright</b>	6-1	29.8
<b>Class F Eddie Leick, Sr.</b>	5-1	25.1
<b>Class G Steve Hubay</b>	5-0	23.7
<b>Class H Joe Shipula</b>	4-0	16.6
<b>Jr. Championship</b>		
Justin MacIntyre	5-1	24.6
<b>Jr. A John Short</b>	4-0	5.6

## NEW MEXICO

<b>Men Championship</b>	W-L	%
Leo Laumbach	6-2	58.8
Daniel Martin	4-3	57.5
Rollen Mariano	4-3	52.1
Ken Jones	3-3	53.3
Harrison Mariano	2-4	50.0
Harry Mariano	2-4	43.6
Harold Combs	2-4	42.0
<b>Men B Randy Priddy</b>	6-2	53.8
<b>Men C Peter Baca</b>	4-1	39.5
<b>Men D Jim Sanchez</b>	5-0	45.0
<b>Men E Bergin Riddle</b>	4-1	32.0
<b>Men F George Romero</b>	7-1	33.4
<b>Men G Gilbert Valdez</b>	5-1	34.1
<b>Women's Championship</b>		
Ann Vigil	5-2	53.2
<b>Wm B Doris Miller</b>	4-0	49.0
<b>Elder Men's Championship</b>		
Paul Martin Sr.	4-0	64.5
<b>Jr. Boys' Championship</b>		
Urias Martin	3-2	72.4
<b>B Jr Boys Leithen Platero</b>	5-0	29.5
<b>C Jr Boys</b>		
Shawn Rossenbarker	5-1	27.9

## NEW YORK

<b>Men's Championship</b>	W-L	%
Art Tyson	7-1	75.4
Robert Hayes	6-2	74.6
Robert Jones	4-3	72.8
Mike DiMartino	4-3	61.7
Robert Pike	3-4	61.2
John Bogardus	2-5	59.9
David Rundell	2-5	52.6

Alan Overbaugh	1-6	54.4
<b>Men A Robert Jones</b>	7-0	71.7
<b>Men B David Rundell</b>	6-2	61.2
<b>Men C Roy Emich</b>	5-1	56.0
<b>Men D Fred Bailey</b>	6-1	45.7
<b>Men E Dennis Pritchard</b>	7-0	51.7
<b>Men F James Hoxie</b>	7-2	53.3
<b>Men G Edward Ryder</b>	6-1	47.5
<b>Men H Greg Wiley</b>	7-0	41.4
<b>Men I Jerry Jessmore</b>	8-1	35.8
<b>Men J Bub Conant</b>	7-1	42.5
<b>Men K George McCracken</b>	6-2	36.2
<b>Men L Dan Phillips</b>	6-2	32.8
<b>Men M Larry Seaman</b>	6-2	36.2
<b>Men N Bob Berninger</b>	7-1	30.2
<b>Men O Chad Bush</b>	7-2	35.2
<b>Men P Louis Kitchner</b>	6-1	28.9
<b>Men Q Cliff Reese</b>	8-0	32.1
<b>Men R Edward Bedford</b>	7-0	20.9
<b>Men S Gary McKay</b>	7-2	23.8
<b>Men T Hoppy Hopkins</b>	7-0	23.3
<b>Men U Park Rauch</b>	7-0	27.5

<b>Women's Championship</b>		
Sue Twyman	7-0	60.8
Karen Graham	6-1	58.4
Sandra Bough	5-2	52.1
Traci Hastings	4-3	47.3
Pat Turner	3-4	46.7
Janet Horning	1-6	42.7
Rose Wright	1-6	40.4
Joan James	1-6	36.6
<b>Wm A Karen Graham</b>	7-0	60.3
<b>Wm B Lorraine Valentino</b>	6-2	41.2
<b>Wm C Rosanne Watts</b>	5-1	30.4
<b>Wm D Margaret Kozik</b>	5-0	27.5
<b>Sr. Championship</b>		
David Scott	4-0	52.2
Harlan Olsen	3-1	37.0
Vic Davis	2-2	15.6

<b>Elder's Championship</b>		
Stan Towne	6-0	51.0
Richard Corni	3-3	55.3
<b>Elder B</b>		
Patrick McCarthy	5-0	38.1
<b>Jr. Boys' Championship</b>		
Richard Marks, Jr.	6-1	54.2
Richard Beardslee	5-2	45.9
William Marks	4-2	35.7
Troy Back	3-3	26.0
Shad Wright	2-4	24.5
Travis Back	1-5	21.9
Toby Back	1-5	17.7
<b>Jr. Boys B</b>		
Aaron Dorler	6-0	23.3
<b>Jr. Girls' Championship</b>		
Tenesia Mayer	6-0	50.3
Elizabeth King	4-2	44.9
Samantha Marshall	2-4	17.8
Julianne Skidders	0-6	9.6

## NORTH CAROLINA

### Wilkesboro

Sept. 2, 2000 Sanc. #40-00-032		
<b>Men's Championship</b>	W-L	%
Tommy Gann	7-0	73.0

Paul Stewart	5-2	58.0
Clyde Southern	4-3	54.7
Rick Bolick, Sr.	4-3	55.7
Dufaye Pearson	2-5	50.6
N.A. Moore	2-5	55.1
Randy Joines	2-5	52.6
Jerry Brittain	2-5	46.2
<b>Men A Stan Ballenger</b>	6-1	38.2
<b>Men B Roy Warren</b>	7-0	45.4
<b>Men C Earl Collins</b>	5-1	31.7
<b>Men D Fred Nilsson</b>	6-1	31.7
<b>Men E Richard Rowland</b>	6-2	24.1
<b>Men F Chuck Mellott</b>	7-2	24.4
<b>Men G Claude York</b>	5-1	12.1
<b>Women's Championship</b>		
Rivers Prewette	3-0	69.2
Sheila Bolick	0-3	43.0
<b>Elder's Championship</b>		
Tom Eaton	3-1	47.8
Jeff Smith	2-2	37.1
John Patzsch	1-2	48.5
Gil Vallincourt	1-2	33.0
<b>Jr. Boys' Championship</b>		
Eric Gann	5-0	54.6
<b>Jr. Girls' Championship</b>		
Airel Bolick	5-0	9.0

## OHIO

<b>Men's Championship</b>	W-L	%
Alan Francis	11-0	82.7
Jim Walters	10-1	78.8
John Brown	7-4	70.7
John Walters	7-4	70.3
Gary Roberts	6-5	67.1
Rex Uhrig	5-6	65.5
Bob Lautenschleger	5-6	64.9
Virgil Rife	5-6	63.4
Doug Crawford	3-8	67.3
Jim Riley	3-8	58.9
Jim Rhymmer	2-9	59.5
John Singleton	2-9	57.0
<b>Men B Bob Garber</b>	10-1	63.7
<b>Men C Darryl Miller</b>	10-1	62.2
<b>Men D Ken Farley</b>	7.5-3.5	48.6
<b>Men E Roy Dugger</b>	11-0	55.9
<b>Men F Dave Rose</b>	10-1	48.6
<b>Men G Ed Waugaman</b>	5-2	46.4
<b>Men H Terry Lucas</b>	5-2	43.5
<b>Men I Ed Nicholson</b>	6-1	40.0
<b>Men J Brian Fisher</b>	6-1	51.7
<b>Men K Dan Sanders</b>	7-0	42.8
<b>Men L Ed Bowden</b>	7-0	32.1
<b>Men M Gary Arledge</b>	7-0	38.2
<b>Men N David Jimison</b>	5.5-1.5	35.0
<b>Men O Jim Smith</b>	6-1	32.8
<b>Men P Kenny Clark</b>	7-0	24.2
<b>Men Q Bob Garrett</b>	7-0	18.9
<b>Elder Men's Championship</b>		
Earl Vansant	7-0	56.4
Bill Treisch	6-1	58.4
Joe Pillion	5-2	55.8
Roy Lyons	4-3	51.8
<b>Elder Men B</b>		
Don Carson	2-4	41.4
<b>Elder Men C</b>		
David Kirk	8-0	41.5
<b>Elder Men D</b>		

Bob Wyscarver	4-4	26.8
<b>Women's Championship</b>		
Amy Francis	6-0	74.1
Carolyn Rice	5-1	69.4
Ruth Rife	4-2	68.4
Donna Dodson	3-3	54.2
Linda Gheen	2-4	46.2
Lisa Conley	1-5	45.9
Jennifer Walters	0-6	44.4
<b>Wm B Melissa Schindel</b>	5-0	51.5
<b>Wm C Tonja Cosart</b>	7-0	48.9
<b>Wm D Shelly Walters</b>	5-1	35.8
<b>Wm E Phyllis Saylor</b>	3-3	24.1
<b>Jr. Boys' Championship</b>		
Josh Brooks	5-0	54.1
Jarred Giesey	4-1	53.5
Cole Grimm	3-2	39.2
<b>Jr. Boys B A.J. Knapp</b>	2-3	33.7
<b>Jr. Boys C Jeremy Bolin</b>	3-3	12.5
<b>Jr. Girls' Championship</b>		
Rebecca Moore	6-0	17.9
Rebecca Sellers	4.5-1.5	13.7
<b>Jr. Girls B</b>		
Cassie Thomas	3.5-2.5	12.5

## OREGON

Sept. 2-3, 2000 Sanc. #02-00-029

<b>Men's Championship</b>	W-L	%
Ben Wiedrich	8-0	62.3
Ed Fogel	6-2	60.7
Bill Graham, Jr.	6-2	60.7
Jerry Gorton	5-3	55.6
Rick Rebman	5-3	52.4
Barry Chapelle	3-5	55.9
Bob Hummell	1-7	48.7
David Gorton	1-7	45.3
Bill Graham, Sr.	1-7	43.8
<b>Men B Warner Kirlin</b>	6-1	44.5
<b>Men C Bob Brennan</b>	6-2	32.8
<b>Men D Jerry Holter</b>	6-1	30.0
<b>Men E Jim Petersen</b>	8-1	23.6
<b>Elder's Championship</b>		
Lowell Davis	6-1	63.5
Tuff Moles	5-2	58.2
Marvin Tatchio	3-4	61.4
<b>Elder B Lee Wallace</b>	3-4	44.2
<b>Women's Championship</b>		
LaVerne Ewing	6-1	72.1
Cec Conway	4-3	52.6
<b>Wm B Tammy Gilbert</b>	5-1	41.9

## OKLAHOMA

Woodward Sept. 2, 2000

<b>Men's Championship</b>	W-L	%
Tom Goff	7-0	63.3
Glenn King	6-1	56.4
Chuck Arnold	4-3	50.0
<b>Men A Buddy Bellamy</b>	6-0	36.4
<b>Men B David Montgomery</b>	7-0	28.5
<b>Men C Bobby Harjo</b>	6-1	26.7
<b>Men D Mike Hester</b>	5-1	12.0
<b>Men E</b>		
Jerry Ward	7-0	14.3
<b>Women's Championship</b>		
Rebecca King	5-0	56.6

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Lucinda Frisbie	4-1	49.5
Alyeene Hensley	3-2	43.8
<b>Wm A</b> Debbie Harris	5-1	43.3
<b>Wm B</b> Pamala Moris	3-0	18.3

<b>Jr. Boys' Championship</b>		
Erik Harjo	5-0	32.0
Joseph Ward	4-1	10.0
Matthew Kraft	2-3	4.5
<b>Jr. Girls' Championship</b>		
Torina Burk	3-2	10.0

## PENNSYLVANIA

<b>Men's Championship</b>		
John Mathys	14-1	74.4
Kurt Vonkleist, Jr.	13-2	71.7
Glenn Burris	13-2	71.4
Steve Kuchcinski	13-2	70.2
Tom Decker	10-5	64.0
Brad Barger	9-6	59.0
Clair Bruce	8-7	61.1
Frank McAllen	7-8	58.9
Ken Bowser	6-9	51.2
John Monismith	5-10	55.7
Vince Neff	5-10	52.9
Mike Stasenko	5-10	50.9
Darle Esh	5-10	50.2
Richard Gosnell	4-11	49.5
Warren Moore	3-12	46.2
<b>Men B</b> Chris Sebastian	5-0	59.6
<b>Men C</b> James Kachik	5-0	48.4
<b>Men D</b> Glen Dennison	5-1	43.3
<b>Men E</b> Herman Specht	5-1	41.6
<b>Men F</b> Edward Horneman	5-0	47.6
<b>Men G</b> Ray Haskins	5-0	46.0
<b>Men H</b> James Ritter	5-1	47.3
<b>Men I</b> Walt Metts Sr.	5-1	37.3
<b>Men J</b> Jim Eldred	4-1	30.8
<b>Men K</b> Dick Wissinger	4-0	34.8
<b>Men L</b> Rodney Keller	6-0	28.6
<b>Men M</b> Jim Wech	5-1	30.6
<b>Men N</b> Denny Perry	6-0	32.6
<b>Men O</b> Gene Forish	6-0	27.3
<b>Men P</b> Guy Rider	7-0	18.8

<b>Sr. Championship</b>		
Alvin Long	4-1	41.5
Clarence Dixson	3-2	41.0
John Meikel	0-4	31.5

<b>Elder Championship</b>		
Frank Bohun	7-1	75.2
Joe Wohar	6-2	69.6
Homer Browne	5-2	58.8
Ken Boyles	4-3	60.8
Ed Pacacha	3-4	56.0
Francis Mick McGuire	3-4	53.6
Wes Kuchcinski	1-6	50.3
Glen Plaisted	0-7	37.3

<b>Women's Championship</b>		
Kathy Burkett	7-0	60.2
Cindy McCullough	6-1	63.0
Chreise Cummingham	5-2	61.5
Melody Kachik	3-4	45.5
Jean Long	3-4	41.6
Marilyn McPherson	2-5	32.0
Joan Douglas	1-6	36.4
Nancy Rankin	1-6	25.0
<b>Wm B</b> Jean Reefer	5-2	36.8
<b>Jr. Championship</b>		
Shalee Sebastian	6-0	60.8

Anthony White	4-2	45.5
Brandon Petro	2-4	34.1
Tony Tatsch, Jr.	0-6	20.4

## TENNESSEE

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Sept. 9, 2000 Sanc. 33-99-024

<b>Men's Championship</b>		
Shannon Foster	7-0	75.0
Elmo Cox	5-2	60.3
Jack Conner	4-3	62.8
Richard Evans	4-3	60.4
Bobby Fields	3-4	55.7
Charles Helton	3-4	55.0
David Kell	1-6	49.4
Hank Irwin	1-6	44.2

<b>Men B</b> Bobby Williams	4-1	52.7
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<b>Men C</b> Charles Blevins	4-0	47.4
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<b>Men D</b> Douglas Sullins	5-1	38.2
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<b>Men E</b> Ray Duncan	5-0	42.0
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<b>Men F</b> Cleatus Key	5-0	26.6
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<b>Men G</b> Ed Reader	5-1	15.9
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### Women's Championship

Joan Elmore	7-0	80.0
Marlene Ray	6-1	76.5
Maxine Griffith	5-2	79.5

<b>Wm B</b> Lou Dean Murphy	4-3	57.0
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<b>Wm C</b> Paula Hunsicker	3-4	43.6
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<b>Wm D</b> Carol Cramer	1-6	35.8
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## VERMONT

July 23, 2000 Sanc. #46-00-007

<b>Men's Championship</b>		
Gale Green	7-0	76.7
Kevin Hollister	6-1	68.9
Leon O'Dell	5-2	57.3
Ray Charbonneau	4-3	61.2
Gary Dennis	3-4	41.3
Mike Brown	2-5	40.1
Elbert Trask	1-6	34.1
Peter Glennon	0-7	28.2

<b>Men B</b> Bob Dean	5-1	41.2
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<b>Men C</b> Alan Curler	7-0	27.3
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### Women's Championship

Deb Brown	7-1	60.6
Bev Conger	6-2	57.5
Liz Downer	5-2	57.7
Connie Selleck	5-2	51.8
Bev Forgues	3-4	50.0
Donna Lewis	2-5	25.0
Gloria Charbonneau	1-6	29.8
Brenda Preston	0-7	20.9

<b>Jr. Boys' Championship</b>		
Dwayne Trayah	6-0	26.0

<b>Jr. Girls' Championship</b>		
Meagan Bigelow	4-2	27.2

## WASHINGTON

Sanc. #01-00-027

<b>Men's Championship</b>		
Russ Phillips	12-3	64.9
Art Sperber	12-4	59.1
Brandon Lund	11-4	63.0
Herb Criss	8-6	54.7
Gaylord Lund	6-8	54.7
Jack Johnson	6-8	51.3
Stan Speers	3-11	49.5
Peter Clark	0-14	44.0

<b>Men A</b> Archie Silcox	13-3	48.0
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<b>Men B</b> Ray DeBoer	14-2	50.1
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<b>Men C</b> John Byfield	11-4	37.2
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<b>Men D</b> Stanley Garrett	10-2	33.3
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<b>Men E</b> Sid Gire	13-2	29.2
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### Women's Championship

Babette Sparks	9-1	48.8
Carol Sperber	8-2	60.1
Jean Covington	7-3	45.3
Phyllis Quist	3-7	38.6
Jean Simpson	3-7	33.2
Bonnie Lewis	0-10	36.8

### Elder 30' Championship

Jack Moore	13-1	66.2
Mel Van Huis	11-3	58.2
Dale Strickland	10-5	51.9
Duane Moller	8-7	57.2
Hershel Simpson	7-7	53.3
Melvin Benham	4-10	43.4
John Reedy	4-4	50.8
Joe Wolf	2-12	47.0
Larry Lowitz	0-2	24.0
<b>Elder A</b> Ted Bostwick	11-2	35.7

### Jr. Boys' Championship

Anthony Patterson	10-0	60.0
Joe Campbell	7-3	35.9
Kyle Campbell	7-3	25.1
David McReynolds	3-7	25.3
Chad Giebel	2-8	13.6
Tyler Eisen	1-9	22.0

## WEST VIRGINIA

Sept. 2-4, 2000 Elkins

<b>Men's Championship</b>		
Jerry Wykle	12-1	68.3
Doug Cook	10-3	65.1
Allen Withrow	8-5	65.8
Mike Stoner	8-5	60.7
Rick Cale	7-6	61.9
Dave Holmes	7-6	61.6
Bill Lucas	7-6	59.6
Richard Johnson	7-6	59.2
Howard Barnett	6-7	61.4
Floyd Riggleman	6-7	61.3
Mike Stout	5-8	57.4
Cliff Powell	3-10	51.5
Dick Holmes	3-10	51.0
Joe Cochran	2-11	53.8

<b>Men B</b> Greg Corica	6-2	57.0
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<b>Men C</b> Ralph Hinkle	7-0	53.4
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<b>Men D</b> Keith Fincham	7-0	48.7
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<b>Men E</b> William McClung	7-0	44.1
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<b>Men F</b> Harold Maze	7-0	45.7
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<b>Men G</b> Allen Yeager	6-1	39.7
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<b>Men H</b> Frank Bright	7-1	28.5
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<b>Men I</b> Paul Kipp	7-1	29.5
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<b>Men J</b> Brian Chaffins	7-0	26.1
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<b>Men K</b> Doug Withrow	6-1	24.4
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<b>Men L</b> Larry Snider	7-0	14.2
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### Women's Championship

Brenda Tawney	5-0	76.9
Tamara Burke	0-5	60.7
<b>Wm B</b> Sharon McIntire	5-0	55.0
<b>Wm C</b> Teresa Holmes	5-1	33.3
<b>Elder's Championship</b>		
Ken Wilhelm	6-0	46.2
Charles Bunner	4-2	31.6
Roosevelt Gray	2-4	15.2

## Jr. Boys' Championship

Randall Owens	5-0	36.4
Kent Dean	4-1	19.3
Cliffy Powell	3-2	22.5
Adam McIntire	2-3	23.1
Jeremy Lester	1-4	13.2

## Jr. Girls' Championship

Heather Powell	6-0	49.1
Alicia McIntire	4-2	22.3
Tara Cook	2-4	6.9

## WISCONSIN

<b>Men's Championship</b>		
Randy Rein	9-1	62.8
Brian Repinski	8-2	66.7
Mark Mauthe	6-3	66.3
Tom Endler	6-3	61.4
Kent Anderson	5-4	62.9
Roger Comero	5-4	62.1
John Udelhofen	3-6	60.8
Don Kangas	3-6	60.2
John Crook	1-8	47.8
Arnie Walton	0-9	45.5
<b>Men A</b> Tom Endler	6-2	56.2
<b>Men B</b> Dave Schorbahn	7-2	42.7
<b>Men C</b> Ken Jaeger, Sr.	6-2	44.5
<b>Men D</b> Jerry Volz	7-0	48.0
<b>Men E</b> Vince Jakel	7-0	44.5
<b>Men F</b> Bernard Cockroft	7-1	36.0
<b>Men G</b> William Spahn	7-0	44.2
<b>Men H</b> Mark Stevens	7-0	37.4
<b>Men I</b> John Mills	5-2	31.7
<b>Men J</b> Douglas Bakkum	6-2	39.2
<b>Men K</b> Ken Amble	7-0	40.0
<b>Men L</b> Rob Struebing	7-2	26.9
<b>Men M</b> Stuart Bernett	6-1	34.0
<b>Men N</b> Galen Koziel	6-1	38.8
<b>Men O</b> Kevin Brekke	7-0	27.7
<b>Men P</b> Dan David	6-1	18.8

### Elder Men's Championship

Clayton Gage	5-1	65.0
Don Hostrup	3-3	63.0
Merwyn Sorensen	3-3	56.1
Ralph Maylahn	1-5	58.7

### Elder Men A

Merrill Semingson	7-0	40.8
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### Women's Championship

Gert Wilcziek	7-1	60.7
Penny Steinke	6-2	57.8
Pam Aiken	5-2	54.1
Edith McKinney	4-3	58.2
Judi Hayden	2-5	44.5
Lorraine Sternberg	2-5	44.1
Elaine Troullier	2-5	36.4
Jane Smith	1-6	37.1
<b>Wm A</b> Judi Hayden	6-1	52.2
<b>Wm B</b> Ida Hostrup	8-1	38.8

### Jr. Boys' Championship

Dustin Dahl	3-0	59.6
Barrett Dahl	0-3	34.2
<b>Jr Boys A</b> Ryan Anderson	5-0	41.9
<b>Jr Boys B</b> Cyle Cleveland	2-4	10.0

### Jr. Girls' Championship

Tava Cook	3-2	33.4
Tina Riehle	2-3	37.3
Nicole Riehle	1-4	23.0
<b>Jr. Girls A</b> Kiri Cook	5-1	23.6

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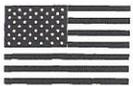
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- Exclusive new high-tech powder coat finish
- Manufactured of forged steel

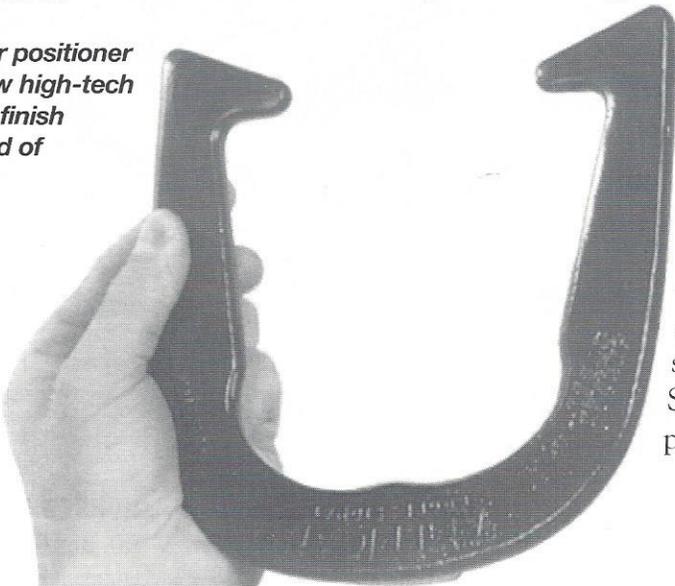
Our shoes are drop forged of solid steel and then given our exclusive smooth, electrostatically applied baked-on powder coating, a finish that's more resistant to chipping, abrasion, corrosion and weathering than ordinary paint. Only St. Pierre offers this durable, attractive finish. Our forged shoes also offer the proper weight distribution for maximum balance and control, and meet the official size and weight requirements of the National Horseshoe Pitchers' Association (NHPA). We forge strength right into the design, too, so St. Pierre shoes last longer than cast products.



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