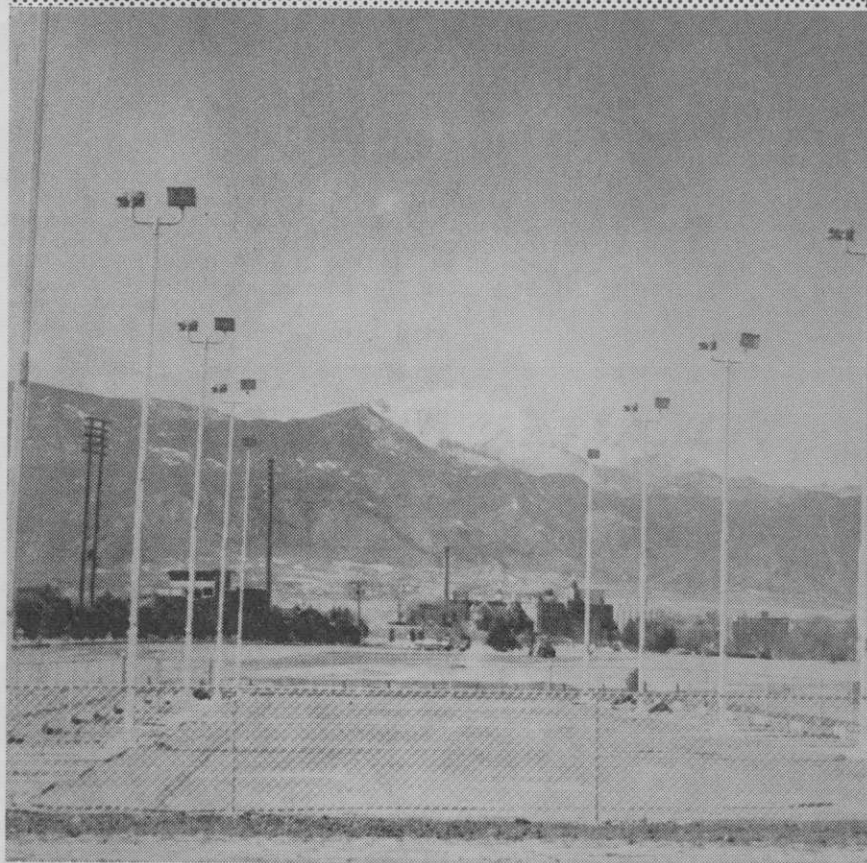


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Eau Claire Open — June 20-21 — Eau Claire, Wisc.

The Eau Claire Horseshoe Club will hold its Annual "Open" tournament Saturday and Sunday, June 20th and 21st. The twelve, lighted, blue-clay courts are located in beautiful Carson Park, which is surrounded by Half Moon Lake. The park offers many sights and a wide variety of recreational activities. The famed Paul Bunyan Camp is located here at Carson Park.

Qualifying will be on home courts. Entry fee of \$2.00 with 100 shoe qualifying score must be received no later than June 12th. Entries to Gary Olson, Secretary, 724 Fall Street, Eau Claire, Wisconsin, 54701. Entrants will be notified of class and time. A & B finalists will pay \$3.00 to play, all others \$2.00.

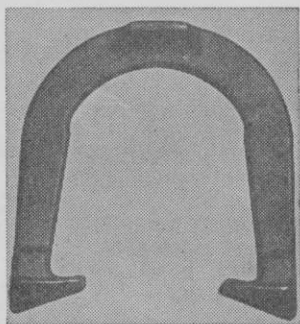
Trophies — A-B, first four places. C-D-E, first three places. F-G-H-I, first two places.

Our "69 Open" winner was Bill Glass, Vesper, Wisconsin, averaging 69.1 for eleven games. Runner-up was Curt Bestul, Eau Claire. Entries represented five states. Would like to see more this year.

Columbus Junction, Iowa Open — July 12

Jake Davis of Columbus Junction, Iowa will be the manager of an open horseshoe tournament to be held Sunday, July 12th at City Park, two blocks east of water tower. 12 clay courts. Trophies and cash in each class. Six man classes. All contestants must be registered by 10:30 a. m. Play will start promptly at noon. Those wishing to play in A & B must throw 100 shoes on our courts. Others bring 100 shoe scores. \$10.00 for high qualifier in A and B. Cash for high percentage for the five games and other cash prizes. Entry fee — \$4.00 for A and B, others — \$3.00. Courts open at 8:30 a. m.

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Lodging Accommodations For 1970 World Tournament

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In Memoriam

Kenneth L. Newman, former president and one of the founders and organizers of the Minot, North Dakota Horseshoe Club died this past winter according to late word received by the News Digest. This is a heavy loss for both the Minot club and horseshoe in North Dakota.

Joe Hummer of Pendleton, Indiana passed away after a lengthy illness this past winter. Joe, a friend of Curt Day, first became interested in the game when he witnessed an exhibition at Purdue University given by Curt Day and Ray Martin in 1968. He was active in the Indiana Association and the Anderson Horseshoe Club from that date on.

Mrs. Graydon McFatridge, wife of one of the top ranking players in Indiana and the country, died suddenly in February.

To the Newman, Hummer and McFatridge families the NHPA extends its deepest feelings of sympathy.

Kentucky Assn. To Hold Capitol City Open, June 6-7

June 6 and 7 is the date set for the Capitol City Open tournament to be held in Frankfort, Kentucky and sponsored by the Kentucky State Association and the Frankfort - Millville Horseshoe Club, NHPA approved. Courts located in Juniper Hill Park, Frankfort, Kentucky. Submit percentage from any NHPA approved tourney with \$4.00 entry fee to L. H. Hawkins, 126 Erlanger Road, Erlanger, Kentucky 41018. Deadline for entry receipt June 1st. New pitchers or others without established percentage may submit 100 shoe score with entry. Trophies awarded for all classes thru third place. Postcards stating day and time of pitching will be mailed all entrants. Tourney includes classes for men, ladies and boys if at least six entries received.

Colorado Springs Club to Host Open Meet May 23-24

The Colorado Springs horseshoe club will play host to an open tournament to be held on their twelve new courts at Memorial Park in Colorado Springs, Colorado, May 23rd and 24th. Qualifying score and entry fee of \$4.00 should be in by evening of the 20th. Sixteen trophies will be awarded in this tournament. Entry fee and qualifying score should be sent to Russell Neher, 809 W. Bijou, Colorado Springs, Colorado 80905.

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	W	L	%
J. Rademacher, Plant City	8	0	75.6
W. Keegan, Hollywood ..	6	2	61.8
P. Hoover, Miami	6	2	61.3
T. Harrison, Eau Gallie....	4	4	55.0
J. Hoover, Miami	3	5	50.6
J. Clingan, Apopka	3	5	48.8
C. Hansen, Sarasota	3	5	48.6
E. Ridge, Orlando	3	5	47.2
W. West, Miami			Forfeit

CLASS B

	W	L	%
L. Miller, Sarasota	6	1	46.2
R. Hitchcock, Bradenton ..	5	2	39.7
J. Ellis, Bradenton	5	2	49.6
L. Hostetler, Sarasota	4	3	44.2
L. Peary, Bradenton	3	4	43.0
J. Geiger, N. Pt. Richey ..	3	4	41.8
R. Weigel, Homstead	1	6	40.5
S. Johnson, N. Pt. Richey..	1	6	36.3

CLASS C — Jim Campbell, Miami 7-0-30.7; Tony Whittle, Miami 5-2-31.8; George Rankin, DeLand 4-3-26.7; Earle Johnson, Bradenton 4-3-28.3; Ronnie Ronemus, Bradenton 3-4-29.7; Ralph Fisher, Orlando 2-5-25.6; Joe Thonert, Zephyrhills 2-5-22.5; Andy Chalfa, Bradenton 1-6-19.4.

CLASS D — Ted Casteel, Bradenton 7-0-30.2; Curt Stollings, Mims 6-1-21.2; Dewey Toney, Plant City 4-3-15.1; Forest Taylor, Bradenton 3-4-16.1; Harvey Hookway, Bradenton 3-4-14.7; Harold Cook, Seminole 3-4-11.9; Charlie Titus, Plant City 2-5-10.8; Joe Kelly, Bradenton 0-7-forfeit.

LADIES — Wanda Ditmer, Sarasota 2-0-62.0; Opal Corbett, Orlando 0-2-59.2.

JUNIORS — Larry Shelly, Bradenton 3-0-39.9; Steve Warner, Plant City 1-2-20.5; Johnny Rademacher, Plant City 1-2-19.3; Wayne Warner, Plant City 1-2-15.6.

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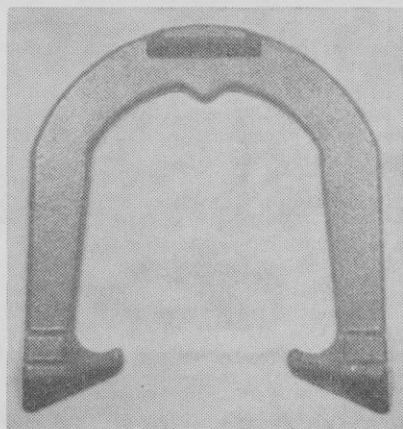
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New Club Organized In Piqua, Ohio

The Piqua, Ohio Club has a new 9 court, well lighted, as well as buildings at the court, with rest rooms and roofed picnic area. The local club was organized last August 1, 1969 with membership now totalling 70, including the boys as well as the ladies. Last September we had our first city tournament with the awarding of several trophies to men and boys in their classes. It is very encouraging to note that the game of horseshoes has taken such an upswing and interest locally. We have pitchers from nearby cities as Fletcher, Covington, Sidney, Casstown, Lena. We have our officers with Mr. Robert Bolton, president, Mr. Robert Christy, vice-president, and the writer, Mr. Carl Fair, secretary-treasurer. Then with the fine boys on the committee, that totals 8, we have a very good chance of getting a fine program going for the 1970 season. Apparently, we may have to add 4 or 5 more courts, as on our regular meeting night the courts are filled. Our club meeting is the second Monday of every month. The pitchers go at it on Mondays and Thurs-



days. The general public has the use of the courts other nights. These courts were constructed on the pattern or layout as our good friends have at Greenville, Ohio. Several of the members have been visiting Greenville numerous times and decided that we should do something about a court in Piqua. In the future, we hope to have invitations for tournaments for out of towners of the NHPA and as the enclosed picture so visually describes, we can have a good thing here.

Our courts here in Piqua, Ohio have been named The Eisenhower Courts, with the Piqua Horseshoe Club based there. We have pits filled with blue clay, well fenced with safety fence, concrete walks, the best in lighting, cool area under roof, and a fine Park Board to work with us. Mr. Harold Potter, the Park Director, has been greatly encouraged with this project, and we feel that ours will be recognized from areas surrounding Piqua. Then too, businessmen have been contacting us for a possible sponsorship of the younger fellows who would like to enter the State Tournament this fall. And we certainly are endeavoring to follow this idea up as this will add to the program statewide for the teenagers who need the program. Anyone who can find the time to visit us here in Piqua, will be greatly welcomed as this will tend to give our members an idea of how the NHPA works to encourage, foster and promote the good old game of horseshoe.

"Oil Capital Open" Set For May 16-17 — Tulsa, Okla.

The Tulsa Club announces the Oil Capital Open to be held in Tulsa, Oklahoma, at Central Park, Sixth and Peoria, on May 16 and 17.

Ostrander, Ohio — Open Tourney, July 23-24-25-26

Once again the Ostrander, Ohio Horseshoe Club will hold its annual open tourney on six of the best courts located in central Ohio. Mr. Glenn Riffle of Dayton, Ohio is the defending champion.

Class A and B will be eight man classes, while all other classes will be six men.

The 50 point cancellation, round robin, will be pitched in this tournament. Entry fee is \$5.00. The Ostrander Horseshoe Club reserves the right to classify any pitcher into any class that it feels is justified. Qualifying into this tournament can be in either of the following manner. 1. Send in your qualifying score and percentage. Your \$5.00 entry fee must also be sent with your score. These scores and entry fee must be received by 8:00 p. m. on or before July 19th. 2. Pitch 100 shoes on our courts. Qualifying pitching dates and times are, 1:00 p. m. to 8:00 p. m. on Saturday, July 18th and Sunday, July 19th. A beautiful qualifying trophy will be awarded to the pitcher with the highest score, pitched on our courts.

All pitchers will be notified, via US mail, their pitching date, class and time. Three trophies will be awarded in the 8 man class A and B events. Two trophies will be awarded in all other classes which will be 6 men events.

Tournament classes, dates and times are as follows.

July 23 — Thursday - Classes I and J at 7:00 p. m.

July 24 — Friday - Classes G and H at 7:00 p. m.

July 25 — Saturday - Classes C and D at 1:00 p. m.

July 25 — Saturday - Class A at 4:00 p. m.

July 26 — Sunday - Classes E and F at 1:00 p. m.

July 26 — Sunday - Class B at 4:00 p. m.

Send all correspondence to: Glenn Mitchell, Secretary, Ostrander, Ohio. 43061.

SPECIAL NOTICE — A group known as the Central Ohio Horseshoe Pitchers Association recently published and distributed a tournament bulletin which listed the Ostrander tournament dates as June 13th and June 14. These dates are **NOT CORRECT**. The correct dates of this tournament are, as stated in the heading, July 23-24-25-26.

Greenville, Ohio Ringer Classic — July 3-4-5

The annual Greenville Ringer Classic, bigger and better than ever, will be held at the City Park, Greenville, Ohio on July 3, 4 & 5, 1970. The tournament will be sponsored by the Darke County Horseshoe Club and the City Park Commission and will be sanctioned and conducted by the Ohio Buckeye Association.

Details will be announced in next month's issue of the News Digest.

Our Season

By JACK MILLER, York, Pa.

I am looking forward
To this time of year
When I get out my horseshoes,
And put my arm in gear.

We've had a long, hard winter
And my shoes, were tucked away,
Now, I'm kinda anxious
To throw them, in the clay

I'll do a lot of practice, and
I'll try my very best,
I shouldn't, get tired of throwing
'Cause my arm, has had lots of rest.

I think this game of horseshoes
Is more popular, every year,
So let's start throw 'em, fellows,
The season is getting near.

POSTAL PROBLEM

Due to the recent postal employees strike, the News Digest, like many other publications, has been shunted to the back of delivery priorities. If your recent copies have not reached you, please be patient. In some cases duplicate copies were sent, but the supply of these has now been completely exhausted. Your editor, and the staff of the News Digest are eager to see every subscriber receive each and every copy printed, but the recent strike is beyond our control.

We Beg Your Pardon

The list of State Secretaries and NHPA Representatives in the January and February issues inadvertently omitted the name of Ralph Forsstrom, the Massachusetts State Secretary and New England Regional Director.

This unintentional mistake was a gigantic one for Ralph has been the leading promoter and organizer of the game not only in his home state but the entire New England area for more than 30 years. His address is 358 Wilbraham Road, Hampden, Mass. 01036.

World Tournament Procedures

The tournament committee consisting of those members of the NHPA Executive Council present will have jurisdiction in conducting the tournament and making all necessary decisions under provisions of the NHPA constitution, by-laws, official playing rules and specific regulations and schedules printed in the NEWS DIGEST. The Horseshoe Pitcher's Manual will be used as a guide in any decisions not covered by specific printed regulations.

The NHPA Executive Council is comprised of President Ralph Dykes, Secretary Robert Pence and Vice-presidents Leo McGrath, Hal Hanania, Ruth Hangen and Jerry Schneider.

Wally Shipley, President of the Southern California Horseshoe Pitchers' Association will be the tournament co-ordinator. Wally has been doing a terrific job in pre-tourney preparation. The Southern California Association will be the official hosts in charge of physical arrangements and facilities.

Specific formulas for breaking of ties in both round robin play and qualifying will be posted at courtside by the Executive Council. The playing schedule printed in the April issue of the NEWS DIGEST will be followed as closely as possible subject of course, to weather conditions and unusual situations caused by the total number of entries.

The cash prize list will be published in the June issue of the DIGEST.

Annual Sterling - Rock Falls, Ill. Spring Fling — May 30

The Sterling - Rock Falls, Illinois club will open its season with their annual Spring Warm-up Open tournament on Memorial day, May 30 on the Lawrence Park courts, midway between Sterling and Rock Falls on the beautiful Rock river.

All individual players may bring their qualifying scores from their last tournament, or they can bring a qualifying score signed by a club officer, or they can qualify at the courts from 7:30 a. m. to 10 a. m. Central daylight time. If sending a qualifying score by mail, also send entry fee. Tournament to start at 11 a. m. sharp. All pitchers should be registered by 10 a. m. Classes D, E and one-half of C will start at 11 a. m. Classes A, B and one-half of C start immediately after.

The 60 highest qualifiers will participate in the tournament which should include all pitchers that come. There will be 12 men in a class, being divided into two groups of 6. The winner of each group will play for the first place trophy and the runner-up will play for the third place trophy.

There will be 15 trophies awarded, three for each class. Entry fee will be \$2.50 and all money will go into trophies, there will be no cash prizes. This tournament, we will use the alternating pitch, as we did the last 2 years, each player will have first pitch one-half of the time, regardless of who scores the points. The players will flip for the choice of which way he wants to pitch first for the entire game. We have sixteen cement courts. Red Henton of Maquoketa, Iowa is the defending champion.

The tournament will be managed by Les Long assisted by the local club. Mrs. Wilma Long and Mrs. Mary Wuebben will act as the official scorers and Bill Portner official judge. In case of rain the tournament will be held Sunday, May 31st. Telephone number Les Long, Sterling, Illinois 625-2832. If no answer, Weldon Long, 625-0269. Lunch stand on grounds.

North Dakota Red River Valley League Holds Meeting

The Red River Valley League, which held its spring meeting April 14 at the Northern States Power Co., announced plans to host the Red River Valley Open, Allard Open and the North Dakota State Tournament. The Fargo-Moorhead group will conduct the above meets for the first time during 1970.

The Red River Valley Open, one of the largest and oldest events in the Upper Midwest, will be held on the Fargo Park District's 18-court layout at Oak Grove Park July 4-5. Open competition for men, women and juniors is planned, according to President Wes Myhre.

The second annual Allard Open, sponsored by the Allard Trophy Co., of Valley City, will be held August 9-10 at the 12-court layout at the Moorhead American Legion site.

Fargo's courts, site of the 1967 World Tourney, will be the home of the North Dakota State tournament Labor Day weekend.

For the first time league play will be held on both the Fargo and Moorhead courts. It is hoped to have eight or more teams in each league with play on Tuesday nights at Fargo and Thursday at Moorhead. Last year sixteen teams played two nights at Fargo.

Officers re-elected were Wes Myhre, president; Lloyd Hammond, vice-president; Dennis Adamson, treasurer; Parker Kvebak, recording secretary; Ken Knight statistical secretary; Willis Wiger, Willard Moberg, Tom Fasteen, Palmer Melby and Will Gullickson, directors.

Annual Carson, North Dakota Open — June 27-28

The Carson Horseshoe Club of Carson, North Dakota will hold its Fourth Annual Open tournament on Saturday and Sunday, June 27 and 28 in Carson, North Dakota.

Twelve clay courts with canopy and lights. Send \$5.00 entry fee to Chester A. Danzeisen, secretary, with two previous tournament ringer percentages by June 19. Upper classes will be played Sunday, June 28. All Horseshoe players cordially invited.

Fulton County Ohio Club Sets Two Tourney Dates

The Fulton County Ohio Club will conduct the annual Northwest District Meet on June 5-6-7 at Wauseon, Ohio on the fairgrounds. Entry fee of \$5.00 and ringer percentage should be sent to Harold Reed, 129 West Leggett Street, Wauseon, Ohio 43567 not later than May 29th. Another tournament will follow on June 26-27-28, namely the annual Thresher tournament. It will take place at the same location and will be non-sanctioned.

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Indiana-Illinois Open — May 23-24

The annual Indiana - Illinois Open will be held at the fairgrounds in Cayuga, Indiana, May 23-24 and will be conducted by the Indiana State Association. Entries will be classed on the basis of previous records. A 100 shoe qualifying score may accompany entries without a previous record or by those who consider their previous record too low. Entry is limited to 72 players.

All entries to be sent to State Secretary Bonnie Seibold, 1043 Grayston Ave., Huntington, Indiana 46750 or Phone 356-3489 Area Code 219 by midnight May 13. Players will be notified by mail as to the time of their actual play. Entry fee is \$4.25 and first 72 players will be accepted. All other entries after the first 72 will be returned.

Hebron, Ohio Open Tournament, June 26, 27 and 28

The sixth annual Hebron Ohio Open Horseshoe Tournament will be held on June 26-27-28. At Hebron, Ohio Horseshoe Courts, located on Route 440, 25 miles east of Columbus, Ohio, north of Route 70, take the Hebron and Newark exit.

QUALIFYING — Friday evening, June 26, 6 p. m. until 9 p. m.
Saturday morning, June 27, 8 a. m. until 11:30 a. m.
100 shoes to qualify.

ENTRY FEE — \$6.00.

The Hebron club will sponsor the tournament and assisted by the Ohio Buckeye State Horseshoe Association. This will be an N. H. P. A. Sanctioned Tournament with certificate being awarded to first place winners in each class. Trophies to first and second place winners of each class and some money to each player, Jim Knisley, Bremen, Ohio is defending champion.

Class A will play on Saturday afternoon and evening. The class B and C will play on Sunday. The other classes will be placed to fill out the tournament schedule.

The Hebron and Newark clubs will have a lunch stand near the courts.

Spring Open — May 16-17 — New Albany, Indiana

Floyd County Community Park will be the scene of the opening of the 1970 season with a Spring Open scheduled for May 16-17 and conducted by the Indiana State Association.

Ludlow Levels Opposition to Win No. Calif. Class B At Seaside

Veteran Kim Ludlow leveled the opposition in Seaside's Northern California Class B tourney March 22nd, winning 6 of 7 agmes in the eight-man championship round robin. Kim, president of the newly organized Santa Clara County Club, won his first five games handily, pitching over 50% ringers including a win over Nash Boronda of Oakland, the reigning Northern California Class B champion. Then, Kim lost his sixth game to Lou Gayet of Santa Rosa, but came back strong to win the seventh game and with it the tourney title. Second place in the tourney, the fifth of the year in Northern California, went to Oscar Overman of the host Seaside Club with a record of five wins, two losses. Nash Boronda of the Arroyo Viejo Club was third.

In the six-man consolation group, Artie Gates of Seaside breezed through five opponents unscathed to post a perfect record for the day and carry off the consolation trophy.

CHAMPIONSHIP GROUP

	W	L	%
K. Ludlow, Santa Clara ..	6	1	48.0
O. Overman, Seaside	5	2	37.5
E. Blanton, Mosswood	4	3	40.3
B. Henry, Seaside	4	3	40.0
L. Gayet, Santa Rosa	4	3	36.5
N. Boronda, Arroyo Viejo	3	4	39.9
B. Saathoff, Mosswood	1	6	37.8
W. East, Arroyo Viejo	1	6	34.6

CONSOLATION GROUP

	W	L	%
A. Gates, Seaside	5	0	43.7
G. Chickenoff, S. Rosa ..	3	2	40.2
R. Briggs, Mosswood	3	2	35.0
L. Pitney, Seaside	2	3	32.6
V. Mauricio, S. Clara	2	3	31.8
A. Hauge, Seaside	0	5	33.9

Kindred Open Set For June 13 At Kindred, North Dakota

Kindred's Tenth Open Tournament will be held at Mill Site Park, one mile south of Kindred, North Dakota on Saturday and Sunday, June 13th and 14th. Pitchers may enter their highest ringer percentage from any one tournament played last year. Pitchers are urged to send their percentage score and \$5.00 to tournament managers, Floyd Lund or Rudy Lykken, Kindred, North Dakota before June 1. You will be notified about your class and time to play.

Classes C, D and E will start at 10:30 Saturday, June 13. Classes F, G and H will start shortly after first round. Classes A and B will start at 10:30 Sunday, June 14. Three lettered trophies in each class and a high ringer percentage trophy in each class for any one game. Ten men in A, B, C and D. Eight in the other classes.

Eastern National Tournament — Erie, Pa., June 19-21

Pitchers wishing to play in the Eastern National Tournament to be held in Erie, on June 19, 20, and 21 will be required to qualify by pitching 100 shoes at the Erie Courts. Qualifying will be held on June 13, 14 and also Friday evening, June 19 and Saturday, June 20 until noon. Qualifying will terminate at noon and tournament pitching is expected to begin at 12:30 p.m. Saturday. Pitching will continue through Saturday evening and on Sunday until the tournament is concluded. Class A qualifiers will begin Saturday, at 6 p. m. and again on Sunday, so they may complete a 16-man round robin. Lower classes will pitch Saturday afternoon and continue as courts are available. Erie has 20 courts available for continuous use. Information pertaining to all Pennsylvania tournaments can be had from: Joe Abbott, 5840 Peck Road, Erie, Pa. 16510. Michael Riedl, 2631 Broadway Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa., 15216. Opal Corbett, 122 E. Fairmont Ave., New Castle, Pa. 16101. David Charron, 79 A St., Van Buren Homes, Beaver, Pa. 15009.

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Southern California Association is happy to announce that we are making our Program Brochure available to those unfortunate members who cannot come to California. We will be trying to promote horseshoes in our brochure, so that the general public will have a better understanding of the game and our national organization. In order to try and accomplish this task, we will be featuring articles and stories on: History, Rules, By-laws, Hall of Fame, Records and many more items of interest.

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Minneapolis, Minnesota Open Tourney — June 6-7

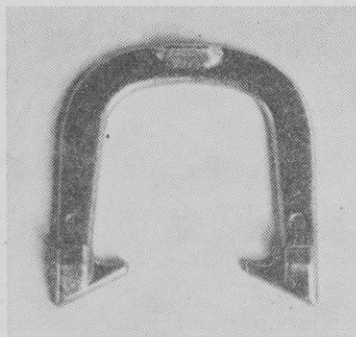
The Minneapolis horseshoe club is pleased to announce an "Open Tournament" to be held June 6 and 7 at Loring Park, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Participants will qualify on their home courts. A \$3.00 qualifying fee should be mailed along with the qualifying score for 100 shoes. An effort will be made to play all qualifiers. Entries must be postmarked by May 22, 1970. Any qualifying scores received that are postmarked after May 22nd will be returned. Qualifiers will be notified of starting time and date. Each player will pay an additional \$3.00 to play. There will be 3 trophies in each class.

Send qualifying score sheet and \$3.00 entry fee to Clint Lofgren, 126 8th Avenue North, Hopkins, Minnesota 55343. Light refreshments will be available.

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Wanda Ditmer Winner of Florida DeSoto Open Meet

Wanda Ditmer won the Class A division tournament with her score of 5-2 in the final games of the DeSoto tournament held March 22 at the Bradenton Trailer Park in Bradenton, Florida.

Second place was presented to four persons tying with a score of 4-3. These were John Rademacher of Florida, Les Long of Illinois, Bill Keegan of Florida and Bill Riley also of Florida.

Placing third in the contest was Marvin Richmond of Minnesota with a final mark of 3-4.

There was a two-way tie between Bob Stowe of Missouri and Troy Harrison of Florida for fourth place with scores of 2-5.

The first place winner of the Class B division of the tournament was Bill Figy of Ohio with a 6-1 mark. He was followed by a three-way tie for second when Opal Corbett of Florida, Earl Grable of Michigan and Lester Hastetler of Florida each had a 5-2 mark.

John Clingan of Florida took third place with a 4-3, while Frank Sympter of Ohio followed fourth with a 2-5.

In fifth place was Oscar Gaudette of Florida with a 1-6 and taking last place was Clyde Hewett of Florida with a 0-7.

Trophy presentations made by Al Beehler, manager of the Bradenton Trailer Park.

Annual Greenville, Ohio, Open — June 5, 6, 7

The annual Greenville Open will be held at the City Park courts, Greenville, Ohio, on June 5, 6 & 7, 1970. Entrants may qualify from 6 to 10 p. m. on Friday, June 5, and from 8 a. m. to 12 noon on Saturday, June 6. All entrants must be registered in by 11:30 a. m. on Saturday, June 6. The entry fee will be \$5.00.

Tentative plans are that the lower classes will pitch on Saturday afternoon and evening and the higher classes on Sunday, June 7. This tournament will be sponsored and conducted by the Darke County Horseshoe Club. A national card is not required for this warmup tourney.

Horseshoe Catches On In England

Our game of horseshoe has caught on in merry old England thanks to the efforts of J. G. Gaudet, a Canadian now living in Great Britain.

Fifty-two courts have already been installed in pubs and Caravan Holiday Parks in Essex by Mr. Gaudet and his partner, R. E. Collier, several tournaments held and an Essex Horseshoe League is being organized.

Courts, horseshoes and stakes are being manufactured by the founders, J. G. Gaudet and R. E. Collier and the game seems to be catching on in a big way.

It all started when Mr. Gaudet introduced the game to some English friends at a Caravan Holiday Park. It attracted so many people, young and old, that Mr. Gaudet spent his entire vacation teaching the game and the camp manager hired him to install courts and promote the game. From there it has spread swiftly.

The first tournament held at the Point Clear Holiday Park in Brightingsea saw Tom Langley of Shoreditch toss the first double ringer, he being teamed with John Baker to win Class A, with Dennis Capp and Paul Bradbury taking second place.

The NHPA and the new English group are in contact with each other and the NHPA will do all within its power to assist in promoting the game in England.

Hohl In Easy Triumph At Kitchner, Ont. Invitational

Elmer Hohl of Wellesley, Ontario showed his opposition that five months without playing horseshoe did not make much difference to him, as he won easily at the exhibition invitational tournament held at Kitchener, Ontario on April 10-11, at the Central Ontario Sports Home Show. The tournament was sponsored by the show and run by the Ontario Horseshoe Players Association.

Class A, 8-man round-robin was held Friday night and a Class B on Saturday afternoon.

All the games were played on portable courts in a large heated tent. Many people watched a very good exhibition of horseshoe.

CLASS A

	W	L	%
E. Hohl, Wellesley	7	0	81.3
K. Smith, Monkton	5	2	61.9
R. Riehl, N. Hamburg ...	5	2	60.5
Gerald Roeder, Waterloo	4	3	58.9
W. Schuett, Guelph	3	4	56.6
C. Neeb, Wellesley	1	6	52.3
H. Leis, Wellesley	2	5	50.3
V. Wreford, Stratford ...	1	6	50.8

CLASS B

	W	L
D. Martin, Kitchener	5	2
B. Toneguzzo, Guelph	5	2
C. Hummel, Maryhill	5	2
S. Huber, Waterloo	5	2
R. Brohman, Maryhill	4	3
C. Honderich, N. Hamburg	2	5
H. Fromm, Maryhill	2	5
D. Hohl, N. Hamburg	0	7

Pomona — Southern California

POMONA F OPEN

	W	L	%		W	L	%
B. Geddings, Culver City..	7	0	43.6	L. Tarbell, Brea	2	3	31.8
F. Brown, Exeter	5	2	36.6	B. Schmidt, Corona	2	3	29.8
C. Page, Torrance	5	2	35.5	E. Carrier, Downey	2	3	28.7
N. Draper, Barstow	4	3	33.4	R. Alvine, Chula Vista ...	1	4	29.2
D. Burkhardt, Montclair ..	3	2	32.0	K. Harris, Chino	1	4	24.3
J. Mailander, W. Covina ..	2	3	33.6	R. Faulkner, Fullerton ...	0	5	15.4

POMONA G OPEN

	W	L	%
W. Chaffer, Calipatria	7	0	39.1
B. Schmidt, Corona	5	2	33.3
R. Quintana, San Pedro ..	5	2	27.7
R. Alvine, Chula Vista	4	3	30.2
M. Lin'felter, Fullerton ..	4	3	29.3
A. Amador, L. Alamitos..	2	5	24.0
K. Harris, Chino	1	6	19.4
R. Faulkner, Fullerton	0	7	18.4

POMONA DOUBLES

	W.	L.
Fred Percy — Carrie Price ...	9	0
Sam Costello — Art Amador ...	8	1
Jim Weeks — Ray Faulkner ...	7	3
Bill Price — Larry Tarbell	6	4
Harry Morse — Kirk Harris ...	4	5
Jim Douglas — Bob Schmidt ...	4	5
Sam Haigh — Harry Morin	4	5
Dick Burkhardt — R. Ferguson ..	3	6
J. Mailander — Ralph Alvine ...	1	8

1970 World Tournament July 25 Through August 4

Saturday, July 25 through Tuesday, Aug. 4 will be the dates of the 1970 World and National Tournament to be held at South Gate City Park in South Gate, California.

The Southern California Association will be the official hosts of the event conducted by the N.H.P.A. The Southern California president is Wally Shipley, 2435 Winthrop Drive, Alhambra, Calif. 91803. Other officers include the long-time Secretary-Treasurer Jim Weeks of Norwalk and Vice Presidents Gunnar Hansen, Jerry Schneider and Florence Kless.

Format and schedule of the 1970 tournament will be much the same as in the past few years except for some changes made to iron out rough spots that developed in isolated spots last year and to take care of some worthwhile suggestions made by the NHPA membership through the means of the suggestion box at Erie last summer. Also only 18 courts will be available at South Gate compared to 20 at Erie.

South Gate — Southern California**60 YEARS AND OVER**

	W	L	%
E. Knorp, Goleta	4	0	55.0
H. Morse, Beaumont	3	1	57.1
S. Libatique, So. Gate	2	2	49.2
C. Birk'bach, Baldwin Pk. 1	3	3	39.0
B. Pevehouse, Pomona	0	4	27.8

SOUTH GATE H

	W	L	%
H. Morin, S. Ber'dino	4	0	25.5
A. Amador, L. Almitos	3	1	20.1
R. Faulkner, Fullerton	2	2	19.3
K. Harris, Chino	1	3	22.6
P. Keeney, Hollywood	0	4	12.1

SAN DIEGO OPEN

	W	L	%
R. Simmons, Norwalk	9	0	72.2
G. Schneider, P. Rivera	8	1	71.2
E. Brown, Anaheim	6	3	63.4
J. Snyder, Chula Vista	5	4	63.9
J. Walker, Chula Vista	5	4	61.3
J. Dawsey, Oxnard	4	5	63.0
C. Scott, S. Ber'dino	3	6	56.0
V. Beard, San Diego	3	6	51.1
C. Tucker, San Diego	1	8	50.8
G. Offen, S. Ber'dino	1	8	46.6

SAN DIEGO D OPEN

	W	L	%
S. Dobson, La Mesa	8	1	49.3
S. Stayner, San Diego	6	2	44.3
R. Hudson, San Diego	6	2	41.3
W. Shipley, Alhambra	4	3	42.7
J. Raykowski, Rialto	3	2	45.8
M. Rose, Whittier	3	2	37.9
D. Baker, San Diego	2	3	37.8
C. Calkins, S. Ber'dino	2	3	34.8
R. Alvine, Chula Vista	1	4	24.1
Paul Aurand, San Diego ..	1	4	19.2
F. Craven, Bellflower	0	5	29.0

SOUTH GATE G OPEN

	W	L	%
E. Carrier, Downey	9	1	32.5
W. Chaffer, Calipatria	8	2	36.1
A. Amador, Los Almitos ..	6	3	23.5
L. Whitrock, S. Ber'dino..	5	4	29.0
B. Schmidt, Corona	5	4	26.7
J. Raby, Rialto	5	4	24.4
K. Harris, Chino	5	4	20.7
R. Faulkner, Fullerton	2	7	21.8
W. Stout, S. El Monte	1	8	10.3

SOUTH GATE C OPEN

	W	L	%
B. Cork, Las Vegas	7	0	55.3
C. Scott, S. Ber'dino	5	2	56.4
C. Bailey, Glendora	5	2	46.7
F. Cantrell, LaPuente	3	4	43.4
A. Cauchon, Arcadia	3	2	50.6
F. Craven, Bellflower	3	2	45.8
H. Drogemuller, V. Nuys..	2	3	46.5
M. Velaroe, So. S. Gabriel	2	3	40.9
B. Price, So. Gate	2	3	31.0
W. Shipley, Alhambra	1	4	42.0
Sal Ybarra, S'ta Barbara	1	4	35.8
C. Page, Torrance	0	5	26.6

SOUTH GATE E OPEN

	W	L	%
J. Holder, Downey	8	1	32.1
L. Tarbell, Brea	6	3	33.7
B. Geddings, Culver City..	6	3	33.4
E. Carrier, Downey	6	3	32.1
S. Haigh, Loma Linda	5	4	34.0
F. Brown, Exeter	5	4	33.8
W. Powe, So. Gate	5	4	29.9
E. Erickson, Downey	2	7	27.0
B. Price, So. Gate	2	7	23.9

Crawford County (Ill.) Open Tournament — June 20,

Leo Schlosser and his committee in Oblong, Illinois, have set June 20 as the date for the annual Crawford County Open tournament to be held on the courts in Oblong, Illinois.

As there will not be any qualifying on the courts, all pitchers are requested to send or bring qualifying scores. All players MUST be on the grounds by 9:30 a. m. on the day of the tournament. Competition will start promptly at 10 a. m. with classes D, E and F taking to the courts. Classes A, B and C will start at 1 p. m.

There will be six classes with 8 men in each class. Entry fee will be \$3.50 payable at courtside. Three trophies will be given in each class to the top three men. Send qualifying scores to Leo Schlosser, 705 East Main Street, Oblong, Illinois.

COMING EVENTS

- May 16, 17 — "Oil Capital" Open tournament, Central park courts, Tulsa, Oklahoma.
- May 17 — Ottumwa Open tournament, Riverside Park Courts, Ottumwa, Iowa.
- May 17 — Ottumwa Open tournament, Riverside park courts, Ottumwa, Iowa. Qual. Saturday, or mail score to Lucille Hopkins, 124 So. Cherry St., Ottumwa, Iowa 52501 with \$3.00 fee. Must have NHPA card.
- May 23-24 — Colorado Springs Open, Memorial Park, Colorado Springs, Colo.
- May 24 — Creston Open tournament, McKinley park courts, Creston, Iowa. \$3.00 fee and qual. score to Art Reed, 604 West Mills, Creston, Iowa 50801 by May 20.
- May 30 — Wayzata Open Tournament, Wayzata, Minn.
- May 30 — Annual Spring Fling Open, Lawrence Park courts, Rock Falls, Illinois.
- May 30-31 — Tournament of Champions, Phelps Grove courts, Springfield, Missouri.
- May 30-31 — Seattle Memorial tournament, Woodland park, Seattle, Washington.
- June 6 — Strawberry Festival, Century Park, Lebanon, Oregon.
- June 6-7 — Kentucky Association, Capitol City Open, Juniper Park courts, Frankfort, Kentucky.
- June 6, 7 — Vanport Spring Warmup, Vanport, Pa.
- June 6-7 — Minneapolis Open Tournament, Loring Park courts, Minneapolis, Minn.
- June 5-6-7 — Annual Northwest District (Ohio), Wauseon, Ohio. Deadline for entry, May 29th, with \$5.00 fee and percentage. Details to Harold Reed, 129 West Leggett St., Wauseon, Ohio, 43567.
- June 5-6-7 — Annual Greenville Open Tournament, City Park courts, Greenville, Ohio.
- June 7 — Open tournament, Fairbury, Nebraska.
- June 13 — Turkey Festival Open tournament, Tremont, Illinois.
- June 13, 14 — New Castle Spring Warmup, New Castle, Pa.
- June 13-14 — Lewis and Clark Open tournament, Clarkston, Washington.
- June 13-14 — Rose Festival, Laurelhurst Park, Portland, Oregon.
- June 13-14 — NHPA Invitational, Miller Park, Lynchburg, Va.
- June 13-14 — Annual Waterwonderland Open Tournament, Burr Oak, Mich.
- June 14 — Denver City Tourney, Washington Park, Denver, Colo.
- June 14 — Crete Open tournament, Crete, Nebraska. Send score to Leonard Werner, Crete, Nebraska 68333.
- June 13 — Kindred Open tournament, Mill Site Park courts, Kindred, North Dakota.
- June 19, 20, 21 — Eastern National Tournament at Erie, Pa.
- June 20-21 — Eau Claire Open Tournament, Carson Park courts, Eau Claire, Wis.
- June 21 — Father's Day, Salem, Bush Pasture Park, Oregon.
- June 21-28 — Massachusetts Open tournament, West Side courts, Rte 20, West Springfield, Mass.
- June 26-27-28 — Annual Thresher Tournament, Wauseon, Ohio. Non-sanctioned.
- June 27-28 — Annual Carson Open, canopy covered courts, Carson, N. D.
- June 27-28 — Waydena Open Tournament, Waydena, Minn.
- June 26-27-28 — Annual Hebron, Ohio Open tournament, Hebron courts on Rte 440, 25 miles east of Columbus, Ohio, North of Rte 70. Take Hebron and Newark exit.
- June 27-28 — Tacoma Open tournament, Wright park courts, Tacoma, Washington.
- June 28 — City Tournament, Memorial Park, Colorado Springs, Colo.
- June 28 — Annual St. Joe Open tournament, Noyes Field courts, 28th and Edmund Sts., St. Joseph, Missouri.
- July 3-4-5 — Greenville Ringer Classic, City Park courts, Greenville, Ohio.
- July 4 — Fourth of July Open Tournament, Moriarity City Park courts, Moriarity, N. M.
- July 4 — Hillsboro Happy Days, Shute Park, Hillsboro, Oregon.
- July 4 — Annual July 4th tournament, Mound City, Missouri.
- July 4-5 — Red River Valley Open, Fargo, N. D.
- July 4-5 — Bremerton Open, Evergreen Park, Bremerton, Wash.
- July 4-5 — Virginia State Tournament, Miller Park, Lynchburg, Va.
- July 11, 12 — Northwest Penna. Tournament at Erie, Pa.
- July 5 — Annual 4-State tournament, Falls City, Nebraska. Send score to Don Koso, 803 East 12th St., Falls City, Nebraska 68355.
- July 12 — Corvallis Open, Avery Park, Corvallis, Oregon.
- July 14 — "Parker Burns" Doubles, Los Altos Park courts, Albuquerque, N. M.
- July 18, 19 — Pennsylvania Open Tournament at Dormont, Pa.
- July 19 — Rocky Mountain Open, Boulder, Colo.
- July 18 — Friendship Jamboree, City Park, Vernonia, Oregon.
- July 25-August 4 — 1970 World Tournament, South Gate, Calif.
- July 25, 26 — Beaver Valley Open at Vanport, Pa.
- July 25-26 — Los Altos Open Tournament, Los Altos Park courts, Albuquerque, N. M.
- July 25-26 — Hill City Open, Miller Park, Lynchburg, Va.
- August 2 — LaGrande Open, Riverside Park, LaGrande, Oregon.
- August 2 — Annual Falls City Open tournament, Falls City, Nebraska. Send score to Don Koso, 803 East 12th St., Falls City, Nebraska 68355.
- August 8-9 — All Coast Open tournament, Vancouver, Washington.
- Aug. 8-9 — Apple Capital Open, Winchester, Va.
- Aug. 9-10 — Allard Open, Moorhead, Minn.
- Sept. — Minnesota State Tournament, to be played on indoor courts, date to be announced later.
- August 18-19 — Annual Illinois State tournament, State Fairgrounds, Springfield, Ill.
- August 19 — Annual Illinois State Boys' tournament, State Fairgrounds, Springfield, Illinois.
- August 14, 15, 16 — Canadian Championships, Dauphin, Manitoba, Canada.
- August 15-16 — Tri-state Tourney, Washington Park, Denver, Colo.
- August 15, 16 — Van Buren Open at Vanport, Pa.
- August 15 — 16 State Championship, Avery Park, Corvallis, Oregon.
- August 16 — Annual Mound City Open tournament, Mound City, Missouri.
- August 22 — State Doubles, Polk County Fair, Rickreall, Oregon.
- August 22, 23 — Dormont Open, Dormont, Pa.

Coming Events — Continued

- August 22-23 — Bellingham International, Bellingham, Washington.
 August 23 — Massachusetts State tournament, Lowell, Massachusetts.
 August 23 — Inland Empire Invitational Handicap, Spokane, Washington.
 August 30 — Hillsboro Invitational and Wash. County, Hillsboro, Oregon.
 August 29, 30 — Allegheny County Tournament at Dormont, Pa.; Beaver County Tournament at Vanport, Pa.; Erie County Tournament at Erie, Pa.; Lawrence County Tournament at New Castle, Pa.
 August 29-30 — Annual Nebraska State tournament, Falls City, Nebraska. Qualifying on Saturday. Banquet, 7 p.m.
 Aug. 29 - 30 — Annual Kentucky State Tournament, City Park Courts, Georgetown, Kentucky.
 August 30 — Greater Seattle tournament, Woodland park, Seattle, Washington.
 Sept. 5-6 — Raymond Frye Memorial Open, Winchester, Va.
 Sept. 5-6-7 — Annual Michigan State Tournament, Weston, Mich.
 Sept. 6-7 — Kentucky State Tournament, City Park courts, Georgetown, Kentucky.
 Sept. 6-7 — Annual Lincoln State Fair tournament, Lincoln, Nebraska. Send scores

- to Don Koso, 803 East 12th St., Falls City, Nebraska two weeks in advance of tournament.
 September 6-7 — Colorado State Tourney, Memorial Park, Colorado Springs, Colo.
 September 5, 6, 7 — Pennsylvania State Tournament, Erie, Pa.
 Sept. 7 — Annual Washington State tournament, Wright park, Tacoma, Washington.
 Sept. 5-6-7 — National Senior AAU tournament, Cape May Court House, New Jersey.
 September 7 — Lebanon Labor Day, Century Park, Lebanon, Oregon.
 September 13 — Team Play, Avery Park, Corvallis, Oregon.
 Sept. 13 — Belen County Fair Open Tournament, County Fair Grounds, Belen, N.M.
 September 13 — Annual Midland Empire Open tournament, Noyes Field courts, 28th and Edmund Sts., St. Joseph, Missouri.
 Sept. 20 — Open Tournament, Fairbury, Nebraska.
 Sept. 19-20 — Open tournament, Ortonville, Minnesota.
 September 19, 20 — New Castle Fall Ringer Roundup, New Castle, Pa.
 Sept. 26-27 — New Mexico State Tournament, State Fair Grounds, Albuquerque, N. M.

IOWA HAWKEYE SCHEDULE

- May 31 — Osceola, Iowa, Eastside Park, east Hwy 34. Final entry May 24. Mail score and \$2.00 to Maurice Clark, R. R. 2, Box 220, Osceola, Iowa, 50213, first 36 to send entry. Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, and Missouri.
 June 7 — Des Moines, Iowa, Birdland Park, IHPA members. Finals, 10:00 a.m. Qualify Saturday, p.m. at Birdland Park, or mail score and percentage to Harry Savage, 902 Clinton, Des Moines, Iowa, 50313, by June 5. Entry fee, \$3.00.
 June 14 — Cedar Rapids, Ellis Park, Iowa, Members, qualifying until 10:00 a.m. Starting time 10:30 a.m. Send score to Walter Krapfl, 1012 Eastern Drive, S.E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa, 52401.
 June 21 — Cedar Falls, Iowa, Island Park Open, NHPA members top classes. Qualify until 11:30 a.m. Finals 12:30 p.m. \$3.00 entry fee.
 June 28 — South Muscatine, Iowa, Kent-Stein Park. Qualify 8:30-11:30 a.m. Finals 12:30 p.m. Entry fee \$3.00. Open.
 July 4 — Atkins, Iowa. Qualify until noon. Iowa pitchers. Finals 1:00 p.m. Entry fee.
 July 5 — Dyersville, Iowa, Candy Cane Park. Iowa pitchers qualify until noon. Finals 12:30 p.m. \$1.00 qualifying fee and \$2.00 entry fee. Mail score and percentage to Walt Wedewer, R 1, Dyersville, Iowa, 52040.
 July 12 — Columbus Junction, Iowa Open. Classes A and B must qualify on courts. \$4.00 entry fee. All must be there by 10:30 a.m. Finals at noon.
 July 19 — Des Moines, Iowa, Birdland Park, Iowa Open. NHPA sanctioned. Qualify Saturday p.m. or mail score and \$3.00 fee to Lucille Hopkins, 124 S. Cherry, Ottumwa, Iowa, 52501 by July 17.

- July 28 — Red Oak, Legion Park, Iowa, Open County Fair Tournament. \$4.00 entry fee. Contact Woody Wilson, 701 Sunset, Red Oak, Iowa, 51566, for further details.
 Aug. 2 — Davenport, Iowa, Open, Mississippi Fair Tournament. Watch Horseshoe Pitchers News Digest magazine for details.
 Aug. 8 — Corydon, Iowa, City Park, Iowa-Missouri, qualify until noon. Finals 12:30 p.m. Entry fee, trophies.
 Aug. 15-16 — Burlington, Iowa, Crapo Park, Corn Belt Open. Watch Horseshoe News Digest for details.
 Aug. 29-30-28-29 — Indoor State Tourney, Iowa State Fair. Ladies and farmers. Junior boys, Des Moines, Iowa.
 Sept. 6 — Ottumwa, Riverside Park, Open, Labor Day weekend celebration. Can qualify Saturday, p.m. or mail score and percentage to: Lucille Hopkins, 124 S. Cherry, Ottumwa, Iowa, 52501 by Sept. 5. Men, juniors, ladies. Trophies all classes for men; Awards for ladies and juniors. Finals 9 a.m. Entry fee, \$3.00.
 Sept. 7 — Anita, Iowa pitchers, men and boys, qualify previously or mail score to: W. W. Uhlig, Anita, Iowa, 50020. \$3.00 entry fee.
 Sept. 7 — Cedar Rapids, Ellis Park, Iowa. Members qualifying until 10:00 a.m. Starting time, 10:30 a.m. Send score sheets to Walter Krapfl, 1012 Eastern Drive, S.E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa, 52401.
 Sept. 12-19 — Clay County Fair Tournament at Spencer, Iowa. For information, write George Englemann, Storm Lake, Iowa, 50588.
 Sept. 26-27 — Iowa Outdoor State Tournament, Birdland Park, Des Moines, Iowa. Details similar to Indoor State Tournament at Iowa State Fair, Des Moines.

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Coming Events — Continued

New Jersey Tournament Schedule

- May 17 — Lois Kolb Open tournament, Mountain View park courts, Middlesex, New Jersey.
- May 31 — New Jersey Open tournament, Mountain View park courts, Middlesex, New Jersey.
- June 14 — John Rosselet Memorial Open tournament, Warinanco park courts, Elizabeth, New Jersey.
- June 27 — New Jersey Junior Championships (Closed) Morning, followed in evening by New Jersey AAU Open tournament, Mountain View park courts, Middlesex, New Jersey.
- June 28 — Essex County 75th Anniversary Tournament, Branch Brook park, Newark, New Jersey.
- July 10-11-12 — Middlesex Open tournament, Mountain View park courts, Middlesex, New Jersey.
- July 26 — Essex County Open tournament, Branch Brook park courts, Newark, New Jersey.
- August 9 — Mid-Atlantic Open tournament, Mountain View park courts, Middlesex, New Jersey.
- August 22 — New Jersey Senior AAU tournament, (Closed), Mountain View park courts, Middlesex, New Jersey.
- Sept. 7 — New Jersey Singles Championship, (Closed), Mountain View park courts, Middlesex, New Jersey.
- Sept. 19 — New Jersey Doubles Championship, (Closed), Mountain View park courts, Middlesex, New Jersey.

NEVADA ASSOCIATION SCHEDULE

- May 9 — Reno Open tournament, Idlewild Park courts in Reno, Nevada. Qualifying fee, \$1.00 with entry fee at \$3.00. Men, ladies, juniors.
- May 17 — Douglass County Open Tournament will be played on portable courts at Gardnersville, Nevada. Qualifying fee, \$1.00 and \$2.00 for entry. Men and ladies.
- May 30-31 — Lakeview Open Tournament will be played on portable courts at East Washes, Nevada. Qualifying fee, \$1.00, entry fee, \$2.00. Men, ladies and juniors.
- June 13 — Open Tournament, Idlewild park courts, Reno, Nevada. Qualifying fee, \$1.00, entry fee, \$3.00.
- June 20-21 — Carson Valley Open Tournament, played on portable courts at Stewart, Nevada. Qualifying fee, \$1.00, entry fee, \$2.00. Men, ladies and juniors.
- July 4-5 — Silver States Open Tournament, County Fairgrounds, Reno, Nevada. Qualifying fee, \$1.00, entry fee, \$3.00. Men, ladies and juniors.
- July 18 — Open Tournament, Idlewild Park courts, Reno, Nevada. Qualifying fee, \$1.00, entry fee, \$3.00.
- No Date — Open Tournament played on portable courts at Reno-Sparks, Indian Colony. Qualifying fee, \$1.00, entry fee, \$2.00. Men, ladies and juniors.
- Sept. 5-6 — Pyramid Sertoma Open Tournament sponsored by Nevada Association, played on portable courts, Paradise park, Sparks, Nevada. Qualifying fee, \$1.00, entry fee, \$3.00. Men, ladies and juniors.
- Sept. — Annual Nevada State Tournament, County Fairgrounds, Reno, Nevada. Date to be announced.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SCHEDULE

- May 9 — Doubles Tournament, South Gate, California.
- May 9 — Fullerton Doubles, Fullerton.
- May 16 — South Gate B & Women, So. Gate.
- May 17 — San Diego E & C Open, San Diego.
- May 24 — South Gate D & G Open, So. Gate.
- June 7 — Lowell Gray Open, Pomona.
- June 13 — San Bernardino Doubles, San Berdu.
- June 14 Fullerton B Open, Fullerton.
- June 27 — Fernando Isais Open, So. Gate.
- June 28 — Baldwin Park E Open, Baldwin Park.
- July 4 — Semana Nautica B Open, S. Barbara.
- July 5 — Semana Nautica Open, S. Barbara.
- July 12 — Class A & D & H Open, So. Gate.
- July 18-19 — Elmer Beller Open 16 man & G So. Gate.
- July 25 - Aug. 4 — Worlds Championship, So. Gate.
- Aug. 16 — Baldwin Park D Open, Baldwin Park.
- Aug. 22 - 23 — State Champ AA - B - C SR - Women & Boys, South Gate.
- Aug. 30 San Diego C & E Open, San Diego.
- Sept. 6-7 — Ringer Round Up, So. Gate.
- Sept. 13 — San Bernardino A Open, San Berdu.
- Sept. 20 — Champ B & F, So. Gate.
- Sept. 26 — San Diego D & F Open, San Diego.
- Sept. 27 — San Diego Open & C, San Diego.
- Oct. 4 — Champ A & G, So. Gate.
- Oct. 11 — Champ C, Baldwin Park.
- Oct. 18 — Champ AA & E & H, So. Gate.
- Oct. 25 — Champ D, Pomona.
- Nov. 1 — Fullerton A Open, Fullerton.
- Nov. 8 — C Open, San Berdu.
- Nov. 15 — John Gordon Open, Srs. - Women, So. Gate.
- Nov. 22 — Dean Brown Doubles, Pomona.
- Jan. 17, 1971 — Annual Meeting at 1:00 p. m. Location - Baldwin Park.

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Coming Events — Continued

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA SCHEDULE

- April 26 — Seaside - Open.
 May 3 — Vallejo - Class D.
 May 10 — Modesto - Open.
 May 17 — Grass Valley - B - Open.
 May 24 — Arroyo Viejo - Class E - No. California Meeting 11:00 a. m.
 May 31 — Golden Gate Classic - Open - Defending champ - L. Potter, San Jose.
 June 7 — Los Gatos Class B, Meadow Park, Los Gatos, Calif.
 June 13-14 — Citrus Heights (Sacramento) — Inaugural Open.
 June 21 — Mosswood - Class C.
 June 27-28 — Gold Country Open, Grass Valley, California.
 July 5 — Pleasanton Fair - Open Defending champ John Pratt, Sacramento (Citrus Heights).
 July 12 — Citrus Heights (Sacramento - Open).
 July 18-19 — Santa Rosa Fair - Open - Defending champ Bill Weathers, Modesto.
 July 25 — Aug. 4 — World Horseshoe Tourney - South Gate, California.
 Aug. 8 — Turlock Fair - Open Defending champ John Pratt, Sacramento (Citrus Heights).
 Aug. 9 — Seaside - Class D.
 Aug. 15 — Citrus Heights (Sacramento) - B Open Northern California Meeting 11:00 a. m.
 Aug. 22-23 — San Jose - Pacific Coast Open - Defending champ Don Titcomb, San Jose.
 Aug. 23-24 — Gridley - Open.
 Aug. 30 — Grass Valley Fair - Open - Defending champ Lee Bousfield, Grass Valley.
 Sept. 5 — Live Oak - Class C.
 Sept. 6 — San Jose - Northern California Championship - Women and Juniors.
 Sept. 6-7 — Eureka - Labor Day Open.
 Sept. 13 — Los Gatos - Open - Defending Jesse Gonzales, Los Gatos.
 Sept. 20 — Mosswood - Northern Men's Championship - Class AA Defending champ Newton Graves, Sacramento.
 Sept. 27 — Modesto - Class A Open.
 Oct. 4 — Sacramento - Northern California championship - Class A Defending champ Monty Jones, Grass Valley.
 Oct. 11 — San Jose - Northern California championship - Class B Defending champ Nash Boronda, Arroyo Viejo.
 Oct. 18 — Seaside - Northern California Class C Defending champ Lou Gayet, Santa Rosa - Northern California Meeting 11:00 a. m.
 Oct. 25 — Arroyo Viejo - Northern California championship - Class D Defending champ John Larsen, Santa Rosa.
 Nov. 1 — Livermore - Northern California championship - Class E - Defending champ Al Hauge, Seaside.
 Nov. 8 — Mosswood - Class D.
 Nov. 15 — San Jose - Turkey shoot Open (Non-Qual) - Defending champ Newton Graves, Sacramento.

1970 Indiana Association Schedule

- May 16-17 — Spring Open, Floyd County Park, New Albany, Ind., \$4.25 entry.
 May 23-24 — Indiana-Illinois Open, Cayuga, Ind., \$.425 entry.
 May 30-31 — Ben Shores Open, Fairview Park, Anderson, Ind., \$.625 entry.
 June 6-7 — Northwest Indiana Open, High School, Morgan, Ind., \$.425 entry.
 June 6-7 — Indianapolis Open, Garfield Park, Indianapolis, \$.425 entry.
 June 13-14 — Western Indiana Open, Dornier Park, Frankfort, Ind., \$.425 entry.
 June 13-14 — Northeast Indiana Open, City Park, Avilla, Ind., \$.425 entry.
 June 20-21 — Earle Wilmore Open, Fairview Park, Anderson, Ind., \$.625 entry.
 June 27-28 — Eastern Indiana Open, Roberts Park, Connersville, Ind., \$.425 entry.
 July 11-12 — Northern Indiana, City Park, Wabash, Ind., \$.400 entry. For players north of state road 26.
 July 11-12 — Clyde Green Open, Goodrich Park, Winchester, Ind., \$.625 entry. Cash Prizes.
 July 18-19 — Midwest "Ringer Round Up" Site to be announced later. \$.625 entry. Cash Prizes.
 August 8-9 — Highland Park Open, Kokomo, Ind., \$.425 entry.
 August 15-16 — Southern Indiana, Fairgrounds, Franklin, Ind., \$.400 entry.
 August 30-31 — Family Day, Fairview Park, Anderson, Ind., Special events. Husband - Wife doubles, Father - Son doubles, Seniors and Lefthanders.
 September 4-5-6 — Indiana State, Dornier Park, Frankfort, Ind., \$.600 entry.
 September 12 - 13 — Indiana - Ohio Open, Heekin Park, Muncie, Ind., \$.600 entry.
 September 19 - 20 — Fall Open, Floyd County Park, New Albany, Ind., \$.425 entry.

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Gentlemen:

I am sending this somewhat ahead of time so that you can have time to think over what I am about to propose, and, possibly arrive at a decision, so that your decision can be published in the DIGEST before it is too late to send in votes.

In forming the "Hall of Fame," I do not think that it was the intention of the founding body to forget "our women pitchers." To do this would be fatal, especially when one remembers all the hard work that the ladies have rendered in running World Tournaments. To mention one, let us recall what Katie Gregson did in all of her time in horseshoes.

Therefore, I am submitting my vote for the following pitchers:

- (a) Active player: Mrs. C. A. Lanhan — 5 times Ladies World Champion.
Mrs. Vicki Winston — 7 times Ladies World champion.
- (b) Nonplayer: Mr. John Gordon of Gordon Horseshoes.

I hope that the Committee will give this some thought, and correspond, so that we pitchers can know your decision before it is too late to cast our votes. Remember — "we cannot forget our women pitchers and what they have done to promote the game."

Sincerely,

H. O. Hansen,
Founder of Seaside, California
Horseshoe Club.

P. S. A copy of this has been sent to all members of Hall of Fame Committee.

Engle Wins March Red Mill Open

Although Oscar Engle had not thrown a horseshoe for over two months, he managed to capture his second Red Mill championship this winter by defeating Clyde Martz in the final round of the tournament. Richard Maroni looked much like his former self — easily winning Class B.

But again it was Vince Sedlacek of New Kensington who kept most people's attention. If there was any skepticism about his seventy percent performance in February, it was erased as he once again hit in the seventy percent bracket.

CLASS A

	W	L	%
Oscar Engle	5	0	79.2
Clyde Martz	4	1	78.8
Vince Sedlacek	3	2	71.2
Jack Rainbow	2	3	65.5
Albert Booth	1	4	66.1
John Ruskin	0	5	62.5

CLASS B

	W	L	%
Richard Maroni	5	0	69.8
Pete Sowa	4	1	62.6
Jake Fiore	3	2	55.6
Charles Semans	2	3	57.8
Clyde Falk	1	4	50.4
Ray Henry	0	5	47.5

Cavin Announces June 28 As Date For "St. Joe Open"

The annual "St. Joe Open" tournament will be held June 28 at Noyes Field courts, 28th and Edmund Streets, St. Joseph, Missouri. Send ringer percentage of 200 shoes for qualifying score to Ray Cavin, 1824 Holman, St. Joseph, Missouri 64501 with \$3.00 entry fee. Due to large number of entries, tournament play for Classes A, B and C will start at 9 a. m. sharp. The "Midland Empire" tournament will be held on September 13 on the same courts and under the same conditions.

Ottumwa, Iowa Open Tourney, May 17

The annual Ottumwa Open tournament will be held Saturday and Sunday, May 16-17 at the Riverside park courts in Ottumwa, Iowa.

Qualifying will start on Saturday, May 16 in the afternoon. Scores may be mailed in together with the entry fee of \$3.00. Finals will be held on Sunday, May 17. There will be classes for all pitchers including a ladies class and a junior if enough are available. Trophies will be awarded in the men's classes. Also awards to the ladies and juniors. This is a sanctioned meet and NHPA cards will be required. They will be available at the courts. Scores should be sent to Mrs. Lucille Hopkins, 124 South Cherry Street, Ottumwa, Iowa 52501.

Bob West Captures Tacoma, Wash., Daffodil Open

Bob West of Scappoose, Oregon, let it be known early to his fellow competitors that he is bearing down on the game of horseshoes to ready himself for Southgate as he went undefeated enroute to the Class "A" championship at Wright Park in the annual Tacoma Daffodil Open Tournament.

West, on his way to the trophy, averaged 75.5% with his high game of 82.8% coming when needed against 2nd place finisher Herb Criss of Bremerton.

Another Oregonian, Barry Chapelle, captured Class B with a 55.4% average as he edged Howard Peterson and Gary Alexander.

The Junior Division turned into a contest between State Champ Mike Weber and Western States Open Champ Jim Malvern Jr. Weber won all six of his games as he averaged 68.5%.

Mildred Kuhne edged Sarah Giacomini 50-48 in the deciding game to win 1st place in the women's division. Sarah, making her first appearance in over a year took 2nd.

CLASS A

	W	L	%
Bob West, Oregon	7	0	75.5
Herb Criss, Bremerton	5	2	68.1
Bill Foss, Tacoma	4	3	67.4
Herb Pidde, Seattle	4	3	61.3
Wally Rehard, Spokane....	2	5	65.6
Cletus Chapelle, Portland	2	5	65.5
Ellis West, Seattle	2	5	63.7
F. Winetrout, Lummi Is...	2	5	59.9

CLASS B

	W	L	%
Barry Chapelle, Portland	7	0	55.4
H. Peterson, Portland.....	5	2	60.5
G. Alexander, Gran. Falls	5	2	54.1
Al Oertel, Point Roberts	3	4	45.9
J. Eckstrom, Port Orchard	3	4	45.4
Oliver Hartzell, Bothell....	2	5	41.7
Rudy Allones, Bremerton	2	5	41.0
Don Devore, Tacoma	1	6	44.1

CLASS C — Al Hostak, Seattle, 6-1-51.5; Mac McDaniel, Everett, 4-3-51.4; Harry Glombicki, Tacoma, 4-3-44.4; Roy Larson, Tacoma, 4-3-43.2; Forest Reed, Yakima, 4-3-42.3; Ray Brumfield, Lynnwood, 3-4-44.5; Dale Schliemann, Yakima, 2-5-42.2; Ed Bartlett, Everett, 1-6-41.8.

CLASS D — Stewart Snyder, Kelso, 6-1-46.3; Cecil McKean, Tacoma, 5-2-43.3; Jim Saari, Aberdeen, 6-2-42.5; Al Alexander, Granite Falls, 5-3-39.8; Jim Malvern Sr., Seattle, 3-4-39.4; Orel Vallen, Seattle, 2-5-42.2; Marion Smith, Seattle, 1-6-37.8; Joe Giacomini, Port Orchard, 1-6-34.6.

Daffodil Open — (Cont.)

CLASS E — Henry Zack, Puyallup, 6-1-43.5; Burl Matteson, Bremerton, 4-3-38.2; Bert Faulk, Tacoma, 4-3-37.3; Willis Wagner, Bremerton, 4-3-37.2; Robert Clark, Port Orchard, 3-4-38.4; John Cayko, Ephrata, 3-4-36.7; Mike Miller, Seattle, 3-4-35.2; Jack Doud, Seattle, 1-6-33.1.

CLASS F — Harry Eastman, Bremerton, 7-1-39.8; John Davis, Tacoma, 6-2-33.2; Bob Perry, Tacoma, 5-2-33.7; Vern Reil, Everett, 4-3-35.3; Harry Wilkerson, Everett, 3-4-32.3; Maurice Pratt, Puyallup, 2-5-28.0; Ed McKay, Auburn, 1-6-28.9; Charles Lichens, Olalla, 1-6-24.8.

CLASS G — Mel Westrum, Gig Harbor, 6-2-32.6; Randy Oard, Seattle, 5-3-37.2; Kenneth Foss, Tacoma, 4-3-28.5; Ray Black, Yakima, 4-3-27.2; Walt Scheib, Port Orchard, 3-4-26.3; Bob Ertsgaard, Bremerton, 3-4-23.5; Andy Giacomini, Port Orchard, 2-5-26.1; Raleigh Smith, Selah, 2-5-25.1.

JUNIORS — Mike Weber, Hoquiam, 6-0-68.5; Jim Malvern, Seattle, 4-2-65.0; Ken Bartlett, Everett, 1-5-16.7; Joe Bartlett, Everett, 1-5-6.5.

LADIES — Mildred Kuhne, Tacoma, 5-0-53.7; Sarah Giacomini, Port Orchard, 3-2-52.9; Alice Rehard, Spokane, 3-2-29.7; Babe Bartlett, Everett, 3-2-19.7; Margaret Williams, Tacoma, 1-4-15.0; Lorraine McKay, Auburn, 0-5-9.7.

Interesting horseshoe personalities . . .

Troy Harrison of Florida

Troy Harrison, 751 Ironwood Drive, Eau Gallie, Florida, is a sheet-metal technician for Trans World Airlines. He works at the John F. Kennedy Space Center and has a certificate from the United States government showing him to be a member of the team, maintenance support, which sent the three-man Apollo VIII shot around the moon. He was a part of the team which landed the first man on the moon.

Troy is 45 years old, has a wife, Janet who is a good tennis player, and a son, Troy, Jr., who is five. Troy has been a NHPA member since 1955. His ringer percentage is about 55% but he is determined to go higher. He won the Class B title in West Virginia in 1955 and remembers a win over Arner Lindquist in Class A in 1957 as his high water mark. Troy won Class B at the Orlando Open this year. If he has a hero, it is Ralph Maddox of Poca, West Virginia. He was born and reared in Charleston and lived there until moving to Florida ten years ago. He patterned his one and three-quarters delivery after Maddox.

Harrison practices at least 100 shoes each day in all kinds of weather and prefers the low hard shoe in the wind. Along with John Hinkson he plans to build ten new courts at Eau Gallie, organize a larger club, and promote an annual tournament with the very logical name of "The Missile Open."

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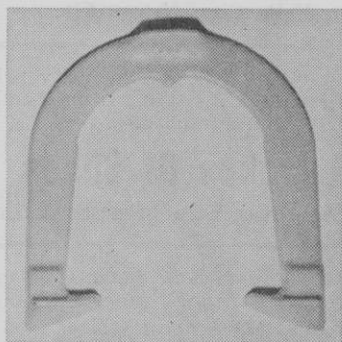
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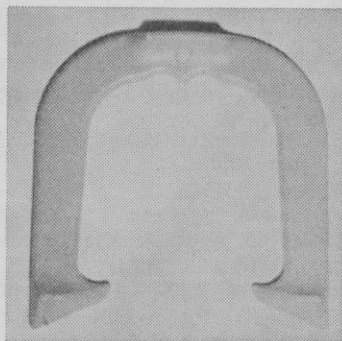
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