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FROM YOUR PRESIDENT . . . DAVE LOUCKS

1987 WORLD TOURNAMENT — Eau Claire, Wis. Many of you planning to attend will be interested in the method of play. The following highlights will give you an idea of the format unanimously adopted by the NHPA Executive Council.

1. We have added Intermediate, Senior and Elder (70 +) classes for women subject to a reasonable number of entrants.
2. Men's Elder Class will be divided into 30 foot and 40 foot pitchers.
3. All women entrants plus men's Intermediate, Senior & Elders will be seeded by percentage into 24 to a class; 2 groups of 12. Class championships, A & down, will consist of 6 pitchers. Championship finals in all but Elders will be 12 pitchers.
4. Men's Open Classes, A & below, will be seeded by percentage, 32 to a class; 2 groups of 16; 8 in the class finals.
5. The finals of each class, A & down, will be made up of the 2 group winners plus the next 4 or 6 best WON/LOST records.
6. All classes will have some move-up opportunity based on percentage.
7. All finalists other than Championship Classes will pay \$10.00 Entry Fee.
8. Each class finalist, A & below, will receive a cash prize plus trophy.
9. The next 6 or 8 best won/lost records who do not make the class finals will receive a cash prize.
10. \$600 in prize money will be awarded for each class of 24; \$800 for each class of 32. 50% of all pitchers in each class will receive a cash prize. 25% will receive a trophy.
11. No trophies will be awarded for preliminary rounds.
12. The Men's Championship Finals will consist of 24, the Women, 12 finalists.
13. Championship finalists will pay a pro-rated entry fee. The higher the purse, the higher the entry fee.

I hope that all entrants will appreciate that we have tried to develop a format that will please almost all pitchers. We did our best to consider all your recommendations and we hope you will now do your best to accept them as being in the best interest of the greatest number of pitchers. Based on 1200 adult entrants, the total prize list will be about \$50,000. The actual prize list will be published in a later issue of the Digest.

DAVE'S COURT REPORT

While on the subject of World Tournaments, potential bidders for the 1989 tournament should be aware of a very important fact. By delegate vote in Ainsworth, the deadline for submitting future W.T. Bids, including for 1989, must be submitted by April 15th. There are also new minimum bid requirements, \$36,000 in cash prizes plus

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\$4,000 toward trophies. Therefore, if your club or city is considering a bid for the 1989 tournament, you must act quickly.

All bids have to be in the hands of the NHPA Secy/Treas by April 15, 1987.

RINGERS REMEMBERED

By KEVIN CONE

In the 1955 World Championships Ted Allen pitched every game over 80%, the only time in history this has ever been accomplished. He went 35-0 and averaged 86.4%. The record for consecutive 80% games or better is held by Elmer Hohl at 44 straight games. The last 34 games of 1968 and first ten of 1969.

Mark Seibold became only the sixth man to ever pitch three consecutive 90% games. He achieved this in the 1986 World tournament by pitching 96.2, 90.9, and 93.2% in rounds 19, 20 and 21.

They say the caliber of pitching is not what it used to be, but going into the last five games of 1986 world tournament, four men were averaging over 80% and had it not been for the strong wind the last day and the wind and rain delay the first night there would have been more. That brings me to my next point. The record for most 90% games is 44 for a mens championships in a world tournament set in 1965 in beautiful Keene, N.H. with a 36 man field. This year's 32 man field had 40 games of 87.5% and better. That's a compliment to Ainsworth and the horseshoe pitchers. With next year's event in the wonderful Eau Claire indoor layout and all the top caliber pitchers appearing, I predict we'll see six men average at least 80% and at least four women average over 80%.

Consecutive Ringers pitched in 1986 Me's Championships: 44-Mark Seibold; 38-Kevin Cone; 36-Cone; 32-Seibold; 26-Cone; 24-Seibold, twice; 24-Williams, twice; 24-Cone, three times; 24-Roger Potts; 24-Jesse Gonzales.

22-Williams; 22-Cone; 22-Alvin Perry; 22-Ben Weidrich; 22-Larry Morton.

20-Jim Knisley, four times; 20-Seibold, three times; 20-Cone, three times; 20-Williams, twice; 20-Perry, twice; 20-Don Titcomb, twice; 20-Dave Hughes; 20-Ralph Maddox; 20-Al Zadroga; 20-Art Sperber.

TRIVIA QUESTION: What are the odds of pitching a perfect game in the World Tournament?

NHPA PUBLICITY

By BOB CHAMPION, Dir.

Since horseshoe pitching has evolved into an organized sport, there have been many pitchers who have complained about the lack of media coverage—newspapers, radio and TV.

Having been in sports writing some fifty years now, I can recall when high schools had only three sports — football, basketball and track. There were only six professional hockey teams, 16 pro baseball teams, a minimum of pro football and basketball teams. The women and girls competed in closed competition (they wouldn't let us men in to watch).

In addition numerous independent sports like badminton, racquetball, softball, tennis and many others were not available so they did not take up any space on the sports pages.

However, this trend has changed. We have over fifty sports trying to muster some recognition in the sports media.

To get our share of coverage, the NHPA publicity committee is embarking on a program that might result in local, big city and national coverage we so desperately need.

PUBLICITY — (Continued)

We are embarking on a program in every horseshoe pitching community to encourage State and club officers, tournament directors and publicity directors to make a special effort to stimulate coverage in their areas.

First, it must be the duty of each State president and every Club president to appoint a publicity director, or take on the job himself. Publicity is not a monumental task. Collect all the information about your organization, acquire a schedule of events, check on past winners and important horseshoe pitchers and administrators in your community and take this information to the person in charge of your local publication, radio station or TV. It may be the sports editor, or a writer or the editor, but let them know who you are and that you will be in contact with them during the pitching season. In addition to results of tournament, you may be surprised that the media will use some feature material about you leading pitchers.

Now is the time to lay this groundwork for future coverage. Organization presidents are urged to send the name, address and phone number of your appointed publicity person. The presidents and publicity people will be sent material immediately relative to the program.

Full cooperation is necessary from all groups if we are to complete a successful program. If the general public in every community starts reading about horseshoe pitching, we will obtain more pitchers and the top media people will realize that horseshoe pitching deserves local, big city and national coverage from them.

My address is 5505 Valmont #176, Boulder, Colorado 80301. My home phone is (303) 449-8395. Please let me hear from you!!

NHPA SECRETARY-TREASURER REPORT FOR DECEMBER, 1986

December 1986 Receipts:

NHPA Digest Ads	\$1656.80
NHPA Digest Subscriptions	2000.13
NHPA Memberships	4358.00
Envelope Sales	217.40
Interest	1190.43
League Program	84.00
Total December 86 Receipts	\$9506.50

December 1986 Expenditures:

NHPA League Program	\$ 2734.55
1986 World Tournament	59.80
Printing & Supplies	2741.81
Telephone	200.39
Postage	140.03
NHPA Digest	3666.00
Officer	208.00
Secretary-Treasurer	80.00
Bank Charges (Info for IRS)	70.00
Total December 86 Expenditures	\$12535.58

NOTE: These figures are from the books of the NHPA Secretary-Treasurer and don't reflect the NHPA funds handled by other NHPA persons.

BASIC PRICE OF DIGEST IS NOW \$12.00 PER YEAR

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All renewals must be for the new rate, no renewals for Third Class will be accepted. Send all new subscriptions and renewals payable to the National Horseshoe Pitchers Association, Box 278, Munroe Falls, OH 44262.

CORRECTION FOR FLORIDA SCHEDULE

Due to a typographical error in the Florida State Schedule, the address for Pat O'Toole, a tournament director is 3613 - 34th Avenue Drive, W., Bradenton, Florida 33505. Ph: 813-755-9359. All entries for the G. T. Bray Open to be held at Bradenton Feb. 28 and for the Pat O'Toole Open to be held at Bradenton on April 11, should be sent to the above correct address.

OHIO STATE INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS DATES SET

The Ohio State Indoor Championship Tournament will be held on April 3, 4, 5, 10, 11, 12, 1987. It will be at the Northeast Ohio Indoor Courts, Hickory Lake Inn, 14592 Stone Road, Newbury, Ohio 44065.

Our tournament will be 8 players, round robin, cancellation games. Trophies or equivalent will be awarded for first and second places. Entry fee of \$10.00 should accompany your entry 10 days prior to the tournament's first date. You will be classed according to your ringer percentage submitted. Tournament Directors have the right to make changes. The Tournament will be NHPA sanctioned, number 21-87-024.

Contact Jeannie Spaller, 1288 W. Jackson Street #215, Painesville, Ohio 44077, phone 216-354-4425, or Earl Vansant, 244 Deer Drive, Chardon, Ohio 44024, phone 216-285-2552.

CHAPELLE APPOINTED NHPA HALL OF FAME CHAIRMAN

After several years of faithful service, Ruth Hangen of Getzville, NY, has resigned as Chairman of the NHPA Hall of Fame Committee. Thank you, Ruth, for a job well done.

Dave Loucks, NHPA President, has appointed Barry Chapelle of Portland, Oregon to take over that position. He states, "I will try and do as well as Ruth has done." Also, if the members of the NHPA have any deserving people to nominate to the NHPA Hall of Fame, please send those nominations in immediately to Barry Chapelle, 2716 East 61st Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97206.

VINCE YANNETTI SEEKS RE-ELECTION AS NHPA 3RD V.P.

I will be a candidate for re-election at the 1987 convention to be held in Eau Claire, Wisconsin.

I have been an active member of the NHPA for many years. I have been a World Tournament statistician from 1974 until the present time.

I have, in the past years, voted for the best interests of the NHPA and will continue to do so if re-elected. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

GENE VAN SANT CANDIDATE FOR 5TH VICE-PRES.

I have served as 5th Vice President for the past 2 years. My primary job function has been the regional director program. In that capacity I have inaugurated several new programs and responsibilities for the regional directors. Since these programs are new and require close supervision I would like the opportunity to serve for another term to help see these programs through to a successful conclusion. Your support would be appreciated.

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(Now and/or prior to retirement)

Your turn of shoe _____ Which handed? _____ Age as of 7-26-87 _____

Home Phone (_____) _____ Work Phone (_____) _____

The deadline to register is June 1, 1987. Any registration received postmarked after June 1 will be placed on a waiting list to be used in case of drop-outs. **NO PHONE REGISTRATION.** Late registrations will pay an additional \$25.00 if they get into the event. **NHPA DRESS CODE WILL BE ENFORCED.**

WE NEED YOUR RECORD OF PERFORMANCE: We want your average based on your last three events. You must submit a written verification of your average signed by your state officer and attach it to this registration form. That is the only average we will accept.

REGISTRATION FEE MUST BE ENCLOSED: Juniors pay \$10.00. All others \$25.00. It is very important that you enter the correct division. Any male regardless of age may enter the Open Men's Class. Any female regardless of age may enter the Open Women's Class. Juniors who make this choice to enter the adult divisions must pitch adult distances and will forfeit their junior standing. If you are 17 years old or younger on or after January 1, 1987 you may enter the junior divisions. You may enter the Intermediate Division if you are from 60 to 65 years of age by July 26, 1987. To enter the Senior Division you must be 66 years old or older by July 26, 1987. If you become 66 during the tournament you will be allowed to finish competition in the Intermediates and may not enter the Seniors until 1988. To enter the Elders 70 + Division you must be 70 years of age by July 26, 1987.

PLEASE!!!!!!Circle the Class you are registering for.

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By signing this release, I also understand that the provision of any state, federal, local or territorial law or statute providing in substance that releases such as this one, shall not extend to claims, demands, injuries or damage which are unknown or unsuspected to exist or occur, to the undersigned, are hereby expressly waived.

SIGNED _____ DATE _____

We reserve the right to cancel any division if too few enter or percentage spread is too large for proper classification. Mail registrations to: **Donnie Roberts, Box 278, Munroe Falls, OH 44262.**

PITCHEROOS HORSESHOE CLUB, VICTORIA, AUSTRALIA

By PETE MOON

I was meaning to write to the News Digest last year, on my return from the World Championships.

Not only to express my amazement at what I saw and was taught as to the conducting and organizing of such an event, but to see the Pitchers and their families, not counting the general people of the U.S.A., even the country itself. I felt at home after being there only a few hours; I guess all this comes from our old days of pioneering, both our countries more or less in the same era of the 1800's, but you got your independence faster.

A quick word on that subject; we were both so busy on getting on with settling in our new lands that we had no time or means of meeting each other but nowadays there is no excuse, only the \$ situation, but it can be done if we all chip in. I proved that on my venture to go and learn as much as possible of horseshoe pitching, which I sure did. Every man and woman and child was so kind to me, even though my score at the World Championships was — one watering can, one shovel and one scorer's ankle. When I return some day, I would like very much to have that same guy scoring for me, just to prove that he is quite safe now.

Back to why I am finally writing to the Digest: really my arm has been twisted by the National officers of NHPA U.S.A. to write a few lines, also the "Pitcheroos" have said, "Why don't Down-under get a mention in the Digest?"

After my name appeared in the 1986 September issue, that was the last straw. So here is a little news on Aussie Pitchers: really condensed, as I could fill your Digest with news from Down-under.

The "Pitcheroos" took off all events except the Juniors in the 5th Australian Horseshoe Pitching Championships 1986. We were runner-up on the 4th Championship 1985. After my trip from the States, we sure have kicked on — 'Australia Day' 26 Jan '87 will be the State of Victoria Championships and we will clean that up too — we only have seven States here, yet Australia is approximately the same size as the U.S.A. and five States have Clubs now, and a few backyard pitchers who will get into the act in the near future.

We are slowly becoming united in all ways. What we really need is a couple of "Dead-eyes" here to just show what can be done — yet they are surprized at my 25% game but really not good enough to promote the sport.

ASSAULT ON A PRISON

By GLEN PORTT

(Foreword: The NHPA has kept this story hidden for quite some time... but sooner or later it had to come out. This is what I discovered on my trip to the World Tournament.)

The 'Don's' territory extended over several states. By agreement with others, he worked strictly within his own territory. For quite some time, he had worked on a daring plan... an assault on the high security Kansas State Penitentiary at Leavenworth. There were 6 men inside those walls whom he wanted to wipe out.

1975. Topeka, Kansas. Six men sat around a scarred, beer covered table in a smoke filled room. They had been hand picked. The records of each had been scrupulously gone over... each one had the killer instinct... each one knew his weapons intimately... each one knew exactly what he was expected to do. It was felt the 'assault' could succeed.

The leader, a slim 5'9" man, balding, and wearing glasses was quietly going over the strategy while he absentmindedly stroked his dry face with a straight edged razor. "How do we get in?" he asked. "Easy! It's been fixed at the highest level. When I say

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that some very high level, very top people are in on this...believe me! Just don't worry. As we go in, our arms will be stamped with a special ink and a special code for that day which only shows up under an ultraviolet light. When we leave, we have to pass the same check."

"Yeah, I know. But how do we get our weapons past the electronic surveillance system? There just ain't no way!"

"Look. I said *everything* was fixed. A guard will shut off the system to let us pass through. Just carry your weapons in your cases. Don't hesitate. Keep walking."

"We're after 6 men, right? We're supposed to wipe them out. What exactly are our orders?"

"To be brief...no pity! These are the 'Don's' instructions. There'll be some resistance but each of you must crush it. Use your regular weapons. Don't use your straight edge unless absolutely necessary...because that makes things final. The Don wants a good clean job...no slip-ups."

"Yeah, I know...but some of those guys are pretty tough cookies...and they aren't going to be easy. Take Big John, for example. I've seen his record. He's really tough!"

"Well, you've each been assigned one man and it's up to you to get him.

Two days later. Five men sat around the same scarred table, talking.

"It didn't go off too quietly, did it?"

"Nope. There was a lot of yelling and screaming."

"Did any of you use your straight edge?"

"I did. I had a close call. There was just no other way!"

"Too bad about our leader. What happened?"

"Darndest thing. He was working his man over real good when another inmate swung a piece of steel, hit him in the arm, cut a gash, and completely obliterated the special code. He couldn't get out. He'll be there for life...however, he did his job...*he wiped out his man.*"

"Tough! He was kind a nice guy!"

1986. World Tournament. I told this story to a fellow horseshoe pitcher.

"What was the name of the leader?" he asked.

"Larry Morton."

"Larry Morton? How can be in Leavenworth and be right out there pitching?"

"Haven't you ever heard of reincarnation?"

"Yeah, I guess so. But how about the 'Don'?"

"Oh, that's Don Koso, the NHPA Regional Director. Hey, I didn't forget to tell you the 'assault on a prison' was made by 6 NHPA members playing a horseshoe match with 6 prison inmates, did I?"

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMITTING RESULTS TO NEWS DIGEST

By DONNIE ROBERTS

Any results submitted to the NHPA News Digest that fail to list their sanction number will not be published and will be returned to the sender.

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HOUSTON, TEXAS CELEBRATES FIFTH YEAR (SANC. 82A18)

The Greater Houston Horseshoe Pitchers Association has completed another year of sanction league. Beginning in March and ending in November, 6 eight-week leagues were played. On Tuesday nights and Saturday mornings, three 50-shoe games were pitched, totaling 144 games. Count-all points and 90% handicaps were used.

While Texas celebrated its sesquicentennial, the Houston Club celebrated its 5th year in sanction league competition. Ringer percentages, along with point averages, increased. It's a proven fact that pitching in leagues will help win in tournament play.

Two of our league members received the NHPA Top Ten Award: Bill Campbell, 6th Highest Point Game with 129.0 points/10th Highest Ringer Percentage with 64.1/Men's Division: 8th Highest Ringer Percentage with 64.1. Ronney Joe Bundick, 6th Highest Point Game Over Average with 186.2 points.

League Champions were: Betty Schroeder, Becky Simmons, Bill Campbell, Art Geyer, Frank Polak and Don Zobel. High Average Patches went to: Bill Campbell with 101.4 points, Art Geyer - 93; Dolores Zigrang - 90.9; Ken Mathis with 89.3 points. High Game Patches went to: Bill Campbell - 129.0 points; Art Geyer - 117; Dolores Zigrang - 110; and Ken Mathis with 108 points. High Game Over Average Patches went to: Ronney Joe Bundick with 186.2 points, Ron Maroon - 178, Becky Simmons - 178 and Art Geyer with 172 points. Most Improved pitchers of the year were: Betty Polak, Becky Simmons, Mary Zander, Pete Davis, Mark Sattler and Don Thompson, they received NHPA belt buckles.

The Rookie Patches went to our three juniors: Brandon Maroon, Scott Bartee, Brian Croft, also to three of our newest members, Virgil Miller, Mark Sattler and Don Zobel.

The Sportsmanship Award was presented to Charlie Simmons at our annual Christmas party.

100 points and over was achieved by: Bill Campbell, Art Geyer, Ken Mathis, Bob McCharen, Frank Polak, Betty Schroeder, Jerry and Dolores Zigrang.

Leagues cannot continue to be successful unless they are run by competent directors. We have been fortunate to have three of the best: Clyde Hetrick - and his helper - Robert Hetrick (Tuesday nights). Walter Zelezniak - and his computer - (Saturday mornings).

Our thanks and appreciation go to these three dedicated men.

SANC. LEAGUE, JR. LEAGUE & JR. SCHOLAR PROGRAMS

By **TERRENCE DOUGHERTY, DIR.**

The Sanctioned Club & League Program, just finishing its 9th complete year, was again a success as a promotional program of the NHPA. In 1986 over 600 new members participated in the program, with junior participation also increasing, from 102 juniors in 1985 to 124 juniors in 1986, ranging in age from 7 years to 17 years, and a total 1986 Sanctioned League participation of 4,881 members, plus 148 unreported 1985 members, for an actual membership of 5,029 reported members.

In 1986 there were three (3) participating clubs with full Junior League activities, sanctioned with the NHPA, those being in Riverside, Texas, Independence, Missouri and Candor, New York. For 1987 over 10 clubs have already indicated to me they are going to hold and run separate 'leagues' for their junior members.

In 1987 the Junior League Program is totally separate from the adult programs, with their own patches and awards, their own Top Ten Listing, set up in the same format as the adult program, plus the new NHPA Scholastic Honor Society for all youngsters who participate in a 'Sanctioned' Junior League are with a 'Sanctioned' Club or League, and maintain a scholastic average of B- or higher. This program is run in conjunction with the Junior Scholar Pitcher Award Program.

One point I want to make, and that is indicated 'sanctions' in the Digest. There are no sanctions issued by this office such as 83-100. Sanctions awarded within this Pro-

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grams are always such as 83 C,A or L 100. 'C' indicates 'club,' 'A' indicates 'association' and 'L' indicates a 'league' sanction.

The Junior Scholar Award Program was a great success for its first year of institution. At this time the only youngsters who are eligible MUST participate in a total 'Junior League' or with a 'Sanctioned' club or league. Of the 124 youngsters participating, only 55% were 12 years of age or older, and eligible for the award. Of the 68 youngsters eligible, 38 participated, or 56%, and of that 38 group, 33 made the NHPA Scholastic Honor Society of B- or better. In effect, 49% of the eligible youngsters made the Honor Society.

The 1986 Junior Scholar Pitchers both carried averages of A+, and for the boys, we had a tie with Steven Barnes of Missouri and Michael Morse of New. Since Steven carried the highest season ringer percentage. He was declared the 1986 Junior Scholar Pitcher.

1986 GIRL'S JR. SCHOLAR PITCHER — Kerrie Marie Preisler, Riverside, Jr. H.L. Texas; East Bernard Jr. High School; Age: 12; Scholastic Aver. A-plus.

1986 BOY'S JR. SCHOLAR PITCHER — Steven Anthony Barnes, Independence Jr. H.L. Mo; Odessa High School; Age: 15; Scholastic Aver. A-plus.

These youngsters will receive an NHPA plaque indicating them as the 1986 Junior Scholar pitchers, a Scholar Pitcher Certificate of verification, two NHPA Junior Scholar Pitcher patches dated 1986, and a \$200 scholarship award which will be put in a trust fund by the NHPA in the local bank, with such accruing interest until they are 18 years of age.

Those youngsters making the Junior Honor Society Listing each receive an NHPA Honor Society certificate and an NHPA Scholar pitcher patch. This patch is of a different design than the two top winners receive.

The new 4th edition Red Book is now available, and by the time this is printed, I should have the new 1st edition Junior League handbook. Anyone wanting copies of these books please contact me and let me know how many you want.

I want to thank the 138 Directors I worked with this year, they all did great jobs, and also the working relationship of the NHPA, especially Donnie Roberts, Dave Loucks and Ed Domey..

FINAL TOURN. RESULTS OF SOUTHERN CALIF. FOR 1986

WALLY SHIPLEY CHAMP. DOUBLES — RIVERSIDE — SANC. 86-152 — GROUP A — Bruce Stuart, Tammy Hendrick, 10-1; Tom Buck, George Farrell, 7-4; Darrell Lamoureux, Don Weaver, 7-4; Art Nugent, Art Amador, 7-4; Lois Clark, Ralph Clark, 6-5; George Whittemore, Jo Vickery, 6-5; Bob Thompson, Jim Dow, 6-5; Heman Standard, Wally Shipley, 5-6; Stan Hilton, Harold Redding, 4-7; Barbara Dow, Norm Cone, 4-7; Kevin Kecskes, Regis Dunlap, 4-7.

GROUP B — Doyle Brawley, Gene Van Sant, 11-1; Dale Wilczynski, Lou Raya, 10-2; Jose Estrada, Bruce Gonter, 8-3; Chuck Dunning, Jerry Jackson, 7-4; Dave Cervantes, Dan Cervantes, 7-4; Ron Kecskes, George Barker, 5-6; Doc Hildebrand, Smokey Anderson, 5-6; Jim Mudra Sr., Vern Finnern, 5-6; Harry Morse, Graden Sells, 4-7; Ed Alborn, Wilbur Gochanour, 3-8; Chris Cervantes, Arlis Kellog, 2-9.

FERNANDO ISAIS OPEN — Riverside — Sanc. 86-152 — GROUP A — Jonathan Williams, Chino, 7-0-69.1; Don Gregson, Crestline, 5-2-68.9; Ed Arionus, Westminster, 5-2-67.2; Lupe Henry, Cathedral City, 4-3-63.1; Orville Lokken, La Habra, 4-3-58.4; George Whittemore, Rosemead, 1-6-55.0; Les Burroughs, Perris, 1-6-49.4; Barbara Dow, Capistrano Beach, 1-6-36.7.

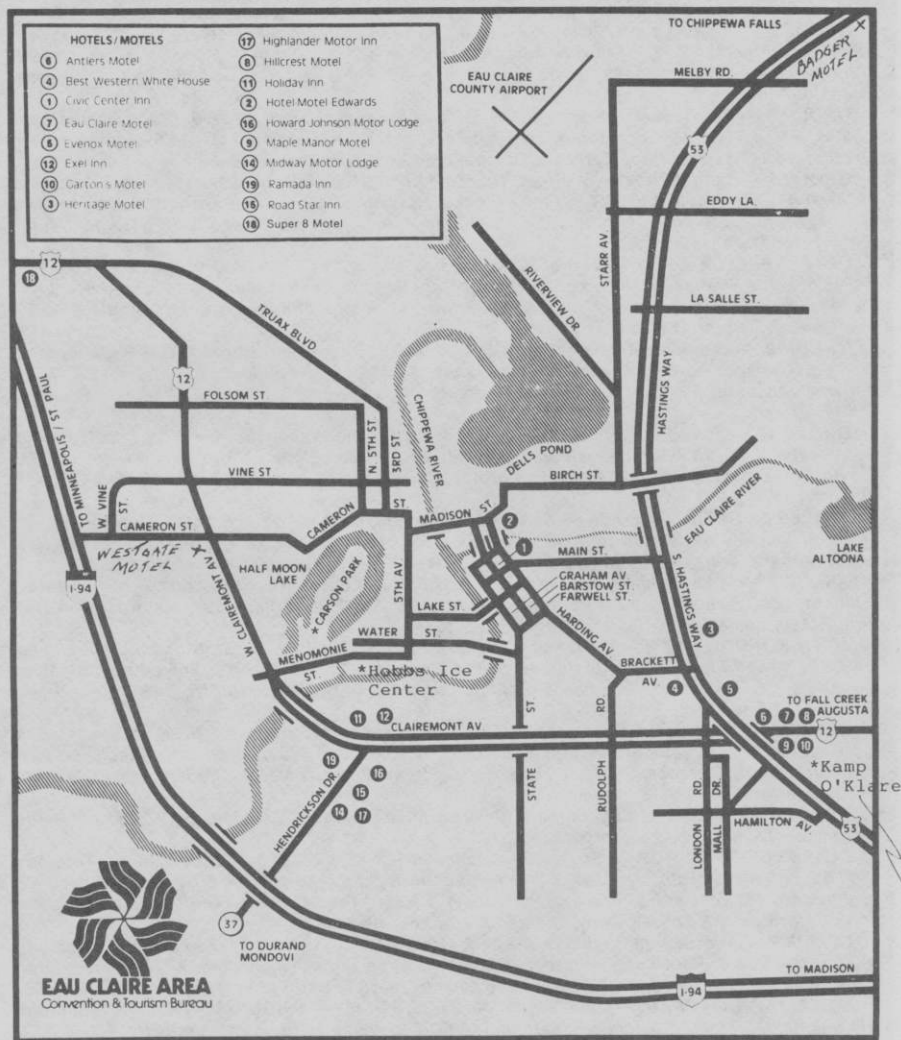
GROUP 2 — Ken Lamb, Norwalk, 7-1-48.1; Tom Buck, Sun City, 6-2-31.5; Jim Buck, Lakewood, 5-2-41.2; Doc Hildebrand, Utah, 4-3-34.7; Pete Cathalinat, Crest Park, 4-3-32.9; Don Weaver, Nevada, 2-5-30.6; Jim Dow, Capistrano Beach, 1-6-26.8; Jack Schoonover, Orange, 0-7-25.6.

GROUP 3 — Al Wisser, Riverside, 6-1-30.7; Smokey Anderson, Burbank, 5-2-27.4; Gene Van Sant, Sun City, 5-2-26.8; Graden Sells, Glendora, 4-3-25.1; Fred Koch, Long Beach, 4-3-25.1; Fred Craven, Bellflower, 2-5-26.7; Kent Kelley, Riverside, 2-5-23.4; Mike Weichel, Costa Mesa, 0-7-15.7.

GROUP 4 — Lou Raya, Riverside, 7-0-30.0; John Brawley, Riverside, 5-2-17.7; Dale Wilczynski, Riverside, 4-3-21.8; Jerry Jackson, San Diego, 3-4-20.0; Arlis Kellog, Riverside, 3-4-19.1; Bruce Gonter, Rancho Cucamonga, 3-4-16.9; John Ely, Lancaster, 2-5-13.1; John Brawley, Riverside, 1-6-5.4.

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GROUP 2 — Jimmy Ornelas, Clovis, 7-1-26.8; Dave Rodriguez, Santa Barbara, 6-2-26.3; Jim Witzig, Lake Isabella, 5-2-28.6; Steve Nemback, Palmdale, 4-3-31.1; Smokey Moore, Wasco, 3-4-19.1; Virgil Mosman, Lake Isabella, 2-5-16.6; Gary Benson, Lake Isabella, 2-5-14.9; Robert Burgess, Boron, 0-7-16.6.

GROUP 3 — Pat Connelly, Boron, 6-1-16.0; Steve Burgess, Boron, 5-2-16.6; Bruce Pruyn, Lancaster, 4-3-14.0; Dan Evans, Boron, 3-4-18.3; Jack Sturdyvin, Palmdale, 3-4-14.6; Russell Minor, Visalia, 3-4-14.3; Pat Nulton, San Luis Obispo, 2-5-12.0; Elmer Landis, Bakersfield, 2-5-13.9.

GROUP 4 — Camille Bruster, Wofford Hts., 7-1-17.5; Dorothy Soward, Lake Isabella, 7-2-5.8; Bob Griswaldt, Lake Isabella, 6-2-17.3; Emily Weeks, Norwalk, 3-4-3.7; Edyth Soward, Lake Isabella, 3-4-7.4; Anton Ozanish, Bakersfield, 2-5-13.4; Jane Paris, San Luis Obispo, 2-5-11.4; Andy Minor, Desert Hot Springs, 0-7-8.3.

LAKE ISABELLA OPEN — Darrell Lamoureux, Boron, 6-1-58.2; Fred Briand, No. Edwards, 5-2-45.5; Louis Strauss, Lake Isabella, 4-3-46.2; Gary Benson, Lake Isabella, 4-3-28.7; Ed St. Pierre, Lake Isabella, 3-4-44.0; Bonnie Marshall, No. Edwards, 3-4-39.0; Jim Witzig, Lake Isabella, 2-5-29.7; Pat Connelly, Boron, 1-6-20.0.

GROUP B — Camille Bruster, Wofford Hts., 7-0-18.0; Dan Evans, Boron, 5-2-18.0; Jane Paris, San Luis Obispo, 4-3-14.6; Russell Minor, Visalia, 3-4-12.9; Bud Aduddell, Boron, 3-4-11.8; Bruce Pruyn, Lancaster, 2-5-17.1; Pat Nulton, San Luis Obispo, 2-5-12.5; Leon Marshall, No. Edwards, 2-5-11.4.

GROUP C — John Ely, Lancaster, 7-0-17.9; Greg Pruyn, Lancaster, 6-1-20.0; Bob Griswaldt, Lake Isabella, 4-3-16.8; Virgil Mosman, Lake Isabella, 4-3-16.4; Elmer Landis, Bakersfield, 3-4-17.9; Edyth Soward, Lake Isabella, 2-5-8.2; Dorothy Soward, Lake Isabella, 2-5-7.5; Anton Ozanish, Bakersfield, 0-7-11.1.

CLASS "E" OPEN — Orange — Sanc. 86-149 — GROUP 1 — Wally Shipley, Newport Beach, 5-1-35.5; Smokey Anderson, Burbank, 4-2-34.5; Jack Schoonover, Orange, 3-2-32.2; Harold Redding, Burbank, 2-3-21.4; Jim Mudra Sr., Long Beach, 1-4-26.7; Peter Trejo, Vista, 1-4-22.4.

GROUP 2 — Mike Weichel, Costa Mesa, 5-0-32.0; Harry Crain, No. Hollywood, 3-2-24.6; Harold Finnern, Long Beach, 3-2-23.4; Paul Long, Whittier, 3-2-17.1; Kee Blackrock, Maywood, 1-4-15.2; Rita Eozzo, Los Angeles, 0-5-16.2.

JOHN GORDON OPEN — Torrance — Sanc. 86-146 — GROUP 1 — Ed Arionus, Westminster, 6-0-63.6; Newell Flann, Westminster, 4-2-55.6; Al Nichols, Carson, 4-2-55.3; Steve Wyrill, Descanso, 2-4-45.7; Bruce Stuart, Torrance, 2-4-44.3; Barbara Dow, Capistrano Beach, 2-4-42.7; Pat Brady, Torrance, 1-5-40.4.

GROUP 2 — Art Nugen, Fullerton, 7-0-48.9; Chuck Yoshida, Carson, 6-1-36.2; Jim Kerr, Redondo Beach, 4-3-35.7; Smokey Anderson, Burbank, 4-3-32.1; Jim Mudra Sr., Long Beach, 4-3-28.8; Leonard Lifton, Torrance, 2-5-19.1; Loris Hauck, Simi Valley, 1-6-25.9; Graden Sells, Glendora, 0-7-24.2.

GROUP 3 — Harold Redding, Burbank, 3-0-21.8; Mike Weichel, Costa Mesa, 1-2-23.4; Joe Byrne, Torrance, 1-2-16.6; Ed Ayer, Torrance, 1-2-14.2.

CLASS "C" OPEN HCP — So. Gate — Sanc. 86-146 — GROUP 1 — Bruce Stuart, Torrance, 7-0-50.0; Phyllis Morten, Whittier, 5-2-41.4; Dan Noriega, Lakewood, 4-3-31.1; Harry Crain, No. Hollywood, 4-3-27.1; Loris Hauck, Simi Valley, 3-4-30.6; Fred Craven, Bellflower, 3-4-30.3; Ken Lamb, Norwalk, 1-6-44.3; Smokey Anderson, Burbank, 1-6-24.0.

GROUP 2 — Jim Bahara, Valencia, 6-2-24.8; Graden Sells, Glendora, 5-3-24.3; Harold Redding, Burbank, 4-3-24.6; Paul Long, Whittier, 4-3-18.3; George Ferry, Lakewood, 3-4-27.4; Fred Koch, Long Beach, 3-4-24.0; Harold Finnern, Long Beach, 3-4-18.6; Bob Vatter, Long Beach, 1-6-15.7.

LOWELL GRAY OPEN — San Berdo — Sanc. 86-148 — GROUP 1 — Ronnie Simmons, Homeland, 6-0-71.4; Ed Arionus, Westminster, 5-1-64.1; Lupe Henry, Cathedral City, 4-2-64.7; Orville Lokken, La Habra, 3-3-60.7; Dean Zollinger, Hemet, 1-5-52.4; Art Nugent, Fullerton, 1-5-46.3; Pete Cathalinat, Crest Park, 1-5-28.5.

GROUP 2 — Bill Jarvis, San Diego, 6-0-41.3; Ed Agner, Beaumont, 4-2-34.6; Charlie Everhart, San Berdo, 3-3-37.0; Tom Tiedman, Poway, 3-3-35.0; Les McConohie, Ceritos, 3-3-30.5; Jim Mudra Sr., Long Beach, 1-5-34.8; Robert Barela, Barstow, 1-5-23.4.

GROUP 3 — Greg Simmons, Homeland, 6-0-37.6; Joe Baxter, Riverside, 5-1-38.0; Joe Pacheco, George AFB, 3-3-31.2; Larry Schmidtke, El Cajon, 3-3-28.3; Dennis Carter, Homeland, 2-4-21.6; Harold Finnern, Long Beach, 2-4-20.1; Luis Arellano, Barstow, 0-6-14.6.

GROUP 4 — Mike Fill, Fontana, 5-1-28.4; George Barker, Bloomington, 4-2-28.8; G. Wenger,

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Yuma, 4-2-22.6; Tom Lawyer, San Bernardino, 3-3-22.5; Jerry Jackson, San Diego, 3-3-18.9; Chuck Wenger, Yuma, 2-4-24.3; Ralph Krueger, Rialto, 0-6-15.8.

IRA ALLEN OPEN — San Berdu — Sanc. 86-148 — GROUP 1 — Ben Logg, Barstow, 4-1-62.4; Ronnie Simmons, Homeland, 3-2-62.9; Dean Zollinger, Hemet, 3-2-61.6; Lupe Henry, Cathedral City, 2-3-56.8; Ed Arionus, Westminster, 2-3-53.6; Orville Lokken, La Habra, 1-4-52.7.

GROUP 2 — Darrell Lamoureux, Boron, 5-0-50.8; Bill Jarvis, San Diego, 4-1-38.4; Barbara Dow, Capistrano, 3-2-42.4; Fred Briand, No. Edwards, 2-3-35.2; Ken Ziemer, Barstow, 1-4-26.8; Pete Cathalinat, Crest Park, 0-5-25.2.

GROUP 3 — Joe Pacheco, George AFB, 4-1-37.6; Smokey Anderson, Burbank, 3-2-32.4; Ed Agner, Beaumont, 3-2-30.8; Lee Haag, Sunnymead, 3-2-30.4; Charlie Everhart, San Berdu, 1-4-33.2; Les Connohie, Ceritos, 1-4-25.1.

GROUP 4 — Greg Simmons, Homeland, 5-0-41.2; Owen Davis, Texas, 4-1-36.0; John Green, Boron, 3-2-24.8; Ralph Carter, Rialto, 2-3-25.5; Joe Holder, Yucaipa, 1-4-18.0; James Haney, San Bernardino, 0-5-20.4.

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BILL VAN SANT DOUBLES — Torrance — Sanc. 86-146 — Al Nichols, Owen Davis, 6-0; Bruce Stuart, Harold Redding, 4-2; Jim Kerr, Fred Craven, 3-3; George Whittemore, Ed Ayer, 3-3; Newell Flann, Loretta Chaney, 3-3; Chuck Yoshida, Leonard Lifton, 1-5; Gil Salazar, Smokey Anderson, 1-5.

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KATIE GREGSON OPEN — Riverside — Sanc. 86-152 — GROUP 1 — Ronnie Simmons, Homeland, 6-1-62.5; Ben Logg, Barstow, 5-2-57.3; Ed Arionus, Westminster, 3-3-56.2; Bob Thompson, Orange, 3-3-49.6; Howard Larson, Lakewood, 3-3-48.6; Orville Lokken, La Habra, 2-2-46.6; Art Nugent, Fullerton, 0-6-35.6.

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GROUP 3 — Jack Schoonover, Orange, 5-2-27.4; Lee Haag, Sunnymead, 4-3-29.4; Jim Mudra Sr., Long Beach, 3-3-29.6; Fred Craven, Bellflower 3-3-29.3; Smokey Anderson, Burbank, 3-3-27.5; Ed Agner, Beaumont, 3-3-27.2; Jose Estrada, Perris, 1-5-24.0.

GROUP 4 — Ralph Carter, Rialto, 6-1-28.0; Chuck Wenger, Yuma, 5-2-32.3; Joe Baxter, Riverside, 3-3-26.3; Harold Finner, Long Beach, 2-4-25.0; Dan Cervantes, Perris, 2-4-24.8; Mike Weichel, Costa Mesa, 2-4-22.0; Tom Lawyer, San Bernardino, 2-4-20.9.

GROUP 5 — G. Wenger, Yuma, 7-0-22.9; George Barker, Bloomington, 5-2-21.4; John Brawley, Riverside, 5-2-14.3; Gene Cleveland, Corona, 3-4-13.1; Dennis Carter, Homeland, 4-3-14.6; Bryan Hainsworth, Fontana, 1-6-4.8; Chris Cervantes, Perris, 3-4-8.0; Rueben Reveles, Corona, 0-7-6.0.

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CLASS C — Les Burroughs, Perris, 7-0-52.9; Chuck Dunning, Corona, 6-1-48.3; Barbara Dow, Capistrano Beach, 5-2-47.1; Jim Buck, Lakewood, 4-3-46.3; Doyle Brawley, Riverside, 2-5-41.1; Kevin Kecskes, Fontana, 2-5-33.4; Fred Briand, No. Edwards, 2-5-39.7; Tom Tiedman, Poway, 1-6-34.9.

CLASS D — Art Nugent, Fullerton, 9-2-42.4; Lois Clark, Riverside, 6-2-45.3; Ron Kecskes, Fontana, 7-3-45.2; Bob Slaker, Hemet, 5-3-39.5; Ralph Clark, Riverside, 6-3-38.2; Ken Ziemer, Barstow, 5-2-38.0; Ray Silva, Santa Barbara, 4-3-38.9; Don Beasley, Holtville, 4-4-36.8; Les McConnohie, Ceritos, 4-3-36.4; Bill Jarvis, San Diego, 4-4-36.3; Ed Agner, Beaumont, 4-4-31.7; Frank O'Brien, Escondido, 2-5-37.0; Regis Dunlap, Fontana, 2-5-34.0; Gary Alborn, Fontana, 2-5-33.4; Chuck Yoshida, Carson, 2-5-33.4; Jack Schoonover, Orange, 2-6-32.0; Tom Buck, Sun City, 1-7-27.2.

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CLASS F — Jerry Jackson, San Diego, 7-1-25.8; Jim Bahara, Valencia, 6-2-25.0; Tom Nation, Hemet, 6-2-21.3; Ernie Hayes, Chula Vista, 4-4-19.3; John Brawley, Riverside, 4-4-17.8; Rita Eozzo, Los Angeles, 3-5-16.1; Sally Shiple, Newport Beach, 2-6-18.8; Ralph Krueger, Rialto, 2-6-15.3; Bruce Gonter, Cucamonga, 2-6-14.1.

RALPH RANDALL OPEN — Barstow — Sanc. 86-153 — GROUP A — Ronnie Simmons, Homeland, 7-0-70.5; Don Gregson, Crestline, 5-2-64.6; Jonathan Williams, Chino, 5-2-63.3; Ben Logg, Barstow, 5-2-62.9; Blackie Harms, Shoshone, 2-5-53.8; Bill Cork, Shoshone, 2-2-48.0; Tom McQueen, Bishop, 1-6-47.1; Barbara Dow, Capistrano Beach, 1-6-41.8.

GROUP B — Trinidad Vigil, Barstow, 6-2-35.9; Ken Ziemer, Barstow, 5-3-37.6; Terry Mundy, Barstow, 4-3-37.2; Art Amador, Los Alamitos, 4-3-35.8; Mike Passmore, Ft. Irwin, 4-3-35.0; Max Haefe, Barstow, 4-3-28.3; Don McClafferty, Barstow, 1-6-31.6; Don Weaver, Nevada, 1-6-23.9.

GROUP C — Joe Moreno, Barstow, 6-1-23.9; Doc Hildebrand, Utah, 5-2-31.8; George Farrell, Apple Valley, 4-3-23.1; Jim Dow, Capistrano Beach, 3-4-28.6; Chuck Stanton, Ft. Irwin, 3-4-26.8; Joe Pacheco, Barstow, 3-4-26.1; John Shaver, Hesperia, 2-5-25.4; Bob Barela, Barstow, 2-5-22.1.

GROUP D — Jerry Jackson, San Diego, 6-1-22.9; Lyle Cherry, Barstow, 4-3-25.0; Leroy Brinson, Barstow, 4-3-14.6; Ralph Krueger, Rialto, 3-4-19.6; Jerry Owens, Ft. Irwin, 3-4-17.5; Ron Haefe, Barstow, 3-4-17.1; Betty McQueen, Bishop, 3-4-16.1; Louis Arellano, Barstow, 2-5-19.3.

SAN LUIS OBISPO OPEN — San Luis Obispo — Sanc. 86-147 — GROUP 1 — Walter Ray Williams, Stockton, 6-0-80.4; Don Titcomb, San Jose, 5-1-73.4; Jesse Gonzales, Los Osos, 4-2-71.5; Jonathan Williams, Chino, 3-3-66.3; Billie Pennington, San Jose, 2-4-51.1; Louis Strauss, Lake Isabella, 1-5-43.2; Ed Garcia, Carlsbad, 0-6-41.9.

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GROUP 2 — Steve Wyrill, Descanso, 6-1-48.8; Bill Harris, San Luis Obispo, 5-2-42.1; Jean Ornelas, Clovis, 4-2-46.6; Bert Charley, Meadow Vista, 2-4-41.8; Bruce Webb, Lake Cuyamaca, 2-4-41.3; Carl Grabow, Chula Vista, 2-4-40.8; Frank Morales, Santa Barbara, 1-5-31.9.

GROUP 3 — Helen Vigil, San Luis Obispo, 8-0-43.3; Carolyn Webb, Lake Cuyamaca, 6-2-43.8; Alice Garcia, Carlsbad, 6-2-29.9; Fred Braden, San Luis Obispo, 5-3-35.4; Ernie Knorp, Goleta, 5-3-33.5; Doug Soward, Lake Isabella, 3-5-24.8; Gerald Patterson, San Luis Obispo, 2-6-20.7; Frank Chamberlin, Paso Robles, 1-7-23.7; Dick Harren, Paso Robles, 0-8-10.9.

GROUP 4 — Jim Ornelas, Clovis, 7-0-26.9; Bob Hansel, Lompoc, 6-1-19.6; Steve Ornelas, Clovis, 5-2-17.4; Pat Nulton, San Luis Obispo, 3-4-19.0; Russell Minor, Visalia, 3-4-16.4; Frank Monsen, Bakersfield, 2-5-12.0; Jane Paris, San Luis Obispo, 1-6-16.8; Elmer Landis, Bakersfield, 1-6-10.1.

GROUP A — Walter Ray Williams, Stockton, 6-0-85.5; Jesse Gonzales, Los Osos, 4-2-79.0; Diane Lopez, Santa Barbara, 2-4-67.4; Jonathan Williams, Chino, 0-6-65.6.

GROUP B — Steve Wyrill, Descanso, 5-1-51.1; Ed Garcia, Carlsbad, 4-2-49.0; Bill Harris, San Luis Obispo, 4-2-44.9; Bruce Webb, Lake Cuyamaca, 4-2-43.7; Carl Grabow, Chula Vista, 2-4-43.0; Ray Silva, Santa Barbara, 2-4-38.5; Jean Ornelas, Clovis, 0-6-36.7.

GROUP C — Carolyn Webb, Lake Cuyamaca, 6-0-41.0; Helen Vigil, San Luis Obispo, 5-1-43.3; Frank Morales, Santa Barbara, 4-2-33.9; Jimmy Ornelas, Clovis, 3-3-32.8; Gerald Patterson, San Luis Obispo, 2-4-20.2; Ernie Knorp, Goleta, 1-5-22.1; Steve Ornelas, Clovis, 0-6-16.2.

GROUP D — M. Fumia, San Luis Obispo, 5-0-33.0; Wally Wahweotten, San Luis Obispo, 3-2-21.5; Elmer Landis, Bakersfield, 3-2-16.0; Pat Nulton, San Luis Obispo, 2-3-16.0; Frank Monsen, Bakersfield, 2-3-12.0; Jane Paris, San Luis Obispo, 0-5-15.0.

GERRY KLOEPFER OPEN — **Burbank** — **Sanc. 86-144** — **GROUP 1** — Jim Eozzo, Los Angeles, 5-1-49.3; Clinton Broyles, Apple Valley, 4-2-38.2; Diane Lopez, Santa Barbara, 3-3-61.7; Fred Pearcy, La Habra, 3-3-36.3; Smokey Anderson, Burbank, 3-3-24.7; Ray Silva, Santa Barbara, 2-4-33.0; Ed Arionus, Westminster, 1-5-53.9.

GROUP 2 — Harold Redding, Burbank, 6-1-28.8; Paul Long, Whittier, 4-3-21.1; Dave Rodriguez, Santa Barbara, 4-3-26.6; Jimmy Broyles, Van Nuys, 4-3-15.1; Jerry Jackson, San Diego, 4-3-21.3; Rita Eozzo, Los Angeles, 3-4-20.6; Harry Crain, No. Hollywood, 2-5-24.3; Traynore Johnson, Burbank, 1-6-19.5.



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West Carleton Handicap Horseshoe League

Final Results Summer of 1986

Twenty-two players made up the League for the months of June, July, August and part of September. With much wet weather the League completed twelve weeks of pitching.

Prizes and NHPA awards were presented to the players at a banquet provided by the West Carleton Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 616 served in the Legion Hall.

The awards and prizes were presented by the Branch President Bob Hammon and the Legion Sports Director Betty Watters with the assistance of the League Director Patrick O'Toole.

Awards: High Game Scratch Points, 118, Robert Sutton; High Game Handicap Points, 176, a three-way tie, Mike Kelly, Bun Lyon and Jim Styles; High Game Rings: 36 for 72%, Robert Sutton; Most Improved Player: Steve Thompson, 36.5 to 45.5; Rookie of the Year, Mike Kelly; Sportsmanship Award, Paddy O'Toole.

League Standing and Points:

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| 1. W. Rutz, Champion Trophy Winner | 12. P. Bird, 38 points |
| and Legion Plaque, top money (53) | 13. A. Marquardt, 38 points |
| 2. P. O'Toole, 49 points | 14. Ken Munro, 36 points |
| 3. W. Wilson, 49 points | 15. R. Sutton, 36 points |
| 4. M. Laughlin, 48 points | 16. K. Evanson, 33 points |
| 5. M. Kelly, 48 points | 17. Geo. Lessard, 24 points |
| 6. B. Lyon, 47 points | 18. L. Bretzlaff, 19 points |
| 7. Jack Cain, 45 points | 19. L. Moore, 18 points |
| 8. Geo. Bretzlaff, 45 points | 20. R. Carriere, 14 points |
| 9. D. Thornton, 43 points | 21. D. Carvelle, 8 points |
| 10. J. Stiles, 42 points | 22. J. Wilson, 4 points |
| 11. S. Thompson, 38 points | |

Certificates and Game Patches were also distributed to the players.

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Cliff Baker and Tari Powell breezed through the opposition and won their respective state championships again. Cliff pitched 77.1% for the tournament while Tari averaged 83.9%. Out of sixteen games pitched in the tournament, Cliff lost one game in the championship round when Ray Phillips, a former state champion, threw one more ringer in the game than Cliff and won 40-38. Tari averaged 88.6% for her first six games and then pitched 71.2% for her last game to give her the 83.9% average.

Other division winners were: Lou Bensinger, Senior Men, Ron Stobaugh, 70 + Men, Shawn Beckemeyer, Junior Girls, David Ruch, Junior Boys, L Ward-C. Webb, Men's Doubles and L. Oberbillig-Ellen Ronk, Women's Doubles.

MENS DIVISION — CLASS A — Cliff Baker, 10-1-77.1; Ray Phillips, 9-2-68.1; Charlie Webb, 8-3-70.5; Vic Long, 7-4-66.1; Buck Neville, 6-5-63.8; Glen Bryant, 5-6-63.6; Mike Knop, 4-7-64.8; Bud Eisel, 4-7-61.6; Dean Boron, 4-7-59.0; Hi Nelson, 4-7-56.4; Don Peters, 3-8-62.7; George Manker, 2-9-57.1.

CLASS B — Steve Marshall, 5-0-60.4; Lloyd Ingersoll, 4-1-59.3; Jim Basinger, 3-2-57.9; Bob Erickson, 2-3-58.4; Lloyd, 1-4-56.7; Steve Denault, 0-5-53.7.

CLASS C — Larry Knop, 6-1-56.6; Del Maroon, 5-2-56.0; Charles Wallace, 4-3-43.5; Pat Prestidge, 4-3-53.7; Dick Ellinger, 4-3-46.9; Hasting Moroney, 3-4-50.6; Dusty Rhoades, 2-5-43.6; Lynn Lyman, 0-7-44.4.

CLASS D — Harold Lange, 5-2-54.5; Ken Towell, 4-3-54.6; Vern Muench, 4-3-61.2; Loren Gillespie, 4-3-57.7; Frank Johnson, 3-4-48.6; Melvin Ruch, 3-4-48.9; Tom Phillips, 2-5-50.0; Bill Carlson, 2-5-41.8.

CLASS E — Wendell Savage, 5-2-41.1; Brad Koons, 5-2-46.3; Dennis Simler, 5-2-44.4; Bill Allen,

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3-4-44.3; Forrest Woodworth, 3-4-43.3; Tom White, 3-4-39.4; Eldon Brede, 3-4-41.2; Mike Cordes, 1-6-40.3.

CLASS F — Wayne Hamby, 5-2-51.9; Roger Reinebach, 5-2-41.1; Al Forsyth, 5-2-47.0; Delmar Redmon, 4-3-47.8; Eddie Knop, 3-4-43.6; Guy Modde, 3-4-43.1; Gary Cox, 2-5-44.6; Frank Jones, 1-6-34.2.

CLASS G — Jesse Starwalt, 6-1-45.9; Chalmer McClain, 5-2-52.2; Wayne Green, 5-2-44.0; Al Peterson, 4-3-44.1; Emmett Burcham, 3-2-41.8; Ken Reid, 3-2-38.0; Jim Spidle, 1-6-31.6; Jim McDaniels, 1-6-31.7.

CLASS H — Lloyd Furham, 6-1-34.0; Ron Hunt, 5-2-33.1; Rex Swinson, 4-3-39.0; Phillip Reynolds, 4-3-38.5; Marty Schmitke, 4-3-40.0; Charles Cook, 3-4-40.2; Dale Baldes, 1-6-30.4; Dale Ferguson, 1-6-35.0.

CLASS I — Jack Gerrard, 7-1-44.9; Jim Carey, 5-2-44.9; Roy Franke, 5-2-36.7; Robert Scott, 4-3-39.7; Herb Bozard, 4-3-35.2; George King, 2-5-26.9; Don Bailey, 1-6-33.3; Kevin McCormick, 0-7-30.4.

CLASS J — Dale Stanhaus, 5-2-37.1; Fred Burdell, 5-2-43.4; Rick Fields, 5-2-35.1; Earl Simler, 4-3-35.3; Rex Seeds, 4-3-35.5; Marvin Ellerman, 4-3-45.1; Michael Stotler, 1-6-29.6; Arol Castros, 1-6-31.8.

CLASS K — Art Ulrich, 7-0-40.1; Jesse Sims, 5-2-34.0; Earl Rosene, 4-3-34.4; Jack Newberry, 4-3-39.1; Pet Rankin, 4-3-33.6; Dewey Harlan, 3-4-38.7; Gilbert Beckemeyer, 1-6-19.1; Wally Marquardt, 0-7-18.2.

CLASS L — Fred Wicker, 6-1-39.9; Roy Siddens, 5-2-35.5; Richard Feiden, 4-3-27.1; Winfred Willard, 3-4-34.9; Gary Nation, 3-4-28.3; Allen Jones, 3-4-25.8; David Beckemeyer, 2-5-27.1; Jud Hawk, 2-5-22.3.

CLASS M — Dale Jouett, 6-1-42.6; Frank Crouch, 6-1-30.8; Lyndell Chaplin, 5-2-40.1; Charlie Marit, 3-4-34.7; Ron Sines, 3-4-39.8; Jim Sanderson, 3-4-28.0; Lester Bodecker, 1-6-26.6; Paul Gibson, 1-6-16.4.

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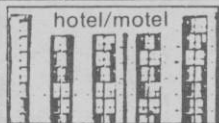
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CLASS N — Dave Shreve, 6-1-29.7; Larry Thorson, 5-2-29.0; Lewis Sutton, 5-2-35.5; Richard Knop, 4-3-26.0; John Goode, Jr., 3-4-14.7; Bob Wegman, 2-5-28.5; Marvin Cooper, 2-5-17.4.

CLASS O — David DeWeese, 7-0-36.4; Robert Bell, 5-2-25.1; Ronnie Attebery, 5-2-30.8; Larry Belknap, 3-4-28.4; Joe Beneky, 3-4-27.1; Orville Michael, 3-4-21.3; Robert Miller, 2-5-26.2; Michael Kaltenbronn, 0-7-20.4.

CLASS P — Jim Wolfe, 6-1-41.4; Charles Smith, 6-1-29.9; Bruce Stephens, 5-1-30.5; Ken Bornert, 4-3-29.4; Richard Burdell, 4-3-23.6; Roger Range, 2-5-22.6; Allen Gille, 1-6-19.7; James Crouch, 0-7-16.9.

CLASS Q — Jim Korte, 7-0-25.8; Dale Clark, 6-1-27.7; Paul James, 5-2-26.3; Gene Reynolds, 4-3-17.7; Rayburn Banning, 3-4-13.6; William Harr, 2-5-13.6; David Goode, 1-6-16.7; Jeffry brown, 0-7-4.4.

SENIOR MEN DIVISION — CLASS A — Louis Bensinger, 3-0-59.6; Abe Austin, 2-1-44.0; Don Boyer, 1-2-34.1; Harvey Kohlenberger, 0-3-37.4.

SENIOR MEN DIVISION 70+ — CLASS A — Ron Stobaugh, 3-0-49.6; Ross Sornberger, 2-1-35.1; Russ Meyers, 1-2-37.7; Lester Frey, 0-3-9.7.

WOMENS DIVISION — CLASS A — Tari Powell, 7-0-83.9; Emerald Moroney, 5-2-52.9; Lori Oberbillig, 4-3-52.9; Ellen Ronk, 4-3-47.3; Mary Ann Spidle, 4-3-50.0; Leanora Warner, 2-5-47.5; Lori Simler, 2-5-40.1.

CLASS B — Linda Watkins, 5-0-50.0; Paulette Shreve, 4-1-36.9; Irma Spriggs, 3-2-38.9; Viola Reinebach, 1-4-25.8; Jeannine Kaylor, 1-4-21.1; Joan Beckemeyer, 1-4-20.6.

JUNIOR BOYS DIVISION — CLASS A — David Ruch, 5-1-35.5; Chad Fuhrman, 5-1-42.3; Mike Ellinger, 4-2-27.1; Brandon Stephens, 2-4-22.3; Mike McGahey, 1-4-19.3; Mike Jones, 0-5-3.6.

JUNIOR GIRLS DIVISION — CLASS A — Shawn Beckemeyer, 1-0-22.4; Shayne Beckemeyer, 0-1-9.2.

MENS DOUBLES DIVISION — CLASS A — Lloyd Ward-Charlie Webb, 6-1; Cliff Baker-Steve Denault, 5-2; Glen Bryant-Ray Phillips, 3-4; Vic Long-Everitt Eisel, 3-4; Dean Boren-George Manker, 3-4; Jim Basinger-Hi Nelson, 3-4; Lloyd Ingersoll-Don Peters, 3-4; Darrell Wade-Buck Neville, 2-5.

CLASS B — Brad Koons-Charles Wallace, 6-1; Eldon Brede-Al Forsyth, 5-2; Frank Johnson-Dusty Rhoades, 5-2; Harvey Kohlenberger-Vern Muench, 4-3; Tom Phillips-Loren Gillespie, 4-3; Hasting Moroney-Pete Rankin, 3-2; Jesse Starwalt-Mike Cordes, 1-6; Dale Ferguson-Delmar Redmon, 0-7.

CLASS C — Abe Austin-Jim Carey, 5-2; Bill Allen-Robert Scott, 5-2; Dennis Simler-Earl Simler, 4-3; Jim Spidle-Lloyd Fuhrman, 4-3; Mick Stotler-Neal Tisdale, 4-3; Marvin Ellerman-Roger Reinebach, 3-4; Herb Bozard-Bill Carlson, 2-5; Kevin McCormick-Jim McDaniels, 1-6.

CLASS D — Ron Hunt-Roy Siddens, 4-1; Allen Jones-Ken Reid, 3-2; Eddie Knop-Larry Thorson, 3-2; Fred Wicker-Phillip Reynolds, 2-3; Rex Seeds-Arol Castros, 2-3; Don Bailey-George King, 1-4.

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MANN'S UNDEFEATED IN NEWBURY, OH. INDOOR TOURN.

Oscar Manns, of Painesville, Ohio, posted a 7-0 (75.7%) record to win the Class A sanctioned tournament held on December 12, 13 & 14, 1986, in Newbury, Ohio. Steve Kuchcinski pitched the High Ringer Percentage Game of the tournament — 91.7%. Sanction 86-467.

Jeannie Spaller had a 5-0 record (60.8%) to win the Ladies Class A Division.

CLASS A MEN — Oscar Manns, 7-0-75.7; Ron Kuchcinski, 6-1-65.5; Steve Kuchcinski, 5-2-70.2; Ansil Copeland, 3-4-63.7; Casey Danner, 3-4-59.8; Wayne Luoma, 2-5-66.6; Dick Weiser, 2-5-52.9; Tom Wennerstrom, 0-7-54.4.

CLASS B MEN — Guy Wills, 6-1-56.7; Donnie Roberts, 6-1-56.2; Elden Sarbaugh, 5-2-56.8; Bob Lautenschleger, 4-3-53.2; Charlie Brotzman, 2-5-51.7; Gordon Miller, 2-5-48.3; Doc Sargent, 2-5-45.0; Larry Luoma, 1-6-41.3.

CLASS C MEN — Elden Sarbaugh, 6-1-56.5; Frank Hiendlmayr, 5-2-52.7; Armond

MANNS UNDEFEATED — (Continued)

Frabotta, 5-2-44.5; Dana Gillespie, 4-3-45.6; Paul Carr, 4-3-43.5; Marvin Donaldson, 2-5-44.2; Dick Zielenski, 2-5-39.4; Gary Weiser, 0-7-33.3.

CLASS D MEN — Jess Fenton, 5-0-44.0; Buddy Loftus, 4-1-38.7; Dick Schroeder, 2-3-41.9; John Beharry, 2-3-34.0; Dick Johnson, 1-4-37.2; Bob Allen, 1-4-32.1.

CLASS E MEN — Earl Severson, 5-2-39.0; Mike Grubich, 5-2-38.2; Bill Gerber, 5-2-38.7; Ford Christian, 4-3-38.0; Chuck Goss, 4-3-33.0; Gene Fenton, 2-5-31.2; Walt Tracy, 2-5-24.6; Regis Kujava, 1-6-21.3.

CLASS F MEN — Chester Brand, 6-1-30.4; Art Gahagan, 5-2-22.9; Ercil Casseday, 4-3-21.5; Carl Porter, 4-3-19.3; John Fuduric, 3-4-25.8; Buddy Loftus, Jr., 2-5-18.5; Harry Genske, 2-5-14.6; Joe Schratz, 2-5-13.3.

CLASS A WOMEN — Jeannie Spaller, 5-0-60.8; Shirley Spiesman, 0-5-52.0.

CLASS B WOMEN — Vernie Cicirelli, 3-2-25.6; Bryan Schira, 2-3-25.6.

CLASS C WOMEN — Margie Palsa, 3-1-22.8; Joanne Sopko, 2-2-17.0; Lynn Shelter, 1-3-11.5.

WATERLOO METRO HORSESHOE PITCHING LEAGUE

1986 LEAGUE RESULTS

TEAM STANDINGS	WINS	LOSSES	POINTS W/HAND.	AVERAGE
Champs	123.5	84.5	22021	458.77
Claybusters	112.5	95.5	21969	457.68
Deadeyes	112	96	22019	458.72
Four Dead	109.5	98.5	21897	456.18
Heave and Hopers	106	102	21928	456.83
Clangers	95.5	112.5	21816	454.50
Our Gang	92	116	21644	450.91
Sure Shooters	81	127	21601	450.02

The Waterloo Metro Horseshoe Pitching League, of Waterloo, Iowa, concluded its sixth season of sanctioned league pitching on Thursday, September 4, 1986. The season got off to a rather slow start, due to rain on the first couple nights, but after that we never missed a night of pitching.

Our 1986 League Champions are the CHAMPS team who shot into first place with 123.5 wins and only 84.5 losses. Members of that team are: Earl Fickess, Jerry Jackson, Floyd Hopkins, and Pat Simon. It was a very good season with team standings very close all year long, the two teams who finished second and third were only a half game apart with 112.5 and 112 wins respectively. Either team could have been on top of the league had the season been a couple weeks longer. It wasn't unusual for a team to drop from first to fourth, or vice versa, in one week of pitching.

Wil Foelske repeated again this year as our top pitcher, capturing both the High Average and High Game Scratch patches. He averaged 107.8 points per game, and his high game for the year was 130 points. Pat Simon was second high in both categories, with a 92.8 point average and a high game of 119 points.

High Game Over Average patch was awarded to Dick Rigdon who pitched a 72 point game on his 40 point average, 32 points over his average. It wasn't a runaway though as Alan Fisher was right on his tail with 31 points over his average of 71 with a 102 point game.

Most Improved honors went to Boone Wilkinson, who improved his average 7.1 points from 36.5 to 43.6. Not far behind was John Grundmeier who upped his average 6.3 points from 74.2 up to 80.5.

John Grundmeier was not to be denied though as he rode his excellent statistics on to become our 1986 Rookie of the Year. John averaged 80.5 points per game, 41.6% ringers. His high effort for the year was a 99 point game of which 58% ringers were thrown.

This season saw twelve league members earn percent game patches. Some were

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won by pitchers earning their first one in this their initial season of sanctioned play. Others were those pitchers who improved up to a higher level and got another patch for their efforts.

We had a couple of our league pitchers who distinguished themselves and our league in outside tournaments this season. Wil Foelske earned several marks for himself this season. First he won the title of Iowa State Farmers Champion for 1986 by winning that tournament at the State Fair. He then teamed up with fellow league member Pat Simon to capture the Iowa State Dbles Championship, that's a title he's co-owned several times before with Pat's Dad, Ralph Simon, who for health reasons has been unable to pitch recently. Wil then went on to finish third in the Iowa State Men's Championship, behind Glen "Red" Henton, and Harold Darnold respectively. (Incidentally, Red Henton captured his 17th State Championship with this year's win.)

Pat Simon, along with earning his first Iowa State Doubles Championship with Wil Foelske, also set a new mark for himself when he tossed 28 ringers out of 34 shoes for his first 80% game at the Iowa State Championships. An 82.4% effort boosted him to a very respectable 62.8% for the day and a perfect 7-0 sweep in Class A1.

So we have come to the end of another season of horseshoe pitching here in Waterloo, and it was a good one. Many good times were had by all of our pitchers and we all look forward to next year when we can do it all again.

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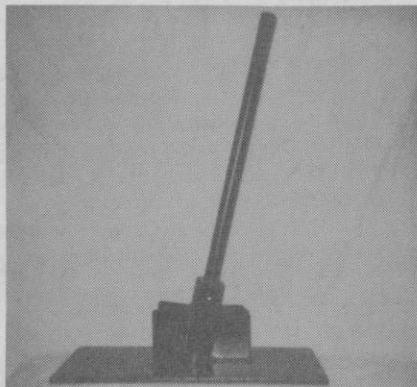
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In Memoriam

It is with sadness that we report the passing of Walter Shackelton of New York on December 1, 1986.

Mr. Shackelton was a professional fly fisherman and tied his own trout flies. He was recognized for his many outstanding accomplishments in the sport of horseshoe pitching. He won championships in Montgomery, Schoharie, Delaware, Sullivan and Otsego counties and was New York State Champion at age 16.

Walt Shackelton was a big, amiable man, soft-spoken and kind.

For years he was the premier horseshoe pitcher in the region, and most of the time he was near the top of the heap of those who toss shoes across New York state.

It was only fairly recently that he cut back on his pitching, but as late as 1981 at age 70 he was still entering a dozen tournaments a year and placing high.

His exploits in that year earned him the honor of being inducted into the New York State Horseshoe Pitching association. He began pitching shoes way back in 1924 and by 1928 earned the right to pitch in the amateur horseshoe pitching tournament for the state under the state association, and he won the championship.

In 1962 he promoted a tournament at the Delaware County Fair and it has been a fixture since. He helped start tournaments at Afton and Morris fairs, too.

The sympathy of the N.Y. Association and that of the NHPA is extended to his loving wife and family in their hour of sadness.

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The passing of two members of the Kansas State Association has been reported. Willard Challenger, a faithful member of the NHPA, following heart surgery. Also Charles Bliss following a brief illness of lung cancer. He had competed in the Kansas State tournament this past Labor Day.

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Two North Dakota horseshoe pitchers died recently — Larry Veitch, 80, of Fargo; and Carl Weber, 78, of Havana, N.D. Weber was a longtime Havana League pitcher and competed in many open and state tournaments. He was named to the state hall of fame. Veitch was an officer in the Red River Valley League.

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The death of Herman C. Torrence of Lynchburg, Virginia on November 22, 1986 was a sad day for the Virginia Horseshoe pitchers and all those who knew him. We wish to express our deepest sympathy to his wife, Clara and his family. He was 75 years of age and had been a long time friend and supporter of the Virginia Horseshoe Pitchers Association. He was a member of the Hill City Club of Lynchburg, a charter member of the Virginia Horseshoe Pitchers Association, and a member of the National Horseshoe Pitchers Association. He has won many awards from clubs in and out of the state, not only for pitching but for his help and sportsmanship. He was young at heart and generated enthusiasm and happiness to all those around him.

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It is with deep regret and sorrow that we of the Lockport Leagues report the sudden passing of two of our beloved members. Mark Sylvester passed away at the age of 52 of July 21, 1986.

The first week of September, Kim Sylvester presented a plaque in her father's memory to the Men's League prior to her going to the hospital for minor surgery. She lapsed into a coma and a week later passed away at the age of 21. She was a talented singer and musician and a pitcher in the Lockport Women's League.

The sudden loss of Mark, followed so closely by the death of Kim, shocked and

IN MEMORIAM — (Continued)

saddened not only the Leagues, but the Lockport area as a whole.

The Lockport Men's and Women's League Membership expresses their thanks to NHPA and its members for the concern and sympathy shown at the time of the loss of two fine people.

KNOW YOUR FELLOW MEMBER

(Foreword: We have all read of Alvin York of WW I and many others of WW II who won our country's highest award...the Congressional Medal of Honor. But we all know there were 1000's of others...just plain G.I. Joes who did their job when their country called.)

WW II. Iowa Jima...Kwajalein...Tarawa...Okinawa...and 100's of other islands, all basically the same...lush seacoasts and valleys with sharply rising hills and mountains in the interior.

Okinawa! The GI's of the 77th Infantry Division advanced slowly taking advantage of every bit of cover they could find. They stared uneasily at a long narrow valley with forbidding mountains on each side. They knew what those innocent looking mountains held in store for them. Going over was impossible. Going around was just going into another valley with the enemy also firmly entrenched in caves and bunkers on the hillsides. Even though the Army Air Corps had given close ground support by raking the sides of the mountains with machine guns, rockets, and bombs...each GI knew what had to be done. The area had to be 'mopped up.'

'Mopping up' meant digging the remaining enemy out of the caves and bunkers...with flame throwers and machine guns...a tough job by anyone's standards...*but someone had to do it.*

Many never made it back. One NHPA member did...but only after surviving the effects of a mortar shell which hit close by...wiping out several GI's close to him...and leaving him 70% shot up.

This man is a good horseshoe pitcher. He had games of 84.4, 85.2, and 85.5% in Class A of the 1973 W.T. at Eureka, CA. This year he pitched in the under 70 Seniors and finished third.

Fred 'Flash' Lavett was there. He *earned* the Combat Infantry Badge...and that says it all!

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Mail to: 1987 WHT Housing, Eau Claire Area Convention & Tourism Bureau, 2127 Brackett Avenue, Eau Claire, Wisc. 54701.

CAMPING SELECTION: Please indicate your site preference below. A \$20.00 deposit must be included to guarantee your site reservation. Credit cards are *not* being accepted for camp reservations. *Please make your check or money order for the deposit payable to: Eau Claire Horseshoe Club.*

You will receive a confirmation from the site for which you have been assigned.

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You will receive a confirmation from the hotel for which you have been assigned.

First Choice Hotel

Second Choice Hotel

Third Choice Hotel

Fourth Choice Hotel

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FAIRMONT, W. VA. CLUB PLANS HEAD-OF-THE-MON-RIVER MEMORIAL WEEKEND — FAIRMONT, W. VA. — MAY 22-25

Our Tri-County Horseshoe Club of Fairmont, West Virginia is laying plans to host the Second Consecutive Central Coca-Cola Head-of-the-Mon-River Memorial Weekend Horseshoe Tournament within the East-Marion Recreational Park (Wave-Tek Pool Park), where we have 12 permanent horseshoe courts.

Central Coca-Cola is providing a minimum of one thousand dollars for the tournament itself, plus they may sponsor a program, so as to attract spectators. Central Coca-Cola may tag their products so that consumers when making a purchase will have the opportunity to complete an Entry Form, and take it to the tournament site, during the tournament period, for deposit, so that they may be drawn for special gifts provided by Coca-Cola.

The tournament period will begin at 6:30 p.m. Friday evening, May 22 and terminate on Monday, May 25. Sanctioned.

Our Club will be providing an Instant West Virginia Lottery Ticket to all paid and participating players, which may allow them an opportunity to win additional awards. . .

Jim Knisley of Lancaster, Ohio is the defending champion in the Men's Division, and Fran Carnahan is the defending champion in the Women's Division.

This is the sixth annual event, and it is being requested to have it sanctioned, same as for the previous year. Ralph Maddox has won the event twice, same as for Knisley, and one of the two just may take home the Traveling Trophies in 198, as the Club will provide same to whomever wins the event three times.

For further details contact Charles M. Bunner, 508 Ohio Ave., Fairmont, W. Va. 26554. Phone: 304-366-7986.

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CLASS A — H. Hostetler, 4-1-55.7; E. Swartz, 3-2-51.0; R. Gyorkus, 2-3-45.1; P. Molinaro, 2-3-46.9; L. Butcher, 2-3-44.6; P. Law, 2-3-40.7.

CLASS B — L. Rose, 4-1-50.8; W. Wicker, 3-2-50.4; J. Hurst, 3-2-49.5; Helen Eakins, 2-3-49.5; O. Blacketer, 2-3-37.5; L. Adams, 1-4-40.0.

CLASS C — D. Miller, 4-1-46.2; W. Smith, 3-2-46.4; W. Krieger, 2-3-38.5; E. Shippee, 2-3-41.2; W. House, 2-3-36.3; G. Stiefel, 2-3-33.1.

CLASS D — H. Lea, 4-2-43.3; E. Miller, 4-2-45.8; B. Szombati, 3-3-38.6; H. Mullet, 3-3-44.0; R. Wrucke, 3-3-38.5; T. Randolph, 2-4-36.3; R. Swinson, 2-4-31.6.

CLASS E — L. Long, 4-1-40.5; R. Babcock, 4-1-40.0; Dorothy Slocum, 3-2-33.4; W. Wedel, 2-3-35.1; J. Morgan, 2-3-44.7; M. Rodocker, 1-4-20.0.

CLASS F — D. Johnson, 3-1-40.7; Bonnie Wyant, 3-1-35.2; E. Johnson, 3-1-32.8; R. Lobruzzetta, 2-2-32.7; P. O'Toole, 1-3-28.5; E. Colgan, 0-4-29.5.

CLASS G — H. Serena, 4-1-27.8; J. Pelkey, 3-2-19.2; M. Rodocker, 3-2-21.3; P. Yohn, 2-3-21.6; D. Warren, 2-3-18.5; C. Olson, 1-4-18.6.

CLASS H — D. Pricer, 4-0-23.4; D. Blakeman, 3-1-25.2; E. Hartman, 1-3-13.5; F. Beedle, 1-3-17.3; J. Manning, 1-3-9.6.

B. FREDRICKS TOPS KANSAS STOCKING STUFFERS OPEN WICHITA, KANSAS — DECEMBER 13-14, 1986 — SANC.

CLASS A — SAT. — Ronnie Fredericks, Woodward, Ok., 7-2-61.5; Alden Allbaugh, Newton, 7-2-61.1; Danny Erbe, Altoona, 7-2-61.7; Jesse Hobbs, Horton, 7-2-59.9; Lelind Johnson, Vici, Ok., 6-3-53.2; George Buche, Derby, 4-5-48.4; Ron Martin, Wichita, 3-6-50.5; Dale Blandin, Hutchinson, 2-7-39.7; Bill Whitley, Wichita, 2-7-39.2; Greg Dixon, Wichita, 0-9-16.6.

CLASS A — SUN. — Chuck Arnold, Yukon, Ok., 4-1-58.6; Danny Erbe, Altoona, 4-1-58.7; Ralph Funk, Wichita, 3-2-57.8; Alden Allbaugh, Newton, 2-3-54.2; George Buche, Derby, 2-3-52.2; Bill Whitley, Wichita, 0-5-36.5.

KANSAS — (Continued)

CLASS B — George Green, Wichita, 4-1-41.6; Larry Aue, Clearwater, 3-2-37.3; Rick Roles, Derby, 3-2-34.2; Glenn King, Sand Springs, Ok., 2-3-36.0; Harvey Washburn, Alton, 2-3-30.0; Gene Dixon, Wichita, 1-4-27.8.

CLASS C — Ray Bolinger, Wichita, 5-0-41.8; Dick Kinney, Wichita, 3-2-27.8; Marvey Washburn, Alton, 2-3-33.1; Arn Carpenter, Otis, 2-3-33.0; Eddie Haupt, Wichita, 2-3-33.0; Leon Council, Benton, 1-4-30.8.

CLASS D MIXED — Greg Dixon, Wichita, 6-1-34.0; Clarence Loyd, Girard, 5-2-38.5; Orland Carver, Wichita, 5-2-27.5; Judi Roles, Derby, 4-3-27.3; Wayne Zimmerman Sr., Ark City, 4-3-23.2; Robert Washburn, Alton, 2-5-15.9; Letta Washburn, Alton, 2-5-15.8; Wayne Zimmerman Jr., Ark City, 0-7-17.7.

HUNT TOPS ST. GEORGE, UTAH OPEN — SANC. 86-135

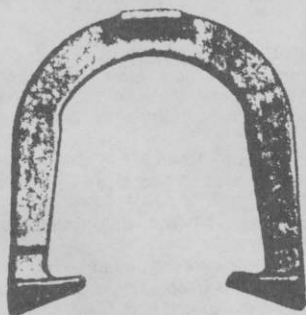
CLASS A — Ron Hunt, Cedar City, 7-0-53.4; Eileen Serna, New Mexico, 6-1-56.0; Dennis Ohms, Cedar City, 5-2-48.6; J.J. Steffen, Monticello, 3-4-42.6; Rose Johnny, Panaca, 3-4-40.6; Orrian Rich, St. George, 2-5-40.6; Marvin Edson, Nebr., 1-6-38.0; Joann Lester, New Mexico, 1-6-32.6.

CLASS B — Wendel Bundy, Cedar City, 5-1-42.0; George Sarkis, Cedar City, 4-2-37.7; Jason Bundy, Ferdonia, 4-2-33.3; Nober Zuniga, Enoch, 3-3-37.7; Shirley Steffen, Monticello, 3-3-32.3; Garth Bundy, St. George, 2-4-32.3; Grant Seegmiller, Cedar City, 0-6-28.7.

CLASS C — Lew Brown, St. George, 7-2-34.5; Verle Leavitt, Gunlock, 4-3-37.0; Joe Lester, New Mexico, 4-3-34.6; Tuff Moles, Cedar City, 5-3-30.8; Doug Liston, St. George, 4-3-32.6; Kent Pendleton, Parowan, 1-5-30.0; Robert Langston, Hurricane, 0-6-16.4.

CLASS D — Les Cole, Hurricane, 5-1-33.0; Gene Brown, Hurricane, 4-2-28.7; Reed Lowe, St. George, 24.7; Viola Fawcett, Hurricane, 3-3-24.3; L.D. Alldredge, St. George, 2-4-22.3; Neldon Christensen, 2-4-20.3; Russell Johnny, Panaca, 1-5-14.0.

CLASS E — Dan Haycock, Fredonia, 5-1-20.0; Glen McAllister, 4-2-27.0; Doug Alger, Mesquite,

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3-2-18.4; Armon Hartlieb, Mesquite, 2-3-20.8; Gary Lovelace, New Mexico, 1-4-21.6; Afton Fawcett, Hurricane, 1-4-16.0.

JUNIORS CLASS (HANDICAP) — Penny Bundy, St. George, 5-2-8.6; Belinda Bundy, St. George, 4-3-9.0; Doug Haycock, Fredonia, 4-3-7.1; Trevor Bundy, Cedar City, 4-3-6.2; Clifton Johnny, Panaca, 4-3-4.3; Gabe Ohms, Cedar City, 3-4-24.3; Jenny Ohms, Cedar City, 3-4-10.5; Liliann Johnny, Panaca, 1-6-1.9.

MESQUITE, NEV. SCENE OF 1st PEPPERMILL RESORT OPEN

The Peppermill Resort Hotel and Casino in Mesquite Nevada was the site of the First Peppermill Horseshoe Holidays Tournament held Nov. 7 & 8. Sanction 86-376. The Peppermill Resort is in the small Southeastern town of Mesquite, Nevada near the Utah and Arizona borders. There were over 96 pitchers for the First Tournament that the Peppermill hopes is only the one of many they will host.

The tournament was held in the Rodeo arena with 12 courts installed for the meet. The days were warm with the night pitching a little cool for some due to a cold front that swept the country. Some of the highlights were the payment each round to each class of a new five dollar bill to the high percentage game. And the scorekeepers after they kept score for a number of games had the chance to make \$10,000.00 on the 10,000 dollar pull slot machine. Added prize money paid every class of 12 the top 6 spots from \$150.00 to \$20.00 their money back. But many that did not place had still made some money on high games.

The class winners were Class A — Willard Napier, the world Senior Champion from Seal Beach, Calif. B Class winner — Ed Garcia, Yamhill, Oregon. Lee Van Dalsen of Nevada City, Calif. won Class C. D class winner — Norman Hammeke of Great Bend, Kansas. Class E went to Jason Bundy of Fredonia, Arizona. F class winner was Dave Rodriguez of Santa Barbara, Calif. Doyle Swallow of Kanab, Utah won class G and Gunlock, Utah player Glen McAllister won the H class. The Peppermill expresses their thanks to the players and families and to the tournament committee: Carol and Dennis Ohms, Mary and Gene Van Sant, Lili and Gary Gilbert, and the Host Annette Kerr from the Peppermill.

CLASS A — Willard Napier, Calif., 9-2-59.1; Arnie Mortenson, Calif., 8-3-61.4; Gene Trudell, Montana, 8-3-56.4; Herb Rushing, Calif., 6-5-57.3; Leroy Rowe, Indiana, 6-5-59.1; Eileen Serna, New Mexico, 6-5-55.0; Edward Domey, Mass., 6-5-48.9; George Whittemore, Calif., 4-7-50.0; Blackie Harms., Calif., 4-7-45.5; Warren Stutzman, Idaho, 4-7-43.7; Juke Basham, Calif., 3-8-47.0; Bill Cork, Calif., 2-9-45.9.

CLASS B — Ed Garcia, Oregon, 10-1-52.0; Marge McLeod, Oregon, 9-2-45.2; Les Grosenbach, Colorado, 8-3-48.2; Hank Tencate, Idaho, 7-4-42.3; Gene Fleek, Kansas, 7-4-43.4; Marvin Reheis, Arizona, 6-5-41.6; Tom McQueen, Calif., 4-7-47.0; Dennis Ohms, Utah, 4-7-44.8; Tony Apodaca, Idaho, 4-7-40.0; Dick Hucke, Nevada, 4-7-36.9; Tito Archuleta, Utah, 2-9-37.1; Skip Schilperoot, Wash., 1-10-34.3.

CLASS C — Lee Van Dalsen, Calif., 11-0-48.0; J. J. Steffen, Utah, 7-4-41.6; Joann Lester, New Mexico, 7-4-39.3; Lloyd Laughlin, Colorado, 6-5-46.6; Marvin Edson, Nebraska, 6-5-42.0; Gary Gilbert, Utah, 5-6-41.6; Bert Charley, Calif., 5-6-36.6; Doyle Brawley, Calif., 5-6-35.7; Bill Cronkite, Utah, 4-7-37.7; Bud Knudson, Alberta, 4-7-34.3; Leo Peterson, Idaho, 3-8-34.9; Wendel Bundy, Utah, 3-8-30.5.

CLASS D — Norman Hammeke, Kansas, 10-2-42.5; Gordon Lytle, Nevada, 9-3-45.2; Kenneth Percy, Utah, 8-3-35.4; Sam Williams, Idaho, 7-4-38.9; Harold Hammond, Nevada, 6-5-38.6; Harlan Jensen, Nebraska, 6-5-35.0; Robert Tibbs, Utah, 5-6-40.9; Shirley Steffen, Utah, 5-6-38.9; Olon Crandall, Idaho, 5-6-36.4; Russ Horan, Utah, 4-7-33.6; Don Van Wyk, Iowa, 1-10-24.5; Bert Stoddard, Idaho, 1-10-24.1.

CLASS E — Jason Bundy, Arizona, 11-0-38.9; Lynn Palmer, Utah, 7-4-35.7; Thomas Buck, Calif., 7-4-31.8; Nober Zuniga, Utah, 6-5-33.9; Garth Bundy, Utah, 6-5-33.9; Robert Slaker, Calif., 6-5-30.9; Les McConnohie, Calif., 6-5-30.7; Josephine Charley, Calif., 6-5-27.3; Albert Hoffman, Alberta, 5-6-29.3; Dean Blake, Idaho, 4-7-24.3; Doc Hildebrand, Utah, 1-10-27.3; Robert Morley, Utah, 1-10-22.5.

CLASS F — Dave Rodriguez, Calif., 10-1-34.5; Tuff Moles, Utah, 8-3-32.0; Robert Macke, Calif.,

PEPPERMILL — (Continued)

7-4-36.4; Dale Sorenson, Utah, 6-5-36.0; Joe Lester, New Mexico, 6-5-30.9; Lorin Condie, Utah, 6-5-29.7; Betty McQueen, Calif., 5-6-27.3; Lew Rollins, Nevada, 5-6-26.1; Gib Mitchell, Utah, 4-7-28.8; Charlie Swift, Utah, 4-7-22.5; Bud Schardine, Utah, 3-8-27.5; Stan Kirkland, Idaho, 2-9-24.5.

CLASS G — Doyle Swallow, Utah, 9-2-28.6; Alice Garcia, Oregon, 8-3-33.7; Kent Pendleton, Utah, 7-4-29.9; Gordon Loveall, Calif., 7-4-23.2; Robert Langston, Utah, 6-5-25.9; L. D. Alldredge, Utah, 6-5-25.7; Verle Leavitt, Utah, 5-6-28.9; Phil Jensen, Utah, 4-7-25.2; Lloyd Kidman, Utah, 4-7-23.4; Carl Hills, Utah, 4-7-21.9; Jack Simmons, Utah, 4-7-14.1; Gene Van Sant, Calif., 2-9-16.8.

CLASS H — Glen McAllister, Utah, 11-0-26.8; Jim Hopkins, Nebraska, 8-3-27.0; Clint Gentry, 8-3-20.9; George McLead, Oregon, 8-3-18.0; Dan Haycock, Arizona, 7-4-19.3; Roger Holtan, Utah, 7-4-18.7; Armon Hartlieb, Nevada, 6-5-17.3; Doug Alger, Nevada, 6-5-10.7; Don Hunter, Utah, 4-7-10.5; Allen Heaton, Utah, 2-9-12.9; Frank Barrett, Utah, Withdrew; Rick Allbritton, Utah, Withdrew.

HUSBAND AND WIFE TEAM SWEEP ST. GEORGE, UT. OPEN

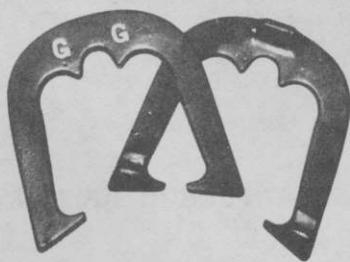
Husband and wife team sweep the 1986 Dixie Open held in St. George. John and Elsie Bracken of Santa Clara won Class A and Class D Championships for the last tournament of the 1986 schedule. Class B winner is George Sarkis. Class C winner is Don Howell of Mt. Pleasant. E class winner went to Dan Haycock of Fredonia. The junior champ is Belinda Bundy of St. George. Sanctioned Tourn.

CLASS A — John Bracken, Santa Clara, 4-1-43.2; Gordon Lytle, Eagle Valley, 3-2-44.3; Orrian Rich, St. George, 3-2-43.8; Wendel Bundy, Cedar City, 3-2-40.2; Dennis Ohms, Cedar City, 2-3-37.1.

CLASS B — George Sarkis, Cedar City, 5-1-39.0; Nober Zuniga, Enoch, 4-2-39.7; Jason Bundy, Fredonia, 3-2-39.2; Garth Bundy, St. George, 2-3-30.0; Gib Mitchell, Cedar City, 1-4-33.2; Dale Sorenson, Mt. Carmel, 1-4-29.5.

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CLASS C — Don Howell, Mt. Pleasant, 5-0-33.1; Lew Brown, St. George, 4-1-35.3; Lorin Condie, Cedar City, 3-2-24.4; Kent Pendleton, Parowan, 2-3-24.7; Robert Langston, Hurricane, 1-4-24.3.

CLASS D — Elsie Bracken, Santa Clara, 7-2-30.0; L.D. Alldredge, 3-3-26.1; Gene Brown, Hurricane, 3-3-28.1; Glen McAllister, Gunlock, 3-3-24.5; Reed Lowe, St. George, 3-3-20.5.

CLASS E — Dan Haycock, Fredonia, 5-0-24.2; Armon Hartlieb, Mesquite, 4-1-19.2; Keith Landis, Hurricane, 3-2-23.3; Vic Blackburn, Mt. Carmel, 2-3-8.9; Doug Alger, Mesquite, 1-4-13.8.

JUNIOR CLASS (Handicap) — Belinda Bundy, St. George, 4-1-13.5; Trevor Bundy, Cedar City, 3-2-6.5; Penny Bundy, St. George, 2-2-10.0; Seth Ohms, Cedar City, 2-2-3.8; Gabe Ohms, Cedar City, 1-2-20.8; Dawn Howell, Mt. Pleasant, 1-2-4.2; Jenny Ohms, Cedar City, 1-2-7.5; Doug Haycock, Fredonia, 1-2-3.3.

CLASS HIGH RINGER PERCENTAGES — Class A: Gordon Lytle, 61.8; Class B: Nober Zuniga, 50.0; Class C: Lew Brown, 40.6; Class D: Elsie Bracken, 58.3; Class E: Dan Haycock, 33.3; and Juniors Class: Gabe Ohms, 30.0.

OSCAR MANNS ON TOP IN NEWBURY, OH. INDOOR OPEN

JEANNIE SPALLER WINS LADIES TITLE — SANC. 21-87-021

Oscar Manns of Painesville, Oh. posted a 6-1-68.6 record to win the Class A sanctioned tournament held Jan. 9-11 at the Hickory Lake Inn, Indoor Courts in Newbury, Ohio. Jeannie Spaller also of Painesville had a 6-0-68.6 record to win the Ladies Class A title. She also pitched the high game percentage of 83.3.

CLASS A WOMEN — Jeannie Spaller, 6-0-68.6; Marge Spaller, 4-2-55.3; Vernie Cicirelli, 2-4-45.4; Virginia Cotter, 0-6-30.0.

CLASS B WOMEN — Lois Luhta, 6-0-21.0; Joanne Sopko, 3-3-21.5; Margie Palsa, 3-3-15.9.

CLASS A MEN — Oscar Manns, 6-1-68.0; Guy Wills, 6-1-57.6; Joe Mazzurco, 5-2-53.4; Marvin Donaldson, 4-3-48.2; Gordon Miller, 3-4-48.1; Clyde Ryan, 2-5-46.4; Charlie Brotzman, 1-6-44.0; John Lalley, 1-6-36.1.

CLASS B MEN — Tim Gould, 9-0-45.2; Armond Frabotta, 8-1-43.0; Jess Fenton, 7-2-47.6; Robert Gray, 5-4-43.0; Tom Leopold, 5-4-40.9; Bob Allen, 3-6-35.7; John Beharry, 3-6-34.6; Bud Loftus, Sr., 3-6-29.9; Dick Zielenski, 2-7-37.1.

CLASS C MEN — Earl Severson, 7-0-41.0; Dick Johnson, 5-2-35.1; Edward Andrus, 4-3-37.0; Mike Grubich, 4-3-35.9; Gene Fenton, 4-3-27.2; Ford Christian, 3-4-34.9; Chester Brand, 1-6-20.5. Rich Wolfe, 0-7-24.8.

CLASS D MEN — Bud Loftus, Jr., 6-1-31.0; John Fuduric, 5-2-25.1; Art Gahagan, 4-3-26.3; Dave Harper, 4-3-22.9; Russ Settle, 3-4-23.7; Ron Bogan, 3-4-22.7; Bob Fletcher, 2-5-18.3; Russ Ryan, 1-6-14.7.

CLASS E MEN — Harry Genske, 6-0-22.7; Dan Palmer, 4-2-20.08; Len Ruhe, 2-4-10.3.

MINNICK WINS PIMA CO. CLASSIC AT TUCSON, ARIZONA

SANCTION 25-87-001

MENS CLASS A — G. Minnick, 5-0-61.9; C. Gage, 4-1-51.4; G. Opper, 3-2-56.2; M. Reheis, 2-3-54.4; Heller, 1-4-44.1; J. Williams, Forfeit All Games. J. Larkins (Pacer), 0-5-24.1.

MENS CLASS B — B. Thackery, 5-0-54.3; Lowmaster, 3-2-42.8; T. Lievrouw, 3-2-38.13; B. Hughes, 1-4-44.25; D. Redman, 1-4-41.4.

MENS CLASS C — T. Apodaca, 6-0-43.9; R. Jones, 3-3-36.5; T. Lievrouw, Jr., 3-3-32.5; O. Kubal, 3-3-25.47; M. Larkins, 2-4-31.6; H. Pater, 2-4-29.7; Deffner, 2-4-29.5.

MENS CLASS D — Schalperoot, 6-0-39.5; G. Killingsworth, 5-1-33.2; P. Free, 4-2-32.9; G. Minnick Jr., 3-3-21.2; V. Laird, 2-4-16.8; M. Ackerson, 1-5-27.7; Burdette, 0-6-13.9.

MENS CLASS E — J. Humuth, 5-0-14.8; L. Cusick, 4-1-19.75; T. Williams, 3-2-16.1; J. Leonard, 1-4-14; J. Brady, 1-4-8.18; J. Leaym, 1-4-8.8; D. Ingham, Forfeit All Games.

LADIES — Teresa Lievrouw, 5-1-56.7; J. Free, 4-2-50.8; D. Reheis, 3-3-37; R. Kubal, 0-6-20.7.

Teresa Lievrouw, our present state champ, had a high game of 83.3 during 3rd game of match with Judy Free. Teresa threw 30 ringers out of 36 shoes. Final score 41-3. In that game, Judy threw 19 ringers out of 36 shoes. Our weather was beautiful although a bit windy.



“From Out Of The Mail Bag”

The Horseshoe Pitcher's News Digest
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Dear Mr. Cobb:

Enclosed is my NEWSLETTER from the state tournament. I want to thank you for encouraging me to have this one. I was very reluctant to do it because of my lack of experience. Our short time as a state charter has been very rewarding to me and the majority of our state members. We have all learned a great deal and to say our state championship was a success is just tipping the iceberg. It was to me, the most successful and rewarding thing I have ever been part of.

Again I thank you for helping me make the Mississippi charger what it is and has been for 1986. Let us hear from you soon.

Yours truly,
Jerry Walton
President Mississippi NHPA

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Jan. 2, 1987

N.H.P.A. News Digest

Dear Mr. Cobb:

As a former secretary to the Northern Illinois Horseshoe Club at Elgin, Ill. during the 70's, I agree with Kevin and Harvey Ringers Only is the way to go.

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SNOWBALL OPEN — GREENVILLE, OH — FEB. 7-8-14-15

The 22nd annual Greenville, Ohio Snowball Open will be held in 1987 over the weekends of February 7-8 and 14-15 at the Darke County Horseshoe Club's indoor court facility in the Darke County Fairground.

The courts will be open for pitchers wishing to qualify on Saturday and Sunday, January 31 and February 1. Entry can also be made by mailing an entry with an accurate ringer percentage and the entry fee of \$6.00 to Fritz Worner, 150 Ridgeview Dr., Greenville, OH 45331. Monday, February 2nd will be the deadline for accepting entries.

The Snowball Open is sanction Tournament 21-87-001. The Tournament Committee reserves the right to place pitchers in Classes as deemed appropriate. Classes A and B will pitch on Sunday, February 15.

The indoor court facilities are in the Darke County Fairgrounds in Greenville on Business Route U.S. 127 and Ohio Rt. 49. Motel and restaurant accommodations are located nearby.

COMING EVENTS

ARIZONA SCHEDULE REID PARK TUCSON, ARIZONA

Feb. 7 — Old Pueblo Special. Sanctioned. Entries close Jan. 28.

Mar. 28 — Association President's Open. Entries close March 19.

April 11 — Annual Arizona State Tournament. Sanctioned. Entries close April 1.

Sanctioned tournaments require an NHPA and State card. Entry fee: \$5.00. Mail entries to: Sue Johnson, 5050 North LaChalla, #54, Tucson, Arizona 85705. Ph. 602-888-4667 and 602-298-6085. Include card number if sanctioned.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SCHEDULE

Feb. 7 — H. Slagg Open, Riverside, 10 a.m.

Feb. 9-15 — Valley of the Sun, Pre-Register, Mesa, AZ.

Feb. 14 — 49.9% and Under, 10 a.m. South Gate.

Feb. 15 — H. Moefield Open, 10 a.m. San Berdu. (DYM)

Feb. 21 — J. Dow Senior HCP, 10 a.m. Orange.

Feb. 22 — Torrance Doubles, 12 noon, Torrance.

Feb. 28 — Hollingsworth Open, 10 a.m. South Gate.

March 7 — N. Smith Open, 10 a.m. South Gate.

March 8 — 39.9% and Under, 10 a.m. Torrance.

March 14 — 50.0% and Above, 10 a.m. Orange.

March 15 — J. Vickery Doubles Hcp. 10 a.m. Pick partner, Riverside.

March 22 — J. Schneider Open, 10 a.m. Fontana.

March 28 — 39.9% and Under, 10 a.m. Burbank.

March 29 — Jim Weeks Open, 10 a.m. San Diego.

April 4 — D. Brawley "C" Open. (49.9% and Under) 10 a.m. Riverside.

April 5 — A. Gregson Doubles, 12 noon, San Berdu.

April 10-11-12 — Calico Open. Pre-Reg. Yermo.

April 25 — Lamoureux Open, 10 a.m. Boron.

April 26 — Boron Doubles, 10 a.m. Boron.

May 2-3 — James Dow Memorial, Barstow. Pre-Reg.

May 9 — 49.9% and Under, 10 a.m. Riverside.

May 17 — Torrance Open, 10 a.m. Torrance.

May 23 — Ronnie Simmons Open, 10 a.m. Fontana.

May 24 — Elmer Beller Open, 10 a.m. South Gate.

May 30 — L. Geer, 29.9% and Under, 10 a.m. Orange.

May 30 — J. Snyder Open, 10 a.m. San Diego.

May 31 — H. Harper Open, 10 a.m. San Diego.

June 6 — Haigh Day Doubles, 12 noon, San Berdu.

June 7 — San Bernardino Open, 10 a.m. San Berdu.

June 13 — Jesse Gonzales Open, 10 a.m. San Luis.

June 14 — San Luis Open, 10 a.m. San Luis.

June 27 — Gerry Kloepper Open, 10 a.m. Fontana.

June 28 — L. Lipton "D" 39.9% and Under, 10 a.m. Torrance.

July 4 — Santa Barbara Open, 10 a.m. Santa Barbara.

July 5 — E. Knorp Open (DYM) 10 a.m. Santa Barbara.

July 11 — Ray Gatewood Open, 10 a.m. Fontana.

July 18 — John Gordon Open, 6 p.m. Riverside.

July 26 — N. Shaver 50.0% and Under, Riverside.

Aug. 1 — Gunnar Hansen 29.9% and Under, Burbank, 10 a.m.

Aug. 1 — John Walker Doubles, Pick partner, 12 noon, San Diego.

Aug. 2 — Emily Weeks Open (DYM) 10 a.m. San Diego.

Aug. * — Lowell Gray Open, 10 a.m. San Berdu.

Aug. 9 — E. Brown Open, 10 a.m. South Gate.

Aug. 15 — F. Esperanza Open, 10 a.m. Oxnard.

Aug. 16 — Oxnard Open, 10 a.m. Oxnard.

Aug. 22 — A and K Gregson Open (DYM) 6 p.m. Riverside.

Aug. 29-30 — Boron Open, 10 a.m. Boron.

Sept. 5-6 — Calif. State Championship, Pre-Reg. Bishop.

Sept. 12 — B. Van Sant Doubles, 12 noon, Torrance.

Sept. 13 — Fernando Isaais Open, 10 a.m. Riverside.

Sept. 19 — 29.9% and Under, 10 a.m. Orange.

Sept. 20 — South Gate Open, 10 a.m. South Gate.

Sept. 26 — S.C.H.P.A. Championships (B.D.F.) Fontana, 10 a.m.

Sept. 27 — S.C.H.P.A. Championships (A.C.E.) Fontana, 10 a.m.

Oct. 3-4 — Ralph Randall Memorial (\$10.00 fee to K. Speas) Pre-Reg. Barstow.

Oct. 11 — A. Mortenson Doubles, Pick Partner, 12 noon, Burbank.

Oct. 17 — San Luis Obispo Open, 10 a.m. San Luis.

Oct. 18 — San Luis Obispo Open (D.Y.M.) 10 a.m. San Luis.

Oct. 24 — Ira Allen Open, 10 a.m. San Berdu.

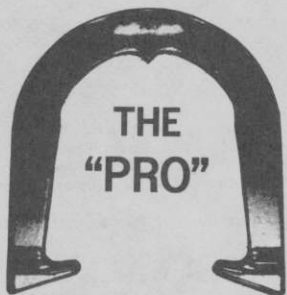
Oct. 25 — H. Morin Doubles, 12 noon, San Berdu.

Oct. 31 — Wally Shipley State Championship Doubles, 12 noon, Fontana.

Dec. 5 — Annual Meeting.



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