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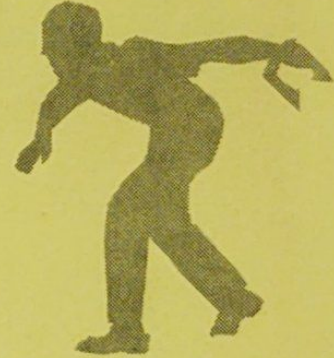
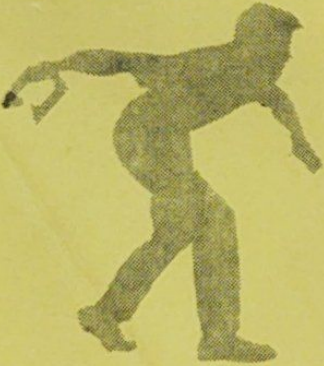
# CHAMPIONSHIPS

LABOR DAY WEEKEND

AUGUST 30, 31, SEPT. 1

FOND DU LAC WISCONSIN

NEW 16 LIGHTED CLAY COURTS



## WELCOME

The Fond du Lac County Horseshoe Club extends a warm welcome to all horseshoe pitchers and spectators to the 1980 State Horseshoe Tournament.

We hope you enjoy our new 16 lighted court facility.

We are looking forward to the best horseshoe pitchers in the State participating in the 1980 State Tournament.

Thank you for coming and "Good Pitching" to all.

FOND DU LAC COUNTY HORSESHOE CLUB

GARY BLOEDORN, PRESIDENT  
CARROL BOLDT, 1ST VICE-PRESIDENT  
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C.L. OLLERMAN, SECY-TREAS.

## 1980 WISCONSIN HALL-OF-FAME

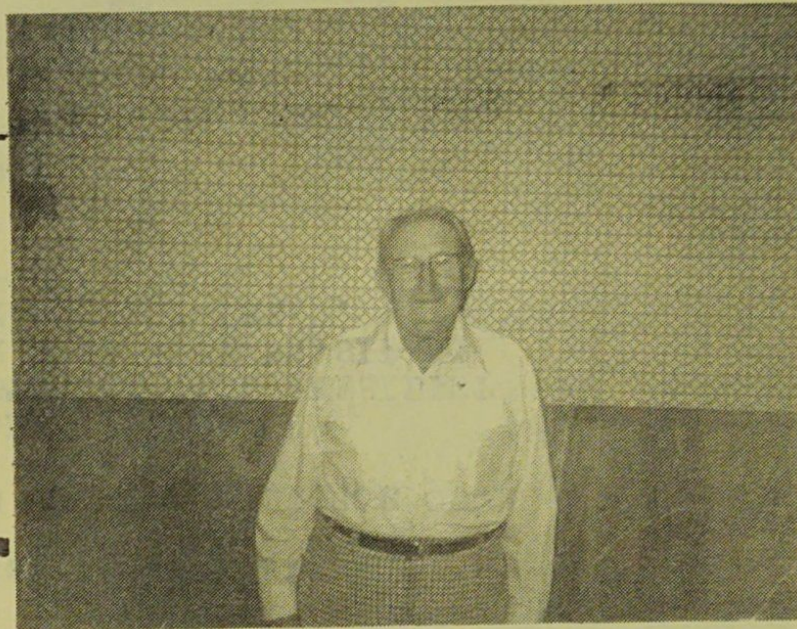
Arnie Rupnow is one of two horseshoe pitchers to be honored with the Wisconsin Horseshoe Pitchers Association Hall of Fame Award for 1980.

Arnie is a charter member and former secretary of the league which was organized as the Inter-County League in 1933, called the Land-O-Lakes Horseshoe League 1936, the La-Belle League in 1940, and named the Tri-County League in 1954. He conducted a local tournament for 35 years. He pitched in Class A and B in the State Tournament numerous times and placed second in Class B a couple times. He has given up pitching because of a stroke nine years ago, but still sponsors a team and attends the match every week.

Arnie is 72 years of age. He and his wife Viola have been married 49 years and have a family of three sons and two daughters. They have been active in many church activities and Arnie was also the bowling secretary of the Ashippun Bowling League for 35 years.

Arnie was born and raised on the same farm in Oconomowoc, where he nows lives after dairy farming his entire life, until he gave up working his land, because of his illness.

He was nominated by the Tri-County League and the Washington Park Club. We are happy to present this award to one who has been involved, not only in the sport of horseshoe pitching, but has also done much for his fellow man in church and community activities.



## 1980 WISCONSIN HALL-OF-FAME

Wally Seager has been named, posthumously, to the Wisconsin Horseshoe Pitchers Hall of Fame for 1980.

Wally Saeger was born in Ixonia, Wisconsin on June 29, 1920, and lived in the community all his life. He started playing horseshoes at an early age with friends and relatives at home. He was a veteran of World War II and pitched horseshoes while in the army.

Wally and Delores Mallow were married on June 22, 1947, and built their home right across from the horseshoe courts. There are two children, a son, and a daughter.

He set up the present courts in Ixonia Park and maintained them for over 30 years. The courts are now called "Saeger Horseshoe Courts" in his memory.

He put on exhibitions at the courts with Casey Jones and appeared on "Pitching Horseshoes" on WTMJ in 1955. He was with the Tri-County League for over 30 years and was President for many years.

Wally was a member of the State and National Horseshoe Pitching Associations for years and served on the board when the tournaments were held in Milwaukee.

Wally entered the State Tournament for 31 years, and was State Champion in 1964. He also was Jefferson County and Tri-County Champ many times. He entered many tournaments in Wisconsin and Illinois. Win or lose, Wally enjoyed every one. He also played hardball, softball, and enjoyed bowling.

Wally died suddenly of a heart attack on July 10, 1979. At the time of his death he worked at Jefferson County Highway Department. He was a member of the Ixonia Fire Department, Park and Recreation Board, and served as town constable for many years. He was founding father of Oconomowoc Memorial Hospital and an honorary member of the hospital board.

Because of his many years of dedication to the sport of horseshoe pitching, Wally Saeger deserves to be a member of the Wisconsin Horseshoe Hall of Fame.



# SATURDAY

SAT. 8:30 A.M. CLASS U  
Wayne Keller, Meno-Falls  
Rick Stone, Germantown  
Ken Roskopf, Germantown  
Dick MacKay, Germantown  
Lee Zamzow, Fond du Lac  
John Fink, Fond du Lac

SAT. 8:30 A.M. CLASS T  
Ralph Wendels, Fond du Lac  
Richard McGinnis, West Bend  
Harold Hooking, Shullsburg  
Clarence Guenther, Marshfield  
Ferrest Averbeck, Fond du Lac  
Cliff Hoppa, Berlin

SAT. 9:00 A.M. CLASS S  
Bob Mattson, Meno-Falls  
Edgar Walker, Berlin  
Dan Ebert, Fillmore  
Jim Paegelow, Germantown  
Herman Grohskopf, Sheboygan  
Arnie Boehmer, Knowles  
Herb Perleberg, Fond du Lac  
Roger Schultz, Marshfield

SAT. 9:00 A.M. CLASS R  
Mel Sorensen, Ripon  
Bob Runas, Oxfordville  
Alfred Johnson, Eau Claire  
Roger Schroeder, West Bend  
Larry Blackburn, Berlin  
Larry Secord, Fond du Lac  
Jim Gaetz, Stevens Point  
Bill Austreng, Milwaukee

SAT. 11:30 A.M. CLASS B WOMEN  
Donna Goldsmith, Janesville  
Sid Sanwick, Eau Claire  
Alice Sukowatey, Sheboygan  
Arlene Roskopf, Germantown  
Jeanne Paegelow, Germantown  
Kathy McGinnis, West Bend

SAT. 11:30 A.M. CLASS A BOYS  
Bret Pritzlaff, Germantown  
J.D. Secord, Fond du Lac  
Kirk Bartnik, Mountain  
Jeff Secord, Fond du Lac  
Brad Vanevenhoven, Combined Locks  
Rusty Pritzlaff, Germantown  
Greg Mattson, Meno-Falls  
Doug Sherman, Milton

## 1980 WISCONSIN STATE HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

AUG. 30, 31 &, SEPT 1

### 1979 DEFENDING CHAMPIONS

BILL GLASS, VESPER - MENS

PAT EATON, EAU CLAIRE - WOMENS

BRET PRITZLAFF, GERMANTOWN - BOYS

NANCY MULRY, COMBINED LOCKS - GIRLS

# SUNDAY

SUN. 9:00 A.M. CLASS M  
Clarence Larson, Berlin  
Todd Schultz, Marshfield  
Al McGowan, Milwaukee  
Ralph Schwartz, Fond du Lac  
Jerome Weis, Janesville  
Doug Vine, Green Bay  
Nerb Nigbur, Green Bay  
David Punzel, Lake Mills

SUN. 9:00 A.M. CLASS L  
Chris Kittl, Wauwatosa  
Walter Phelps, Janesville  
Stan Larson, Monroe  
Fred Zeilstra, Eagle  
O.L. Ollerman, Fond du Lac  
John Gomel, Watertown  
Ronald Udelhofen, Potosi  
John Johnson, Fond du Lac

SUN. 9:30 A.M. CLASS E  
Leonard Mauthe, Cuba City  
Steve Wiegert, Green Bay  
Reyee Wrucke, Horicon  
Vince Jakel, Spencer  
Richard Hansen, Racine  
Dennis Schroeder, Cuba City  
Bernard Carley, Edgerton  
Ed Schimek, Milwaukee

SUN. 9:30 A.M. CLASS C WOMEN  
Jocelyn Anderson, Eau Claire  
Sandy Secord, Fond du Lac  
Diane Mattson, Meno-Falls

# MONDAY

MON. 9:00 A.M. CLASS K  
John Milkint, Sussex  
Tom Sherman, Milton  
Norman Mauthe, Platteville  
Bob Hoekstra, Waupun  
Ren Pritzlaff, Germantown  
Joe Greeschl, Sheboygan  
Jesse Comere, Eau Claire  
John Wallendal, Waupun

MON. 9:00 A.M. CLASS J  
Bud Kuhnert, Fall Creek  
Jim Bloemers, Fond du Lac  
Bob Anderson, Eau Claire  
Orv Seiger, Fond du Lac  
Elden Eaton, Eau Claire  
Chuck Goldapske, Fond du Lac  
Gerald Cremewski, Ocenomewee  
Paul Kruncos, Schofield

MON. 9:30 A.M. CLASS I  
Melvin Flogel, Platteville  
Dan Kuen, Knowles  
Tim Mulry, Combined Locks

## WOMEN WISCONSIN STATE CHAMPIONS

1969	Sella Dalleveet	Little Chute
1970	Marion Ristau	Combined Leeks
1971	Marion Ristau	Combined Leeks
1972	Darlene Ebert	Fillmore
1973	Darlene Ebert	Fillmore
1974	Darlene Ebert	Fillmore
1975	Darlene Ebert	Fillmore
1976	Pat Eaton	Eau Claire
1977	Pat Eaton	Eau Claire
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## JUNIOR BOY'S WISCONSIN STATE CHAMPIONS

1973	Randy Pritzlaff	Germantown
1974	Tim Semingson	Elk Mound
1975	Tim Schemmer	Combined Leeks
1976	Bret Pritzlaff	Germantown
1977	Bret Pritzlaff	Germantown
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## JUNIOR GIRL'S WISCONSIN STATE CHAMPIONS

1976	Nancy Mulry	Combined Leeks
1977	Linda Van Deurzen	Combined Leeks
1978	Nancy Mulry	Combined Leeks
1979	Nancy Mulry	Combined Leeks




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\$5.00 per night (includes electrical, water, and sewer)

## FOND DU LAC, WISCONSIN

