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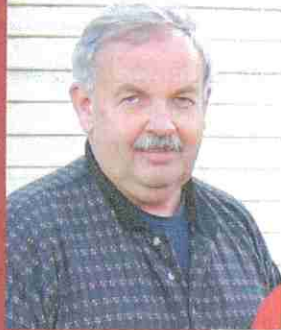
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From the President

It was nice seeing everyone at the fall meeting. Thanks to the Delton Sportsmen's Club for letting us hold the meeting there.

One topic of discussion was the spring meeting. The 2011 spring meeting will be held the second Saturday in April. This is a one-year trial.

The most important topic of the meeting was **Jimmy Paulson's** slide presentation on increasing WHPA membership. Jimmy put a lot of time and thought into the 2020 Initiative. Like any plan, it needs people to execute it. If we are not dedicated to it, the plan will not get far.

"What is the plan?" you ask. Well, last year our membership decreased nearly 20 percent. We need to turn this around. We need to hear from you on what we can do to motivate you into bringing in a member or two. What do you think the reason is for this decrease?

One thing we would like our members to do is to check around your area for non-sanctioned leagues, bar leagues, or anyplace that has horseshoe pits; we all

know of some. I know from personal experience that there are a lot of people that think they are not good enough to pitch in tournaments; they don't realize how classes are seeded based on ringer percentage. We would like to get more information out there about what the WHPA is. Here's what we are asking of you:

Get the name and address of the bar and the name of the person running the leagues. Send the information to Jimmy Paulson or any of the WHPA officers (contact information on page 2).

We will compile a comprehensive list of locations in Wisconsin where you can pitch horseshoes, along with contact information. After the first of the year, the WHPA will send out information about our organization to tell them what we're about and to invite them to join the association.

Please take this seriously. The WHPA is *our* club. Let's make it better!

Good pitching,

Tom

8 Clubs Compete for State Title


By Jane Smith

This was the 20th year of the State Tournament Team event. Eight teams participated in this exciting event. Beloit, State tournament host, had the most members competing with 27 pitchers, one State Class Champion and 3.7 points for 8th place. The Close Doesn't Count Club, which has been very tough in past years, took 7th place with 7 pitchers, one State Champion and 4.28 points. Sixth place went to the Heinritz Family with 10 pitchers, one State Champion, one State Class Champion, and 5.2 points. Muskego placed 5th with 14 pitchers, one State Champion, one State Class Champion, and 5.4 points. Fourth place earns \$10 and goes to the Deansville club who had 11 pitchers, one State Class Champion and 5.63 points. Eau Claire club took 3rd place with 6 pitchers, a State Class Champion and 6.14 points. The Delton Sportsman Club placed 2nd with 6 pitchers, two State Class Champions and 7 points.

The 2010 State Tournament team is the Marshfield Club with 8.2 points achieved by 8 pitchers, boasting one State Champion and four State Class Champions. All participating teams receive participation certificates with the top four teams receiving cash. Marshfield, as Champions receive free entry to the 2011 Team event as well as the traveling trophy.

This event is open to all clubs that have five or more pitchers. It is permissible to join a club in your geographic area. A few years ago, the Platteville and LaCrosse teams joined forces. This year the Lake Delton Sportsman Club picked up a player as did the Close Doesn't Count club. This is a fun event to meet and encourage club members to compete in the State tournament.

Upcoming Events

		Entry Fee	D/L	Contact Person
Jan. 8	WHPA Christmas Party		ASAP \$15/person	ALL ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND Earl Paulson
Jan. 15-16	001 Tourney (28-11-001)	\$18	1/5	Earl Paulson
Jan. 29-30	Deansville Rally (28-11-002)	\$18	1/22	Rudy Van Fleet
Feb. 12-13	Valentine @ Beloit (28-11-003)	\$18	2/2	Earl Paulson

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2010 Fall Meeting Overview by John Secord

October 16, 2010

The annual fall meeting was opened by President Tom Steinke at 1:05 PM at the Lake Delton Sportsman's Club in Wisconsin Dells with approximately 32 persons present. Ken Heinritz, WHPA chaplain arrived just in time to give an opening prayer. Minutes of the previous spring meeting were accepted as read.

The treasurer's report was accepted as read. Committee reports. 1st vice president Jane Smith thanks those clubs that entered the State club tournament. Jane presented awards to all those that had entered. 2nd vice president Jimmy Paulson had Randy Rein give an update on this year's State Tournament. 3rd vice president Sonia Cook, the junior scholarship chairperson, gave her report. Sonia stated that the balance is \$7,685.11

Lorraine Sternberg, NHPA 3rd vice president, stated that the 2010 sanction club team tournament had 20 entries with 4 teams from Wisconsin. Lorraine stated that the 2011 tournament will be back at Wentzville, MO.

NHPA Secretary/Treasurer Dick Hansen stated that the 2011 World tournament will be at Monroe Louisiana. Dick stated that Green Bay was interested in bidding for the 2013 World. The 2012 World tournament will be held in Knoxville, Tennessee.

Ed Wheeler, regional director, asked to send in the summer tournament schedule as soon as possible. Edie McKinney, hall of fame chairperson, asked for nominations to be sent before the deadline of February 1st.

Old Business: Tom Steinke stated that the new by-law

books were available at this time.

New Business: Election of officers. Since all current officers are running unopposed President Tom Steinke asked that a unanimous ballot be cast. All were in favor. 1st vice-president, Jane Smith. 3rd vice-president, Sonia Cook. Secretary/Treasurer, John Secord.

Mark Gagnon gave a report on holding the State tournament at Carson Park. Jimmy Paulson stated that Eau Claire was the only club that submitted a bid for the 2012 State Tournament to be held at Carson Park. Since there were no other bids, the 2012 State Tournament was awarded to Eau Claire.

Jimmy Paulson gave a report on the newsletter and that Ed Wheeler had been added to the staff and that there will be one more newsletter issue this year. Jimmy Paulson put on a PowerPoint presentation on increasing the WHPA membership.

There was much discussion on the spring meeting elimination or date change. Kerry Morris made a motion to move it to the 2nd Saturday in April for 2012. Ed Wheeler seconded that motion. All but 2 were in favor. Motion carried.

Jim Haupt arrived in time to present Ray Groskinsky the Tournament Director of the Year award. Jim stated that he hoped this award will be continued after he is not around to be the sponsor and presenter. Jim asked to support the newsletter by subscribing to it.

Sonia Cook gave out State Championship jackets. Spring meeting will be on April 9th, at the Lake Delton Sportsman Club. A motion to adjourn was made by Mel Cook and seconded by Ed Wheeler; all were in favor. The meeting adjourned at 2:25 PM with 33 present.

Martini Sky Dive

By, Jane Smith

Early in the summer of 2010, KARE TV ran a feature for a special event to be held in Baldwin, WI on August 28. It was a "Martini skydive" for ladies over 50 years young!



I e-mailed friends and family about this event. My sister, Mary, was the only taker this summer. We registered for this event on the AgingBut-

Dangerous.com web site. This was the first event that had 106 participants, the oldest an 83 year young lady. This was her 2nd jump! We met fellow jumpers at a special gathering at the CRAVE restaurant in Minneapolis on the Thursday evening before the jump. We received our bright red T-shirts with the message "Aging But Dangerous Sky Dive" on the front. The

back recognized us as "charter" members of the Martini Skydive team. We also sampled the "Aviator Martini," a specialty for the event with snacks. It was interesting to visit with so many ladies from such varied lifestyles willing to jump from a perfectly good plane into space! The organizers plan to schedule this event in several geographic locations next year.

After the jump on Saturday (and two bottles of water), we were treated to a "Martini." We also had the opportunity to purchase a video and still shots. It is still exciting and mind boggling to watch this event! The event was witnessed by both of our husbands who already know we are NUTS! Would I do this again? Probably.



Deansville Results 10.23.2010 By Jim Haupt

Centrally located, the Deansville Horseshoe Barn should see more action. This time the tournament was limited to two classes, both on Saturday. Rudy Van Fleet and Kerry Morris have proven they will go out of

their way to model the tournament to best advantage. Give them the opportunity- play Deansville.

Class A led off with seven pitchers and the house pro, Jim Larson, well in the lead but closely followed by John Meyers of Fond

du Lac. Lo and behold, Meyers took the final game. Although Meyers called for no play-off, he and Larson settled for four shoes in which Meyer dominated.

If third place pitcher, John Garvan, Edgerton, had not given Meyers a loss, Meyers would have gone in unscathed. The Deansville Horseshoe Barn is lately decorated with the popular NHPA silhouette pitchers. Purchased this year at the World tournament, they are being made available to other interested clubs for a rental price of just \$12. Contact Jim Haupt for your

turn to use the patterns. The first tourney of the season for the Deansville Horseshoe Club became a one day affair with two classes. Jim Larson had the high game ringer % of 70%.

Class A

1st - John Meyer	6 - 1	49.6
2nd - Jim Larson	6 - 1	63.9
3rd - John Garvan	5 - 2	40.0
4th - John Gregorich	4 - 3	46.8

Class B

1st - Julio Tijerina	7 - 0	42.5
2nd - Ed Mell	5 - 2	36.8
3rd - Ron Lingard	5 - 2	33.6
4th - Mitch Littlegeorge	4 - 3	37.5



Fall Singles 10.9-10.2010

By Jim Haupt

It was the second Saturday in October when we drove up to Red's Palace, the Beloit indoor unit. Only three cars, something was amiss. Then we heard the clinks and clanks of shoes coming from the area of the outdoor courts. Sure enough, the tournament was going to go outdoors. The day became warmer, totally unseasonable. All jackets were doffed. It was perhaps the best weather of the season, although the clay had started to dry out as it does every fall, making things a little bouncy and hard to retain the stake. Certainly it was the only complaint of the otherwise fine day.

The Renley courts at Beloit run east and west, counter to the preferred north-south mode suggested for all horseshoe courts to overcome the bright rays of the sun. Complaints are few. Wear a cap when pitching Beloit to beat the bright lights. And enjoy the oak trees. The big trees look like their days are numbered, lots of bare branches up there. There's enough foliage left to shade the first four courts. Hope the Beloit boys can do something to save those oaks.

It's a sure bet that the rest of the year tournaments scheduled for Red's Palace will be indoors on the green carpet and scored by courtside computers. See you there. (Results on Page 7)

Autumn Harvest 11.6-7.2010

By Jim Haupt

What's new in Beloit? If computer scoring is old hat, then not much has changed in Beloit. But this is the first regularly scheduled tournament, to our knowledge, that has been completely scored on those laptops. One machine services two courts. The designated scorer clicks the call of the inning and the score advances. It's akin to the mechanical scoreboards except this time the completed game is sent direct to the house. Earl and Jimmy are on hand for backup and to solve any glitches along the way.

Your agent, an amateur mouse clicker from way back, finds it is advantageous to survey the display screen before clicking to make sure the machine responds in the way it is directed. That is not to say one will not use the "undo last entry" option. That could happen with any missed call or unintelligible grunts from your opponent. Another sure way to accuracy occurs if both pitchers are in tune with scoring changes. Keep your eye on the board. Forty shoes and it's all over; games seem to go faster with the lap-

tops.

Making the rounds at the Beloit Club is a year long schedule sheet with at least one tournament from each month. Five months show two events. Of special note is the scheduling of the Encore. It will be a one day event, the Saturday before Mother's Day. Another new wrinkle is the "Bring a Junior Doubles" on March 12th. It is sanctioned. Your junior partner will have to have a card, only \$5. The next day, Sunday, is a non-sanctioned "Bring a Pal Doubles." They say, "Both of these events are to help spur interest in pitching horseshoes. We hope everyone will sign up and help us promote our great sport."

Wet N Wild 8.10-12.2010

By Jane Smith

This was an exciting event beginning on Friday evening with a pot luck dinner, season awards and Juniors pitching their WNW competition. The weather was cool and windy but a good time was had by all. 64 adult pitchers competed for bragging rights at our "mini border battle." Forty-six Wisconsin pitchers had a winning record of 3.86 (3rd place). Eighteen Minnesota pitchers had a 4.7 (4th place) average. The donations for the food and beverage stand were generous so we are able to maintain our meager \$10 entry fee. We also gave free hats, t shirts, pens, journals, sticky notes, tote bags, writing tablets to winners (all participants in this tournament are WINNERS!) in drawings after each session. Two 50/50 drawings were held - one on Saturday, the second on Sunday. Class winners receive cash and subscriptions to the WHNL.

Northern Wisconsin is beautiful in the fall so we invite those of you who have not ventured north to do so in 2011. A good time and great food is guaranteed! We saw the return of Debby Bestul Halvorson, Susie Helene, and Corey Hughes to horseshoe pitching. It was also nice to see Pudge Dahl - even if he is a MN pitcher now- and Dave Schorbahn return as it has been a few years since they have visited Centuria. Dave and BJ Paul introduced several new pitchers from their Baldwin league to our tournament. Of course, we appreciate our regulars who make this tournament one of their "must attend" events. Thanks to our club for their drive and dedication to make this event successful. A special THANK YOU to Jimmy Harder for his donation of the pulled pork in memory of his mom, Judy, who passed away this summer; to Mary and Harvey Denzin for their smoked Salmon and dip; to Dave & BJ for cookies and brownies. (Results on Page 7)

Fall Singles 10.9-10.2010

By Jimmy Paulson

Class A			
Chris Hicks	4	1	52.80
Robert Schaver	4	1	52.80
Tony Scrima	4	1	51.60

Class B			
Marvin Robers	5	2	35.71
George Wronski	4.5	2.5	38.57
Bruce McLinn	4.5	2.5	33.21
John Garvan	4	3	42.50

Class C			
Tom Costa Sr.	5	2	35.71
Joel Ramsdell	5	2	30.36
Dale Grover	4	3	34.29

Class D			
Guy Modde	6	1	31.79
Ed Bonebright	5.5	1.5	27.50
Luke Champion	5	2	23.57

Class E			
Don Goers	6	1	26.79
Tom Steinke	5	2	20.36
Pat Prestidge	5	2	16.43

Class F			
Linda Roeber	5	0	19.20
Larry Nelson	4	1	13.20
Anne Miller	3	2	9.60

Log Jam Open 8.15.2010

Class A			
Randy Rein	5-0		61.2
Mark Stevens	3-2		51.6
Ivan Ruzic	3-2		46.4

Class B			
Todd Sheham	5-1		48.3
Jerry Niemuth	4-2		43.0
Ray Groskinsky	2-3		45.6

Class C			
Ralph Marthaler	5-1		37.3
Greg Hehling	4-2		34.6
Steve Wiegert	3-2		38.0

Class D			
Bernie Sopinski	5-2		32.6
Anna Schmidt	5-2		31.4
Ed Hack	5-2		30.4

Autumn Harvest 11.6-7.2010

By Jimmy Paulson

Class A			
Tony Scrima	5	1	55.83
Jesse Garza	4	2	48.75
Dan Bloom	3	3	45.00

Class F			
Don Goers	5	1	26.25
Scott Linhart	4	2	27.50
Julie Petrovski	4	2	25.42

Class B			
John Garvan	6	0	39.67
Bruce McLinn	5	1	40.83
Wayne Thornsbury	3.5	2.5	41.25

Class C			
Mike Rousseau	5	1	35.12
Walt Houck	4	2	36.67
Marvin Robers	4	2	34.71

Class D			
Gunnar David	4	1	44.00
Dale Grover	4	1	28.40
Daniel Lessman	3	2	32.80

Class E			
James Gaspers	5	1	30.42
Kevin Brekke	4	2	33.33
Jerry Shafer	4	2	25.83

Class G			
Russ Burns	5	1	30.42
Kari David	5	1	26.25
Chuck Kinney	4	2	21.25

Class H			
Pat Prestidge	4	1	26.25
Luke Champion	4	1	19.20
Roger Kitner	3	2	18.00

Class I			
Steve Nelson	5	1	18.75
Linda Roeber	4.5	1.5	18.33
Dave Carpenter	2	4	13.75

Class J			
Red Ferguson	5	0	20.50
Keith Pauley	4	2	18.33
Greg Bergles	3	3	17.08

Class K			
Kevin Aarstad	5.5	0.5	6.25
Debbie Lovatt	4	2	10.42
Jimmy Paulson	2.5	3.5	7.50

Wet N Wild 8.10-12.2010

By Jane Smith

Class A			
Gert Wilcziek	7	0	67.86
Bob Knutson	6	1	68.21
Dale Hustad	3.5	3.5	51.07

Class B			
Tory Jeske	5	2	47.50
Dick Dvorak	5	2	42.50
Todd Sheehan	5	2	38.21

Class C			
Lonny Trangsrud	7	0	47.86
Susie Helene	6	1	44.64
John Dolezel	4	3	42.86

Class D			
Kurt Jochimsen	6	1	40.36
John Garvan	5	2	38.93
Laurie Dolezel	5	2	36.43

Class E			
Dave Paul	6	1	35.71
George Eckstrom	6	1	27.86
John Olson	4	3	29.29

Class F			
Mike Zahn	5.5	1.5	26.07
Steve Wallin	5	2	28.57
Butch Ludwikowski	5	2	18.29

Class G			
Corey Hughes	7	0	36.79
Dick Hall	5	2	18.93
Mike Little	5	2	16.43

Class H			
Ray Mallo	4	1	24.00
Mark Anderson	3	2	18.80
Cindy Castellano	3	2	16.80

Class I			
Toni Sloper	6	0	30.80
Bonnie Anderson	3	3	19.33
BJ VonDoehren	3	3	8.33

Juniors			
Jenelle Larsen	4	1	8.00
Naomi Williamson	3.5	1.5	10.00
Billy VonDoehren	3	2	6.67



Aleena Cook Speech from Iowa World

Good morning everyone. I am Aleena Cook from Wisconsin. I asked Mr. Sipma, our new President, to grant me a few minutes to address you the delegates. So here goes...

Thank you, thank you, thank you for the awesome junior program. The friendships I have made across all the states and Canada are, in ways, more valuable than my classmates from high school.

As juniors, we have the opportunity to travel to a new city and state each year to compete, win trophies, earn scholarships, and rekindle friendships. Now you're probably thinking that this is all the same as the adult classes. However, the juniors are slightly different and all of you can take some credit for that.

Other than a few sanctioned leagues of all juniors, most of us are 2 or 3 in a league with all adults. I'll admit, there were some nights that I would have liked to spend it at the city pool or hanging out with my friends, but I was committed to our horseshoe league. Yes I would, on occasion, roll my eyes and say, "Let's get it over with" or "It's way too hot to pitch!" but I'm happy to report that once I got started pitching, it didn't take long and our 3 games were done.

When we sign up to pitch in the World Tournament, our excitement grows immediately. We know how much fun it will be to get together with other juniors who enjoy pitching horseshoes. Put us all together in one area and we will exhaust you just with our energy. We keep moving around the arena, stadium, or grounds. You hear laughing and see us in constantly changing groups. We are excited to rekindle and make new friendships.

Now take a good look at the juniors... Yes, there are probably a few with hyperactivity but as a group we are respectful of the adults and the grounds. What do you expect? The ratio is closer to 1 maybe 2 juniors per league and you have taught us to respect adults, competitors, the grounds, rules and our sport.

Let me give you an example. My mom and dad, along with 4 other adults, chaperoned the junior party at a sports complex in Wisconsin in 2003. It was a very fun night. The following year in Idaho, my parents and Bobby White were asked to chaperone the party again. I think there were about 30 pitchers and the 3 adults were a little skeptical. To make a long story short, we ate pizza, drank soda, and bowled, and bowled, and bowled some more for about 2 hours. The owner of the lanes explained to our chaperones that it has been a long time since he had such a large group of kids respect his alley and equipment. He was so impressed that he offered us another hour of bowling

with glow lights and black lights at no extra charge. This is just one example that proves what you adults have done for us. You taught us respect and how to be respectful.

I do realize that you too make friendships at these tournaments and you may even get together in between but I need to tell you about one of my special friendships... My cowboy--from Washington. Yancy Goodwin was a tall, dark, and handsome new friend. We immediately felt comfortable hanging out. It was after Idaho in 2004 that we wrote letters to keep in touch. I was excited when he finished his military training and his Grandmother called to say, "Yancy wants to stop in Wisconsin to see his 'Cook Girls.'"

It was 7:30 on a Thursday evening. I was finishing up my volleyball pre-game warm-up when my teammates paused to watch a good looking service man enter the gym.

He looked right at me and gave me a huge smile, much to the jealousy of my teammates. Yancy hung out with us for a couple of days then took the train home. He had a few more happy moments in life which ended too soon with an accident. The news of his death on August 12, 2008 made me realize the depth and value of my horseshoe friendships.

Many of you may have realized the same at the sudden death of Glen, the Nat Stats guy. He touched us all. Without horseshoes, I never would have met these amazing people.

One person you all know is Justin Sipma, the Jr. Promotion Director, who not very long ago was an accomplished junior pitcher. Your choosing him for this leadership role has been positive for our program. Justin can relate to our age-related situations and he is approachable by all pitchers. He truly likes the juniors and has patience for the little ones. I'm sad he couldn't make this tournament to meet the "new kids," but I'm sure he will be here next year. Thank you, officers for appointing him to this role. You made an excellent choice.

I've also had the luxury of being close to two NHPA officers in my state. Dick always has time to chat when I see him at tournaments. Lorraine truly supports me and my sisters in our accomplishments. She enjoys my achievements as if I was her own daughter. My main reason to speak to you this morning is to thank the membership for supporting the junior program. We are the future of horseshoes as you know it today.

Thank you for supporting me as a World Champion in 2006. I will treasure the memories for the rest of my life. By now you all realize that I love to talk. I challenge you to be like me and spread your love of our sport by talking about it to everyone. Thank you, Mr. Sipma, officers, and delegates. You are my horseshoe family and this is our annual family reunion. So have patience with the juniors, support their pitching, and take heart that the horseshoe pitching future is strong. Thank you.



Wisconsin State Horseshoe Championships Results From Beloit



Mens Championship

1. Randy Rein	Mosinee	6	1	62.97
2. Jim Larson	Sun Praire	4	3	55.63
3. Ken Heinritz	Menomonee Falls	4	3	53.47
4. Jeff Gustafson	Lake Geneva	4	3	52.57
5. Mark Stevens	Marengo	3	4	50.86
6. Dan Bloom	Janesville	3	4	50.30
7. John Koepp III	Pewaukee	2	5	49.07
8. John Molling	Wausau	2	5	48.45

Womens Championship

1. Pam Aiken	Oak Creek	7	0	69.83
2. Penny Steinke	Waukesha	6	1	55.95
3. Aleena Cook	Stratford	5	2	43.91
4. Laurie Dolezel	Altoona	4	3	42.28
5. Elaine Troullier	Whitelaw	3	4	39.62
6. Edie Mckinney	Luck	2	5	44.41
7. Tava Kildahl	Marshfield	1	6	35.94
8. Sonia Cook	Stratford	0	7	18.53



Elders Championship

1. Norm Gage	Milltown	6	1	56.71
2. Milt Larsen	West Allis	4	3	51.99
3. Ozz Jacobson	Fond Du Lac	4	3	50.00
4. Don Illgen	Marshall	4	3	49.36
5. Tony Scrima	Waukesha	3	4	46.89
6. Paul Wilson	Janesville	3	4	44.84
7. Ivan Ruzic	Stratford	2	5	51.08
8. Lloyd Johnson	Kenosha	2	5	50.00

Boys Championship

1. Gunnar David	Marshfield	5	0	45.05
2. Tim Lazaris	Colgate	4	1	36.86
3. Mike Lazaris	Colgate	3	2	29.72
4. Beau Davison	Centuria	2	3	22.36
5. Blake Lazaris	Colgate	1	4	19.70



Girls Championship

1. Bethany Heinritz	Pewaukee	5	0	54.79
2. Heather Feavel	Van Dyne	4	1	30.22
3. Nicole Feavel	Van Dyne	3	2	10.53
4. Christina Heinritz	Pewaukee	2	3	6.46
5. Janice Asmundsen	Merrill	1	4	7.30
6. Mary Ann Aiken	Oak Creek	0	5	5.80



Cadets Championship

1. Steven Lazaris	Colgate	6	0	13.33
2. Abby Aiken	Oak Creek	4	2	2.78
3. Alyssa Simonz	Slinger	1	5	2.78
4. Brooke Lazaris	Colgate	1	5	1.67

Wisconsin State Horseshoe Championships Results From Beloit

Mens A

1. Mark Stevens	Marengo	7	0	58.57
2. Bruce McInn	Clinton	5	2	47.14
3. Dan Bloom	Janesville	4	3	48.57
4. Ray Groskinsky	Friendship	3.5	3.5	47.14
5. John Bauer	Spooner	3	4	44.64
6. Rowen Swick	Beloit	2.5	4.5	38.93
7. Mark Mauthe	Platteville	2	5	45.71
8. Jeff Mauthe	Platteville	1	6	32.50



Mens B

1. Glenn Bogenschneider	Slinger	7	0	45.36
2. Jerry Niemuth	Rhineland	5	2	42.86
3. Todd Sheehan	Chetek	4	3	49.29
4. Les Karpel	Chetek	4	3	41.79
5. Bernard Carley	Richland Center	4	3	41.79
6. Tory Jeske	Frederic	2.5	4.5	42.50
7. Jim Tollefson	Janesville	1.5	5.5	36.43



Mens C

1. Lonny Trangsrud	Eau Claire	7	0	45.71
2. Kerry Morris	Watertown	6	1	44.33
3. John Garvan	Edgerton	4	3	38.21
4. Mike Rousseau	Beloit	3.5	3.5	35.71
5. Julian Tijerina	Madison	3	4	34.75
6. Ken Schumann	Rhineland	3	4	32.14
7. Al Huizenga	Stoughton	1	6	30.71
8. Don Goldsmith	Janesville	0.5	6.5	27.14

Mens D

1. Mitch Littlegeorge	Baraboo	6	1	34.29
2. Terry Sternberg	Richfield	4.5	2.5	42.14
3. Jim Heim	Holmen	4	3	37.14
4. John Brophy	Galesville	4	3	36.79
5. Ralph Marthaler	Medford	4	3	33.93
6. Jim Bird	Watertown	2	5	33.21
7. Russ Heinritz	Waukesha	2	5	27.50
8. Norm Beckius	Beloit	1.5	5.5	23.21



Mens E

1. Rick Weller	Baraboo	7	0	35.71
2. Dave Klipstein	Hillsboro	5	2	33.21
3. David Volz	Wonewoc	4	3	32.86
4. Randy Mitchell	Weston	4	3	31.07
5. Allen Johnson	Janesville	4	3	20.71
6. Galen Kozel	Mukwonago	2	5	23.57
7. Kevin Brekke	Edgerton	1	6	23.21
8. Bob Kallstrom	Arkansaw	1	6	22.14



Wisconsin State Horseshoe Championships Results From Beloit

Mens F

1. George Moraza	Franklin	7	1	27.81
2. Gary Volz	Marshall	6	2	33.75
3. Scott Linhart	Lake Geneva	3.5	3.5	23.57
4. Carl Schliem	Beloit	3.5	3.5	22.14
5. Joel Ramsdell	Pell Lake	3	4	29.64
6. Leo Richter	Stoughton	3	4	25.71
7. John Drexler	Stratford	3	4	24.64
8. Mike Zahn	Lomira	0	7	19.29



Mens G

1. Rich Hardt	Appleton	7	0	36.07
2. Tremaine Titus	Janesville	6	1	26.43
3. Mike Benzing Jr	Eagle River	4	3	20.36
4. Dick Hansen	Franksville	3.5	3.5	19.64
5. John Secord	Fond Du Lac	3	4	21.79
6. Jason Goldsmith	Milwaukee	2	5	23.57
7. Richard Conrad	Pewaukee	1.5	5.5	12.50
8. Tom Bird	Beloit	1	6	15.71



Mens H

1. Mel Cook	Stratford	7	1	20.63
2. Mike Lange	Burlington	6	2	21.56
3. Randy Heinritz	Pewaukee	4.5	2.5	20.71
4. Rick Borgwardt	Beloit	4	3	17.14
5. Tom Steinke	Eagle	3.5	3.5	18.57
6. Bill Titus	Janesville	2	5	20.36
7. Eddie Wisniewski	Merrill	2	5	20.00

Mens I

1. Matt Ramsdell	Pell Lake	7	0	19.29
2. David Tellier	Greenfield	4.5	2.5	17.50
3. Eugene Stevens	Burlington	3	4	18.21
4. Rich Brockway	Holmen	3	4	15.71
5. Randy White	Brooklyn	3	4	14.29
6. Gene Satterstrom	Madison	3	4	14.29
7. Dick Poff	Beloit	2.5	4.5	13.93
8. Greg Bergles	Union Grove	2	5	18.21



Mens J

1. Craig David	Marshfield	6	1	16.79
2. Mike Berdan	Auburndale	5.5	1.5	20.14
3. David Palmersheim	Franksville	5	2	25.00
4. Mark Gagnon	Eau Claire	4	3	14.29
5. Don Peroutka	Pleasant Prairie	3.5	3.5	19.06
6. Jerry Kochman	Kenosha	2.5	4.5	9.64
7. Curt Novinski	Platteville	1.5	5.5	8.21
8. Jimmy Paulson	Delavan	0	7	5.71

Wisconsin State Horseshoe Championships Results From Beloit

Womens A

1. Tava Kildahl	Marshfield	7	0	41.43
2. Laurie Dolezel	Altoona	5.5	1.5	37.86
3. Debby Schell-Kotnik	Muskego	5	2	38.57
4. Sonia Cook	Stratford	4.5	2.5	28.93
5. Gloria Smith	Milltown	3	4	22.50
6. Cecelia Trossen	Mountain	2	5	20.71
7. Karen Henkel	Muskego	1	6	20.71
8. Tricia-Ryan Tellier	Greenfield	0	7	18.21



Womens B

1. Kari David	Marshfield	5	0	33.20
2. Lisa White	Brooklyn	3.5	1.5	16.40
3. Rondi Mengelt	Beloit	3	2	24.40
4. Joanna Hollenback	Baraboo	2	3	21.60
5. Julie Paulson	Delavan	1	4	6.00
6. Linda Wisniewski	Merrill	0.5	4.5	6.00

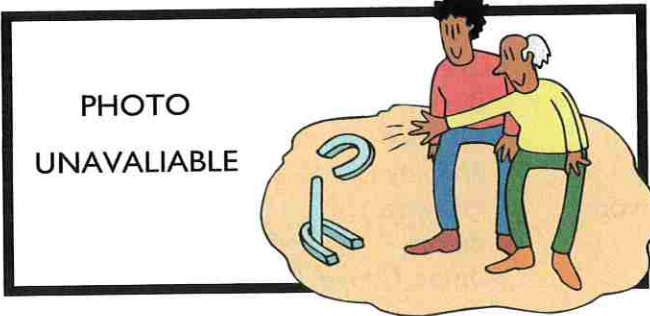


Elders A

1. Don Illgen	Marshall	5	0	50.40
2. Jim O'Loughlin	Adams	4	1	40.40
3. Wayne Lemar	Lacrosse	3	2	46.80
4. John Dolezel	Eau Claire	2	3	42.40
5. Jerry Schroeder Sr	Oxford	1	4	40.00
6. Dave Ninnemann	St Croix Falls	0	5	41.20

Elders B

1. Dorald Robinson	Whitewater	5	1	43.71
2. Ed Mell	Sun Praire	4	2	40.00
3. John Gregorich	Wauwaukee	3	2	36.11
4. John Brugger	Platteville	3	2	31.60
5. Earl Paulson	Beloit	1	4	28.00
6. Jim Haupt	Milwaukee	0	5	20.00



Elders C

1. George Eckstrom	Gilman	4.5	0.5	32.00
2. Wayne Franzen	Franklin	4	1	36.40
3. Ray Lopez	Cudahy	3.5	1.5	35.60
4. Gary Schmitz	Cleveland	2	3	24.40
5. Russ Burns	Janesville	1	4	17.20
6. Cliff Troullier	Whitelaw	0	5	17.20

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- Upcoming events (RD, staff)
- Listing of WHNL staff, writing credits, officer contact information
- President's column (WHPA President)

Introducing.... 2010 New WHPA Members

This is a new section to our Wisconsin Horseshoe Newsletter (WHNL.) The Wisconsin Horseshoe Pitching Association (WHPA) is purchasing and sending one issue to each WHPA new member. This is an award winning publication and in our humble opinion – the best horseshoe newsletter published. The WHNL is the best way to gain knowledge about horseshoe pitching in Wisconsin from tournament listings and results, to by law and constitution change suggestions, to special columns by our President, Chaplain, to articles about horseshoe people, places and things.

This year we are welcoming over 50 new WHPA members: Janice Amundsen, Cathy Amundsen, Tom Behrs, Michale Benzing Jr., Jacob Brunette, Richard Bryant, Marlys Ericson, Stan Fox, Matt Gent, Geoff Groshek, Jake Hansen, Maddy Hansen, Rich Hardt, Kyle Hera, Bob Kubly, Greg Kulis, Christa McMahon, Terra McMahon, Nathan McMahon, Riley McMahon, Larry Nelson, Michelle Plaisance, Kenny Rentz, Doral

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At this point, several of them have become subscribers! Division breakdowns run: Cadets – 5; Junior Girls – 5; Junior Boys – 6; Women – 9; Men – 27; and Elders – 2. It has been my pleasure to have met some of these fine people at tournaments throughout the state. Welcome to a very fine horseshoe family. Friendships formed on the courts are sincere and life long. Feel free to contact any officer or tournament director to answer questions.



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Newsletter Update

The WHNL staff met before the Fall Sate Meeting. There are several problems facing the staff. The WHNL is strictly a volunteer effort using the skills and talents of our WHPA members. Life is busy for everyone. Both Pam and Jimmy have found their lives ultra busy. Ed Wheeler offered to help with submissions. Jim and Jane are learning the publisher program. What we need is someone who loves to work on the computer and either has experience or wants to learn a new program.

We are in desperate need of a "layout" editor. WHPA members have been great at sharing articles with our editors. We have good information but need help in getting the WHNL published and out to the subscribers. Jimmy has already given his notice that he wants to limit his involvement to publishing the final copy for this year (2011). By 2012, he wants to completely remove himself from WHNL obligations. He has saved the last WHNL issue but is frustrated with the deadlines not being met.

All WHNL subscribers have been given two months onto their subscriptions as only 4 issues were published this year. The staff appreciates your tolerance and patience in receiving the WHNL. If you have a hidden talent and want to be "actively" involved in helping promote horseshoes in Wisconsin, feel free to offer your skills to the WHNL staff. Wishing you all a Happy Holiday season and a Healthy New Year!



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