

HOLIDAY GREETINGS FROM NEWSLETTER STAFF

Thanksgiving will be here soon and accordingly we would like to thank our growing family of readers, contributors and subscribers. Our mailing list is 250 plus and we are looking forward to a reduced printing rate when we have 300 subscribers. A few of you have answered our request for advertisements, of course we need more sustaining ads but we are thankful for those we have.

You can help. We need sales people (no experience necessary) to promote our newsletter and lower its cost. This can be accomplished by advertisements from any business place that would benefit from state-wide representation. Drop us a line; we want to help you get started. Another way to promote the newsletter would be through gift subscriptions. We will appropriately acknowledge Christmas gift subscriptions at your request. New subscriptions or extended subscriptions for same low price of four dollars. You can say "Merry Christmas" to the recipient, to the sport of horseshoes and to us all in the same motion.

Have you considered using the newsletter to officially honor a club member? His or her achievement could be announced to the entire state in the form of a business card sized ad for only six dollars. Help us too!

The newsletter is now on its off season. Our next issue will be published near the end of the year or early January. Don't forget the indoor season at the Palace, where the wind never blows. Ordinarily there are two tournaments per month. See schedule on back page advertisement.

FROM NHPA PRESIDENT  
DAVE LOUCKS, GRASS VALLEY, CALIFORNIA

Your newsletter has come a long way in just five months. I am really impressed with the content and layout. With the 1987 World Tournament scheduled for Eau Claire, you will certainly see the current 250 subscribers grow, Perhaps even double.

The entire NHPA is looking forward to Eau Claire. This will be a vast improvement in

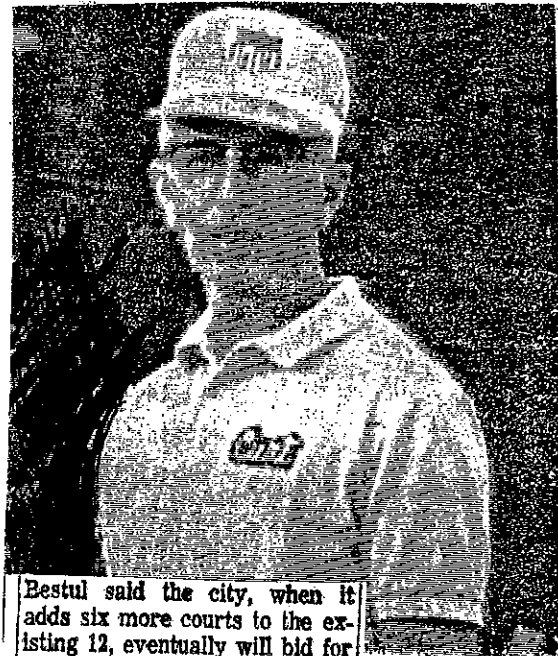
facilities and pitching conditions which all the pitchers will appreciate. Having 32 courts will help us in scheduling though with perhaps a record number of entries, we will be just as busy as ever. I know Curt Bestul, his support staff, you and the rest of the Wisconsin members, will be doing all possible to make this the best World Tournament ever. I can assure you that the NHPA Executive Council will do our utmost to reach this goal. I believe our sport is on the brink of becoming a recognizable face in the world of sports. Eau Claire may just become the start of something big for the sport of horseshoe pitching.

FROM FORESIGHT TO REALITY 1967-1987

# LEADER TELEGRAM

EAU CLAIRE, WIS.

August 25, 1967



Bestul said the city, when it adds six more courts to the existing 12, eventually will bid for the national tournament, an event that brings an estimated \$150,000-\$200,000 into the host community.

Above, newspaper reprint of 20 years past.

CLAY DAY

One Saturday in October, volunteers descended upon the grounds of the Pitchin' Palace, Sturtevant, for clay day. It was out with the old stuff and in with the new clay in just one day.

The guys from Beloit came early to claim and remove the old clay. They dug, hauled and loaded pickups and trailers with the brown clay. Harold Laws and the Beloit crew stayed long enough to remove the stakes, lumber and all. But they had a job to do, so it was off to Beloit and presumably their own courts.

The "in crew", all area volunteers, stayed on to bring in the new clay. Out in the lot there was a 12 cube yard pile of dry powdered shale, trucked from Chenoa, Illinois at great expense. Now it remained to be screened, mixed and blended with water and wheeled into the empty pits. It was amazing how much of the shale rolled off the screen as rock hard lumps. The mud mixer provided and operated by Brian and Jeff Statema alternately mixed loads of coarse and fines. The coarse, dubbed H.S., was used to fill the bowels of the pit; fines filled the top 4 to 6 inches. This was no small task and those guys' behinds were dragging but they stayed on.

Meanwhile, Len Meistad, masterminded making new stakes anchored in oak timbers. Joe Heibling was part of that assembly line. Ray Billens set the stake units to exacting dimensions. And the screeners, mixers and wheelers kept on truckin'.

Conspicuous by their absence, were the regular pitchers at the Palace. Only a few members of the almost defunct Pitchin' Palace Horseshoe Association were there, working. Horseshoes even as a business needs lots of volunteer labor. The key to the success of this operation was the organization, logistic planning, the ability to get volunteers, exhibited by Tom Roanhouse, Pitchin' Palace owner. (His behind was dragging too.)

The day wore on till eight that night before all the pits were full. Some of the young guys spun gravel as they left to go home

to shower; there was a party somewhere. Others put the new clay to use. And CLAY it is. Absolutely the finest pitching clay I have ever seen. All leagues at the Pitchin' Palace now turn their courts once a night. We can expect the courts to be the best in the state.

Last seen, Roanhouse, looking a little bedraggled, was paying off his help with pizza, beer and B.S. at the bar amid the mud, dust and clutter of one great clay day.

CURT BESTUL GOES FISHING

The Eau Claire Club needs some more backstop material for additional indoor courts. Industrial belting 16 to 20 inches wide and about ½ inch thick would work nicely. Write to Curt Bestul, 1412 Sherwin Avenue, Eau Claire, WI 54701 if you know of a source for this material.

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EAGLE OPEN - AUGUST 1, 2, 3 - 166 PITCHERS

T.D., Fred Zeilstra, reports that all the ladies who won 1st place were undefeated. Good shooting! Class N was tight; they pitched through a 5-way playoff. Norm Mauthe won the high ringer game with 74%. Trenton View sponsored the award again. Does anybody besides Steve Koehn win Class A?

Class A - 1st Steve Koehn, Eagle, 56.2%; 2nd Roger Ehlers, Hoffman Estates, 56.9%  
 Class B - 1st Norman Kuen, Lomira, 54.2%; 2nd Dennis Ambuehl, Oconomowoc, 47.4%  
 Class C - 1st Richard Wisniewski, Arlington Hts, 52.8%; 2nd John Hansen, Franksville, 43.5%  
 Class D - 1st Warren Knippel, Waukesha, 42.8%; 2nd Francis Fogel, Platteville, 42.5%  
 Class E - 1st Chuck Hansen, Union Grove, 40.0%; 2nd Duey Valle, Brownsville, 45.7%  
 Class F - 1st Red Lovald, Muskego, 35.3%; 2nd Chuck Koehn, Eagle, 34.6%  
 Class G - 1st Bob Kabella, Greenfield, 34.2%; 2nd Myron Paulson, Beloit, 36.4%  
 Class H - 1st Tony Scrima, Pewaukee, 32.5%; 2nd Ed Abenproth, Milwaukee, 36.0%  
 Class I - 1st Roy Schultz, Burlington, 29.2%; 2nd Dave Sanders, Pewaukee, 27.1%  
 Class J - 1st Don Woerth, Edgerton, 32.6%; 2nd Allan Traber, Burlington, 31.5%  
 Class K - 1st Scott Sekeres, Burlington, 31.0%; 2nd Bob Erb, Cudahy, 21.0%  
 Class L - 1st Dick Engmann, Marshfield, 41.0%; 2nd Jeff Kramer, Germantown, 32.1%  
 Class M - 1st John Krueger, Hartford, 20.7%; 2nd Jerome Weis, Janesville, 21.4%  
 Class N - 1st Dennis Wolken, Muskego, 20.7%; 2nd Richard Conrad, Pewaukee, 22.5%  
 Class O - 1st Ken McCaffrey, Whitewater, 27.5%; 2nd Dale Haydock, Menomonee Falls, 18.5%  
 Class P - 1st Wayne Fry, Beloit, 14.8%; 2nd Robert McGavock, New Berlin, 20.0%  
 Class Q - 1st Adam Stark, Eagle, 15.7%; 2nd Terry Schilz, Burlington, 20.0%  
 Class A Women - 1st Gerri Meistad, Racine, 48.9%; 2nd Carla McFarland, Wind Lake, 37.5%  
 Class B Women - 1st Lenoria Warner, Rockford, 32.0%; 2nd Sheri Krueger, Hartford, 23.7%  
 Class C Women - 1st Jody Thurow, Eagle, 21.4%; 2nd Marge Taylor, Big Bend, 20.3%

ANOTHER LABOR DAY TOURNAMENT

BY HARLEN HOFFBECK

A highlight of the Portage County Fair at Rosholt was the return of Harold Bestul, former Wisconsin State Horseshoe Champion, to tournament competition. Harold teamed with his son, Tom, to win the Class A two-man team championship pitching 50%. Second place was won by Martin Firkus, Plover and Chet Ogiba, Mosinee. Other division winners were: Class B - 1st place, Gary and Hubert Klesmith, Ellis, 36%; 2nd place was won by David Dahms, Custer and Ron Henke, Wisconsin Rapids. Class C - 1st place, Dave Torrey, Amherst and Steve Cieslewicz, Custer, 30% ringers. 2nd place was Tony Trzebiatowski Sr., Amherst and Ron Heck, Stevens Point. Class D - 1st place, Duane Dobbe and Jeff Kosloske, Rosholt, 33%; 2nd place was Robert Engum, Whiting and John Jankovich, Stevens Point.

On Saturday the juniors and women competed in singles competition. The juniors Class A was won by Steve Zblewski, Rosholt; 2nd

place, Todd Hoffbeck, Custer. The junior Class B was won by Joseph Keske, East Bethel, Minnesota and Lori Ledkey, Weyauwega. The women's division was won by Nancy Trzebiatowski, Rosholt 2nd place was Sally Kubash, Milwaukee.

The Portage County 6-man team championship was held on Monday. 1st place was won by Sandy's Bar, Plover, who went undefeated in the round-robin tournament. Members of the team are Jerry Woyak, Russ Zimmermann, Gene Moss, Rich Pollum, Martin Firkus and Chet Ogiba. 2nd place was Orly and Dawn's; 3rd place was Knight Kap; 4th place was C &Gs.

CAN YOU TOP THIS

I will challenge any other county in the state to take title to having the most people pitching horseshoes on one night. All the Portage county leagues pitch on the same night. We have 46 6-man teams, 276 pitchers.

JANESVILLE MOOSE OPEN - SEPTEMBER 5, 6, 7 - 103 PITCHERS

Whatever your placement in this tournament, it's worth the entry just to read Greg Rierson's tournament Hi Lites.

From the text: (reprinted without permission). From sun-screen to long-johns, utter disgust to thorough satisfaction, sorrowful apologies to continuous congratulations--that's what a difference a year makes. Gorgeous weather, just enough good help, and understanding participants made this year's Moose Open a tremendous success.

Another gem - Class H stood for Harold and it was good to see our old buddy from Beloit take 1st place. He had to beat Harley in a playoff to claim it, too. Harley's 38% was his best in recent tournaments, but you have to let these young guys win once in a while, too, or they'll get discouraged and won't want to play with you old pros. Ron Ramquist did a fine job at 4-2, 32.3 to place 3rd.

- Class A - 3-way playoff; 1st Harry Price, Dubuque, Ia, 68.9%; 2nd Carl Turman, Rockford, Il, 60.3%; 3rd Norm Mauthe, Platteville, 60.0%
- Class B - 1st Pat Prestidge, Elgin, Il, 56.9%; 2nd Jim Haupt, Milwaukee, 49.1%
- Class C - 1st Mike Dahl, Stoughton, 55.1%; 2nd Rich Wisniewski, Arlington Hts., Il, 53.8%
- Class D - 1st Jerry Nordlee, Janesville, 45.7%; 2nd Tom Cutts, Janesville, 41.7%
- Class E - 1st Rev. Myron Schwanke, Milton, 39.7%; 2nd Pete Johnson, Edgerton, 34.0%
- Class F - 1st Dale Bloom, Gilmanton, 38.9%; 2nd Paul Wilson, Janesville, 41.1%
- Class G - 1st Rudy Stark, Eagle, 36.7%; 2nd Dave Klipstein, Janesville, 37.1%
- Class H - 1st Harold Laws, Beloit, 31.0%; 2nd Harley Wickingson, Whitewater, 38.0%
- Class I - 1st Dave Martin, Janesville, 38.8%; 2nd LaVern Richard, Hazel Green, 36.7%
- Class J - 1st Sterling Martin, Janesville, 31.3%; 2nd Bill Dakley, Beloit, 26.0%
- Class K - 1st Rex Harper, Roscoe, Il, 21.4%; 2nd Jerome Weis, Janesville, 28.6%
- Class L - 1st Glen Gottman, Franklin Park, Il, 20.8%; 2nd Wayne Fry, Roscoe, Il, 20.0%
- Class A Women - 1st Linda Olander, 42.6%; 2nd Dee Stage, Edgerton, 34.9%

CLOSE DOESN'T COUNT OPEN - SEPTEMBER 14 - 45 PITCHERS

BY JANE SMITH

The Close Doesn't Count league hosted their first 50 shoe cancellation tournament. The tournament was to be a dry run in preparation for the state scheduled tournament next year. We literally got our feet wet as Class C & D finished their games in a down pour. Class E & F finished their games on schedule with no rain or weather problems to contend with. Class A & B were not as fortunate. They were scheduled to return the following Sunday, however, it was raining. As we had pitchers from Eau Claire, Stillwater and Minneapolis scheduled, we cancelled the remainder of the tournament.

Aside from the weather, we had no problems we were not able to handle. As usual, there were the few who were unable to pitch as scheduled but replacements were found. The pits were sand so were able to hold a great deal of water. It was so wet that it almost seemed as though pitchers were pitching on clay. We used the small profit from the tournament to help cover the costs for our own score boards for future tournaments. Don and Ida Hostrup have done a great job in making these boards. They had one at the tournament for all to see. Our thanks to the Eau Claire Club for letting us borrow their score boards and as a pattern for our boards.

We feel the tournament was a success and are looking forward to next years tournament to be held in September. We would like to thank all those who entered and supported our "dry run".

- Class E - 1st Sue Edenloff, Circle Pines, 39.3%; 2nd Bill Bunting, Hopkins, 37.0%
- Class F - 1st Ron Olson, Boyceville, 26.0%; 2nd Brenda Wistrom, Dresser, 25.0%
- Class C - 1st Gloria Fisher, Osceola, 43.6%; 2nd Dave Johnson, Marine, 48.4%
- Class D - 1st Nina Vold, Centuria, 36.8%; 2nd Sam Satonica, Owen, 34.2%

VFW COMBINED LOCKS DOUBLES SEPTEMBER 5, 6 - 25 TEAMS

It's a different game, doubles. It tests your ability to maintain rhythm and continuity while you wait for the other pitchers. But it's a fun game. T.D. Don Navarrete added to the fun by paying all places at the Kovered Kourts this weekend. Put this tournament on your list for next year. That is, if you want to have some fun.

Class A - 1st Joe Gerritts & Dave Leintz, 53.5%; 2nd Roger Poutanen & Mike Wiekert, 47.5%  
 Class B - 1st Frank Warmbrum & Don Wagner, 31.2%; 2nd Ken Jaeger & Harlen Hoffbeck, 29.1%  
 Class C - 1st Dan & Joe Van Cuyk, 31.5%; 2nd Tim Mulry & Roy Siegel, 22.5%  
 Class D - 1st Don Navarrete & Mike Delfosse, 17.2%; 2nd Bob & Mark Demerath, 18.7%

TRENTON VIEW SPORTS JAMBOREE - SEPTEMBER 12, 13, 14 - 76 PITCHERS

Wet Bend, Wis. and was it ever! Friday's matches were deferred due to high water. Saturday was squishy underfoot and Sunday's wetness was the overhead variety, but the Jamboree went on. T.D. Carl Shade asks, "How do you thank a group of men and women horseshoe players who pitch in the rain with blankets over the pits...and scorekeepers covered in plastic?"

Class A & B originally scheduled as a 24 man event had to be augmented with 2 pacers to bring the final number of entries to 12 men. The 12 were then divided into two equal groups (still mixed A & B) Each group played a six man round robin using the count-all score system. Wins and losses were not a factor except, if the winner scored over 100 points, he received 5 additional points. Based on the total points the groups were divided into A and B for a ladder finish similar to a Pro Bowling Tournament. High man sits out while #6 and #5 pitch; winner pitches #4, that winner pitches #3 and so on Wayne Franzen, came from next to last in Class B and walked all the way up the ladder winning all 5 matches and \$100 for first place in Class B.

Leon Uhl prevailed as number one in the qualifying round and the ladder round. He won two one hundred dollar bills and immediately asked for change. Where upon he tipped his scorekeeper, "Wet Harry", ten dollars and made a gift of fifty dollars to the Junior Scholarship Fund.

As Carl Shade stated, we can expect to see this type of format at the next Trenton View outing in June of '87.

Class A - 1st Leon Uhl, Sheboygan, 52.8%; 2nd Hank Schwartz, Random Lake, 48.4%  
 Class B - 1st Wayne Franzen, Franklin, 19.6%; 2nd Charley Christoplis, Sheboygan, 38.4%  
 Class C - 1st Glen Bogenschneider, Kenosha, 43.6%; 2nd John Burri, Praire du Chien, 34.8%  
 Class D - 1st Harry Jandt, West Bend, 17.5%; 2nd Lloyd Rouse, Oconto Falls, 21.0%  
 Class E - 1st Harold Patton, West Bend, 27.6%; 2nd Gil Genke, Mountain, 26.8%  
 Class F - 1st Richard Lloyd, Kewaskum, 21.2%; 2nd Dan Hoyer, Hartford, 8.8%  
 Class G - 1st Danny Johnson, Wallace Lake, 26.5%; 2nd Jim Hammen, West Bend, 23.0%  
 Class H - 1st David Fritsche, West Bend, 16.0%; 2nd George Saeger, Sheboygan, 18.0%  
 Class I - 1st Harlen Laird, Trenton, 11.5%; 2nd Peter Vogelsang, West Bend, 10.5%  
 Class J - 1st Ray Rohde, Milwaukee, 3.7%; 2nd Jim Volesky, West Bend, 13.7%  
 Class K - 1st Roger Kessler, West Bend, 6.8%; 2nd Roger Steinbring, West Bend, 8.1%  
 Class B Women - 1st Rose Vogelsang, West Bend, 13.6%; 2nd Sally Kubash, Milwaukee, 18.0%  
 Class C Women - 1st Carol Fell, Kewaskum, 4.3%; 2nd Dawn Thiel, West Bend, 4.3%  
 Class D Women - 1st Laura Devalk, Milwaukee, 8.5%; 2nd Sandra Stricker, Newburg, 1.5%

Percentages were down, games were close; but the rain didn't stop these hardy folks from playing the game they love!!!

1987 WORLD HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT

July 26 - August 7, 1987

APPLICATION FOR HOUSING ACCOMMODATIONS

PLEASE NOTE:

The Housing Committee will make hotel assignments upon receipt of this official housing application, provided that this application is properly completed. All rooms are assigned on a "first come - first serve" basis. If the committee is unable to honor your choices of hotels, it will select accommodations that are closest to your choice. All requests submitted must be on this form. Do not contact hotel individually. They will not accept any direct reservations. Cut-off date for reservation requests is July 10, 1987.

Mail To: 1987 WHT Housing
Eau Claire Area Convention and Tourism Bureau
2127 Brackett Avenue
Eau Claire, WI 54701

CAMPING SELECTION:

Please indicate your site preference below. A \$20.00 deposit must be included or your credit card indicated in order to guarantee your site reservation. 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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ARRIVAL DATE: ARRIVAL TIME: DEPARTURE DATE:

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First Choice Hotel Second Choice Hotel

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PLEASE SAVE

This housing information will only appear in this issue so it is important that you keep it if you do not use it now.

Also, there may be others who did not receive it and will be asking for information later.

The motels are receiving requests for reservations already. We would suggest making arrangements as soon as possible to have the best chance of getting the motel or campsite of your choice.

AIRLINE INFO

The recent merger of the REPUBLIC AIRLINE and NORTHWEST AIRLINE will have no effect on the special rates that were advertised by Republic for the World Tournament. The same form and code number will be honored by Northwest.

1987 WORLD HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT HOUSING  
EAU CLAIRE, WISCONSIN

ESTABLISHMENT	SINGLE	DOUBLE
Antlers Motel	\$30 - \$38	\$38 - \$40
Badger Motel	\$24	\$26 (1 bed, 2 people)
Hwy 53 Near Shopko		\$28 (2 beds, 2 people)
Chippewa Falls		\$35 (2 beds, 4 people)
Weekly rates available		
Best Western		
White House Motel	\$40	\$40 (\$5 each add. Person)
Civic Center Inn		
*Headquarters Hotel	\$42	\$44 (1 bed, 2 people)
		\$47 (2 beds, 2 people)
Eau Claire Motel	\$25	\$26 (1 bed, 2 people)
		\$32 ( 2 beds, 2 people)
		\$37 (2 beds; 4 people)
Evenox Motel	\$25	\$28 (1 bed, 2 people)
		\$32 (2 beds, 2 people)
		\$36 (2 beds, 4 people)
Excel Inn	\$26.50	\$37.50
Garton's Motel	\$22	\$26 (1 bed, 2 people)
Weekly rates available		\$30 (2 beds, 2 people)
Heritage Motel	\$22	\$26 (1 bed, 2 people)
		\$30 (2 bed, 2 people)
Holiday inn	\$42	\$47
Howard Johnson's	\$34	\$44 (1 bed, 2 people)
		\$47 (2 beds)
Maple Manor	\$29	\$31 (1 bed, 2 people)
		\$34 (2 beds, 2 people)
Midway Motor Lodge	\$42	\$47
Ramada Inn	\$39	\$39 (1-4 people)
Roadstar Inn	\$29	\$36 (2 people)
		(\$3 each add. person)
Super 8 Motel	\$27	\$31 (1 bed, 2 people)
		\$35 (2 beds, 2 people)
Westgate Motel	\$31.50	\$35
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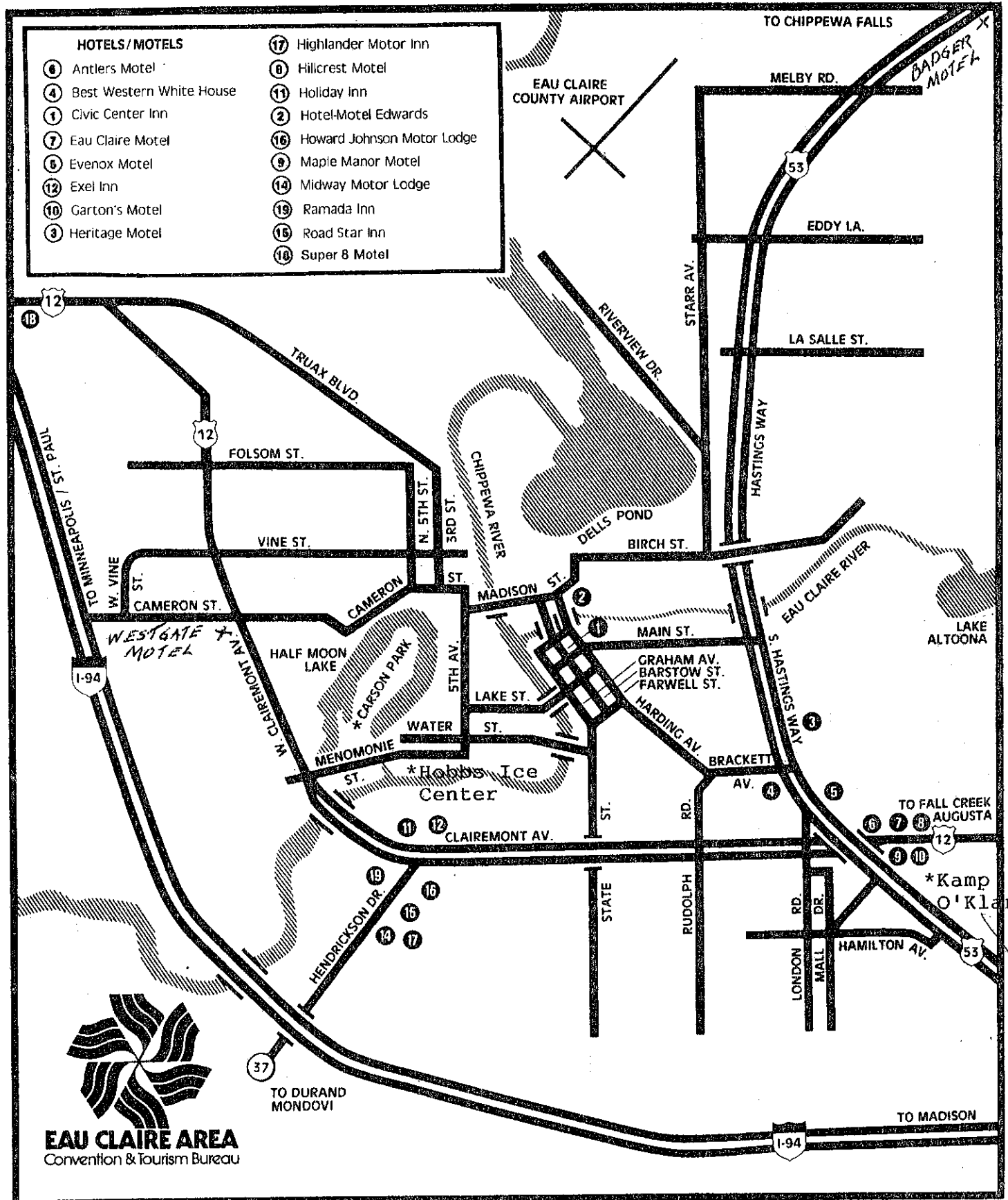
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Kamp O'Klare	\$9.50	\$10.75
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Entry fees for the "Homer" tournaments will be \$12 per team. A "Homer" tournament is a doubles, round robin tournament based on 80 percent handicap. Doubles teams are placed in classes and the class winners playoff for Tournament championship. Money prizes, 40 percent of entry fees for first place; 20 percent for second and 10 percent for third.

**DISCOUNT TOURNAMENTS-**  
Eight-person round robin tournament, \$5 entry fee. Keep your own score. (We will provide special score sheets). Two prizes: \$22 for first and \$10 for second.

**Sat. and Sun., Oct. 4-5**  
Discount Tournament-Deadline,  
Friday, Sept. 26.

**Sat., Oct. 18** Homer Tournament. Deadline  
12:30 p.m. same day.  
**Sat. and Sun., Nov. 7-8**  
Hall of Fame Tournament.  
Ceremony for Hall of Fame inductees  
on Sunday afternoon. Entry fee \$15,  
deadline Fri., Oct. 31

**Sat., Nov. 22** Homer Tournament. Deadline,  
12:30 p.m. same day.

**Sat. and Sun., Dec. 6-7**  
Discount Tournament. Deadline  
Friday, Nov. 28.

**Sat., Dec. 20** Homer Tournament. Deadline  
12:30 p.m. sameday.

**Sat. and Sun., Jan. 3-4**  
Discount Tournament. Deadline  
Fri., Dec. 26.

**Sat., Jan. 17** Homer Tournament. Deadline  
12:30 p.m. same day.

**Sat. and Sun., Jan 31 Feb. 1**  
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Discount tournament. Deadline  
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**Sat., March 21**  
Homer tournament. Deadline  
12:30 p.m. same day.

**Sat. and Sun., April 4-5**  
Bentley Open. \$300 purse com-  
pliments to Bentley Welding, our  
neighbor in front of the Pitchin'  
Palace, deadline Fri., Mar. 25.

**Sat. April 18** Homer Tournament, Deadline  
12:30 p.m. same day.

**Sat. and Sun. May 2-3**  
Summer Circuit Tournament,  
deadline Friday, April 24.

Send all entries to **PITCHIN' PALACE**  
or to Tournament Director Richard  
Hansen, 3085 S. 76th Street,  
Franksville, WI 53126, 414-835-1321.

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