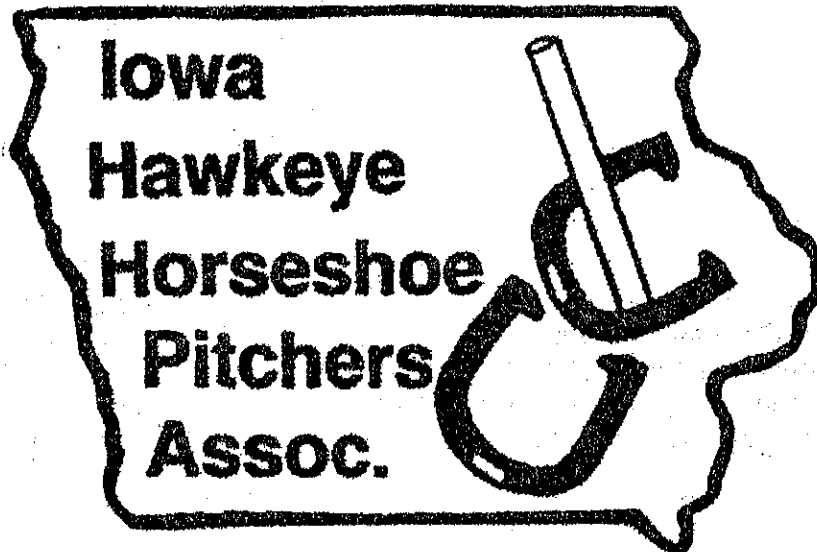


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March 13 & 14 - Eldora Indoor

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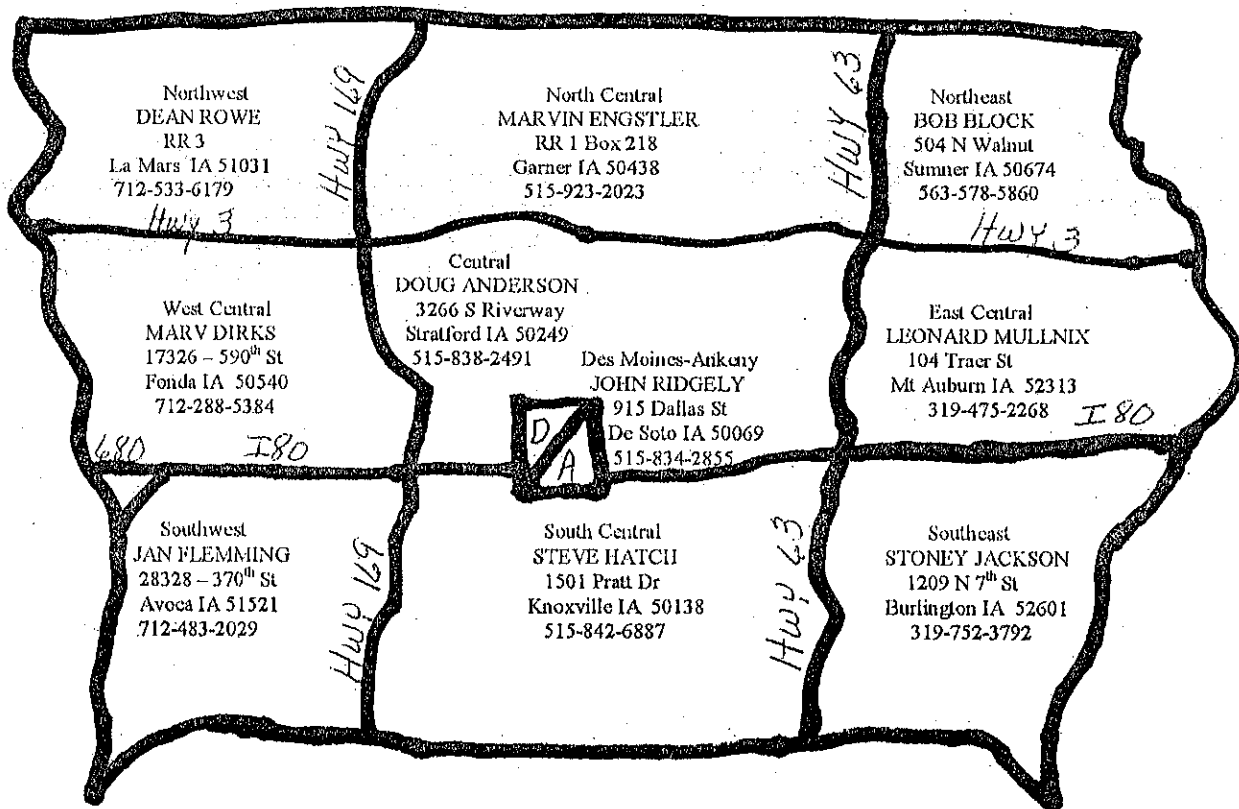
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**THIS IS YOUR LAST NEWSLETTER
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HAPPY NEW YEAR! Hear we are in a new year and as usual we have the same old problem. We need more members. If anyone has any new ideas on how to get more people interested in joining the IHHPA, let me know. We can publish those ideas in the Newsletter so everyone can try them. I still believe one of the best ways is through the Iowa Games. Talk your friends and neighbors into playing in the Iowa Games this year. Another good way is through the Iowa State Fair. Several people have joined the association after playing in the Open Classes at the Iowa State Fair. So be sure you let everyone know that you don't have to be a member to play in one of the many Open Classes at the State Fair. Word of mouth has always been one of the best forms of publicity. Another thought would be to buy a friend a subscription to the IHHPA Newsletter or the NHPA Newslite. The Newsletter is only \$8.00 a year and the Newslite is \$12.00 a year. In reading the Newsletter your friends will see what fun we have for the year. You could also buy a Newsletter subscription for your local library or if you do not keep yours, give it to the Library instead of throwing it away. Those are just a few of my ideas. Let me hear some of yours.

Be sure to read LeRoy Law's article on publishing results. If we bombard the local newspapers with results, maybe we will get "results".

Hope everyone has lots of ringers this year.
 Don Wilson, President



*****THIS & THAT-AND A LOT MORE*****

Howdy!

Just a short note. I just finished reading the NHPA Newsline. The article, HORSESHOE PITCHING MEMORIES, written by Danny Sease, was a piece well done. He should be commended for it. It is always a thrill to read something about Iowa and it's rich treasure of pitchers, past and present. Of course it doesn't hurt to let the rest of the pitching world know that it's not just tall corn we grow, but some darn tall horseshoe pitchers too. Iowa can be PROUD.

Al Fisher, Ingram, TX

I wish to send a big Thank You out to everyone for their thoughts, prayers, cards and well wishes during my recent illness.

I am feeling much better and hope to see everyone on the courts soon.

Phyllis Von Thun

Just wondering how many would be interested in getting together on a Saturday night when there is a Saturday/Sunday tournament at the same place. Like Eldora. We could go somewhere to eat together then play 500. Let myself or Mic know if you are interested.

Roger Gaulke

Iowa Hawkeye Horseshoe Pitchers Association



Bob Walters supplied me with E-Mail addresses for Ames, Burlington, Cedar Rapids, Des Moines, Dubuque Iowa Falls, Mason City and Mt Pleasant, Local Newspapers (SPORTS)

Pat Simon wrote up a nice news story about the first Indoor Tournament at Eldora. I had e-mailed him the results and he attached the results to his news release along with a picture of the courts. He sent this to me, and I forwarded this news release to the above papers. Pat had already sent it to the Waterloo paper. (so far they have not printed it or a portion of it.)

It will be easy for us to send the results of each Eldora Tournament (or others) since we have the e-mail addresses. If you would look for your sports department's e-mail address in your local paper, I will add it to the ones I have.

We will probably not be able to get all of them to print anything about horseshoes, but if we get one or two we may be able to let the public know there are horseshoe Tournaments in Iowa and find horseshoe pitchers who would like to get involved.

We have nothing to lose by trying.

LeRoy Law

Note from the Editor-----

Just a reminder that this will be your last Newsletter until you purchase you 2004 sanction card. You do need your new card to play at Eldora. Be sure to send your money to Dave Sidles at his current address. (address on the front of your Newsletter.)

Some news that I think is real exciting, the NHPA Website now has the capability of giving you a list of all your tournaments for the past year. This is under your name, under Natstats, Individual. It lists the date, tournament name, ringers, shoes, day's percentage and your over-all percentage. If you have any questions about why your percentage is where it is, just look at this list and you can see. If you don't have a computer or access to one, I will be glad to print it off and mail it to you.

Mic

Iowa State Fair 2004

This year the Iowa State Fair will be 150 years old.

Horseshoe pitchers of Iowa will honor the players from Iowa who have been elected to The National Horseshoe Pitchers Hall of Fame during the 2004 Iowa State Fair.

These players are the following:

Elected as a charter member 1966: Frank Jackson (to be honored 8-12-04 a.m.)

Elected in 1967: Guy Zimmerman (to be honored 8-12-04 p.m.)

Elected in 1967: Putt Mossman (to be honored 8-13-04 p.m.)

Elected in 1971: Leland Mortensen (to be honored 8-16-04 p.m.)

Elected in 1973 Dale Dixon (to be honored 8-14-04 p.m.)

Elected in 1978 Glen Henton (to be honored 8-18-04 p.m.)

Elected in 1978 Frank Lundin (to be honored 8-19-04 p.m.)

Elected in 1982 John Paxton (to be honored 8-17-04 p.m.)

Elected in 1989 Marion Lange (to be honored 8-20-04 p.m.)

Elected in 1994 Harold Darnold (to be honored 8-21-04 p.m.)

Elected in 1995 Kevin Cone (to be honored 8-15-04 a.m.)

Elected in 1996 Lucille Hopkins (to be honored 8-19-04 p.m.)

We will announce their success stories and hopefully have pictures of them for everyone to see. For those still alive we will invite to attend. Please if you have any stories or pictures of these persons let me know. We would like to gather all we can about each one so as to give an accurate account of their achievements.

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CLASS A

1. Marv Woollums	Mt Ayr	5-0	68.0
2. Marv Engstler	Garner	3-2	53.2
3. Larry Purcell	Cedar Rapids	3-2	52.0
4. Bob Mc Kee	Marshalltown	2-3	50.8
5. Le Roy Law	Clive	2-3	48.4
6. Carl Kaiser	Des Moines	0-5	35.6

CLASS B

1. Glen Warden	Des Moines	4-1	48.4
2. Carl Rupe	Des Moines	4-1	46.8
3. Leo Lamparek	Cedar Rapids	3-2	38.8
4. Joe Smith	Gladbrook	2-3	41.2
5. Doug Anderson	Stratford	2-3	37.2
6. Larry Bolt	Mt Auburn	0-5	37.6

CLASS C

1. Art Brown	Patterson	6-0	46.6
2. Laverne Schroeder	Illinois	3-3	40.8
3. Gene Rittman	Ankeny	3-3	39.5
4. Russ Martin	Clarksville	3-3	39.1
5. Marian Mc Kee	Marshalltown	3-3	32.9
6. Bernie Anderson	Osage	2-4	30.8
7. Ken Cook	Cedar Rapids	1-5	19.5

CLASS D

1. Marv Dirks	Fonda	5-1	30.0
2. Bob Walters	Eldora	4-2	26.6
3. Bob Rounds	Perry	4-2	23.7
4. John Fraaken	Pleasant Hill	2-4	26.6
5. Bill Grinstead	Osage	2-4	22.0
6. Deb Davis	Ankeny	1-5	20.4

CLASS E

1. Gilbert Nickell	Renwick	5-1	25.8
2. James Bown	Delta	5-1	25.4
3. Steve Jackson	Grandview	4-2	23.3
4. Doyle Lacey	Des Moines	3-3	23.2
5. Danny Sease	Des Moines	3-3	19.1
6. Harold Barker	Marshalltown	2-4	15.4
7. Gordon Eklund	Eldora	0-6	12.9

ELDORA INDOOR
December 7, 2003

CLASS A

1. Marv Woollums	Mt Ayr	5-0	64.4
2. Larry Purcell	Cedar Rapids	3-2	53.6
3. Le Roy Law	Clive	3-2	47.2
4. Vern Kollasch	Iowa City	2-3	50.0
5. Leo Buell	Iowa City	2-3	44.4
6. Betty Mc Gregor	Lone Tree	0-5	26.4

CLASS B

1. Pat Simon	Waterloo	4-0	51.6
2. Bob Mc Kee	Marshalltown	2-2	45.4
3. Carl Kaiser	Des Moines	2-2	40.0
4. Carl Rupe	Des Moines	1-3	41.2
5. Glen Warden	Des Moines	1-3	38.3

CLASS C

1. Russ Martin	Clarksville	3-1	39.5
2. Laverne Schroeder	Illinois	3-1	35.4
3. Leonard Mullnix	Mt Auburn	2-2	34.5
4. Art Brown	Patterson	2-2	31.6
5. Marian Mc Kee	Marshalltown	0-4	22.5

CLASS D

1. Bob Walters	Eldora	3-1	35.8
2. John Fraaken	Pleasant Hill	3-1	33.3
3. Dick Walker	Cambridge	2-2	32.0
4. Marv Dirks	Fonda	2-2	32.0
5. Richard Timmer	Illinois	0-4	26.6
6. Dick Walker	Cambridge	3-3	33.7


CLASS E

1. Sheryl Mason	Grinnell	4-0	29.1
2. Bill Mason	Grinnell	3-1	19.5
3. Lee Drewelow	Stanley	2-2	22.9
4. Harold Barker	Marshalltown	1-3	12.5
5. Gordon Eklund	Eldora	0-4	16.2




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ELDORA INDOOR
December 13, 2003

CLASS A

1. Marv Woollums	Mt Ayr	5-0	66.8
2. Bob Mc Kee	Marshalltown	3-2	51.0
3. Glenn Warden	Des Moines	3-2	44.7
4. LeRoy Law	Clive	2-3	46.9
5. Wil Foelske	Waverly	2-3	43.9
6. Carl Kaiser	Des Moines	0-5	36.2

CLASS B

1. Joe Smith	Gladbrook	7-0	47.5
2. Larry Bolt	Mt Auburn	6-1	39.1
3. Art Brown	Patterson	4-3	36.6
4. Leonard Mullnix	Mt Auburn	4-3	35.0
5. Marian Mc Kee	Marshalltown	4-3	29.1
6. Stoney Jackson	Burlington	2-5	31.2
7. Russ Martin	Clarksville	1-6	27.5

CLASS C

1. Bob Block	Sumner	5-0	30.0
2. Dick Walker	Cambridge	3-2	34.4
3. Bob Walters	Eldora	3-2	26.8
4. Bernie Anderson	Osage	3-2	26.0
5. Bill Grinstead	Osage	1-4	19.6
6. Verln Chesley	Minnesota	0-5	28.8

CLASS D

1. Deb Davis	Ankeny	5-0	36.8
2. Ira Harwick	Bloomfield	3-2	30.4
3. Ernie Benda	Cedar Rapids	3-2	29.2
4. Bob Rounds	Perry	3-2	27.6
5. Sheryl Mason	Grinnell	1-4	25.2
6. Don Wilson	Greenfield	0-5	21.2

CLASS E

1. Gilbert Nickell	Renwick	5-0	28.8
2. Ron Swartzendruber	Iowa City	3-2	25.2
3. George Ide	Minnesota	3-2	25.1
4. Steve Jackson	Grandview	2-3	25.5
5. Bill Mason	Grinnell	1-4	21.2
5. Doyle Lacey	Des Moines	1-4	13.6

CLASS F

1. Danny Sease	Des Moines	4-1	18.5
2. Dean Fortune	Des Moines	4-1	15.5
3. Bill Vigers	Eldora	3-2	19.5
4. Harold Barker	Marshalltown	3-2	13.0
5. Gordon Eklund	Eldora	1-4	11.5

ELDORA INDOOR
December 14, 2003

CLASS A

1. Marv Woollums	Mt Ayr	4-1	58.5
2. LeRoy Law	Clive	3-2	56.9
3. Pat Simon	Waterloo	3-2	50.3
4. Larry Purcell	Cedar Rapids	2-3	52.5
5. Marv Engstler	Garner	2-3	49.6
6. Bob Mc Kee	Marshalltown	1-4	46.9

CLASS B

1. Carl Kaiser	Des Moines	4-1	40.3
2. Leo Lamparek	Cedar Rapids	4-1	38.9
3. Leonard Mullnix	Mt Auburn	3-2	36.4
4. Bob Walters	Eldora	3-2	34.0
5. Art Brown	Patterson	1-4	34.3
6. Russ Martin	Clarksville	0-5	29.5

CLASS C

1. Bob Block	Sumner	6-1	24.3
2. Jessica Dougherty	Marshalltown	5-2	23.6
3. Kent Dougherty	Marshalltown	5-2	23.0
4. Don Wilson	Greenfield	5-2	18.3
5. Bill Vigers	Eldora	4-3	19.0
6. Chuck Vandever	Grand Junction	2-5	10.3
7. Harold Barker	Marshalltown	1-6	10.3

ELDORA INDOOR
January 3, 2004

CLASS A

1. Marv Woollums	Mt Ayr	5-0	61.7
2. Bob Mc Kee	Marshalltown	3-2	51.2
3. Glenn Warden	Des Moines	3-2	41.2
4. Marv Engstler	Garner	2-3	55.0
5. LeRoy Law	Clive	2-3	45.4
6. Pat Simon	Waterloo	0-5	43.8

CLASS B

1. Doug Anerson	Stratford	7-0	37.5
2. Art Brown	Patterson	5-2	40.8
3. Carl Kaiser	Des Moines	4-3	34.5
4. Russ Martin	Clarksville	3-4	34.5
5. Bob Waldo	Iowa Falls	3-4	30.8
6. Marian Mc Kee	Marshalltown	3-4	29.4
7. Leo Lamparek	Cedar Rapids	3-4	28.3

CLASS C

1. Dick Walker	Cambridge	7-0	43.7
2. Marv Dirks	Fonda	5-2	31.2
3. Bob Walters	Eldora	5-2	28.6
4. Leonard Mullnix	Mt Auburn	4-3	32.7
5. Roger Gaulke	Dows	3-4	25.8
6. Ken Cook	Cedar Rapids	3-4	24.1
7. Bernard Anderson	Osage	1-6	18.7

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January 10, 2004(con't)

CLASS D			
1. Bob Rounds	Perry	7-0	28.3
2. Steve Ronk	Council Bluffs	5-2	28.7
3. Fred Martin	Washington	4-3	27.8
4. Ira Hartwick	Bloomfield	4-3	25.0
5. Bob Block	Sumner	4-3	18.4
6. Scott Carroll	Council Bluffs	2-5	16.6
7. Bill Grinstead	Osage	2-5	14.5

CLASS E			
1. James Bown	Delta	4-1	29.2
2. Kent Dougherty	Marshalltown	4-1	28.4
3. Dave Sidles	Ames	4-1	24.0
4. Ron Swartzendruber	Iowa City	2-3	22.4
5. Ray Daugherty	Council Bluffs	1-4	16.0
6. Jessica Dougherty	Marshalltown	0-5	16.0

CLASS F			
1. Danny Sease	Des Moines	5-0	24.0
2. Doyle Lacey	Des Moines	3-2	20.0
3. Mike Fishnick Jr	Dubuque	3-2	12.0
4. Dean Fortune	Des Moines	2-3	18.0
5. Harold Barker	Marshalltown	1-4	16.0
6. Gordon Eklund	Eldora	1-4	8.0

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Canceled due to weather.

ELDORA INDOOR
January 10, 2004

CLASS A			
1. Marv Woollums	Mt Ayr	5-0	66.9
2. LeRoy Law	Clive	2-3	53.6
3. Vern Kollasch	Iowa City	2-3	51.6
4. Terry Hiatt	Omaha NE	2-3	51.2
5. Marv Engstler	Garner	2-3	50.0
6. Bob Mc Kee	Marshalltown	2-3	46.1

CLASS B			
1. Glenn Warden	Des Moines	5-0	46.7
2. Leo Lamparek	Cedar Rapids	4-1	38.9
3. Doug Anderson	Stratford	2-3	45.4
4. Art Brown	Patterson	2-3	40.8
5. Carl Kaiser	Des Moines	2-3	35.5
6. Russ Martin	Clarksville	0-5	37.1

CLASS C			
1. Vern Mc Grath	Dubuque	5-0	42.8
2. Bernie Anderson	Osage	4-1	31.6
3. Jan Warwick	Boone	2-3	34.8
4. Marian Mc Kee	Marshalltown	2-3	31.2
5. Leonard Mullnix	Mt Auburn	2-3	26.4
6. Ken Cook	Cedar Rapids	0-5	27.2

CLASS D			
1. Dick Walker	Clarksville	7-0	40.3
2. Bob Block	Sumner	6-1	25.8
3. Bob Rounds	Perry	5-2	25.4
4. Don Wilson	Greenfield	3-4	28.6
5. Marv Dirks	Fonda	3-4	27.0
6. Bob Walters	Eldora	2-5	26.2
7. Bill Grinstead	Osage	2-5	13.7

CLASS E			
1. Roger Gaulke	Dows	5-0	24.8
2. Bob Bown	Delta	4-1	23.6
3. Bill Vigars	Eldora	2-3	22.4
4. Doyle Lacey	Des Moines	2-3	16.8
5. Danny Sease	Des Moines	1-4	17.2
6. Steve Jackson	Grandview	1-4	12.8

CLASS F			
1. Carl Bonnichsen	Grandview	5-0	23.5
2. Dean Fortune	Des Moines	3-2	19.5
3. Mark Hoover	Eldora	3-2	15.5
4. Harold Barker	Marshalltown	3-2	12.0
5. Gordon Eklund	Eldora	1-4	8.5

ELDORA INDOOR
January 11, 2004

CLASS A			
1. Marv Woollums	Mt Ayr	7-0	63.6
2. LeRoy Law	Clive	5-2	52.4
3. Pat Simon	Waterloo	5-2	51.2
4. Terry Hiatt	Omaha NE	4-3	53.6
5. Vern Kollasch	Iowa City	3-4	40.3
6. Glenn Warden	Des Moines	2-5	41.8
7. Bob Mc Kee	Marshalltown	2-5	41.4

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CLASS B

1. Dick Walker	Cambridge	6-1	42.9
2. Marv Dirks	Fonda	6-1	32.9
3. Art Brown	Patterson	4-3	38.3
4. Leonard Mullnix	Mt Auburn	4-3	36.2
5. Russ Martin	Clarksville	3-4	32.5
6. Marian Mc Kee	Marshalltown	3-4	29.5
7. Bob Walters	Eldora	2-5	25.4

CLASS C

1. Sheryl Mason	Grinnell	5-0	27.0
2. Bill Mason	Grinnell	3-2	22.0
3. Harold Barker	Marshalltown	3-2	20.5
4. Gordon Eklund	Eldora	2-3	15.0
5. Mark Hoover	Eldora	2-3	13.5

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