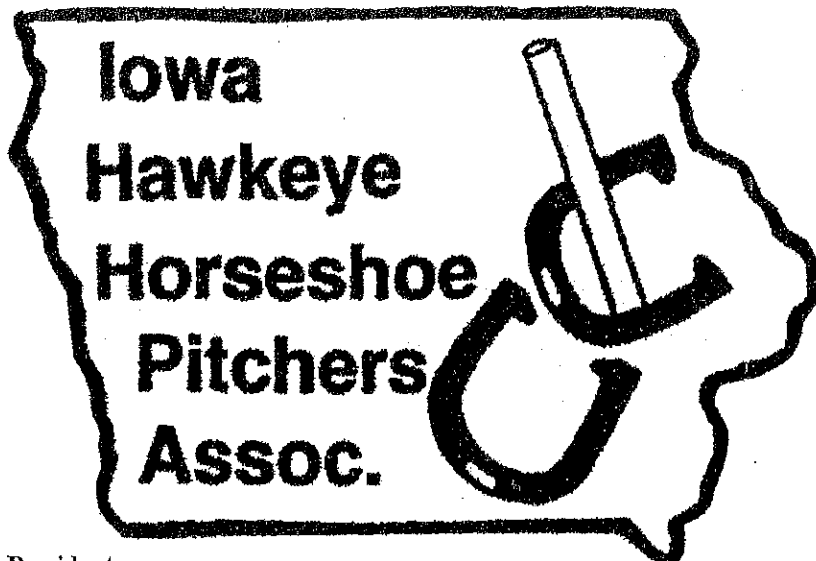


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## IN LOVING MEMORY

Bernice L Henton, age 80, of Maquoketa, Ia died Thursday, July 15, 2004. Bernice and Glen "Red" Henton were married August 30, 1941. She enjoyed many years playing keyboard and entertaining with Red and their musical group. She also traveled extensively with Red during his horseshoe pitching career. In 1974 they traveled to South Africa, Italy, France and England on a horseshoe tour.

Bernice is survived by her husband Red, daughters, Judith Byam and Nancy Scholl and 5 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren.

Our thoughts and prayers go out to her family.

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## THANKS IHHPA Members

We wish to express our deepest thanks to all the IHHPA pitchers for their contributions of time, money and sympathy during our time of loss. We received so many cards, many with no return address, that we felt this was the best way to reach everyone. Again, we thank you so much for caring.

Dave Woollums  
The family of Marvin Woollums

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## IOWA STATE FAIR

I have received confirmation that two of the men from Iowa elected to the National Hall of Fame will be at the horseshoe courts during the 2004 Iowa State Fair.

On August 15<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 PM, Kevin Cone of Alta.  
On August 18<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 PM, Glen Henton of Maquoketa. Everyone needs to come and make them welcome. Also the Iowa State Fair Queen will be at the horseshoe courts on Monday, August 16<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 PM.

Please make a note of these special times at the horseshoe courts and spread the word.

The Iowa State Fair is doing everything possible to make this the greatest State Fair ever.

Superintendent of horseshoes at the Iowa State Fair,  
Danny Sease

## WATERLOO

I just wanted to drop you a line or so to fill you in on what has been happening here in Waterloo this spring and summer. I am actively pitching in two leagues this season. The Evansdale bar league and the Waterloo handicap league that I started up at Byrnes park. It has begun to spark some interest among some of the other pitchers in each league. For instance, in the bar league, one of the teams we pitched saw the article in the local Paper about my winning one of the winter Eldora tournaments, and commented about it. I took the opportunity to tell them about the winter schedule and all the tournaments that go on there. Several of them expressed interest in pitching tournaments there next winter.

As far as the Waterloo league has been going, most of the pitchers are folks who have played in our league before. We do have one new team of six guys who are real interested. I have already directed them to Leo Buell to get some good pitching shoes to replace the picnic shoes they now have. We may end up getting some of those guys to a tournament. They really have asked a lot of questions and were surprised at all the pitching that goes on across the country.

As for me personally, in the handicap league I am generally getting my behind shellacked on a regular basis. Our handicap system favors the lower pitcher and really puts the pressure on the better pitcher. I really have to pitch well to win most games. I've put together a couple of 60% plus games and won those but average generally doesn't give me a win. I have to pitch over my average in most cases to record wins. That is to my liking though because it pressures me to pitch well. The team concept we use also gives me two teammates to help so we are holding our own in the league.

I had initially planned to try and hold a tournament this summer in Waterloo, but currently with only 6 and a half courts, I don't think that is advisable at this time.

Some of the bar league pitchers are also pitching the handicap league and some have seen a noticeable improvement in their game due to the added night of pitching. That in turn has sparked interest by other bar league pitchers in the handicap league, so if we should manage to get our two new courts I don't think I would have too much trouble getting two more teams put together for the handicap league.

I guess that's about all the news for now. Thanks.  
Pat Simon

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## ADDITIONAL TOURNAMENTS

**September 10 (Friday)** - Stuart City Park - Sanctioned  
Pre-register by September 8. Entry fee \$10.00.

Food and drink available.

Gary Reed (515)789-4663

**September 16 (Thursday)** - Russell - Sanctioned

Sign up by 9:30 AM Play at 10:00.

Harold Garner (641)897-3174

### LEAGUE NEWS

With three weeks of play remaining, three wins separate the top eight players.

- 1. Steve Hylar 19
- 2. Ralph Davis 19
- 3. Dean Fortune 18.5
- 4. Keith Baker 18
- 5. Bob Ehrhart 17
- 6. Deb Davis 16.5
- 7. Connie Moore 16.5
- 8. Terry Rupe 16

The handicap league meets each Wednesday at 6:30 PM at Holiday Park in West Des Moines.

The league is open to men, women and children. Those interested in participating, contact the West Des Moines Park and Rec. for information on next years league schedule, or call (515)224-2000.

LeRoy Law

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### KEN RASKO MEMORIAL - INDIANOLA

We've had a good year with a few new pitchers. We play 50 shoe count-all with 90% handicap. It makes the better pitchers try a little harder.

- 1. Gerald Weeks 13
- 2. Deb Dalton 12
- 3. Darwin Mott 11.5
- 4. Jerry Dunkin 11
- 5. Rusty Dalton 10
- 6. Mike Goode 9
- 7. Gordy Wells 8.5
- 9. Don Wilson 8
- 10. Ron Moon 7
- 11. Dick Huitt 6
- 12. Larry Borchert 5
- 13. Veronica Goode 4
- 14. Mic Wilson 4
- 15. Ron Castleman 3

Everyone is welcome. Come on out and join us.  
Don Wilson

### RINGERS REMEMBERED - Kevin Cone (from NHPA News Digest, January 1986)

Since the game of horseshoe is a family game, many times in our history two or three members of the same family have participated in the championship division of the World Tournament in the same year. For example, in 1984, three sisters were in the Women's Championship division. Phyllis Negaard, Sandy Karasch and Beverly Nathe, all of Minnesota. Also in 1984, Curly(Intermediate Men), Bonnie(Women) and Mark (Men) Siebold were all in Championship groups of their respective classes. But the family that had the most members in a championship group in the same year was the Frank Jackson family whose hometown was Kellerton, Iowa. In the 1928 World Tournament in St. Petersburg, Florida, February 20 to March 1, the Jackson family had 5 placed in the Chamionship group of 30 men. In the Championship preliminaries, Frank Jackson was 5<sup>th</sup> place while his four sons - Carroll, Vyril, Hansford, and Herbert - finished 7<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> respectively. 12 men went on to the finals, with Frank finishing 5<sup>th</sup>, Carroll 8<sup>th</sup>, Hansford 9<sup>th</sup> and Vyril 12<sup>th</sup> in the World. These four Jacksons were in the Championship group together three different years: 1927, 1928, and 1934. In 1924 Frank finished 2<sup>nd</sup> and son, Hansford, 3<sup>rd</sup> in the World.

Frank Jackson was one of the greatest pitchers of all time because he was able to change with the times. The first year averages were kept was 1923, and Frank finished 4<sup>th</sup> with a 48.5% average using shoes straight off of horses. In 1934, using modern pitching shoes, Frank set a world record for qualifying with 125 ringers out of 150 shoes for an 83.3%. In 1935, his last World Tournament, Frank finished 5<sup>th</sup> with a 72.9% average. Frank's world tournament career went from 1909 to 1935; he was recognized World Champion in 1909, 1914, 1915, 1920, 1921 and 1926, and accumulated 517 wins out of 606 games in World Tournament Championship play. A charter member of the Iowa Sports Hall of Fame, Iowa Hawkeye Horseshoe Pitchers Hall of Fame and NHPA Hall of Fame, Frank Jackson - born 1870, died 1955 - is a ringer remembered.



**PROTTSMAN OPEN**  
June 26, 2004

**CLASS A**

|                   |              |     |      |
|-------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Bill Carder    |              | 7-0 | 50.8 |
| 2. Larry Purcell  | Cedar Rapids | 5-2 | 46.7 |
| 3. Leo Buell      | Iowa City    | 5-2 | 43.8 |
| 4. Charles Phipps | Grimes       | 4-3 | 37.5 |
| 5. LeRoy Law      | W Des Moines | 3-4 | 36.2 |
| 6. Jim Jackson    | New London   | 3-4 | 27.5 |
| 7. Glenn Warden   | Des Moines   | 1-6 | 20.1 |

**CLASS B**

|                   |              |     |      |
|-------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Carl Kaiser    | Des Moines   | 5-0 | 33.6 |
| 2. Larry Bolt     | Mt Auburn    | 4-3 | 39.0 |
| 3. Ron Burgess    | Cedar Rapids | 4-3 | 35.1 |
| 4. Stoney Jackson | Burlington   | 4-3 | 36.6 |
| 5. Dean Wehrle    | Burlington   | 4-3 | 33.1 |
| 6. Gary Elliott   | Muscatine    | 4-3 | 30.2 |
| 7. Leo Lamparek   | Cedar Rapids | 2-5 | 28.8 |

**CLASS C**

|                       |            |     |      |
|-----------------------|------------|-----|------|
| 1. Roger Gaulke       | Dows       | 7-0 | 28.6 |
| 2. Burl Bruffett      | Illinois   | 6-1 | 36.9 |
| 3. Chas. Kinney       | Illinois   | 4-3 | 28.3 |
| 4. Ron Swartzendruber | Iowa City  | 4-3 | 20.5 |
| 5. Vickie Elliott     | Muscatine  | 3-4 | 13.8 |
| 6. Steve Jackson      | Grandview  | 2-5 | 21.3 |
| 7. Leona Gaines       | Mt. Vernon | 2-5 | 8.9  |

**WDM HOLIDAY CLASSIC**  
July 5, 2004

**CLASS A**

|                    |              |     |      |
|--------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Gary Reed       | Stuart       | 6-0 | 51.0 |
| 2. Slim Allen      | W Des Moines | 3-2 | 57.0 |
| 3. Wilbur Rasmusen | Prescott     | 3-2 | 50.5 |
| 4. Bob Mc Kee      | Marshalltown | 3-2 | 48.5 |
| 5. LeRoy Law       | W Des Moines | 1-4 | 43.5 |

**CLASS B**

(Double Round)

|                 |            |     |      |
|-----------------|------------|-----|------|
| 1. Pat Simon    | Waterloo   | 5-1 | 51.6 |
| 2. Glenn Warden | Des Moines | 3-3 | 46.6 |
| 3. Ed Walsh     | Albia      | 2-4 | 46.6 |
| 4. Art Brown    | Patterson  | 2-4 | 40.8 |

**CLASS C**

|                   |              |     |      |
|-------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Carl Kaiser    | Des Moines   | 3-1 | 43.1 |
| 2. Charlie Phipps | Grimes       | 2-2 | 49.3 |
| 3. Keith Baker    | Clive        | 2-2 | 41.8 |
| 4. Carl Rupe      | Des Moines   | 2-2 | 41.2 |
| 5. Ron Burgess    | Cedar Rapids | 2-2 | 33.1 |

**WDM HOLIDAY CLASSIC (CON'T.)**  
July 5, 2004

**CLASS D**

|                 |              |     |      |
|-----------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Jack Roush   | W Des Moines | 4-0 | 38.1 |
| 2. Gene Rittman | Ankeny       | 2-2 | 37.5 |
| 3. Deb Davis    | Ankeny       | 2-2 | 34.3 |
| 4. Ron Welsh    | Omaha, NE    | 1-3 | 28.7 |
| 5. Darwin Mott  | Hartford     | 1-3 | 25.0 |

**CLASS E**

|                  |             |     |      |
|------------------|-------------|-----|------|
| 1. Bob Rounds    | Perry       | 4-0 | 32.5 |
| 2. John Fraaken  | Des Moines  | 2-2 | 31.2 |
| 3. Henry Keen    | Maryland    | 2-2 | 26.8 |
| 4. Kristy Klejch | Martinsdale | 1-3 | 28.1 |
| 5. Randy Walker  |             | 1-3 | 26.8 |

**CLASS F**

|                  |              |     |      |
|------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Deb Dalton    | Indianola    | 4-0 | 35.6 |
| 2. Don Wilson    | Greenfield   | 2-2 | 30.6 |
| 3. Jerry Dunkin  | New Virginia | 2-2 | 28.7 |
| 4. Marian Mc Kee | Marshalltown | 2-2 | 25.6 |
| 5. Gerald Weeks  | Indianola    | 0-4 | 20.0 |

**CLASS G**

|                  |              |     |      |
|------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Rusty Dalton  | Indianola    | 4-0 | 28.7 |
| 2. Dean Fortune  | Des Moines   | 3-1 | 28.1 |
| 3. Harold Barker | Marshalltown | 2-2 | 15.6 |
| 4. John Ridgely  | De Soto      | 1-3 | 21.8 |
| 5. Steve Hatch   | Knoxville    | 0-4 | 15.0 |

**CLASS H**

|                   |                |     |      |
|-------------------|----------------|-----|------|
| 1. Ron Moon       | Indianola      | 4-0 | 23.1 |
| 2. Fay Schiebel   | LeGrand        | 3-1 | 20.0 |
| 3. Dick Huitt     | Des Moines     | 3-1 | 19.3 |
| 4. Ralph Davis    | Ankeny         | 1-3 | 8.7  |
| 5. Chuck Vandever | Grand Junction | 0-4 | 8.1  |

**CLASS I**

|                    |              |     |      |
|--------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Bob Ehrhart     | W Des Moines | 4-0 | 20.6 |
| 2. Dan Schiebel    | LeGrand      | 3-1 | 9.3  |
| 3. Royal Hedgecock | W Des Moines | 1-3 | 8.7  |
| 4. James Fortune   | Des Moines   | 1-3 | 5.6  |
| 5. Marcia Burgess  |              | 1-3 | .6   |

**CLASS J**

|                     |                |     |      |
|---------------------|----------------|-----|------|
| 1. Barry Jackson    | Kellerton      | 4-0 | 28.7 |
| 2. Steve Johnson    |                | 3-1 | 5.0  |
| 3. Don Motz         | Perry          | 2-2 | 3.1  |
| 4. Jim Kempkes      | W Des Moines   | 1-3 | 6.2  |
| 5. Glenita Vandever | Grand Junction | 0-4 | 2.5  |

**SE OPEN**  
July 10, 2004

**CLASS A**

|                   |              |     |      |
|-------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Vern Kollasch  | Iowa City    | 6-1 | 48.2 |
| 2. Kelly Russel   | Illinois     | 5-2 | 41.6 |
| 3. Bill Carder    | Burlington   | 4-3 | 48.9 |
| 4. Jim Jackson    | New London   | 4-3 | 39.8 |
| 5. Bob Mc Kee     | Marshalltown | 3-4 | 44.8 |
| 6. Don Walljasper | West Point   | 3-4 | 41.1 |
| 7. Gary Elliott   | Muscatine    | 3-4 | 33.7 |

**CLASS B**

|                  |              |     |      |
|------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Bob Hardy     | New London   | 5-0 | 35.5 |
| 2. Don Dickey    | Wapello      | 4-1 | 26.8 |
| 3. Burl Bruffet  | Illinois     | 3-2 | 36.5 |
| 4. Marian Mc Kee | Marshalltown | 2-3 | 25.0 |
| 5. Steve Jackson | Grandview    | 1-4 | 18.7 |

**CLASS C**

|                       |             |     |      |
|-----------------------|-------------|-----|------|
| 1. Wade Benge         | Mt Pleasant | 5-0 | 26.2 |
| 2. Ron Swartzandruber | Iowa City   | 3-2 | 22.8 |
| 3. Glen Speers        | Grandview   | 3-2 | 21.2 |
| 4. Dick Wiley         | Muscatine   | 3-2 | 18.8 |
| 5. Shawn Russel       | Illinois    | 0-5 | 12.0 |

**KEOKUK COUNTY FAIR**  
July 11, 2004

**CLASS A**

|                  |              |     |      |
|------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Vern Kollasch | Iowa City    | 5-0 | 47.2 |
| 2. Bill Carder   | Burlington   | 3-2 | 43.5 |
| 3. Glenn Warden  | Des Moines   | 3-2 | 42.4 |
| 4. Bob Mc Kee    | Marshalltown | 3-2 | 41.1 |
| 5. Slim Allen    | W Des Moines | 1-4 | 34.2 |
| 6. James Jackson | New London   | 0-5 | 15.0 |

**CLASS B**

|                   |              |     |      |
|-------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Charles Phipps | Grimes       | 4-1 | 31.2 |
| 2. Ed Walsh       | Albia        | 3-2 | 31.8 |
| 3. Darwin Mott    | Hartford     | 2-3 | 29.1 |
| 4. Bob Dugger     | What Cheer   | 2-3 | 28.3 |
| 5. Gary Elliott   | Muscatine    | 2-3 | 27.1 |
| 6. Ralph Palmer   | Cedar Rapids | 2-3 | 26.0 |

**CLASS C**

|                  |              |     |      |
|------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Ira Hartwick  | Bloomfiled   | 3-1 | 30.0 |
| 2. Marian Mc Kee | Marshalltown | 3-1 | 27.4 |
| 3. Steve Jackson | Grandview    | 3-1 | 17.1 |
| 4. Walter Martin | Ottumwa      | 1-3 | 14.5 |
| 5. Dean Fortune  | Des Moines   | 0-4 | 15.5 |

**KEOKUK COUNTY FAIR(CON'T.)**  
July 11, 2004

**CLASS D**

|                   |           |     |      |
|-------------------|-----------|-----|------|
| 1. Vickie Elliott | Muscatine | 4-0 | 16.5 |
| 2. James Bown     | Delta     | 3-1 | 17.0 |
| 3. Matt Bombei    | Delta     | 2-2 | 7.0  |
| 4. Erich Crill    | Delta     | 1-3 | 6.5  |
| 5. Marcia Burgess |           | 0-4 | 3.5  |

**MADISON COUNTY FAIR**  
July 18, 2004

**CLASS A**

|                     |              |     |      |
|---------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Slim Allen       | W Des Moines | 4-1 | 51.0 |
| 2. Ed Walsh         | Albia        | 4-1 | 44.0 |
| 3. Wilbur Rasmussen | Prescott     | 3-2 | 49.0 |
| 4. Jan Flemming     | Avoca        | 3-2 | 47.0 |
| 5. Charles Phipps   | Grimes       | 1-4 | 44.0 |
| 6. Art Brown        | Patterson    | 0-5 | 35.0 |

**CLASS B**

|                  |            |     |      |
|------------------|------------|-----|------|
| 1. Carl Rupe     | Des Moines | 4-1 | 43.0 |
| 2. Gene Rittman  | Ankeny     | 3-2 | 42.0 |
| 3. Carl Kaiser   | Des Moines | 3-2 | 40.0 |
| 4. Deb Dalton    | Indianola  | 2-3 | 45.0 |
| 5. George Weldon | Missouri   | 2-3 | 32.0 |
| 6. Jan Warwick   | Boone      | 2-3 | 37.0 |

**CLASS C**

|                 |            |     |      |
|-----------------|------------|-----|------|
| 1. John Fraaken | Des Moines | 4-1 | 44.0 |
| 2. Bob Hardy    | New London | 3-2 | 40.0 |
| 3. Mac Mc Kay   | Corning    | 3-2 | 29.0 |
| 4. Randy Walker | Glidden    | 2-3 | 32.0 |
| 5. Ron Welsh    | Nebraska   | 2-3 | 29.0 |
| 6. Brett Robb   | Bouton     | 1-4 | 27.0 |

**CLASS D**

|                  |              |     |      |
|------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Jerry Dunkin  | New Virginia | 5-0 | 31.0 |
| 2. Kristy Klejch | Martinsdale  | 3-2 | 32.0 |
| 3. Bob Rounds    | Perry        | 3-2 | 23.0 |
| 4. Henry Keen    |              | 2-3 | 26.0 |
| 5. Don Wilson    | Greenfield   | 1-4 | 27.0 |
| 6. Dean Fortune  | Des Moines   | 1-4 | 21.0 |

**CLASS E**

|                 |            |     |      |
|-----------------|------------|-----|------|
| 1. Gerald Weeks | Indianola  | 4-0 | 33.0 |
| 2. James Bown   | Delta      | 3-1 | 27.0 |
| 3. Doyle Lacey  | Des Moines | 2-2 | 23.0 |
| 4. Danny Sease  | Des Moines | 1-3 | 17.0 |
| 5. Rusty Dalton | Indianola  | 0-4 | 19.0 |

**MADISON COUNTY FAIR (CON'T.)**  
July 18, 2004

**CLASS F**

|                    |                |     |      |
|--------------------|----------------|-----|------|
| 1. Ron Utley       | Des Moines     | 4-0 | 18.0 |
| 2. Chuck Vandever  | Grand Junction | 2-2 | 9.0  |
| 3. Jim Kempkes     | Des Moines     | 2-2 | 6.0  |
| 4. Royal Hedgecock | W Des Moines   | 1-3 | 13.0 |
| 5. John Ghrist     | Des Moines     | 1-3 | 10.0 |

**CEDAR RAPIDS OPEN**  
July 3, 2004

**CLASS C**

|                    |              |     |      |
|--------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Leo Lamparek    | Cedar Rapids | 4-1 | 36.8 |
| 2. Bob Hardy       | New London   | 4-1 | 33.7 |
| 3. Vern Mc Grath   | Dubuque      | 4-1 | 31.2 |
| 4. Tim Fisher      | Illinois     | 2-3 | 26.2 |
| 5. Leonard Mullnix | Mt Auburn    | 1-4 | 22.5 |

**CLASS D**

|                   |              |     |      |
|-------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Roger Tope     | Marion       | 4-1 | 31.0 |
| 2. Marian Mc Kee  | Marshalltown | 4-1 | 26.5 |
| 3. Dean Fortune   | Des Moines   | 4-1 | 25.5 |
| 4. Francis Wagner | Cedar Rapids | 2-3 | 26.5 |
| 5. Dave Sidles    | Ames         | 1-4 | 16.5 |
| 6. Ken Cook       | Cedar Rapids | 0-5 | 16.5 |

**CLASS E**

|                       |              |     |      |
|-----------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Earl Cypra         | Marion       | 5-0 | 25.0 |
| 2. Ron Swartzendruber | Iowa City    | 5-0 | 20.6 |
| 3. Dan Schiebel       | Legrand      | 2-3 | 16.3 |
| 4. Alvin Chesley      | Cedar Rapids | 2-3 | 17.0 |
| 5. Fay Schiebel       | Legrand      | 1-4 | 6.8  |
| 6. Leona Gaines       | Mt Vernon    | 1-4 | 10.4 |
| 7. Harold Barker      | Marshalltown | 1-4 | 9.3  |

The afternoon classes were canceled due to rain.

**AL BURGESS MEMORIAL**  
**MARSHALLTOWN**  
July 24, 2004

**CLASS A**

|                  |              |     |      |
|------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Slim Allen    | W Des Moines | 4-0 | 58.6 |
| 2. Gary Reed     | Stuart       | 3-1 | 56.3 |
| 3. Marv Engstler | Garner       | 2-2 | 52.1 |
| 4. Vern Kollasch | Iowa City    | 1-3 | 41.4 |
| 5. Joe Smith     | Gladbrook    | 0-4 | 39.8 |

**CLASS B**

|                   |            |     |      |
|-------------------|------------|-----|------|
| 1. Pat Simon      | Waterloo   | 3-1 | 57.2 |
| 2. Charles Phipps | Grimes     | 3-1 | 48.1 |
| 3. Glenn Warden   | Des Moines | 2-2 | 54.4 |
| 4. Leo Buell      | Iowa City  | 1-3 | 50.0 |
| 5. Ed Walsh       | Albia      | 1-3 | 49.5 |

**AL BURGESS MEMORIAL (con't.)**

**CLASS C**

|                  |              |     |      |
|------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Keith Baker   | Clive        | 4-0 | 48.7 |
| 2. Ralph Palmer  | Cedar Rapids | 2-2 | 35.5 |
| 3. Doug Anderson | Stratford    | 2-2 | 35.4 |
| 4. Larry Bolt    | Mt Auburn    | 1-3 | 34.2 |
| 5. Carl Kaiser   | Des Moines   | 1-3 | 33.8 |

**CLASS D**

|                   |              |     |      |
|-------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Ronnie Burgess | Cedar Rapids | 4-0 | 46.4 |
| 2. Deb Dalton     | Indianola    | 3-1 | 42.8 |
| 3. Gene Rittman   | Ankeny       | 3-1 | 32.0 |
| 4. Leo Lamparek   | Cedar Rapids | 1-3 | 34.0 |
| 5. Stoney Jackson | Burlington   | 1-3 | 28.3 |

**CLASS E**

|                 |              |     |      |
|-----------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Russ Martin  | Clarksville  | 4-0 | 36.5 |
| 2. Bob Block    | Sumner       | 3-1 | 29.0 |
| 3. Ken Cook     | Cedar Rapids | 2-2 | 27.5 |
| 4. Bob Rounds   | Perry        | 1-3 | 26.0 |
| 5. Ira Hartwick | Bloomfield   | 0-4 | 20.0 |

**CLASS F**

|                    |            |     |      |
|--------------------|------------|-----|------|
| 1. Deb Davis       | Ankeny     | 4-0 | 43.5 |
| 2. Randy Walker    | Glidden    | 2-2 | 40.0 |
| 3. Bob Waldo       | Iowa Falls | 2-2 | 31.5 |
| 4. Vern Mc Grath   | Dubuque    | 1-3 | 34.5 |
| 5. Leonard Mullnix | Mt Auburn  | 1-3 | 32.0 |

**CLASS G**

|                  |              |     |      |
|------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Don Wilson    | Greenfield   | 3-1 | 27.9 |
| 2. Dave Sidles   | Ames         | 3-1 | 25.0 |
| 3. Steve Jackson | Grandview    | 2-2 | 25.5 |
| 4. Sheryl Mason  | Grinnell     | 2-2 | 22.5 |
| 5. Aaron Jackson | Cedar Rapids | 0-4 | 19.5 |

**CLASS H**

|                 |             |     |      |
|-----------------|-------------|-----|------|
| 1. Wade Bengé   | Mt Pleasant | 4-0 | 29.0 |
| 2. Bob Bown     | Delta       | 3-1 | 28.5 |
| 3. Danny Sease  | Des Moines  | 1-3 | 22.0 |
| 4. Bill Mason   | Grinnell    | 1-3 | 14.5 |
| 5. Dean Fortune | Des Moines  | 1-3 | 13.0 |

**CLASS I**

|                  |              |     |      |
|------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Rusty Dalton  | Indianola    | 3-1 | 23.5 |
| 2. Ralph Davis   | Ankeny       | 3-1 | 16.5 |
| 3. Ron Utley     | Des Moines   | 2-2 | 20.5 |
| 4. Harold Barker | Marshalltown | 2-2 | 13.5 |
| 5. Jody Hilleman | Rhodes       | 0-4 | 8.5  |

**AL BURGESS MEMORIAL (CON'T.)****CLASS J**

|                   |                |     |      |
|-------------------|----------------|-----|------|
| 1. Dan Schiebel   | Legrand        | 3-1 | 12.5 |
| 2. Chuck Vandever | Grand Junction | 3-1 | 9.0  |
| 3. Jim Kempkes    | Des Moines     | 3-1 | 6.5  |
| 4. Vern Coates    | Cedar Rapids   | 1-3 | .05  |
| 5. Allen Burgess  | Waverly        | 0-4 | .04  |

**CLASS K**

|                   |             |     |     |
|-------------------|-------------|-----|-----|
| 1. Matt Pickar    | New Hampton | 4-0 | 7.0 |
| 2. Brad Mc Grath  | Dubuque     | 2-2 | 3.4 |
| 3. Alan Duffy     | Dubuque     | 2-2 | 3.0 |
| 4. Marcia Burgess | Gilman      | 1-3 | 3.5 |
| 5. Nathan Duffy   | Dubuque     | 1-3 | 1.9 |

**NORTH CENTRAL REGIONAL  
CHARLES CITY**

June 12, 2004

**CLASS A**

|                    |              |     |      |
|--------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Bob Mc Kee      | Marshalltown | 6-1 | 48.0 |
| 2. Wil Foelske     | Waverly      | 6-1 | 46.3 |
| 3. Bob Card        | Dumont       | 5-2 | 48.0 |
| 4. Marv Engstler   | Garner       | 4-3 | 42.3 |
| 5. Frank Koehler   | Mason City   | 4-3 | 32.0 |
| 6. Leonard Mullnix | Mt Auburn    | 1-6 | 28.3 |
| 7. Don Brandau     | Charles City | 1-6 | 25.0 |

**CLASS B**

|                     |              |     |      |
|---------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Roger Gaulke     | Dows         | 5-2 | 23.2 |
| 2. Bob Block        | Sumner       | 5-2 | 20.0 |
| 3. Marian Mc Kee    | Marshalltown | 4-3 | 23.5 |
| 4. Bernard Anderson | Osage        | 4-3 | 19.6 |
| 5. Bob Vest         | Charles City | 4-3 | 18.5 |
| 6. Bill Grinstead   | Osage        | 3-4 | 20.4 |
| 7. Fay Schiebel     | Legrand      | 3-4 | 15.0 |
| 8. Dan Schiebel     | Legrand      | 0-7 | 9.6  |

**SUNSET - COUNCIL BLUFFS**

July 10, 2004

|                    |                 |      |
|--------------------|-----------------|------|
| 1. Jan Flemming    | Avoca           | 55.8 |
| 2. Don Mc Cance    | Nebraska        | 52.5 |
| 3. Dennis Hopkins  | Missouri Valley | 51.6 |
| 4. Frank Sommer    | Nebraska        | 40.0 |
| 5. Glen Stover     | Council Bluffs  | 38.1 |
| 6. Hank Rains      | Decatur         | 29.2 |
| 7. Scott Carroll   | Council Bluffs  | 28.1 |
| 8. Barry Jackson   | Kellerton       | 21.1 |
| 9. Ray Daugherty   | Council Bluffs  | 16.9 |
| 10. Bill Vogt      | Council Bluffs  | 16.3 |
| 11. Richard Yoakum | Nebraska        | 6.9  |

This clipping was sent to me to put in the Newsletter. I have been unable to determine a date or year. There are several names of horseshoe pitching friends long gone.

**PATTERSON MAN WIN COUNTY FAIR  
HORSESHOE CONTEST**

Arthur Brown of Patterson pitched his way to first place in class A in the horseshoe pitching contest at the Adair County Fair, Thursday, July 25. Greenfield's Harold Adamson came in second. Wilbur Rasmussin of Prescott was third; Guy Spitler, Adair, fourth; Jim Hartman, Greenfield, fifth; and Glenn Brown of Niland, CA, sixth.

Other winners are as follows:

**CLASS B -**

|                    |            |
|--------------------|------------|
| 1. Marion De Vault | Earlham    |
| 2. Dennis Buckner  | Fontanelle |
| 3. Russell Bricker | Earlham    |
| 4. Stephen Ogesbel | Prescott   |

**CLASS C -**

|                   |          |
|-------------------|----------|
| 1. Wyatt Grimm    | Lenox    |
| 2. Chas Boeck     | Massena  |
| 3. Ewart Brooks   | Osceola  |
| 4. Bob Brown      | Lenox    |
| 5. Lawrence Palma | Prescott |

**CLASS D -**

|                    |            |
|--------------------|------------|
| 1. Chris Buckner   | Greenfield |
| 2. Lyle Rivenburgh | Greenfield |
| 3. Dennis Meier    | Greenfield |

Sorry I don't have averages or the type of game. But a lot of these names bring back memories. Guy Spitler and I had a memorable game at Eldora. (I lost) At 50 shoes we were tied. We then pitched 4-dead, 4-dead, 4-dead and 3 ringer 3 for Guy. It was great fun! Russ Bricker ran the Winterset tournaments for years with the help of Marion De Vault. Bob Brown was a wonderful man and good pitcher with only one arm. Thanks for letting me trip through memory lane.

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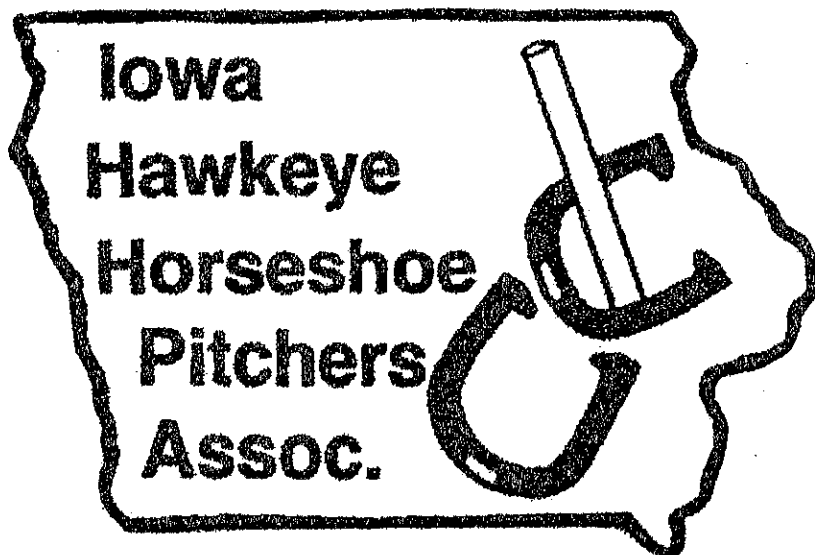
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#### UPCOMING TOURNAMENTS

July 3 Cedar Rapids – Ellis Park  
July 5 West Des Moines – Holiday Park  
July 5 Earlham Freedom – Earlham Park  
July 10 Council Bluffs – Sunset Park  
July 10 Burlington – Crapo Park  
July 11 What Cheer – Keokuk Co Fair  
July 11 Dallas County Fair – Adel  
July 16-17 Iowa Games – Ames –  
Brookside Park  
July 18 Madison Co. Fair – Winterset  
July 18 Sumner Days – Sumner City Park  
July 24 Al Burgess Memorial – Moose Lodge  
Marshalltown  
July 31 Boone – Memorial Park  
August 1 Council Bluffs – Sunset Park  
August 12-22 IOWA STATE FAIR

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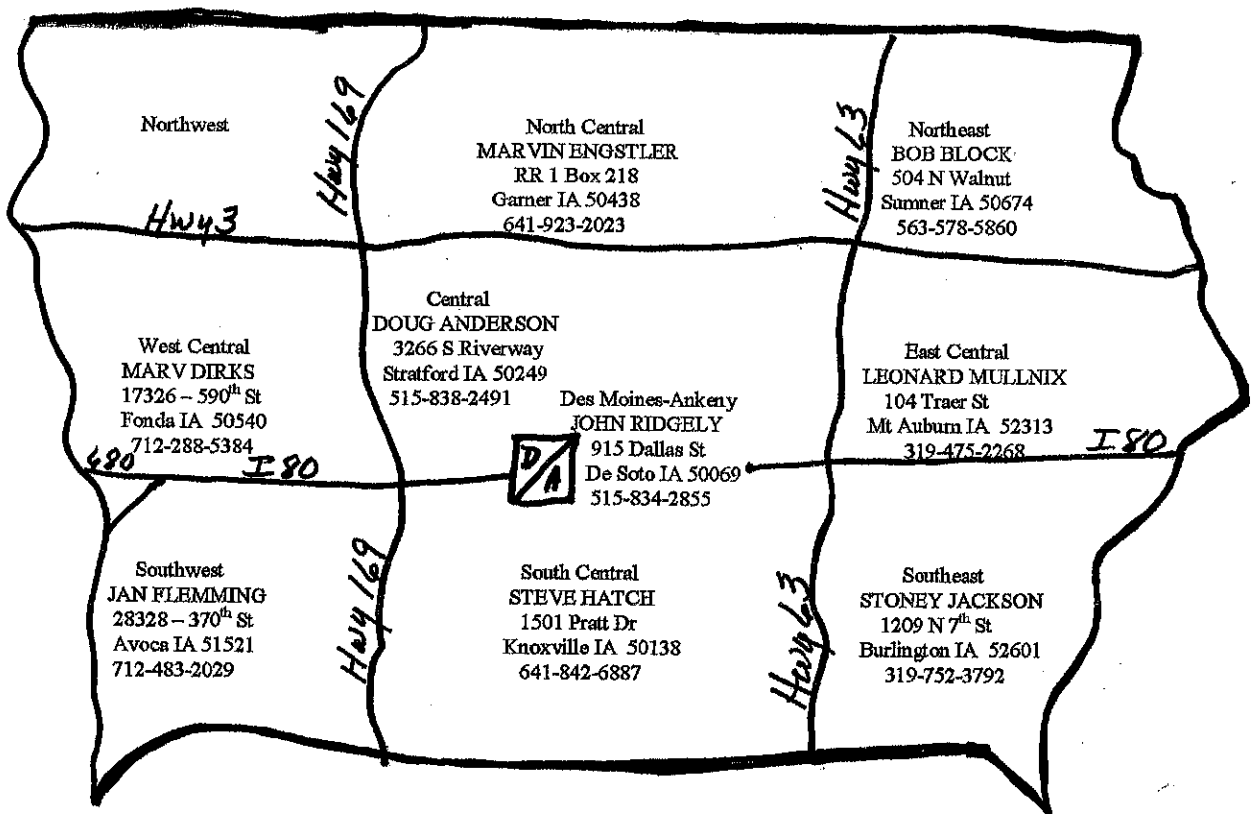
### DEAR FRIENDS OF HORSESHOES

We were all saddened recently by the loss of a great horseshoe pitcher and a good friend. Marv Woollums passed away suddenly while doing what he loved best. Pitching horseshoes at the tournament in Kellerton. I was proud of the IHHPA, when I saw the number of pitchers and friends that attended Marv's funeral. A quiet man, he devoted a lot of time promoting the game of horseshoes. He was always willing to help a beginner (or even some of us old timers). He spent a lot of hours working with the kids of the Mount Ayr School, teaching them the game of horseshoes. He will be greatly missed by everyone.

Mic and I have finally moved into our new home. Our phone number is the same, however, our new address is: 403 SW Mills, Greenfield IA 50849. I haven't put my new courts in yet, so have not been able to practice like I would like.(It's starting to show)

We are still doing a lot of discussing about having a World Tournament in Des Moines. We will be sure to let you know as soon as a final decision has been made. It involves a lot of work and a lot of expense so we need to be sure we can do it and do it well.

Keep pitching those ringers.  
Don Wilson, President



## IN LOVING MEMORY

**Marvin Clair Woollums**, was born May 3, 1933 at Kellerton, Iowa and passed away June 19, 2004 at the age of 71.

Marvin went to Mount Ayr Community Schools and graduated in 1951. On November 1, 1953, he was united in marriage to Freida Moler in Mount Ayr. To this union two sons were born, David Alan and Brian Scott. They adopted a daughter Marla Kay. They also fostered several children. Marvin served his country in the US Navy from December 8, 1955 to August 30 1957. Marvin & Freida lived all of their lives in Mount Ayr except for the 2 years that they lived in Hawaii while Marvin was in the US Navy. Marvin worked a short time for the railroad before going into the Navy. When he returned home, he started working for Iowa Southern Utilities and retired from there 39 years later. Marvin's hobbies included fishing and pitching horseshoes. Marvin was a four time and current state horseshoe pitching champion. He was inducted into the IHHPA Hall of Fame in October, 2003. On June 19, 2004, Marvin passed away doing what he loved best; pitching in a tournament.

**Francis G Diller**, of Marshalltown, died Friday, June 11, 2004. Francis was born in Marshalltown on May 4, 1916.

On January 3, 1938 he was united in marriage to Helen Mathers. She preceded him in death on January 9, 1976. Two daughters were born of this union.

Francis joined the US Army in 1944 and served in Europe. After his return home, he began working at Swift's and worked until retirement in 1978. One of his accomplishments was playing Slo-Pitch Softball until the age of 65. Francis was a long time member of the IHHPA.

Iowa Hawkeye Horseshoe Pitchers Association



## NEWS RELEASE

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT WEST DES MOINES PARKS & REC. HORSESHOE PITCHING LEAGUE RESULTS (as of 5-26-04)

Always looking for new players. Join us from 6:30 to 8:00 pm.

| <u>Participant</u> | <u>Wins</u> |
|--------------------|-------------|
| Bob Ehrhart        | 10          |
| Ralph Davis        | 9           |
| Keith Baker        | 8           |
| Dean Fortune       | 7           |
| Steve Hylar        | 6           |
| Bob Voshell        | 6           |
| Terry Rupe         | 6           |
| Deb Davis          | 5.5         |
| Dick Huitt         | 5.5         |
| Bob Henderson      | 5           |
| LeRoy Law          | 5           |
| Fred Thompson      | 5           |
| Danny Sease        | 5           |
| Steve Hooten       | 4           |
| Connie Moore       | 4           |
| Ted Floden         | 3.5         |
| Dayton Allen       | 3           |
| John Ridgely       | 2.5         |
| Royal Hedgecock    | 2           |
| Jamie Allen        | 2           |
| Charlie Phipps     | 2           |
| Anthony Close      | 2           |
| Glen Warden        | 1.5         |
| Kacy Byrd          | 1           |
| Bob Rounds         | 1           |
| Jack Roush         | 1           |
| Ann Ghrist         | 1           |
| John Ghrist        | 1           |
| Josh Hooten        | 1           |
| Carl Kaiser        | 0.5         |

### KEN RASCO MEMORIAL LEAGUE – PICKARD PARK INDIANOLA (as of 6-17-04)

Join us on Thursday night at 6:30.

| <u>Participants</u> | <u>Wins</u> |
|---------------------|-------------|
| Deb Dalton          | 8           |
| Gordy Wells         | 7.5         |
| Darwin Mott         | 7           |
| Gerald Weeks        | 7           |
| Rusty Dalton        | 7           |
| Ron Moon            | 4           |
| Don Wilson          | 3.5         |
| Dick Huitt          | 3           |
| Ron Castleman       | 3           |
| Larry Borchert      | 2           |
| Jerry Dunkin        | 2           |
| Mic Wilson          | 2           |

I noticed the following article in the Adair, IA newspaper. I thought it was interesting and decided to share it with you.

**State Fair Makes Top 10 List of Fun Spots**

An article on the Top Ten Places America Goes to Have Fun in the May 16 issue of USA Weekend magazine includes the Iowa State Fair in spot number two. The 2004 Fair runs August 12-22.

The Iowa State Fair follows Las Vegas and bests New York City's Times Square, Cedar Point Amusement Park Resort in Sandusky, OH, Cape Cod, MA and Disneyland in Anaheim, CA.

According to USA Weekend, editors "asked travel experts, colleagues and anyone with an informed opinion on the serious matter of levity" where they went to "kick back, laugh, and be amazed and entertained." After cross-referencing the responses, the editors compiled a list of must-see spots, what they refer to as "sort of a national heritage trail of fun."

The article claims Iowa's Fair earns "a blue ribbon in fun year after year" and gives special mention to the Sesquicentennial celebration this year. (The first Iowa State Fair was held in Fairfield in 1854.) Duffy Lyon and her world-famous butter cow as well as deep-fried Twinkies also rated mentions.

USA Weekend is distributed in 600 newspapers including The Des Moines Sunday Register, with 50 million readers.

After 150 years, the Iowa State Fair is "Still the One."

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**NOTICE:** I want to thank Don Brandau and all who helped him finish up my work after I had to leave the tournament. You're a **GREAT BUNCH OF GUYS**, to help the elderly.

Thanks again, Russ Martin

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"No one ever says "It's only a game" when they are winning"

**CALL FOR NOMINATIONS**

It is time to solicit nominations for our associations Hall Of Fame and Frank Jackson awards. The Hall of Fame award is for Individuals who have demonstrated major or long-term service to our association. Members inducted into this select group consider this a great honor, and many continue to promote the sport of horseshoes.

The Frank Jackson award is for one individual who has done the most for the advancement of horseshoe pitching in Iowa the past year.

If you know individuals that fit these criteria, send info to me, including on your nomination, their name, how long they have been pitching, their specific accomplishments, and things you feel that make these horseshoe activities special.

The committee needs your help identifying these individuals so their efforts may be properly recognized. Thanks in advance. The deadline for these nominations is July 20, 2004.

Send to: Hall of Fame Committee  
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or e-mail to [richard@iastate.edu](mailto:richard@iastate.edu)

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**Dubuque Tournament- Saturday June 5th**

We had a beautiful day – sunshine – 78 degrees  
We had 42 pitchers – 6-7 person classes, from Iowa, Illinois, Wisconsin. Some traveled as far as 180 miles. They all received a door prize. Marv Kramer from Illinois won Class A with an average of 77+ percent. He received \$100 donated by Joe Dolter.

Thanks to Betty for the good food and Eleanor for the rubarb pies and brownies. Also had plenty of popcorn. Thanks to our league members for all of their help. And thanks to Tonya and Jamie for doing the book work. Everyone seemed to enjoy the day.

Mike Fishnick & Vern Mc Grath

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"I've reached the age where the happy hour is a nap"

**WHAT CHEER OPEN**  
May 23, 2004

**CLASS A**

|                    |            |     |      |
|--------------------|------------|-----|------|
| 1. Ed Walsh        | Albia      | 5-0 | 41.0 |
| 2. Vern Kollasch   | Iowa City  | 3-2 | 44.3 |
| 3. Betty Mc Gregor | Lone Tree  | 3-2 | 34.6 |
| 4. Bob Dugger      | What Cheer | 2-3 | 34.3 |
| 5. Art Brown       | Patterson  | 1-4 | 38.8 |
| 6. Darwin Mott     | Hartford   | 1-4 | 33.3 |

**CLASS B**

|                  |            |     |      |
|------------------|------------|-----|------|
| 1. Harold Benson | Albia      | 4-1 | 41.0 |
| 2. James Bown    | Delta      | 4-1 | 17.2 |
| 3. Ira Hartwick  | Bloomfield | 3-2 | 23.6 |
| 4. Walter Martin | Ottumwa    | 2-3 | 22.4 |
| 5. Dean Fortune  | Des Moines | 2-3 | 16.0 |
| 6. Matt Bombei   | Delta      | 0-5 | 6.0  |

**W DESMOINES VALLEY JUNCTION OPEN**  
May 27, 2004

**CLASS A**

|                  |              |     |      |
|------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Marv Woollums | Mt Ayr       | 5-0 | 57.2 |
| 2. LeRoy Law     | W Des Moines | 3-2 | 49.5 |
| 3. Ed Walsh      | Albia        | 3-2 | 46.4 |
| 4. Larry Purcell | Cedar Rapids | 2-3 | 50.7 |
| 5. Art Brown     | Patterson    | 2-3 | 39.7 |
| 6. Brett Robb    | Bouton       | 0-5 | 31.5 |

**CLASS B**

|                   |                 |     |      |
|-------------------|-----------------|-----|------|
| 1. Dick Gaskins   | Indianola       | 5-1 | 49.5 |
| 2. Jan Warwick    | Boone           | 4-2 | 42.5 |
| 3. Jack Roush     | W Des Moines    | 4-2 | 34.6 |
| 4. Keith Baker    | Clive           | 3-3 | 36.6 |
| 5. Dennis Hopkins | Missouri Valley | 2-4 | 37.5 |
| 6. Russ Martin    | Clarksville     | 2-4 | 28.7 |
| 7. Ira Hartwick   | Bloomfield      | 1-5 | 30.2 |

**CLASS C**

|                 |              |     |      |
|-----------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Bob Rounds   | Perry        | 5-0 | 31.2 |
| 2. Don Wilson   | Greenfield   | 4-1 | 24.4 |
| 3. James Bown   | Delta        | 3-2 | 21.2 |
| 4. Ken Cook     | Cedar Rapids | 2-3 | 31.2 |
| 5. Dean Fortune | Des Moines   | 1-4 | 20.0 |
| 6. Danny Sease  | Des Moines   | 0-5 | 17.6 |

**CLASS D**

|                    |              |     |      |
|--------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. John Ridgely    | De Soto      | 5-0 | 20.0 |
| 2. Ron Moon        | Indianola    | 3-2 | 12.4 |
| 3. Royal Hedgecock | W Des Moines | 3-2 | 12.0 |
| 4. Jim Kempkes     | Des Moines   | 2-3 | 11.2 |
| 5. Dick Huitt      | Des Moines   | 2-3 | 9.6  |
| 6. John Ghrist     | Des Moines   | 0-5 | 8.4  |

**DUBUQUE OPEN**  
June 5, 2004

**CLASS A**

|                   |              |     |      |
|-------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Marv Kramer    | Illinois     | 6-0 | 77.0 |
| 2. Bob Schaver    | Illinois     | 5-1 | 55.0 |
| 3. Bill Grobstick | Dubuque      | 4-2 | 54.5 |
| 4. LeRoy Law      | W Des Moines | 2-4 | 40.0 |
| 5. Norm Mauthe    | Wisconsin    | 2-4 | 35.0 |
| 6. Ken Schaver    | Illinois     | 1-5 | 40.8 |
| 7. Walt Behnke    | Marion       | 1-5 | 39.3 |

**CLASS B**

|                     |              |     |      |
|---------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Mike Fishnick Sr | Dubuque      | 5-1 | 48.3 |
| 2. Pat Simon        | Waterloo     | 5-1 | 46.7 |
| 3. Glenn Warden     | Des Moines   | 4-2 | 46.2 |
| 4. Bob Mc Kee       | Marshalltown | 3-3 | 37.3 |
| 5. Carl Kaiser      | Des Moines   | 2-4 | 37.5 |
| 6. Larry Purcell    | Cedar Rapids | 1-5 | 37.9 |
| 7. Charles Phipps   | Grimes       | 1-5 | 32.5 |

**CLASS C**

|                     |             |     |      |
|---------------------|-------------|-----|------|
| 1. Roger Doering    | Illinois    | 6-0 | 32.7 |
| 2. Larry Bolt       | Mt Auburn   | 5-1 | 40.0 |
| 3. Ken Brandt       | Arizona     | 3-3 | 30.8 |
| 4. Len Mauthe       | Wisconsin   | 2-4 | 32.5 |
| 5. Phyllis Von Thun | Camanche    | 2-4 | 31.2 |
| 6. Gary Elliott     | Muscatine   | 2-4 | 30.0 |
| 7. Russ Martin      | Clarksville | 1-5 | 23.7 |

**CLASS D**

|                    |              |     |      |
|--------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Bob Hardy       | New London   | 5-1 | 32.7 |
| 2. Vern Mc Grath   | Dubuque      | 4-2 | 28.2 |
| 3. Leonard Mullnix | Mt Auburn    | 3-3 | 27.0 |
| 4. John Bentz      | Wisconsin    | 3-3 | 26.6 |
| 5. Bob Block       | Sumner       | 3-3 | 21.6 |
| 6. Marian Mc Kee   | Marshalltown | 2-4 | 21.2 |
| 7. Fred Martin     | Washington   | 1-5 | 32.9 |

**CLASS E**

|                       |              |     |      |
|-----------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Ron Hook           | Illinois     | 5-1 | 36.6 |
| 2. Chuck Kinney       | Illinois     | 5-1 | 28.6 |
| 3. Francis Wagner     | Cedar Rapids | 4-2 | 26.2 |
| 4. Tim Fisher         | Illinois     | 3-3 | 26.6 |
| 5. Leona Gaines       | Mt Vernon    | 2-4 | 10.4 |
| 6. Ron Swartzendruber | Iowa City    | 1-5 | 20.9 |
| 7. Wade Bengé         | Mt Pleasant  | 1-5 | 17.5 |

**CLASS F**

|                     |          |     |      |
|---------------------|----------|-----|------|
| 1. Mike Fishnick Jr | Dubuque  | 6-0 | 10.4 |
| 2. Fay Schiebel     |          | 5-1 | 16.2 |
| 3. Rollie Von Thun  | Camanche | 4-2 | 15.4 |
| 4. Brad Mc Grath    | Dubuque  | 3-3 | 4.1  |
| 5. Dan Schiebel     |          | 2-4 | 9.1  |
| 6. Alan Duffy       | Dubuque  | 1-5 | 3.3  |
| 7. Nathan Duffy     | Dubuque  | 0-6 | 1.6  |

**SUMMER SUNSET – COUNCIL BLUFFS**

June 5, 2004

**CLASS A**

|                   |                 |     |      |
|-------------------|-----------------|-----|------|
| 1. Cathy Carter   | Council Bluffs  | 4-0 | 61.5 |
| 2. Lorin Mills    | Nebraska        | 2-2 | 56.5 |
| 3. Dennis Hopkins | Missouri Valley | 2-2 | 44.5 |
| 4. Jan Flemming   | Avoca           | 1-3 | 36.5 |
| 5. John Vlcan     | Nebraska        | 1-3 | 31.0 |

**CLASS B**

|                    |                |     |      |
|--------------------|----------------|-----|------|
| 1. Greg Sokolik    | Nebraska       | 4-0 | 31.5 |
| 2. Kirk Vannausdle | Red Oak        | 3-1 | 30.0 |
| 3. Clyde Rains     | Decatur        | 2-2 | 27.5 |
| 4. Bill Vogt       | Council Bluffs | 1-3 | 19.0 |
| 5. Ray Daugherty   | Council Bluffs | 0-4 | 20.5 |

**BURLINGTON OPEN**

June 6, 2004

**CLASS A**

|                   |              |     |      |
|-------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Bob Mc Kee     | Marshalltown | 5-0 | 51.0 |
| 2. Jim Jackson    | New London   | 4-1 | 42.8 |
| 3. Stoney Jackson | Burlington   | 3-2 | 35.0 |
| 4. Dean Wehrle    | Burlington   | 2-3 | 33.4 |
| 5. Bob Hardy      | New London   | 1-4 | 31.4 |

**CLASS B**

|                     |              |     |      |
|---------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Glen Speers      | Grandview    | 4-1 | 31.1 |
| 2. Steve Jackson    | Grandview    | 4-1 | 29.0 |
| 3. Charles Kinney   | Illinois     | 3-2 | 25.3 |
| 4. Marian Mc Kee    | Marshalltown | 3-2 | 22.2 |
| 5. Ron Fromm        | Mediapolis   | 1-4 | 14.3 |
| 6. Clarence Hammann | Wilton       | 0-5 | 12.5 |

**CLINTON OPEN**

June 12, 2004

**CLASS A**

|                   |          |     |      |
|-------------------|----------|-----|------|
| 1. Marvin Kramer  | Illinois | 5-0 | 72.8 |
| 2. Kelly Russell  | Illinois | 3-2 | 48.0 |
| 3. Bill Grobstick | Dubuque  | 2-3 | 57.6 |
| 4. Ken Schaver    | Illinois | 2-3 | 54.0 |
| 5. Bob Schaver    | Illinois | 2-3 | 53.6 |
| 6. Mike Fishnick  | Dubuque  | 1-4 | 45.2 |

**CLASS B**

|                   |           |     |      |
|-------------------|-----------|-----|------|
| 1. Larry Bolt     | Mt Auburn | 4-1 | 40.8 |
| 2. Ken Brandt     | Arizona   | 4-1 | 31.6 |
| 3. Louie Kruger   | Illinois  | 3-2 | 35.6 |
| 4. Vern Schroeder | Illinois  | 2-3 | 29.6 |
| 5. Vern Mc Grath  | Dubuque   | 2-3 | 28.4 |
| 6. Leonard Mauthe | Wisconsin | 0-5 | 21.2 |

**CLINTON OPEN (CON'T.)**

June 12, 2004

**CLASS C**

|                  |          |     |      |
|------------------|----------|-----|------|
| 1. Chuck Kinnery | Illinois | 5-0 | 33.2 |
| 2. Ron Hook      | Illinois | 3-2 | 30.0 |
| 3. Tim Fisher    | Illinois | 2-3 | 30.8 |
| 4. Don Hook      | Illinois | 2-3 | 29.6 |
| 5. Dale Bull     | Illinois | 1-4 | 29.2 |
| 6. Willie Olson  | Illinois | 1-4 | 23.6 |

**CLASS D**

|                     |          |     |      |
|---------------------|----------|-----|------|
| 1. Noel Little      | Illinois | 5-0 | 18.4 |
| 2. Mike Fishnick Jr | Dubuque  | 4-1 | 12.4 |
| 3. Shawn Russell    | Illinois | 4-1 | 6.9  |
| 4. Allan Duffy      | Dubuque  | 2-3 | .1   |
| 5. Harry Anderson   | Illinois | 1-4 | .6   |
| 6. Nathan Duffy     | Dubuque  | 0-5 | .1   |

**CEDAR RAPIDS OPEN**

June 19, 2004

**CLASS A**

|                  |              |     |      |
|------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Walt Behnke   | Marion       | 4-1 | 56.0 |
| 2. Bob Schaver   | Illinois     | 4-1 | 54.1 |
| 3. Larry Purcell | Cedar Rapids | 3-2 | 50.0 |
| 4. James Jackson | New London   | 2-3 | 44.9 |
| 5. Robert Card   | Dumont       | 1-4 | 47.7 |
| 6. Mike Fishnick | Dubuque      | 1-4 | 40.2 |

**CLASS B**

|                  |              |     |      |
|------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Bob Mc Kee    | Marshalltown | 5-0 | 52.2 |
| 2. Kelly Russell | Illinois     | 3-2 | 44.0 |
| 3. Leo Buell     | Iowa City    | 2-3 | 50.8 |
| 4. Pat Simon     | Waterloo     | 2-3 | 44.2 |
| 5. Larry Bolt    | Mt Auburn    | 2-3 | 43.8 |
| 6. Vern Kollasch | Iowa City    | 1-4 | 37.9 |

**CLASS C**

|                   |              |     |      |
|-------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Ronnie Burgess | Cedar Rapids | 4-1 | 41.4 |
| 2. Roger Doering  | Illinois     | 4-1 | 39.0 |
| 3. Jan Warwick    | Boone        | 3-2 | 36.8 |
| 4. Stoney Jackson | Burlington   | 2-3 | 39.0 |
| 5. Gary Elliott   | Muscatine    | 1-4 | 35.5 |
| 6. Leo Lamparek   | Cedar Rapids | 1-4 | 33.9 |

**CLASS D**

|                     |             |     |      |
|---------------------|-------------|-----|------|
| 1. Ron Hook         | Illinois    | 4-1 | 35.9 |
| 2. Phyliss Von Thun | Camanche    | 4-1 | 35.0 |
| 3. Vern Mc Grath    | Dubuque     | 3-2 | 33.4 |
| 4. Russ Martin      | Clarksville | 2-3 | 27.7 |
| 5. Don Marx         | Marion      | 1-4 | 30.4 |
| 6. Bob Hardy        | New London  | 1-4 | 27.2 |

**CEDAR RAPIDS OPEN(CON'T.)**  
June 19, 2004

**CLASS E**

|                  |              |     |      |
|------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Cliff Kinney  | Illinois     | 4-1 | 34.3 |
| 2. Bearl Bruffit | Illinois     | 3-2 | 28.4 |
| 3. Bob Block     | Sumner       | 3-2 | 24.7 |
| 4. Tim Fisher    | Illinois     | 2-3 | 33.0 |
| 5. Ken Cook      | Cedar Rapids | 2-3 | 25.2 |
| 6. Steve Jackson | Grandview    | 1-4 | 27.2 |

**CLASS F**

|                       |              |     |      |
|-----------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Don Hook           | Illinois     | 4-1 | 33.2 |
| 2. Francis Wagner     | Cedar Rapids | 3-2 | 25.6 |
| 3. Roger Tope         | Marion       | 3-2 | 25.4 |
| 4. Ron Swartzendruber | Iowa City    | 2-3 | 21.4 |
| 5. Marian Mc Kee      | Marshalltown | 2-3 | 18.7 |
| 6. Lee Drewelow       | Dumont       | 1-4 | 17.0 |

**CLASS G**

|                    |              |     |      |
|--------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Wade Bengé      | Mt Pleasant  | 5-0 | 19.2 |
| 2. Vicki Elliott   | Iowa City    | 4-1 | 11.5 |
| 3. Leona Gaines    | Mt Vernon    | 3-2 | 15.2 |
| 4. Clarence Hamman | Wilton       | 2-3 | 10.5 |
| 5. Harold Barker   | Marshalltown | 1-4 | 11.6 |
| 6. Rollie Von Thun | Comanche     | 0-5 | 7.3  |

**CLASS H**

|                     |              |     |      |
|---------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Mike Fishnick Jr | Dubuque      | 4-0 | 14.0 |
| 2. Alvin Chesley    | Cedar Rapids | 3-1 | 8.0  |
| 3. Harry Anderson   | Illinois     | 2-2 | 6.0  |
| 4. Shawn Russell    | Illinois     | 1-3 | 6.0  |
| 5. Alan Duffy       | Dubuque      | 0-4 | 3.5  |

**IOWA CITY OPEN**  
June 12, 2004

**CLASS A**

|                    |              |     |      |
|--------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Betty Mc Gregor | Lone Tree    | 4-0 | 50.5 |
| 2. Vern Kollasch   | Iowa City    | 3-2 | 46.0 |
| 3. Charlie Phipps  | Grimes       | 1-3 | 37.5 |
| 4. Ron Burgess     | Cedar Rapids | 1-3 | 32.0 |
| 5. Jim Jackson     | New London   | 1-3 | 27.5 |

**CLASS B**

|                   |              |     |      |
|-------------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 1. Stoney Jackson | Burlington   | 5-0 | 40.8 |
| 2. Dale Feye      | Cedar Rapids | 4-1 | 28.4 |
| 3. Leo Lamparek   | Cedar Rapids | 3-2 | 29.9 |
| 4. Bob Hardy      | New London   | 2-3 | 29.1 |
| 5. Ira Hartwick   | Bloomfield   | 1-4 | 28.8 |
| 6. Gary Elliott   | Muscatine    | 0-5 | 24.0 |

**IOWA CITY OPEN (CON'T.)**  
June 12, 2004

**CLASS C**

|                   |             |     |      |
|-------------------|-------------|-----|------|
| 1. Bob Bown       | Delta       | 3-1 | 19.0 |
| 2. Steve Jackson  | Grandview   | 2-2 | 24.5 |
| 3. Wade Bengé     | Mt Pleasant | 2-2 | 24.0 |
| 4. Dean Fortune   | Des Moines  | 2-2 | 20.5 |
| 5. Vickie Elliott | Muscatine   | 1-3 | 9.0  |

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(this was sent to me by one of our members)

TIL HE COMES!

On the outskirts of town, there was a big old pecan tree by the cemetery fence. One day two boys filled up a bucket with pecans and sat down by the tree, out of sight, and began dividing the nuts.

"One for you, and one for me. One for you, one for me." Said one boy. Several were dropped and rolled down toward the fence.

Another boy came riding along the road on his bicycle. As he passed he thought he heard voices from inside the cemetery. He slowed down to investigate.

Sure enough, he heard, "One for you, one for me."

He just knew what it was. "Oh my," he shuddered, "It's Satan and the Lord dividing the souls at the cemetery."

He jumped back on his bike and rode off. Just around the bend he met an old man with a cane, hobbling along.

"Come here quick," said the boy. "you won't believe what I just heard. Satan and the Lord are down at the cemetery dividing up souls."

The man said. "Beat it kid. Can't you see it's hard for me to walk."

When the boy insisted, the man hobbled to the cemetery. Standing by the fence they heard. "One for you, one for me." The old man whispered, "Boy, you've been telling the truth! Let's see the devil himself."

Shaking with fear, they peered through the fence, yet were still unable to see anything. They gripped the wrought iron bars tighter and tighter as they tried to get a glimpse of Satan. At last they heard, "One for you, one for me, and one last one for you. That's all. Now let's go get those nuts by the fence.

They say the old man made it back to town 5 minutes before the boy.

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