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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

### A LOOK AT WHAT'S AHEAD IN 2008

An abundance of **Tournaments** has once again been scheduled this year. When you see Ron Swartzendruber, tell him thanks for putting the schedule together. There will be approximately seventy tournaments held, weather permitting. The full schedule and card schedule are included in this issue. So far this Winter, the attendance at our Eldora Indoor Facility has been good considering the weather we have had so far. The welcome mat is out for you to pick out a date to come to Eldora.

### EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

An Executive Board Meeting was held January 6<sup>th</sup> concerning the IHHPA Website. It was decided that a **new website** will be built that will replace the present one. Some items will be retained and there will be new ones added. The site will not have advertisements. Some of the new items are the Newsletter, By-Laws, Iowa State Fair and much more. Go to <http://ihhpa.890m.com/>

This is the new IHHPA website that replaces the old one. It is still under construction and you can review the progress.

### WORLD TOURNAMENT

The 2008 World Tournament will be held in York, Pennsylvania. To be eligible to pitch in this WT, you must have pitched in four (4) sanctioned events in the preceding twelve (12) months, at your division's pitching distance, prior to May 15, 2008. Only one (1) event for Juniors. An entry form and other World Tournament information can be found in the *NHPA Newslite* or the NHPA website. An entry form is also included with this newsletter. Entry deadline must be postmarked by May 15<sup>th</sup>. As previously reported, we will be at the York, Pennsylvania World Tournament promoting our bid to host the 2010 World Tournament in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. We have a very strong and energetic partner in the Cedar Rapids Convention and Visitors Bureau. They have

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committed both personnel and finances to help us, the City of Cedar Rapids, and the State of Iowa bring this prestigious event to Iowa. I am encouraging you to attend the World Tournament in York this year. Along with experiencing WT competition, there are plenty of things to do and see in this area of the United States. We also could use as much help as we can get in promoting our bid for 2010.

#### NHPF HALL OF FAME

By now most of you have heard and/or read about the National Hall of Fame. Most of you know that the NHPA Hall of Fame is located in our neighboring state of Missouri. I have been told and have read that it is a beautiful facility. I hope to visit the site this year and hope you can make plans to do so in the future also. I read in the *Newsline* that less than 10% of NHPA members have made donations to support this facility that was built to preserve the past and build the future of horseshoe pitching. The building and upkeep of this showcase for horseshoe pitching gives all of us the opportunity to contribute what we can to insure its perpetual success and existence. Either by purchasing a Commemorative Brick or sending a check for the amount you choose, you will show that you care. Your tax-deductible donation should be sent to the NHPF, P.O. Box 1628, Penn Valley CA 95946.

HAD A COUPLE OF RINGERS GO ON UPSIDE DOWN THE OTHER DAY. RINGERBOB CALLED THEM LUCK. I TOLD HIM I SHOULD BE ABLE TO COUNT SIX FOR EACH OF THEM. ANYBODY CAN PITCH RINGERS THE RIGHT WAY, BUT IT TAKES SKILL TO PITCH THEM THE WRONG WAY.

-- LeRoy Law



Eldora Horseshoe Club  
Of Central Iowa



*Home of the Putt Mossman Indoor Courts  
Pitch indoors from November 'til March.  
First two weekends of the month.  
Register by 9:30 a.m., start at 10:00*

February 3<sup>rd</sup> - Joe Smith 641/691-9009  
February 9 & 10 - Joe Smith  
March 8 & 9 - Russ Martin 319/278-4090  
April 5 & 6 - Russ Martin

Eldora Indoor Championship April 12<sup>th</sup> - **This tournament only: Register by 9:00 a.m. play at 9:30.** Open to first 46 pitchers to register. Bob McKee, Tournament Director, 641/485-8801; 641/53-7311; ringerbob@marshallnet.com

**Tear down courts on Monday, April 14<sup>th</sup>**

## CONDOLENCES

**Harold Floyd Darnold** of Burlington, Iowa, passed away December 19, 2007, in Iowa City.

Born March 30, 1925 in West Burlington., Harold was a Burlington Northern Machinist Locomotive Inspector for 17 years. He also worked at Camp Cleaners for 25 years. He served in the Air Force during World War II and was the last surviving member of the crew that manned the B-17 named *Ray's Hell*, which carried a horseshoe on every mission.

He was director and manager of the Iowa Corn Belt Horseshoe Tournament in Crapo Park starting in 1954. He was inducted into the IHHPA Hall of Fame in 1982, and into the NHPA Hall of Fame in 1994.

He was runner up at the State Championships in 1980 and 1982. He placed third in the Intermediate Class at the World Championship in 1990, throwing 59.6%.

Harold Garner, of Melrose, said that people would get him and Harold Darnold mixed up at tournaments. Harold Garner also said that Harold Darnold was a fun guy to pitch against.

Harold was also an avid billiards player and bowler. In 1964 and 1965 he was the straight pool city champion. The pallbearers at his funeral were the members of his pool team. His family held the funeral reception at Whitey's Bar and Billiards in Burlington.

Harold is survived by his son, Jerry Darnold, of Burlington. Condolences may be directed to Prugh Funeral Service, 317 N. 4<sup>th</sup> St., Burlington, IA 52601, [www.prughfuneralservice.com](http://www.prughfuneralservice.com).



## 2008 IOWA WINTER GAMES

Good Luck to this Year's participants in the Iowa Winter Games. The following individuals are scheduled to play horseshoes on Saturday, February 2<sup>nd</sup> in Eldora: Doug Anderson, James Bown, C. Leo Buell, Charles Cizio, Jason Clark, Jordan Cooper, Richard Cranston, Tom Cranston, Bob Curry, Sam Curry, Deb Davis, Ralph Davis, Marvin Dirks, Marv Doehrmann, Jessica Dougherty, Marvin Engstler, Leona Gaines, Roger Gaulke, Mark Hoover, Terry Hudson, Larry Johnson, Carl Kaiser, Owen Kapayou, Rick Kromminga, Bill Mason, Sheryl Mason, Ronald McBride, Donald Meyer, Gilbert Nickell, John Peterson, Robert Rounds, Ron Rowley, Patrick J. Simon Sr., Donald Smith, Jason Smith, Joe Smith, Ron Stanerson, Ron Swartzendruber, Bob Waldo, Bob Walters, Glenn Warden, and Rachel Zuidema.

**SPONSOR A NEW MEMBER & RECEIVE  
\$50.00!!!!!!**

To encourage current members to ask others to join the sport of horseshoes, Ronnie Burgess will pay each current member \$50.00 as reimbursement for their 2008 IHPA membership fee of \$25.00, plus an additional \$25.00.

To get the \$50.00, have the new member complete the 2008 IHPA membership application, and include the name of the sponsoring member. Send the completed form to Ron Rowley along with the required fee for the 2008 membership.

The new member must then participate in a minimum of three sanctioned tournaments during the 2008 season. As soon as the new member qualifies and their three tournaments have been posted on the National Stats, send the attached rebate form to Ronnie Burgess. One \$50.00 award per member.



**ELDORA INDOORS  
Saturday, January 5, 2008**

**Class A**

Joe Smith	Gladbrook	1 <sup>st</sup>	5-0	66.51
Will Foelske	Waverly	2 <sup>nd</sup>	4-1	55.90
Leo Buell	Iowa City	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3-2	53.46
Vern Kollasch	Iowa City	4 <sup>th</sup>	2-3	46.63
Glenn Warden	Mitchellville	5 <sup>th</sup>	1-4	43.22
LeRoy Law	W.Des Moines	6 <sup>th</sup>	0-5	39.28

**Class B**

Bob McKee	Marshalltown	1 <sup>st</sup>	5-1	43.52
Ron Stanerson	Marengo	2 <sup>nd</sup>	4-2	36.98
Ron Burgess	Cedar Rapids	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3-3	43.12
Bob Waldo	Iowa Falls	4 <sup>th</sup>	3-3	31.81
Carl Kaiser	Des Moines	5 <sup>th</sup>	2-4	36.84
Doug Anderson	Stratford	6 <sup>th</sup>	2-4	35.47
Ron Rowley	W.Des Moines	7 <sup>th</sup>	2-4	34.82

**Class C**

Chuck McFadden	Des Moines	1 <sup>st</sup>	5-1	36.69
Dick Walker	Cambridge	2 <sup>nd</sup>	5-1	34.00
Sheryl Mason	Grinnell	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4-2	31.81
John Peterson	Ottumwa	4 <sup>th</sup>	3-3	26.76
Don Meyer	Rockwell	5 <sup>th</sup>	2-4	25.70
Vern McGrath	Dubuque	6 <sup>th</sup>	1-5	24.48
Mike Littell		7 <sup>th</sup>	1-5	20.20

**Class D**

Marv Dirks	Fonda	1 <sup>st</sup>	5-0	25.00
Ken Bailey	Dallas Center	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3-2	26.37
Bill Mason	Grinnell	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3-2	21.95
James Bown	Delta	4 <sup>th</sup>	2-3	23.62
Marian McKee	Marshalltown	5 <sup>th</sup>	2-3	22.17
Gilbert Nickell	Renwick	6 <sup>th</sup>	0-5	21.54

**Class E**

Roger Gaulke	Dows	1 <sup>st</sup>	5-0	29.05
Gary McFadden	Des Moines	2 <sup>nd</sup>	4-1	24.79
Dean Fortune	Des Moines	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3-2	20.56
Mitchell Fitz	Readlyn	4 <sup>th</sup>	2-3	15.04
Terry Slickers	Waterloo	5 <sup>th</sup>	1-4	13.33
Gene Fitz	Waterloo	6 <sup>th</sup>	0-5	12.39

**Class F**

Bob Curry	Williamsburg	1 <sup>st</sup>	5-0	17.50
Don Smith	Leon	2 <sup>nd</sup>	4-1	9.00
Jordan Cooper	Mitchellville	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3-2	13.50
Walt McFadden	Des Moines	4 <sup>th</sup>	2-3	16.00
Alan Kuntz	Rockford	5 <sup>th</sup>	1-4	12.00
Lauren Fitz	Readlyn	6 <sup>th</sup>	0-5	4.50

**ELDORA INDOORS**

**Sunday, January 6, 2008**

**Class A**

Leo Buell	Iowa City	1 <sup>st</sup>	4-1	43.04
Glenn Warden	Mitchellville	2 <sup>nd</sup>	4-1	42.27
Bob McKee	Marshalltown	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3-2	42.50
Vern Kollasch	Iowa City	4 <sup>th</sup>	2-3	41.26
Ron Rowley	W.Des Moines	5 <sup>th</sup>	1-4	37.91
LeRoy Law	W.Des Moines	6 <sup>th</sup>	0-5	34.55

**Class B**

Deb Davis	Ankeny	1 <sup>st</sup>	4-0	45.00
Marv Dirks	Fonda	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2-2	25.50
Bob Rounds	Perry	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2-2	24.24
Dean Fortune	Des Moines	4 <sup>th</sup>	2-2	21.97
Marian McKee	Marshalltown	5 <sup>th</sup>	0-4	14.00

**Class C**

Ralph Davis	Ankeny	1 <sup>st</sup>	4-0	29.12
Lee Drewelow	Independence	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3-1	18.00
R.Swatzendruber	Iowa City	3 <sup>rd</sup>	1-3	13.77
Bob Walters	Eldora	4 <sup>th</sup>	1-3	10.18
Danny Sease	Des Moines	5 <sup>th</sup>	1-3	9.90

**Class D**

Jordan Cooper	Mitchellville	1 <sup>st</sup>	4-0	16.00
Mark Hoover	Eldora	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2-2	13.50
Alan Kuntz	Rockford	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2-2	12.00
Steve Fini	Mitchellville	4 <sup>th</sup>	1-3	8.50
Don Smith	Leon	5 <sup>th</sup>	1-3	6.50

**ELDORA INDOORS**

**Saturday, January 12, 2008**

**Class A**

Joe Smith	Gladbrook	1 <sup>st</sup>	5-0	66.60
LeRoy Law	W.Des Moines	2 <sup>nd</sup>	4-1	49.15
Glenn Warden	Mitchellville	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3-2	51.30
Vern Kollasch	Iowa City	4 <sup>th</sup>	2-3	40.70
Bob McKee	Marshalltown	5 <sup>th</sup>	1-4	41.36
Ronnie Burgess	Cedar Rapids	6 <sup>th</sup>	0-5	38.18

**Class B**

Ron Rowley	W. Des Moines	1 <sup>st</sup>	4-1	43.14
Doug Anderson	Stratford	2 <sup>nd</sup>	4-1	37.50
Pat Simon	Waterloo	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2-3	34.05
Bob Waldo	Iowa Falls	4 <sup>th</sup>	2-3	33.61
Carl Kaiser	Des Moines	5 <sup>th</sup>	2-3	33.33
Ron Stanerson	Marengo	6 <sup>th</sup>	1-4	35.60

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**Class C**

Don Meyer	Rockwell	1 <sup>st</sup>	5-0	35.50
Dick Walker	Cambridge	2 <sup>nd</sup>	4-1	36.50
John Peterson	Ottumwa	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3-2	25.00
Roger Tope	Marion	4 <sup>th</sup>	2-3	20.00
Tom Cranston	Parnell	5 <sup>th</sup>	1-4	20.50

**Class D**

Bob Rounds	Perry	1 <sup>st</sup>	4-1	29.27
Mark Dirks	Fonda	2 <sup>nd</sup>	4-1	22.98
Greg Sweerin	Evansdale	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2-3	25.80
James Bown	Delta	4 <sup>th</sup>	2-3	22.60
Richard Cranston	Keswick	5 <sup>th</sup>	2-3	22.07
Marian McKee	Marshalltown	6 <sup>th</sup>	1-4	17.38

**Class E**

Roger Gaulke	Dows	1 <sup>st</sup>	4-0	28.00
Gene Fitz	Waterloo	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2-2	20.60
Dave Weston	Iowa Falls	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2-2	20.00
Dean Fortune	Des Moines	4 <sup>th</sup>	1-3	16.00
Sam Curry	Homestead	5 <sup>th</sup>	0-4	16.40

**Class F**

Terry Hudson	New Sharon	1 <sup>st</sup>	4-0	22.94
Mitchell Fitz	Readlyn	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3-1	14.13
Bob Curry	Williamsburg	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2-2	17.67
Lauren Fitz	Readlyn	4 <sup>th</sup>	1-3	10.00

**ELDORA INDOORS**

**Sunday, January 13, 2008**

**Class A**

Ron Rowley	W.Des Moines	1 <sup>st</sup>	4-0	52.33
Glenn Warden	Mitchellville	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3-1	46.06
Vern Kollasch	Iowa City	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2-2	45.69
LeRoy Law	W.Des Moines	4 <sup>th</sup>	1-3	35.20
Leo Buell	Iowa City	5 <sup>th</sup>	0-4	43.81

**Class B**

Marv Engstler	Garner	1 <sup>st</sup>	5-0	54.54
Dick Walker	Cambridge	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3-2	30.89
Betty McGregor	Lone Tree	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3-2	28.07
Deb Davis	Ankeny	4 <sup>th</sup>	2-3	32.77
Carl Kaiser	Des Moines	5 <sup>th</sup>	2-3	30.08
Roger Tope	Marion	6 <sup>th</sup>	0-5	17.43

**Class C**

Bill Mason	Grinnell	1 <sup>st</sup>	3-1	30.39
Sheryl Mason	Grinnell	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2-2	33.05
Bob Rounds	Perry	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2-2	24.01
Marv Dirks	Fonda	4 <sup>th</sup>	2-2	24.00
Ralph Davis	Ankeny	5 <sup>th</sup>	1-3	26.50

**Class D**

Ron McBride	Iowa City	1 <sup>st</sup>	4-0	16.00
Mark Hoover	Eldora	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2-2	15.00
Steve Fini	Mitchellville	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2-2	11.53
Bob Walters	Eldora	4 <sup>th</sup>	2-2	7.50
R.Swartzendruber	Iowa City	5 <sup>th</sup>	0-4	15.00

**ELDORA INDOORS**

**Saturday, January 19, 2008**

**Class A**

Joe Smith	Gladbrook	1 <sup>st</sup>	5-0	66.02
LeRoy Law	W.Des Moines	2 <sup>nd</sup>	4-1	50.92
Glenn Warden	Mitchellville	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3-2	48.18
Ron Rowley	W.Des Moines	4 <sup>th</sup>	2-3	42.34
Bob McKee	Marshalltown	5 <sup>th</sup>	1-4	38.79
Carl Kaiser	Des Moines	6 <sup>th</sup>	0-5	28.33

**Class B**

Pat Simon	Waterloo	1 <sup>st</sup>	4-0	41.00
Richard Timmer	Illinois	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3-1	38.00
Don Meyer	Rockford	3 <sup>rd</sup>	1-3	32.00
Dick Walker	Cambridge	4 <sup>th</sup>	1-3	30.00
Walt Green	Illinois	5 <sup>th</sup>	1-3	26.50

**Class C**

Jerry Crayne	Illinois	1 <sup>st</sup>	3-1	33.00
Marv Dirks	Fonda	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3-1	27.51
Bob Rounds	Perry	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2-2	28.00
Roger Reed	Illinois	4 <sup>th</sup>	1-3	27.00
Greg Sweerin	Evansdale	5 <sup>th</sup>	1-3	22.50

**Class D**

Bob Curry	Williamsburg	1 <sup>st</sup>	4-0	22.50
Dave Weston	Iowa Falls	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3-1	22.50
Gene Fitz	Waterloo	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2-2	18.50
Mitch Fitz	Readlyn	4 <sup>th</sup>	1-3	10.50
Sam Curry	Homestead	5 <sup>th</sup>	0-4	9.50

**Class E**

Bruce Sweet	Mitchellville	1 <sup>st</sup>	4-0	18.50
Bob Walters	Eldora	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3-1	16.00
Terry Slickers	Waterloo	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2-2	11.00
Lauren Fitz	Readlyn	4 <sup>th</sup>	1-3	9.00
Tommy Sweet	Mitchellville	5 <sup>th</sup>	0-4	5.00

**ELDORA INDOORS**

**Sunday, January 20, 2008**

**Class A**

LeRoy Law	W.Des Moines	1 <sup>st</sup>	4-2	50.80
Ron Rowley	W.Des Moines	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3-3	48.30
Glenn Warden	Mitchellville	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3-3	44.50
Bob McKee	Marshalltown	4 <sup>th</sup>	2-4	40.40

**Class B**

Sheryl Mason	Grinnell	1 <sup>st</sup>	5-1	29.10
Bill Mason	Grinnell	2 <sup>nd</sup>	4-2	27.90
Jordan Cooper	Mitchellville	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3-3	18.70
Tommy Sweet	Mitchellville	4 <sup>th</sup>	0-6	5.80

*From the Editors:*

This is the last issue for the 2007 season. **THE NEXT ISSUE WILL BE April 1, 2008, and will be sent to 2008 members only.** Please submit articles and tournament results by **March 20<sup>th</sup>.**

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## IHHPA 2008 TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Tournaments are IHHPA Sanctioned and IHHPA membership is required unless designated as Non - Sanctioned ( NS ).

New Players are always welcome. For IHHPA membership information, contact :  
Ron Rowley, Sec./Treas. , 515 - 707 - 6852 , Rowleywr@mchsi.com

**ELDORA INDOOR TOURNAMENTS** - Mar = 1st & 2nd / 8th & 9th // Apr 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Tourn Dir: Russ Martin 319-278-4090 // Apr 12<sup>th</sup> Eldora Indoor Horseshoe Pitching Championship / Reg by 9 a.m., play at 9:30 a.m. We will play the first 46 pitchers to register . Tourn Dir: Bob McKee 641 - 485 - 8801 / Cell 641 - 753 - 7311 / ringer bob@marshallnet.com // Russ Martin 319-278-4090 // LeRoy Law 515-681-1937. **TEAR**

### **DOWN COURTS ON MONDAY , APRIL 14th, 2008.**

**May 3 - ( Sat ) Indianola Open** - Pickard Park - East edge of town on Hwy 92 - Sanc No - 024 - 08 - 017 - Register by 9:30 / Play at 10:00 - No Food - Gerald Weeks 515 - 961 - 4656 / Cell 515 - 360 - 1776.

**May 4 - ( Sun ) Council Bluffs** - SWIHPA Anniversary - Sunset Park - 16<sup>th</sup> Ave & 11<sup>th</sup> St - Sanc No- 024- 08 - 018 - Register by 12:30 PM / Play at 1:00 PM - Entry Fee \$7.00 - Food nearby - Jan Flemming 712 - 483 - 2029 / (Cell) 402-639-6962.

**May 10 - ( Sat ) - Cedar Rapids Open** - Ellis Park , Ellis Blvd - Sanc No - 024 - 08 - 019 - Register by 9:30 / Play at 10:00 - Entry Fee \$12.50 (Includes Scorekeeping) - Food nearby - Ronnie Burgess 319 - 390 - 3979.

\* \* \* **MAY 16 -17- 18 , 2008 --- TEAM WORLD** \* \* \*

**May 18 - ( Sun ) - What Cheer** - Keokuk County Fairgrounds - Sanc No - 024-08 - 020 - Register by 9:00 / Play at 9:30 - Entry Fee \$10.00 - Food nearby - Nine courts under one roof - All pitchers, please be present by 9:00AM - Bob Dugger ( Cell ) 641 - 295 - 2951.

**May 31 - ( Sat ) - Cedar Rapids Open** - Sanc No - 024-08 - 021 - Same as May 10<sup>th</sup>.

**June 1 - ( Sun ) - Burlington Open** - Crapo Park - Sanc No - 024-08 - 022 - Register by 9:30 / Play at 10:00 - Entry Fee \$10.00 - Food Nearby - Steve Jackson 319 - 754 - 5058 / Cell 319 - 750 - 2259.

**June 1 - ( Sun ) - Council Bluffs** - Summer Set - Sanc No - 024-08-023 - Same as May 4<sup>th</sup>.

**June 5 - ( Thur ) - West Des Moines** - Iowa Senior Olympics - ( Holiday Park ) - Non Sanc - Pre Register by May 23<sup>rd</sup> - Call 515 - 633 - 5011 for entry form - Play at 3:00 PM - Entry Fee \$25.00 (Allows entry in other events) - LeRoy Law 515 - 681 - 1937. law ringers@msn.com

**June 7 - ( Sat ) - Dubuque Open** - Flora Park - Sanc No - 024-08-024 - Register by 9:30 / Play at 10:00 - Entry Fee \$12.50 (Includes Scorekeeping) - Food HyVee catered, must order at time of sign-in - Mike Fishnick 563 - 556 - 2811 / Cell 563 - 590 - 6483.

**June 8 - ( Sun ) - Clinton Open** - 9<sup>th</sup> Ave. No. & 3<sup>rd</sup> St. - Sanc No - 024-08-025 - Register by 9:30 / Play at 10:00 - Entry Fee \$10.00 - Food nearby - Donny Borchers 563 - 843 - 3488 / (Cell) 563 - 210 - 3847.

**June 14 - ( Sat ) - Charles City** - North Central Regional - Park on Clark St - Sanc No - 024-08-026 - Register by 9:30 / Play at 10:00 - Entry Fee \$10.00 - Food nearby - Russ Martin 319 - 278 - 4090.

**June 14 - ( Sat ) - Russell Open** - Community Building - Sanc No - 024-08-027 - Register by 9:30 / Play at 10:00 - Entry Fee \$10.00 - Food available - Harold & Lois Garner 641 - 897 - 3174 / (Cell) 641 - 203 - 1719.

**June 19 - ( Thur ) - Des Moines** - Iowa State Fair June Open - Iowa State Fairgrounds next to Pioneer Hall - Park by courts - Sanc No - 024-08-028 - Register by 9:30 / Play at 10:00 - Entry Fee \$11.00 - Food Nearby - Danny Sease 515-238-1043.

**June 21 - ( Sat ) - Iowa City Open** - Iowa City Park - Dubuque St. to Park Rd ,City Park off of Park Rd - Sanc No - 024-08-029 - Register by 9:30 / Play at 10:00 - Entry Fee \$13.50 (Includes Scorekeeping) - First Place in EACH Class gets \$30.00 - Food HyVee catered (must order at time of sign in) - Leo Buell 319 - 338 - 8256 / Ron Swartzendruber 319 - 354 - 2382 / (Cell) 319 - 530 - 3763.

**June 22 - ( Sun ) - Mount Pleasant Open** - East Pine Lake Park - Sanc No - 024-08-030 - Register by 9:30 / Play at 10:00 - All pitchers, please be present by 9:30 - Entry Fee \$10.00 - No food - Vern Kollasch 319 - 337 - 7020 / (Cell) 319 - 321-0747.

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**July 4 - ( Fri ) - West Des Moines** - Holiday Classic - Holiday Park - Railroad Ave. - North on 10<sup>th</sup> St. - Sanc No - 024-08-031 - Register by 9:30 / Play at 10:00 - Entry Fee \$10.00 - Food HyVee catered, order at time of sign in - LeRoy Law 515 - 224 - 2000 / (Cell) 515 - 681 - 1937. law ringers@msn.com

**July 5 ( Sat ) - Marshalltown - Al Burgess Memorial - Moose Lodge - 1710 E. Olive St. - Sanc No - 024-08-032 - Register by 9:30 / Play at 10:00 - Entry Fee \$12.50 (Includes Scorekeeping) - Food available - Bob McKee 641 - 753 - 7311 / (Cell) 641 - 485 - 8801 / ringer [bob@marshallnet.com](mailto:bob@marshallnet.com).**

**July 6 - ( Sun ) - Council Bluffs - Sunset Classic - Sanc No - 024-08-033 - Same as May 4<sup>th</sup>.**

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**July 13 - ( Sun ) - What Cheer - Keokuk County Fairgrounds - Sanc No - 024-08-034 - Food is available - Same as May 18.**

**July 19 - ( Sat ) - Boone County Fair - Crazy Day's Open - Memorial Park - 20<sup>th</sup> and Story - Sanc No - 024-08-035 - Register by 9:30 / Play at 10:00 - Entry Fee \$10.00 - Food nearby - Mike McNace 515 - 230 - 3355.**

**July 20 - ( Sun ) - Winterset - Madison County Fairgrounds - S.W. edge of town - Sanc No - 024-08-036 - Register by 9:30 / Play at 10:00 - Entry Fee \$10.00 - Food available - John Pletchette (Office) 515 - 462 - 3258 or 515 - 468 - 1176.**

**July 26 - ( Sat ) - Cedar Rapids Open - Sanc No -024-08-037 - Same as May 10<sup>th</sup>.**

**July 26 ( Sat ) - Ames "Iowa Games Open" - Brookside Park - 6<sup>th</sup> St. (east side of river by tennis courts) - Non - Sanc - Pre-Registration is required using Iowa Games Entry Forms - Entry forms are available at HyVee Food Stores or may be printed from online ( [www.iowagames.org](http://www.iowagames.org) ) - Jan Warwick 515 - 292 - 7343 / (Cell) 515-290-6281.**

**July 27 - ( Sun ) - Clinton Open - Sanc No - -024-08-038 - Same as June 8<sup>th</sup>.**

**Aug 2 - ( Sat ) - Iowa City Open - Sanc No - 024-08-039 - Same as June 21<sup>st</sup>.**

**Aug 3 - ( Sun ) - Council Bluffs - State Fair Warm Up - Sanc No - 024-08-040 - Same as May 4<sup>th</sup>.**

**Aug 7 thru 17<sup>th</sup> - IOWA STATE FAIR - Des Moines - Iowa State Fairgrounds - "PLAY EVERYDAY" - "FUN FOR EVERYONE" - Schedule of events in Newsletter - State Championships on the week ends - Danny Sease, Supt. 515 - 285 - 0131 / (Cell) 515 - 238 - 1293 / [ddsease@msn.com](mailto:ddsease@msn.com) .**

**Aug 23 - ( Sat ) - Cedar Rapids Open - Sanc No - 024-08-041 - Same as May 10<sup>th</sup>.**

**Aug 24 - ( Sun ) - Ottumwa Open - Sanc No - 024-08-042 - Register by 9:30 / Play at 10:00 - Entry Fee \$10:00 - Food nearby - John Peterson 319 - 430 - 1092 // Bob Bown 641 - 624 - 2006.**

**Aug 30 - ( Sat ) - West Des Moines - Valley Junction Open - Sanc No - 024-08-043 - Same as July 4<sup>th</sup> .**

**Sept 6 - ( SAT ) - Eldora Open - 14<sup>th</sup> St & 16 Ave - From signal light on Hwy 175, go south on Hwy 215 then west on 16<sup>th</sup> Ave - Sanc No - 024-08-044 - Register by 9:30 / Play at 10:00 - Entry Fee \$12.50 ( Includes Scorekeeping ) - Food nearby - Joe Smith 641 - 473 - 3097 / (Cell) 641 - 691 - 9009.**

**Sept 7 - ( Sun ) - Boone - Puffer Billy Day's - Sanc No - 024-08-045 - Same as July 19<sup>th</sup> .**

**Sept 13 - ( Sat ) - Cedar Rapids Open - Sanc No - 024-08-046 - Same as May 10<sup>th</sup> .**

**Sept 14 - ( Sun ) - Burlington - Corn Belt Open - Crapo Park - Sanc No - 024-08-047 - Register by 9:30 / Play at 10:00 - All classes be ready to pitch at 9:30 - Entry Fee \$12.00 - Food nearby - Steve Jackson 319 - 754 - 5058 / (Cell) 319 - 750 - 2259.**

**Sept 20 - ( Sat ) - Iowa City Open - Sanc No - 024-08-048 - Same as June 21<sup>st</sup>.**

**Sept 27 - ( Sat ) - Russell Open - Sanc No - 024-08-049 - Same as June 14<sup>th</sup> .**

**Oct 4 - ( Sat ) - Indianola Open - Pickard Park - Sanc No - 024-08-050 - Register by 9:30 / Play at 10:00 - Entry Fee \$10.00 - Food Nearby - Rusty & Deb Dalton 515 - 961 - 8046 / (Cell) 515 - 554 - 5610.**

**Oct 11 - ( Sat ) - Winterset - Madison County Covered Bridge Festival - Sanc No - 024-08-051 - Same as July 20<sup>th</sup> .**

**Oct 25 - ( Sat ) - ANNUAL MEETING - MARSHALLTOWN - MOOSE LODGE - 1516 E. OLIVE ST. - 10:00 A M - MEAL \$12.00 - PRE-PAY OR CONTACT RON ROWLEY FOR MEAL COUNT- "EVERYONE'S INPUT IS NEEDED !!" - PLEASE MAKE PLANS TO ATTEND .**