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# IOWA HAWKEYE HORSESHOE PITCHERS ASSOCIATION



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## NOVEMBER 2018

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### REMEMBERING CARL



Carl was born on March 13, 1923, in Des Moines, Iowa. He was educated in the Des Moines Public Schools and graduated from East High School where, like many from his family, he excelled in track. Following graduation, Carl enlisted in the United States Army and served in the Pacific theater during WWII. He was awarded the Purple Heart for his

faithful and courageous service. After receiving an honorable discharge, he returned to Des Moines to begin civilian life.

At a young age, Carl married Sylvia Forrester-Kaiser. From this union, six children were born. Later in life, he married Rosalie Robinson-Kaiser. From this union, he was blessed with six additional children. Carl was a dedicated family man, the consummate father, and remained faithful to his paternal duties until his passing. He was described as being liberal in his parenting, but never permissive.

Carl excelled in many activities and possessed a wealth of knowledge. His knowledge extended into medicinal herbs, medicines, and homeopathic cures. Physically, he was still the family pull up champion in his 90's. He could seemingly effortlessly pitch a horseshoe from forty feet until the time of his passing. His absolute favorite pass time was attending the

Drake Relays. He attended every year except while he was overseas serving in the Army. Those who attended his memorial service will enjoy telling you about his "Kansas City cousins".

Carl was introduced to competitive horseshoe pitching by fellow US Post Office employee, Danny Sease in 1990, 28 years ago. He pitched in the Tuesday night Central Iowa Traveling Horseshoe League and also pitched in the Wednesday night league. In the fall, he pitched in the Wednesday night sanctioned league. For years, he attended most Eldora Indoor Tournaments and regularly helped set up and tear down the courts during the winter. Carl assisted three different Iowa State Fair Superintendents of Horseshoes for over 20 years and was the longest ever member of the Fair's horseshoe grounds crew. For years, he has been among the leaders of the most IHPA tournaments played. LeRoy Law believes that Carl has probably pitched at every court location in Iowa. He has pitched in the State Championship Forty Foot Class at the Iowa State Fair many times and has probably pitched in all other pitching events at the Fair. He has participated in several World Tournaments and traveled to other states to pitch in major tournaments. In 2015, Carl was inducted into the Iowa Hawkeye Horseshoe Pitchers Hall of Fame.

We will miss Carl's laugh, his smile, his friendly disposition on and off the court, and his advice. He has been an extraordinary true credit to the sport of horseshoes and the IHPA. Most of all, he has been a great friend.

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### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Hello, from your president. We have had a pretty good summer and fall, except for all the rain that we have had. Our annual meeting went well. The winter season is coming, and it sounds like we are going to get some more "snow" in the forecast. With that being said, we all need

to remember our "winter" driving skills. The indoor season is about to be in full swing starting November 3rd, then on the 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> of November. There will be none in December, starting back up on January 5<sup>th</sup>. With that being said, I would like to wish everyone safe travels to and from tournaments and a safe holiday season. Hope to see everyone at a tournament or two this winter. Thank you from your president!

-- Kenny Wiese, IHPA President

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The purpose of this association shall be to provide an orderly means for its members to participate in and enjoy the game of horseshoe pitching, to encourage interested parties in organizing local clubs, leagues, or to form other groups for participation in horseshoe pitching for play or tournament and assist wherever possible in the promotion of horseshoe pitching as a game or sport in the State of Iowa. The association shall have unlimited power to engage in and to do any lawful act concerning any or all-lawful business for which associations may be organized -- *IHHPA Bylaws*

Carl Russell Kaiser passed away peacefully on November 2, 2018, at the age of 95. He was preceded in death by his parents; wives; sons, Carl Kaiser Jr. and Keith Kaiser; and brothers, Frank, Leroy, Fred, Raymond, and Byron Johnson. Left to cherish his memory are his children; Carla, Kathleen, and Rosalee Kaiser and Andrea (Luke) Goodine, James Johnson, Dana, Cheryl, Dawn, and Brooklyn Johnson and Johnny Nelson; siblings, Rosalie Dodd, Harriett Champion, Reginald Kaiser, 16 grandchildren, and a "boatload" of great-grandchildren.

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**REMEMBERING BILLY**

Harold "Bill" W. Barker, 78, passed away from heart complications on November 12, 2018. Services will be held Tuesday, November 27, 2018, at 2:00 p.m. at Iowa Veterans Cemetery in Van Meter.

Bill was born July 6, 1940, to Hazel (Thompson) and Floyd Barker in Marshalltown, IA. After graduating from high school, Bill served in the U.S. Army from 1958 to 1962. He worked as a chipper and grinder for Gray Iron in Marshalltown until they closed. He then moved to Des Moines and retired from Eagle

Iron Works. He was a former member of the Moose Lodge in Marshalltown and a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

Bill was an avid horse shoe pitcher and he and Mary Jo traveled to various tournaments around the country. Ron Rowley remembers their Tuesday night Central Iowa Traveling Horseshoe League team "Rowley's Rowdy Barkers" winning the Iowa State Fair Handicapped team Championship one year. He served as Sergeant of Arms at the IHPA Annual Meeting for many years. He will be fondly remembered by his horseshoe family as a friendly, cheerful man who came to watch horseshoes even after he was unable to pitch.

He is survived by his wife of 32 years, Mary Jo; his children, Tina Barker, Chris (Jim) Long, Greg (Betsy) Barker, Diane (Mike) Skoczen, and Terry Clark; many grandchildren and great-grandchildren; and many other extended family members and friends. Bill was preceded in death by his parents.



**Eldora Horseshoe Club  
Of Central Iowa**



Hardin County Fairgrounds  
Home of the Putt Mossman Arena  
Pitch Indoors from November 'till April

**TOURNAMENT & LEAGUE RESULTS****Marengo Horseshoe League****2018 Summer League Final Stats**

(40 SHOE GAMES)	Points	Rgr %
<b>Mens Division:</b>	Per Gm	Per Gm
1. Curtis Roggentien	31.11	8.33
2. Morris Denson	28.82	7.20
3. Tate Waychoff	27.33	11.21
4. Pastor Gray	26.10	9.58
5. Darrell Haack	23.52	4.63
6. Todd Sauerbrei	19.04	4.07
7. John Jacobs	13.22	3.15
8. Logan Bine	12.50	3.02
9. David Rackow	6.70	0.98

**Elders Division:**

1. Ron Stanerson	82.04	57.73
2. Garen Rains	78.94	55.08
3. Gary Hanchett	70.50	44.75
4. Henry Trumpold	59.74	30.94
5. Gary Hinrichs	53.33	27.88
6. Roger Heller	36.09	7.00
7. Maury Hartz	29.33	11.17
8. Don Enochson	25.52	4.72
9. Harold Joseph	21.94	4.17
10. Bob Jacoby	10.81	3.89

**Womens Division:**

1. Vicki Cobb	36.83	13.57
2. Ronda Moffatt	36.08	8.56
3. Polly Gunzenhauser	30.00	7.04
4. Chantelle Haack	26.67	5.94

**Cadet Division:**

1. Caleb Haack (11)	24.29	7.98
2. Noah Gray (8)	4.97	0.75

**Waterloo Fall Open, Saturday, Sept. 1, 2018**

Cancelled due to rain.

**Cedar Rapids Open, Saturday, Sept. 8, 2018**

**Class A:** (1) Ronnie Burgess, Cedar Rapids, 41.5%; (2) Larry Purcell, Cedar Rapids, 48.5%; (3) Loren Curry, Fairfax, 29%; (4) Jim Meyer, Cedar Rapids, 35.5%; (5) Rick Truitt, Muscatine, 20.5%

**Class B:** (1) Donnie Kremer, Monticello, 14.4%; (2) Steve Miller, Wayland, 13.2%; (3) Martin Lovett, Muscatine, 12%; (4) Jamie Kremer, Monticello, 10.4%; (5) Paul Clark, Marshalltown, 4.4%; (6) Steve Jackson, Burlington, 6%

**Sunset Memorial, Council Bluffs, Sunday, Sept. 9, 2018**

**Class A:** (1) Jake Berg, (NE) 47.5%; (2) Gary Berg, (NE) 39%; (3) Dan Bailey, (NE) 39%; (4) Ed Ellwood, (NE) 28%; (5) Steve Ronk, Council Bluffs, 29%

**Class B:** (1) Glen Thacker, Council Bluffs, 47%; (2) Tom Berg, (NE) 32.5%; (3) Bill Vogt, Council Bluffs, 40.5%; (4) Dwight McGrath, Missouri Valley, 21%

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**Cal Ellis Memorial, Fort Dodge, Saturday, Sept. 15, 2018**

**Class A:** (1) Joseph Smith, Gladbrook, 64.38%; (2) Bert Logsdon, Pleasantville, 60.63%; (3) Tom Tabat, Fort Dodge, 53.75%; (4) Bill Sprague, Berwick, 30.63%; (5) Glenn Warden, Grimes, 28.13%

**Class B:** (1) Deb Davis, Ankeny, 43.75%; (2) Vern Westphal, (AZ) 32.5%; (3) Marvin Dirks, Fonda, 30%; (4) Jan Warwick, Ames, 24.38%; (5) Steve Hatch, Knoxville, 17.5%

**Class C:** (1) Chris Jordan, Peru, 24.5%; (2) Bud Johanson, Gowrie, 30%; (3) Donnie Kremer, Monticello, 16%; (4) Deb Wiese, Roland, 15%; (5) Ralph Davis, Ankeny, 14%; (6) Russell Wiese, Roland, 8%

**Class D:** (1) Paul Clark, Marshalltown, 5.83%; (2) Bob Wiese, Roland, 7.92%; (3) Steve Paukert, Duncombe, 5.83%; (4) Jamie Kremer, Monticello, 7.5%

**Osceola Fall Open, September 22, 2018**

**Class A:** (1) Bert Logsdon, Pleasantville, 60.63%; (2) Bill Sprague, Berwick, 34.38%; (3) Derek Bloodgood, Creston, 37.5%; (4) Kristy Klejch, Creston, 35.63%; (5) Glenn Warden, Grimes, 19.38%

**Class B:** (1) Jan Warwick, Ames, 24.5%; (2) Deb Davis, Ankeny, 32%; (3) Rick Hudson, Stuart, 22%; (4) Steve Hatch, Knoxville, 23.5%; (5) John Ridgely, Earlham, 18.5%; (6) Chris Jordan, Peru, 19%

**Class C:** (1) Jerry Duncan, New Virginia, 24.5%; (2) Carl Kaiser, Des Moines, 13%; (3) Ralph Davis, Ankeny, 15%; (4) Brandon DeBord, Des Moines, 13%; (5) Paul Clark, Marshalltown, 4%; (6) Steve Jackson, Burlington, 5.5%

**Monticello Fall Open, Saturday, September 29, 2018**

**Class A:** (1) Vern Kollasch, Iowa City, 50.6%; (2) Larry Purcell, Cedar Rapids, 49.4%; (3) Gary Hanchett, Deep River, 47.5%; (4) Ronnie Burgess, Cedar Rapids, 30%; (5) Malcolm Clark (JR), 22.5%

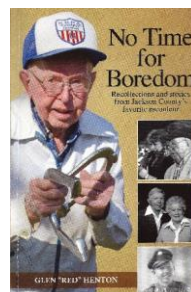
**Class B:** (1) Steven L Miller, Wayland, 17.08%; (2) Steve Jackson Burlington, 17.08%; (3) Donnie Kremer, Monticello, 14.2%; (4) Jamie Kremer, Monticello, 8.75%

**Madison County Covered Bridge Open, Sat., Oct.13, 2018**

Cancelled due to rain and cold.

**Marengo Horseshoe League****2018 Winter League Final Stats**

(32 SHOE GAMES)	Points	Rgr%
Mens Division:	Per Gm	Per Gm
1. Morris Denson	19.93	6.79
2. Darrell Haack	15.75	4.80
3. Pastor Gray	13.62	8.94
Elders Division:		
1. Ron Stanerson	57.17	49.31
2. Gary Hanchett	53.46	46.73
3. Henry Trumpold	46.77	29.20
4. Gary Hinrichs	46.46	32.61
5. Roger Heller	27.24	12.10
6. Maury Hartz	22.16	12.82



Reading Red Henton's new book is just like sitting down and visiting with the 98 year old telling his life story. From being rescued in the care of his 3 year old brother with his diaper frozen to him, to growing up during the depression, his accomplishments and adventures are told in an entertaining way. It will bring back many memories of how it was to live thru "the good old days" for many people. Even those who have never picked up a horseshoe will enjoy this book.

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**2018 National Sanctioned League Tournament**

Four Iowa teams participated on October 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> in the tournament which was held in Wentzville, Missouri, at the Quail Ridge Horseshoe Club Courts, where the NHPA Hall of Fame is located. The tournament was run "count-all" and "handicapped" at 92.5% with 50 shoe games. Teams came from seven different states. Twenty teams pitched for over \$5,000 in prize money. The three-person teams were divided (ten teams each) into a Scarlet Division and a Gray Division. Each team played six games on Saturday and three games on Sunday. The first four places were "in the money". The two division winners then played for the championship.

In the Scarlet Division, Team Cedar Rapids finished in first place for the third year in a row. (Bert and Larry were on the 2016 championship team). Congratulations, Team Cedar Rapids! Unfortunately, they lost in the championship round to the winners of the Gray Division, a team from Missouri. Team Marengo finished in sixth place in this same division.

In the Gray Division, Team West Des Moines #1 finished in fourth place (but "in the money"). Team West Des Moines #2 finished just one point behind them in fifth place (and not "in the money"). In this same division,



Kristy earned \$100 for pitching the highest game over her average. (There is one winner in each division.) Kristy pitched great all weekend! She had

one 60% game which was 19.94% over her average. Congratulations, Kristy!

This tournament is open to anyone who has played in a sanctioned league. It is a lot of fun! If interested, form a three-person team, check out the information on the NHPA web site (Coming Events), and contact LeRoy Law at [lawrangers@mchsi.com](mailto:lawrangers@mchsi.com) or 515-681-1937.



**Scarlet Division - Team Marengo**  
Garen Rains, Ron Stanerson, Gary Hanchett



**Gray Division - Team West Des Moines #1**  
Vern Kollasch, Ron Rowley, Skip Hills



**Scarlet Division - Team Cedar Rapids**  
Joseph Smith, Larry Purcell, Bert Logsdon



**Gray Division - Team West Des Moines #2**  
Kristy Klejch, Chris Jordan, Ronnie Burgess

**2019 IHHPA MEMBERSHIP FORM**

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\*Please include Email address for tournament information updates and IHHPA news updates

**Adult NHPA/IHHPA Dues \$40**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Check one: ( ) Membership Renewal Card #240 \_\_\_\_\_; or ( ) New Member

Pitching Distance: ( ) 30 Feet ( ) 40 Feet

**Junior Dues (Free)**

Check one: ( ) Jr. (18 & under for entire calendar year); or ( ) Jr. Cadet (12 & under for entire calendar year)

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**Second Adult Member in household, Dues \$25**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Second Adult Member's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Male ( ) Female ( )

Check one: ( ) Membership Renewal Card #240 \_\_\_\_\_; or

( ) New Member

Second Adult Member Pitching Distance: ( ) 30 Feet ( ) 40 Feet

Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

Second Member's E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL ENCLOSED (make checks payable to IHHPA)**

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**NEW MEMBERS ONLY BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2019:**

- (1) Trial Membership – no sanction dues. May play in one sanction tournament or one sanctioned league in the current calendar year (January 1, 2019 to December 31, 2019) No NATSTATS are reported, no charter newsletter and no state or national voting rights.
- (2) Provisional Membership - - \$10 sanction dues for current calendar year (January 1, 2019 to December 31, 2019. NATSTATS are reported. No state or national voting rights; no charter newsletter. After December 31, 2019, provisional member must upgrade to full membership. May upgrade to full membership at any time upon payment of additional \$30 for state charter and national dues.

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## IOWA HAWKEYE HORSESHOE PITCHERS ASSOCIATION (IHHPA) TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE 2019

Tournaments are IHHPA Sanctioned and membership is required unless designated as Non-Sanctioned (NS). New players are always welcome. For IHHPA membership information, contact President Ken Wiese, 515/291-1708, [kwiese.53@gmail.com](mailto:kwiese.53@gmail.com), or Secretary/Treasurer Deb Davis, Phone 515-778-5932, e-mail [ddand2dogs@msn.com](mailto:ddand2dogs@msn.com). Tournament Directors have the option to handicap where there is a difference of 10% ringer percentage spread in a class.

### Eldora Indoor Tournaments:

\$15 entry fee. Sign in by 9:30; play at 10:00. For information, contact Deb Davis, 515-778-5932; [ddand2dogs@msn.com](mailto:ddand2dogs@msn.com).

January 5 (Sat), 6 (Sun), 12(Sat), & 13 (Sun).

February **2 (Sat) Winter Iowa Games\***, 3 (Sun), 9 (Sat), & 10 (Sun).

March 9 (Sat), 10 (Sun), 16 (Sat), & 17 (Sun) – **NOT THE FIRST WEEKEND IN MARCH**

April 6 (Sat), 7 (Sun), **13 (Sat) (Burgess Family Memorial Tournament)**, 14 (Sun).

\*For Winter Iowa Games **pre-register** using Iowa Games forms available @ [iowagames.org](http://iowagames.org). Online registration deadline is Monday, January 28. Registration by mail must be postmarked by Wednesday, January 23. \$20 entry fee. For information, contact Jan Warwick, 515-290-6281 or [jangwarwick@aol.com](mailto:jangwarwick@aol.com).

Directions to Eldora: Go North on I-35 to Jewell/Eldora Exit # 133. Turn right off of ramp onto 175. Then sharp left turn onto US 65-175 (27 miles from exit #133). Follow 175 into Eldora and continue thru town. Turn left at cemetery. Then turn right to Putt Mossman Arena (across from race track). Community Building on Hardin County Fairgrounds. GPS: 301 11<sup>th</sup> Ave.

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April 27 (Sat) Marengo Northridge Indoor Classic - 0 to 35% ringer average. **Pre-Register by Wed., April 24th**. Entry fee \$15. Play starts at 8:45 a.m. There will be 3 classes. Class and start times to be assigned. Call Ron Stanerson 319-642-3628; Cell 319-430-0028 Food will be available. GPS: 1188 LL Ave

May 4 (Sat) Marengo Northridge Indoor Classic – 36% and over ringer average. **Pre-Register by Wed., May 1**. Same as April 27<sup>th</sup>. Food will be available. GPS: 1188 LL Ave

May 4 (Sat) Don Wilson Memorial Open, Indianola – Pickard Park- 1 mile East of town on Hwy 92. Sign in by 9:30 a.m./play at 10:00. Entry Fee \$10. Rusty & Deb Dalton, 515/554-5610. GPS: 1468 HWY 92 East

May 5 (Sun) SWIHPA Anniversary, Council Bluffs - Sunset Park -16th Ave & 11th Street. Register by 12:30 p.m. Play at 1:00 p.m. Entry Fee \$10. Cash Payback. Steve Ronk 712-310-9965 / Darrell Nation 712-322-0562

May 11 (Sat) Monticello Spring Fling – Willow Park (behind Pizza Ranch). Sign in by 9:30 a.m./play at 10:00. Entry fee \$15 (includes scorekeeping). Grilled food and water available. Jason Clark, 319-821-2906. GPS: 509 E. Oak Street.

May 11 (Sat) Madison County Open, Winterset (formerly Stuart Open) – Madison County Fairgrounds. Sign in by 9:30 a.m./play at 10:00. Food nearby. Entry fee \$10. John Ridgely 515-779-8816 or Rick Hudson 515-537-5522. GPS: 1204 W. Summit St.

May 18 (Sat) Walking Doubles, Fort Dodge – Hydro-Electric Park, 169 North to 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue East 1 mile to 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, North 1 mile to 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue NW, go East onto Riverside Dr. Courts on west side. Sign in by 9:30 a.m./play at 10:00. Entry Fee: \$10 person/\$20 team. Call by May 15 with names of team members. Marty Sprague 515-408-2733. GPS: 308 Riverside Dr.

May 25 (Sat) Red Oak Open, Red Oak – Kirk Vannausdle Horseshoe Park on Montgomery County Fairgrounds – 2 blocks south of 34 on N 4<sup>th</sup> St. Sign in by 9:30 a.m./play at 10:00. Entry Fee \$10. Food nearby. Roger Vannausdle, 712-621-6187 or [nauzer67@gmail.com](mailto:nauzer67@gmail.com).

May 27 (Monday, Memorial Day) Iowa State Fairgrounds Open – Des Moines, E. 30th & University. Sign in by 9:00 a.m./ play at 9:30. (Starting a little earlier to hopefully avoid warmer temps in mid-morning/afternoon.) Entry Fee \$16 (\$1 fairgrounds, \$15 to prize money) Entry fee does not include paying available scorekeepers 50 cents a game. Morning and afternoon sessions if numbers dictate. Deb Davis 515-778-5932; [ddand2dogs@msn.com](mailto:ddand2dogs@msn.com). GPS: 3274 East University Avenue

June 1 (Sat) Frontier Days, Fort Dodge – Hydro-Electric Park, 169 North to 3rd Avenue East 1 mile to 2nd Street, North 1 mile to 3rd Avenue NW, go East onto Riverside Dr. Courts on west side. Sign in by 9:30 a.m./ play at 10:00. Entry Fee \$10. Marty Sprague 515-408-2733. GPS: 308 Riverside Dr.

June 1 (Sat) Clinton Open - Hawthorne Park, 9th Ave N & North 3rd Street. Sign in by 9:30 a.m. / play at 10:00 a.m. Entry Fee \$12. Classes may be mixed. Ron Hook 815-589-9911; Cell 309-721-5882. GPS: house address by Park, 225 9<sup>th</sup> Ave. N

June 2 (Sun) Summer Sunset, Council Bluffs - Sunset Park -16th Ave & 11th Street. Register by 12:30 p.m. Play at 1:00 p.m. Entry Fee \$10. Cash Payback. Steve Ronk 712-310-9965 / Darrell Nation 712-322-0562

June 6 (Thurs) Senior Games 50 & Older (NS) Holiday Park, West Des Moines. **Pre-Register by May 20th mail in or by May 28<sup>th</sup> online.** Call IA SENIOR GAMES, 888-777-8881, Ext.122 for flyer/entry form or <http://iowaseniorgames.org> for entry online. Third Year for 100 Shoe Pitch Format. There will be a 3-hour window for you to pitch 100 shoes. Arrive anytime within the 3-hour window (2:00 PM to 5:00 PM) and pitch 100 shoes. Entry fee: \$28 for Horseshoes, \$5 for each additional sport, \$43 Fee for unlimited sports. [includes t-shirt, medals to top 3 places]. Leroy Law 515-681-1937 [lawrangers@mchsi.com](mailto:lawrangers@mchsi.com)

June 8 (Sat) Mt. Pleasant Open - East Pine Lake Park - Sign in by 9:30 a.m./ play at 10:00. Entry Fee \$10. Vern Kollasch 319-321-0747. GPS: 200 East Lexington

June 15 (Sat) Osceola Spring Open – East Lake Park, 1 mile East of town on Hwy 34. New 30 foot walkways! Sign in by 9:30 a.m./ play at 10:00. Entry Fee \$11. Food available. Bert Logsdon 641/414-4795

June 22 (Sat) Cedar Rapids Open - Ellis Park - Sign in by 9:30 a.m./ play at 10:00. Entry Fee \$10. Keep your own score. Ron Burgess 319/573-8189. GPS: 916 Ellis Park Blvd N.W.

June 29 (Sat) Ralph Simon Memorial Tournament, Waterloo – Byrnes Park, 9 clay courts located at the corner of Fletcher and Campbell Avenues. Check in by 9:30 a.m. / play at 10:00 a.m. Entry fee \$15.00. Pat Simon Sr. 319-234-0552 or 319-575-4411. GPS: 816 Campbell Ave.

July 3 (Wed) Marengo Old Time Classic – **Pre-Register by Friday, June 28<sup>th</sup>.** - Courts ½ block N of City Square. Entry \$15.00, (\$10 if in all White) Play at 8:45am. There will be six classes – Class & start time to be assigned. Food nearby. Ron Stanerson 319-642-3628 or 319-430-0028. GPS: 205 W. Main St.

July 4 (Wed) Holiday Classic, Holiday Park, West Des Moines - **Pre-Register by July 3<sup>rd</sup>** - Railroad Ave. to 14<sup>th</sup> St., then North. Sign in by 9:30 a.m./ play at 10:00. Entry Fee \$15. 100% Pay Back. One morning session, Limited to first 35 pitchers. (Please Note: This number has been reduced due to the removal of 2 courts to allow room for a nice 20' by 40' shelter at the courts.) Self-scoring or pitchers sitting out. No food. Leroy Law 515-681-1937; [lawrangers@mchsi.com](mailto:lawrangers@mchsi.com)

July 6 (Sat Eve Pitch) Council Bluffs, Sunset Classic – Sunset Park -16th Ave & 11th Street. Evening Pitch! Register by 5:30 pm / play at 6:00. Cash payback. Steve Ronk 712/310-9965 / Ray Daugherty 402/350-1976

July 6 (Sat) Monticello Summer Open – Willow Park (behind Pizza Ranch). Sign in by 9:30 a.m./play at 10:00. Entry fee \$15 (includes scorekeeping). Grilled food and water available. Jason Clark 319-821-2906. GPS: 509 E. Oak St.

July 11 (Thurs) Adults pitch @ Eldora – Hardin County Fairgrounds. Sign in by 9:30 a.m./play 10:00. Entry fee \$10. Deb Davis 515- 778-5932; Russ Wiese 515-291-4462

July 13 (Sat) Cedar Rapids Open, Ellis Park – Sign in by 9:30 a.m./Play at 10:00. Entry fee \$10. Keep your own score. Ron Burgess 319-573-8189. GPS: 916 Ellis Park Blvd N.W.

July 20 (Sat) Iowa City Open – City Park, I-80 to Dubuque Street. Sign in by 9:30 a.m./play @ 10:00. Entry \$15. Vern Kollasch, 319-321-0747. GPS: 200 E. Park Rd.

July 20 (Sat) Ames - Iowa Games (NS), North River Valley Park 825 E. 13<sup>th</sup> St. Take 13th St exit off I-35, West 1 mile. **Pre-Register** using Iowa Games forms available online at [iowagames.org](http://iowagames.org). or call Jan Warwick 515/290-6281

July 21 (Sun) Madison County Fair Open, Winterset – Madison County Fairgrounds. Sign in by 9:30 a.m. / play at 10:00. Entry Fee \$10. Food available on the fairgrounds. Chris Jordan, cell 515-669-3085. GPS: 1204 W. Summit St

#### **NHPA WORLD TOURNAMENT, July 22 – August 3, 2019, Wichita Falls, Texas**

Aug. 3 (Sat) Ames Open, North River Valley Park 825 E. 13th, Take 13th Street Exit off I-35, west 1 mile, go North. Sign in by 9:30 a.m./ play at 10:00. Entry Fee \$15, Kenny Wiese cell 515-291-1708

Aug. 4 (Sun) State Fair Warm-up, Council Bluffs, Sunset Park -16th Ave & 11th Street. Register by 12:30 p.m. Play at 1:00 p.m. Entry Fee \$10. Steve Ronk 712-310-9965, Darrell Nation 712-322-0562

#### **IOWA STATE FAIR, August 8 through August 18, 2019**

Pitching every day! State Championships on the weekends. What a great time! Schedule of events will be in the newsletter. Go to [www.ihhpa.com](http://www.ihhpa.com) for contact information. GPS: 3274 East University Avenue, Des Moines.



Aug 24 (Sat) Cedar Rapids Open, Ellis Park - Sign in by 9:30 a.m./ play at 10:00. Entry Fee \$10, Keep your own score. Ron Burgess 319/573-8189. GPS: 916 Ellis Park Blvd. N.W.

Aug. 31 (Sat) Waterloo Fall Open Tournament – Byrnes Park – 9 clay courts, located at the corner of Fletcher and Campbell Avenues in Waterloo. Check in by 9:30 a.m. / play at 10:00 a.m. Entry fee \$15.00. Pat Simon Sr. 319-234-0552 or 319-575-4411. GPS: 816 Campbell Ave

Sept. 7 (Sat) Clay County Invitational, Royal - Lion's Grove Horseshoe Courts in Memorial Park – from 71 west on B40 to Park St. (courts are by football field). Check in by 9:30 a.m./play at 10:00 a.m. Entry Fee \$10. Josh Toft 712-270-3507 or [toftjosh@yahoo.com](mailto:toftjosh@yahoo.com).

Sept. 8 (Sun) Sunset Memorial, Council Bluffs, Sunset Park – 16<sup>th</sup> Ave & 11<sup>th</sup> Street. Register by 12:30 p.m. Play at 1:00 p.m. Entry Fee \$10. Cash Payback. Steve Ronk 712-310-9965, Darrell Nation 712-322-0562

Sept. 14 (Sat) Cedar Rapids Open, Ellis Park - Sign in by 9:30 a.m./ Play at 10:00. Entry Fee \$10. Keep your own score. Ron Burgess 319/573-8189 GPS: 916 Ellis Park Blvd. N.W.

Sept. 21 (Sat) Cal Ellis Memorial, Fort Dodge – Hydro-Electric Park – 169 North to 3rd Avenue East 1 mile to 2nd Street, North 1 mile to 3rd Avenue NW, go East onto Riverside Dr. Courts on west side. Sign in by 9:30 a.m./ play at 10:00. Entry Fee \$10. Marty Sprague 515-408-2733. GPS: 308 Riverside Dr.

Sept. 28 (Sat) Osceola Fall Open - East Lake Park, 1 mile East of town on Hwy 34. Sign in by 9:30 a.m./play at 10:00. Entry Fee \$11. Food available. Bert Logsdon, 641/414-4795

Oct.5 (Sat) Kirk Vannausdle Memorial Tournament, Red Oak – Kirk Vannausdle Horseshoe Park on Montgomery County Fairgrounds – 2 blocks south of 34 on N 4<sup>th</sup> St. Sign in by 9:30 a.m. Play at 10:00. Entry Fee \$10. Food nearby. Roger Vannausdle, 712-621-6187 or [nauzer67@gmail.com](mailto:nauzer67@gmail.com).

Oct. 12 (Sat) Madison County Covered Bridge Open, Winterset - Madison County Fairgrounds. Sign in by 9:30 a.m./play at 10:00. Entry Fee \$10. John Pletchette, cell 515-468-1176. GPS 1146 W Summit Street

Oct. 19 (Sat), 10:00 a.m. IHPA ANNUAL MEETING –VFW Lodge in Marshalltown - Contact Deb Davis to pre-register 515-778-5932; [ddand2dogs@msn.com](mailto:ddand2dogs@msn.com). GPS 107 E Meadow Lane

Eldora Indoor Tournaments: Dates are November 2 (Bob Walters Memorial), 3, 9, &10. (See top of page 1 for additional information and directions.)

### HIGHLIGHTS OF 2018 NHPA RULE CHANGES

Submitted by Deb Davis

1. II. Requirements, Requirement 2, Section B – Eligibility. Two new levels of memberships will be available to new members for the calendar year January 1, 2019 to December 31, 2019. (See details of Trial memberships and Provisional memberships listed on bottom of 2019 IHPA MEMBERSHIP FORM on page 6 of this issue.)
2. II. Requirements, Requirement 2, Section F – League Play: All seasonal sanctioned Club/League play must be two hundred (200) or more pitched shoes to qualify as an official event. *This has changed from 400 shoes.*
3. Rule 2E, Section E – Court Rotation. At the end of each game, contestants can practice on the current court until their next assigned court is available. After games on adjacent courts are completed, both pits shall be prepared for play. When the scorekeeper is ready, the contestants have the option of pitching no more than 4 additional warm up shoes each, and then the next game must begin immediately.
4. Rule 11 – Tournament .League Play. Class ties . . . total points may be used (to determine the winner) if the scoring was done using the count-all method.
5. Requirement 6, Cadets and Juniors, Additional Information  
Section C – Awards. Awards presented to a Junior or Cadet by the Tournament /League Officials may have immediate or deferred monetary value.  
Section D – Amateur Status. Prizes or cash awards for horseshoe pitching achievements do not impact amateur status in any NCAA sport (horseshoe pitching is not an NCAA Sport). It is the responsibility of the youth participant and their parents/guardians to check state scholastic sport association regulations/restrictions when determining whether to accept an award with any monetary value. The host charter and/or the NHPA assumes no responsibility for any adverse effects which Horseshoe pitching awards may have on the amateur status of a youth participant.

**NOTE:** NHPA members can now present proposals for rules and bylaw changes on an annual basis. This year you have until November 30, 2018 to present them. In subsequent years, the deadline will be September 30 to allow time for proper review. The proposed changes should be submitted in a format that quotes the current rule and then lists the proposed wording. Then the reason for the proposed change should be provided. All proposals should be sent to [gbroberts5542@yahoo.com](mailto:gbroberts5542@yahoo.com) or mailed to 638 Salem Cave Road, Beaver, Ohio, 45613. All proposals will be given serious consideration by the Rules Committee.



The National Horseshoe Pitchers Foundation was formed as a charitable public foundation to raise funds necessary to build and maintain the National Horseshoe Pitchers Association Hall of Fame and Museum. The NHPF continues to solicit tax-deductible contributions to preserve the history, showcase the present and build the future of horseshoe pitching, through grants and educational programs.

**YOUR TAX DEDUCTIBLE DONATION SUPPORTS MANY PROGRAMS, INCLUDING THE NHPA HALL OF FAME AND GRANTS TO INSTALL NEW OR UPGRADE EXISTING COURTS.**

INCLUDE YOUR ADDRESS & MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO NHPF HALL OF FAME AND MAIL TO:  
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