

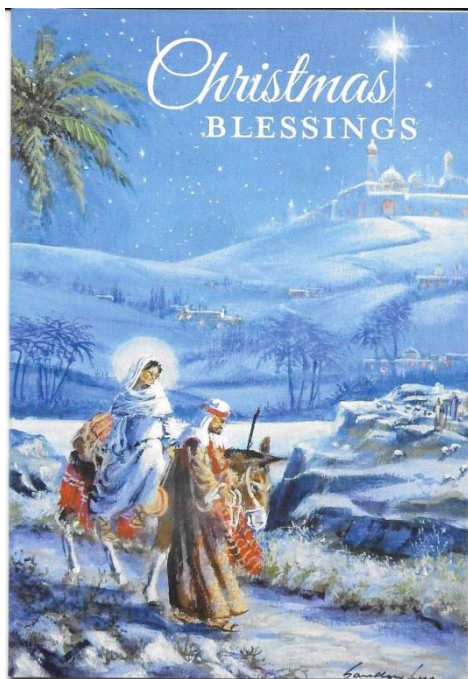


Tennessee Horseshoe Pitcher's Association Newsletter

TNHPA website: www.tnhorseshoepitching.com

Nov/Dec 2016

Message from President Morgan: I hope everyone had a Happy Thanksgiving. Our pitching East of Knoxville has slowed down so far this winter compared to last year. I am still in need of tournament directors for White Pine and Rock Springs. I wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!



MAY THE JOY OF CHRISTMAS AND THE PEACE IT BRINGS BE WITH YOU NOW AND THROUGHOUT THE NEW YEAR!! HAVE A HAPPY, PROSPEROUS AND HEALTHY NEW YEAR!!!

2017 TN Sanction cards: The color is Pink and you will be checked for a 2017 card by tournament directors starting January 1st 2017. Cost \$25.00 (\$17.00 for NHPA \$8.00 for TN Charter). If you are changing a category (men- elder- woman or junior) you must pitch 100 qualifying shoes to set a new starting avg. You can send a check made out to THPA or cash to JoAnn or give to any tournament director.

HELP TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS: In order to expedite the tournament set up procedures please contact tournament directors by the Friday before a tournament by noon if attending to help them set up classes prior to check in times. You may still check in the day of a tournament.

Sorry I left this announcement off the October Newsletter. Lawrence Osborne has been a member of TNHPA for 8 years.

Obituary for Peggy L. Osborne

Peggy Lee Osborne, age 63, of Rogersville, passed away on Saturday, September 24, 2016, at Hawkins County Memorial Hospital. She was a daughter of the late Henry and Hazel Cole Stewart. She was a long time member of Persia Baptist Church and had been attending Hope Community Church when she was able. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a sister, Jeanie Ferrell; and brothers, Robert and Ronnie Stewart.

Mrs. Osborne had worked as a County Court Clerk and enjoyed watching her family play sports.

Survivors include her loving husband of 45 years, Lawrence Osborne; daughter, Connie Hodges and husband Craig; son, Larry Osborne and wife Brandi; 4 grandchildren; a sister, Ann Ruth Ellers; and a brother, Donnie Stewart.

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Bill Brand
Henry Nease
JoAnn Stanford
Roger Totten
Chet Welch

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Grady Coleman
Bob Davis
John Denby
H.L. Evans
Hank Irwin



11-5-16 MG CLA Charles Gray



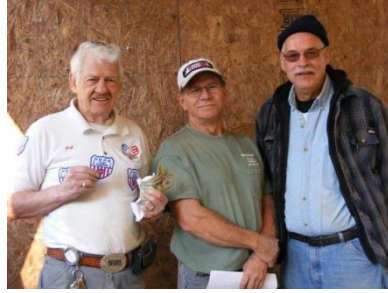
11-5-16 MG CLB 1st Culbert
2nd Buster Williams



11-12-16 CR CLA 1st Simmons
2nd M. Griffith 3rd M. Ray



11-12-16 CR CLB 1st
Bill Drinnon



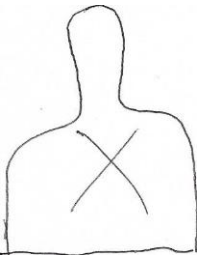
11-12-16 CR CL C 1st Bilyeu 2nd
Ervin South 3rd Macmillian



11-12-16 CR CLD 1st R. Boyd 2nd
Bob Ellis 3rd James Smith



11-19-16 MG CLB
1st Bilyeu 2nd B. Williams



11-19-16 MG CLA B. Simmons



12-3-16 MG CLA 1st Osborne
2nd Jim Cooper



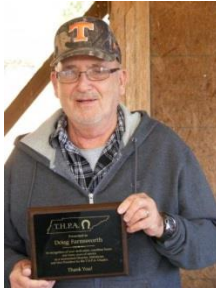
12-3-16 MG CLB 1st B. Williams
2nd Stanford 3rd Bilyeu



ROOKIE OF THE YEAR –Randel Simpson

**APPRECIATION AWARD
DOUG FARNSWORTH**

IN RECOGNITION OF YOUR DEDICATION COUNTLESS HOURS AND MANY YEARS OF SERVICE AS
TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR, STATISTICIAN AND VICE PRESIDENT FOR TNHPA CHARTER



Tournament Schedule Time Changes: Voted in was time change for check in and start time for all tournaments beginning June 1, 2017 and ending Aug 31 2017. Be sure to check the full schedule of tournaments , if unsure call tournament directors or an officer.

Tournament Directors

Rock Springs- White Pine – Morgan’s Courts - Harold Morgan
H. 865-828-8526

Crossville Merle South 931-510-5710
And/or
Roger Totten H. 931-484-6428 c. 850-264-5514
Jane Opatrny H. 931-456-4987 c. 615-513-1387

Caryville H.L. Evans H. 423-449-8989

Clarksville Ronnie Boyd H. 931-358-9534 c. 931-801-9939

Algood JoAnn Stanford H. 931-243-2648 C. 931-267-7716

Soddy Daisy Jerry Roberts 423-827-6366

2017 Officers

Harold Morgan President H. 865-828-8526
Alan Pepper 1st Vice President H. 615-895-7160
Jane Opatrny 2nd Vice President H. 931-456-4987
Alan Gauger 3rd Vice President H. 615-907-3299

APPRECIATION AWARD: HANK IRWIN

In recognition of your **Thirty – Three years** of TNHPA membership and serving as Tournament Director for the Soddy Daisy courts and their construction many years ago. You will be missed.



2017 Payback Schedule (effective Jan1 ,2017) Proposal voted in 2016
Based upon \$15.00 entry fee (adult)

2 Person Class (\$20 Total)
1st Place \$20

3 Person Class (\$30 Total)
1st Place \$30

4 Person Class (\$40 Total)
1st Place \$30
2nd Place \$10

5 Person Class (\$50 Total)
1st Place \$35
2nd Place \$15

**** No 3rd place payout**

6 Person Class (\$60 Total)
1st Place \$40
2nd Place \$20

**** No 3rd place payout**

7 Person Class (\$70 Total)
1st Place \$40
2nd Place \$20
3rd Place \$10

8 Person Class (\$80 Total)
1st Place \$45
2nd Place \$20
3rd Place \$15

9 Person Class (\$90 Total)
1st Place \$45
2nd Place \$20
3rd Place \$15
4th Place \$10

***Note: \$1 for each pitcher would be added to the State Tournament Pay Back Fund from the TNHPA Treasury.**

2017 TNHPA TOURNAMENTS

Tournament: CHECK IN AND START TIMES WILL VARY this season starting on 1 JUNE until 31 August due to heat and temps.(2016 Voted) Please help out all tournament directors by calling or emailing to pre- register - by Friday noon at the latest. Entries will still be accepted at the tournament ½ hour before start time if necessary. If someone cannot make it after pre-registering please notify the tournament director ASAP . All this will speed up the tournament setup.

NEW entry fee for Regular Tournaments will be \$15.00 Payouts will be reduced by amount and places.

JUNE 10 STATE DOUBLES at CLARKSVILLE ENTRY CUT OFF Fee is \$20.00 per player- \$40.00 per team

SEP 9 STATE SINGLES at ROCK SPRINGS ENTRY CUT OFF Fee is \$25.00 per player

WINTER 2017 (check in 10:00 a.m. Start at 10:30 A.M.)

January	07	Morgan's	Snowbird Open
January	21	Morgan's	Winter Wonderland Open
January	28	Crossville	Brr Open
February	04	Morgan's	No Leanners Open
February	11	Morgan's	Valentine's Day Open
February	18	Crossville	President's Day Open
March	04	Morgan's	Spring Ahead Open
March	18	Morgan's	Henry Nease Open
March	18	Crossville	Finally Spring Open
March	25	Clarksville	March Madness

Summer 2017 April –May 31 (check in 10:00a.m. start at 10:30 a.m.)

April	08	Clarksville	Tommy Wahl Open
April	08	Crossville	Season Opener
April	15	White Pine	Dexter Stallings Open
April	22	Algood	Mike Jones Open
April	22	Caryville	Gib Richardson Open
April	29	White Pine	Fred Smith Open
April	29-30	Newberry, SC	Horseshoe Tour
May	06	Algood	Spring Fling
May	06	Rock Springs	Danny Neely Open
May	13	Soddy daisy	Willis Grant Open
May	13	Clarksville	Randel Simpson Open
May	20	Caryville	Sue Evans Open
May	20	Crossville	Elmo Cox Open
May	27	White Pine	Jack Conner Open

1 June 2017 - 31 AUG2017) check in 9:00 a.m. start time 9:30 a.m.

June	04	Crossville	J. Elmore Open
June	04	Rock Springs	James Fink Open
June	3-4	Clarksville, TN	Horseshoe Tour
June	10	PRE-Registration for TN State Doubles Deadline Entry & \$ NO LATE ENTRIES	

June	10	White Pine	Robert Smullen Open
June	17	Soddy Daisy	Melvin Cooper Open
June	17	Caryville	Frank Jones Open
June	24	Clarksville	TN State Doubles
July	1	Clarksville	Mac McMillian Open
July	08	Caryville	Allah Faye Open
July	08	Crossville	South Brothers Open
July	15	Soddy Daisy	Hank Irwin Open
JULY 17-29		2017 World Tournament St George, UTAH	
July	22	OPEN	Date
July	29	Rock Springs	Houston Culbert Open
August	5	Clarksville	Richard Rosser Open
August	5	White Pine	Ray Duncan Open
August	12	Algood	Robert Dennis Open (Day tournament sign in 9:00)
August	12	Crossville	Cumberland Open (Nite tournament sign in 4:30)
August	19	White Pine	James Cooper Open
August	26	OPEN DATE	
Sep	02	OPEN DATE	Labor Day Weekend
SEP	09	PRE-REGISTRATION TN STATE SINGLES Deadline for entry & \$ No late Entries !	
Sep	09	Clarksville	Marlene Ray Open
Sep	09	Crossville	Bobby Fields open
Sep	09	White Pine	Charles Gray Open
SEP	23	ROCK SPRINGS TN STATE SINGLES	
SEP	30	RAIN DATE TN STATE SINGLES	

OCTOBER 1- DECEMBER 31st TOURNAMENT TIMES RETURN TO 10:00 a.m. Check in, start 10:30 a.m.

Oct	07	Morgan's	Columbus Day Open
Oct	14	Crossville	Great Pumpkin Open
Oct	14-15	Morgan City, LA	HORSESHOE TOUR
Oct	21	Morgan's	Maxine Griffith Open
Nov	04	Morgan's	Welcome to fall Open
Nov	11	Crossville	Veteran's Day Open
Nov	18	Morgan's	Willard Williams Open
Nov	18-19	Florence, SC	Horseshoe Tour
Dec	02	Morgan's	Rudy Klein Open
Dec	09	Crossville	Fall to Winter Open
Dec	16	Morgan's	Almost XMAS Open