

TENNESSEE RINGER ROUNDUP



TENNESSEE HORSESHOE PITCHERS ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

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From President Morgan: I hope everyone is having a good year both health wise and while pitching. We are missing some of our members we had last year. We are getting some new pitchers and requests for more info but we have lost some of our older members as well.

I am asked a few questions every year and some I can answer right away and others I have to find the answer. One of the questions I am asked most often is: why is it the members living East of Knoxville don't go west and why the members west of Knoxville don't go East to compete in our tournaments? The reasons given is that it is too far to drive! It really isn't so bad if you carpool. Get some of your friends together and tell stories(white lies) to pass the time while driving, share costs and help to drive. It's all about having a good time.

I hope to see you all on the courts and that you have a good time. I wish all of our members competing at this years 2016 World Tournament Good Luck!

2016 World Tournament - Montgomery, Alabama July 25- Aug 6

Class Round:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Cat.</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Results</u>
Bill Brand	M	B2	Aug 1/2/3	3 PM	
Ronnie Boyd	M	H1	Jul 25/26/27	4 PM	
Grady Coleman	M	I2	Jul 25/26/27	4 PM	
James Cooper	E	A2	Aug 1/2/3	8 AM	
Bill Drinnon	E	G1	Jul 25/26/27	12 PM	
Joan Elmore	W	A	Aug 1/2/3	11:30 AM	
Doug Farnsworth	E	B1	Aug 1/2/3	8 AM	
Alan Gauger	M	G2	Jul 25/26/27	4 PM	
Russ Gibbs	M	F2	Jul 28/29/30	8 AM	
Charles Gray	E	B1	Aug 1/2/3	8 AM	
Maxine Griffith	W	B	Aug 1/2/3	11:30 AM	
Frank Jones	E	E1	Jul 28/29/30	11:30 AM	
Mike Jones	M	F2	Jul 28/29/30	8 AM	
Joyce Manis	W	D	Aug 1/2/3	11:30 AM	
Mac McMillian	M	D1	Jul 28/29/30	8 AM	
Dan Oliver	M	E1	Jul 28/29/30	8 AM	
Jane Opatrny	W	E	Aug 1/2/3	11:30 AM	
Lawrence Osborne	E	A2	Aug 1/2/3	8 AM	

Alan Pepper	M	I2	Jul 25/26/27	4 PM
Marlene Ray	W	A	Aug 1/2/3	11:30 AM
Jerry Roberts	E	B1	Aug 1/2/3	8 AM
Richard Rosser	M	Sr Men D	Aug 1/2/3	6:30PM
Craig Schadler	E	C1	Aug 1/2/3	8 AM
Walter Sexton	M	E1	Jul 28/29/30	8 AM
James Sizemore	M	F2	Jul 28/29/30	8 AM
Robert Smullen	M	J1	Jul 25/26/27	8 AM
Bobby South	E	G1	Jul 25/26/27	12 PM
Ervin South	M	D1	Jul 28/29/30	8 AM
Merle South	M	C2	Aug 1/2/3	3 PM
JoAnn Stanford	W	D	Aug 1/2/3	11:30 AM
Woody Story	E	A2	Aug 1/2/3	8 AM
Alan Stover	M	I1	Jul 25/26/27	4 PM
Joe Thomas	M	D1	Jul 28/29/30	8 AM
Tommy Wahl	E	C2	Aug 1/2/3	8 AM
Buster Williams	M	D2	Jul 28/29/30	8 AM

WT Web Cameras: Once again you will be able to watch most courts at various times on your computers, tablets or phones throughout the tournament. Check www.horseshoepitching after July 16 for more details.

2016 TN State Doubles Tournament Results



2016 Champions
Buster & Maxine



Class A 2nd Place
Marlene & Randel



Class B 1st Place
Roger & Merle



Class B 2nd Place
Tommy & Ronnie

2018 World tournament site voting : your choices will be El Paso, TX, Florence, SC, or Shreveport-Bossier, LA. TNHPA will have only one vote this year since our membership is short of 100 members. Please let your officers or tourn directors know of your choice so we can make an informed decision by July 17th. . Sometimes 1 vote counts. You may call or email JoAnn Stanford with your selection.

PRACTICE at White Pine: is on Wednesdays at 9:00 a.m. if in doubt due to heat or weather contact Harold Morgan.

2016 TN State Singles Tournament: will be at Clarksville, TN and it will be pre registered Tourn. To compete you must have **four(4)** TN tournaments completed by **Sep 10th the cutoff date** including the 2016 singles tournament which counts as 1 **when entry and fees are due.** Entry forms will be available with this newsletter. Make checks payable to THPA. You can pay tournament directors but you **must** include the entry form.

2016 TN Senior Olympics: Qualifying was at Franklin, TN in June. This was a qualifying year for the 2017 SR Olympics Nationals being held at Birmingham, AL. The Horseshoe event had some of our members and they all did very well. This event is divided by age not average and various sports are represented. If interested check out www.tnseniorolympics.com. Here are the results in Horseshoes:



Charles Gray - Gold



Joyce Manis – Gold
JoAnn Stanford – Gold
Jean Hinkle – Gold



Annabelle Hammond

Other non 2016 card holders who competed were:

AnnaBelle Hammond – Silver

Richard Grice - Bronze

Congratulations to all “good luck” at 2017 nationals.

Sorry Missed these photos In State Doubles section:



2016 DBLES CLA Buster& Maxine
Marlene & Randel,Fred and Allah Faye



2016 CLB roger & Merle Tommy & Ronnie
Bear Smullen and missing is Jerry Roberts



5-7-16 AG CLA Conner Totten and Gauger



5-7-16 RS CLA Champ



5-14-16 WP CLB Sullins,Stanford 3rd F. Smith



5-28-16 WP CLB Culbert 2ndSizemore 3rd Williams



5-14-16 CLK CLA Jim Culver



5-14-16 CLK CLC 1st M. Jones 2nd R. Rosser



5-14-16 CLK CLD 1st Gibbs 2nd A. Carson 3rd R. Simpson

5-21-16 Caryville CI A F. Jones 2nd Alla Faye Monday 3rd Henry Nease



5-28-16 WP CL A 1st Sullins 2nd L. Osborne 3rd J. Smith



5-28-16 WP CLB 1st H. Culbert 2nd B. Williams 3rd J. Sizemore



5-28-16 WP CL C 1st Jean Hinkle 2nd Grady Coleman



6-4-16 ALG CLA



6-4-16 ALG CL B 1st Mike Jones 2nd Sizemore 3rd B. Williams



6-4-11 CR CLA 1st B. Fields 2nd Jerry Roberts



6-4-16 CR CLB 1st D. Kell 2nd
Fred Smith



6-4-11 CR CL C 1st Jane Opatrny
2nd James Sizemore



6-4-16 CR CLD 1st R. Simpson
2nd Russell Gibbs



Not Pictured
6-11-16 CLK CL A Maxinne
Griffith

6-11-16 CLK CLB
McMillian



6-11-16 CLK CLC 1st Randel
Simpson, 2nd Bill Davis

6-18-16 Soddy Daisy (sorry no pics)
Class A 1st Zane Goggin,

6-18-16 Caryville(sorry no pics)
Class A 1st James Cooper
Class B 1st Lonzo Bolton 2nd Fred Smith 3rd James Sizemore
Class C 1st H.L.Evans 2nd Ralph New (MO)