

TENNESSEE RINGER ROUNDUP



Tennessee Horseshoe Pitchers Association Newsletter

TNHPA website: www.tnhorseshoepitching.com

MARCH - APRIL 2021

Message from Pres. Morgan: With all the unpredictable weather mostly against us this year, having some covered courts have come in handy. Instead of having to cancel our tournaments we have moved them to a covered court. I know some of the courts are quite a distance for some so how about sharing rides and expenses!

Some members are already talking about the World Tournament which is in Winnemucca, Nevada. It will be here before we know it. AS of May 5, 2021 TN has 4 entries.

All Entries must be mailed with a **postmark no later than June 8th, 2021**. You may enter at anytime prior to June 8th, 2021. Entries received with a postmark after June 8th, 2021 shall be put on a waiting list and entered into the tournament only as space is available. All adults must have pitched in a minimum of two (2) US/Canadian sanctioned events in the same division you are entering. Only (1) event is Required for Juniors.

On May 15, 2021 there were 441 entries for the WT and it is officially a GO!!!

PRACTICES: Weather permitting at **White Pine Courts** is on Wednesdays starting at 10:00 am. If any questions call Harold Morgan.

Crossville Courts: Tuesday non sanctioned is at noon
Thursday at noon to 3:00 or longer

THE HORSESHOE TOUR (www.thehorseshoetour.com)
Bryan, TX Ringer Roundup
Posted on April 13, 2021 by Ron Taylor

Next event is the Ringer Roundup, in Bryan, Texas! Our second event in Texas, but first in Bryan, we are excited for the opportunity to play there in 2021. This is a first time site, so the Open Division will be offered there. The date for the tournament is May 29-30 (Memorial Day weekend), **deadline for entries is May 19th**, we're expecting a great Texas size event.

The host hotel for the event is the Holiday Inn Express & Suites, horseshoe rate is \$89 per night. Use this link: [The Horseshoe Tour 2021 Express Bryan \(www.hiexpress.com\)](http://www.hiexpress.com)

SADLY WE HAVE LOST A MEMBER:



Anna Bell Hammond Gray

May 16, 1936 ~ December 24, 2020

Anna Bell Hammond Gray 84, of Gate City went to be with the Lord on Thursday, December 24, 2020. Anna had many enjoyments in life some of the ones she enjoyed most were bowling, pitching horseshoes, and going to Carter-Fold where she loved to dance. She also loved working in her yard as well as spending time with family and friends. Anna Bell was a loving wife, mom, mamaw, and friend who will be dearly missed by all who knew her.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, William "Ellis" Hammond; son, Junior Hammond; brother, Jerry Herron; parents, Clarence and Kathleen Herron.

Survivors include her loving husband of 22 years, Charles Gray; daughters, Paula Green and husband Kevin, Jessica Shafer, and Jennifer Waye and husband Bobby; grandchildren, Kelsey Green, Chase Green, Dalton Hammond, Dylan Messer, and Ethan Morse; sisters, Shirley Williams and Jeanette Shew; sisters-in-law, Gladys Haynes, Joyce Manis, Rita Lane, and Kathy Barker; along with a host of extended family and friends.

Keep in your thoughts and prayers: Many of our members are having a hard time with either their health or their family members. A few are: H.L. Evans, Del Groves, Henry Nease, Merle South, Doug Farnsworth and some which I am not aware of . Please keep me informed so we can check on them.

WELCOME: New member George Golish from Lynnville, TN.

2021-22 TNHPA Tournament SCHEDULE

Tournament info: All tournaments are pre-registered. You register you play. No walk-ons will be accepted. Register the Day before tournament by Noon or earlier!!! Please check in with

tournament directors upon arrival. Check in and Start times will vary this season. January 1st thru 31 May check in is 10:00 a.m. play begins at 10:30 a.m. **June 1 thru August 31, 2020 start times will be 9:00 a.m. and play begins at 9:30 a.m.** September 1 –December 31, 2020 check in 10:00 a.m. play starts 10:30 a.m.

June 13 State Doubles Entry Cut off! Fee \$20.00 per player/ \$40 team.

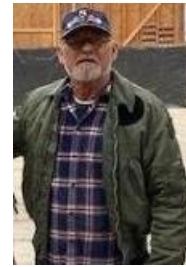
September 12 State Singles Entry cut off. Fee \$25.00 each WINTER (check in 10:00 a.m. start at 10:30 a.m.)



1-16-21 RUT CLC 1st Carl Schrimsher
2nd M. Dailey 3rd Buddy Blevins



2-13-21 RUT CL 1st Constantino
2nd M. Dailey 3rd R. Dailey



2-13-21 Rut CLB
3rd Mike Bouton



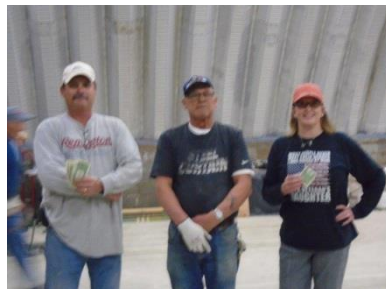
2-13-21 Rut CLB 1st R. Smullen
2nd A. Pinkston



2-13-27 RUT CLA 1st Cooper 2nd J. Sizemore



2-27-21 RUT CLB 1st Pinkston 2nd Williams 3rd Smullen



2-27-21 Rut CLC 1st Melissa Dailey



3-13-21 Rut CLA 1st Sizemore



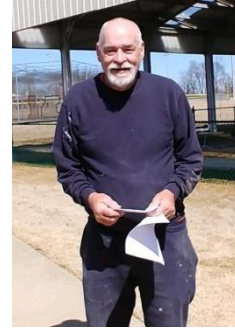
3-13-21 RUT CLB 1st Pinkston 2nd Nease



3-13-21 Rut PM CLA
2nd A.F Monday 3rd
B. Williams 4th Constantino



3-20-21 CLK CL A 1st Cooper 2nd M. Ray
3rd J. Elmore



3-20-21 CLK CLB 1st



3-20-21 CLK CLC 1st Bobby South
2nd Rick Rosser



3-20-21 CLK CLD 1st Joe thomas
2nd. Russ Gibbs



3-20-21 CLK CLE



3-27-21 CR CL A Champ



3-27-21 CR CLB 1st J. Thomas
2nd Bill Brand



3-27-21 CR CLC 3rd R. Boyd



3-27-21 CR CLC 1st B. South
2nd Ervin South



4-3-21 CR CLA 1st R. Bilyeu 2nd Bill
Brand 3rd J. Stanford



4-3-21 CR CLB 1st Charles Kolitz
2nd Joe Thomas



3-10-21 AL/CRS



3-10-21 CRY/ RUT CL B 1st Buster Williams
2nd Bear Smullen



4-17-21 CR CLA 1st McMillian
2nd E. South 3rd R. Bilyeu



4-17-21 CR CLB 1st Mike Jones 2nd



4-24-21 Clarksville All ENTRIES



4-24-21 CLK CLA 1st McMillian
2nd Stanford



4-24-21 CLK CLC 1st L. Adamczyk
2nd Gauger



4-24-21 CLK CLB 1st joe Thomas
2nd Russ Gibbs 3rd Ervin South



5-01-21 CR CLA 1st Farnsworth
2nd Bilyeu 3rd R. Boyd



5-01-21 CR CLB 1st Joe Thomas
2nd Buster Williams 3rd Les Karpziel (WI)



4-24-21 WP/RUT CLB 1st Coleman
2nd Bouton 3rd Pat Constantino

2021 Winter Sanctioned League Champions



Crossville Thurs. Winter 2021 league
Champion J. Stanford



Crossville Thurs Winter League
High Avg. Doug Farnsworth.

UPCOMING MAY –JUNE 2021 TN Tournaments

June 1 thru August 31, 2020 start times will be 9:00 a.m. and play begins at 9:30 a.m.

June 5th deadline for TN doubles registration.

June 05 Rock Springs

June 05 Clarksville

June 12 Algood

June 19 Crossville

June 19 Caryville

JUNE 26 STATE DOUBLES CLARKSVILLE