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Changes on the NHPA horizon coming out of the 2024 World Tournament!



Appointments, New Program Information, Announcements and more in this edition of the NHPA Newsline!!

2024 Youth World Champions Crowned!



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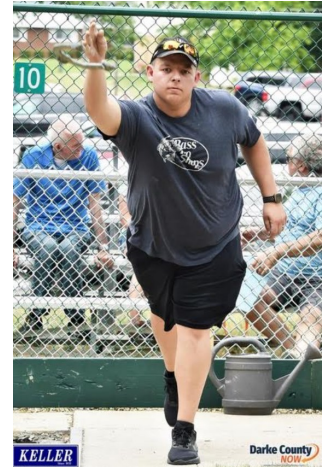
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Focusing on OUR Future, from the Ground Up

Ben Webb, NHPA President

The 2024 World Tournament in the Tri-cities has now passed as have many state tournaments, most around the country now begin to set their sights on the holiday season and fall/winter tournaments.

I'd like to begin with saying how appreciative I am of all the support I received during my campaign for the NHPA presidency and how grateful I am for all those who went to their delegates and charter officials expressing their opinions to elect me to the position. On August 4th, 2024, a landslide vote was taken to elect me as your new NHPA president...a landslide vote was made for change. The NHPA council has long been focused on just the world tournament, rarely looking beyond that to solve the everyday problems causing our membership decline. This way of thinking is over. The vote at the convention was a vote for change, not necessarily just change in face, but change in direction and ideologies that are the difference makers for the councils and associations progression. As I mentioned in the letter I sent out to every charter, my first month in office has consisted of much foundational restructuring. I am currently working on implementing brand new systems and processes that will not only make things more seamless for council business and everyday members but will bring in those much-needed funds and help us grow our membership.



One of the first steps that needed to be taken though was some restaffing. Upon my election, the 3rd Vice President position became vacant and the 2nd Vice President position also became vacant in August with Laurie's resignation from the council. We have been taking applications for these positions and conducting interviews with each interested candidate. Along with the VP vacancies, the youth director position was vacated, and 3 new director roles were created. The roles of youth director, promotions director, sponsorship director, and social media director were all posted and followed the same application process as the VP openings. After much consideration and reviewing all credentials of the qualified parties, appointments for all these positions have now been made. As you read through these appointments, you will notice a couple of familiar names. There are some things for everyone to keep in mind. Any individual who joins the council, committee or serves as a director must embrace this widened, progressive thinking of working beyond the world tournament. We will always present a great world tournament as an association, but we will work beyond that in avenues we've rarely, if ever, explored. I encourage everyone to take these appointments as they are, give each of these appointments your full support and a chance of success. I'm positive we will not be disappointed if we give a fair chance to each individual as we watch them, and their roles grow and the success that stems from that. Youth, their protection, development and growth of their division, will always be at the forefront of my administration as NHPA president. We received a few applications for our NHPA youth director opening and have chosen what I believe to be the best candidate for the role.

Aleena Lepak of Wisconsin served as the youth director for the NHPA from 2012 – 2019 before stepping away from the position to begin her family. Aleena furthered her education, completing her bachelor's degree, and feels it's the right time for her to step back into NHPA leadership as her family is now complete. During Aleena's time as youth director she was able to make those personal connections with those in the division that few adults are ever able to make. Her application stressed that she felt she could do much more than she was able to accomplish with the full backing of a forward thinking NHPA and I believe Aleena will do great things with our Youth Division in the years to come!

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The NHPA has never been great about embracing advancements in technology, especially online. As the world shifts more and more into the online space, so must we. That is why we're appointing an official NHPA social media director. We had a couple of applications for this opening, but the choice was very clear here. Michelle Foard of Minnesota began and grew her TikTok channel several years ago. Michelle has taken an active role not only on TikTok but on Facebook as well and will be expanding the NHPA's social media footprint to TikTok, Instagram, and X very shortly. Michelle will work directly with our promotion department as we create and distribute more and more promotional materials online and use these tools of social media to advertise our sport to the next generation.

Sponsorship was another major topic I campaigned on. We, the NHPA, have for years failed to obtain many outside sponsors, this is largely in part due to sponsorship being on the backburner falling in a broad description of VP responsibilities, and a sponsorship model that was simply unattractive to potential sponsors. In the coming days, we'll be rolling out a brand-new sponsorship model that will yield much more success for us. At the forefront of this though will be our newly appointed sponsorship director. After much consideration, we have chosen Donald Sorenson of Utah as the NHPA's sponsorship director. Don has served as a vice president for Northern Utah for 4 years and has worked in management for over a decade, 5 of those years being in sales management. Currently, Don works as inventory control for a major food and beverage distributor, I have zero doubt that with Don's professional background and a newly introduced sponsorship model we are on the road to gaining those much-needed sponsorships.

Promotion and Sponsorship have long been paired under a single VP. It's simply impossible to fully do these roles together. Therefore, we have appointed a promotions director as well. Both directors will work with the VP responsible for that area of the NHPA and oversee their respective committees. Our promotions director will work together with charters to aid in promotional efforts on a local level. Along with their committee, they'll brainstorm, create, and implement new promotional ideas that will help grow our membership where it must begin on a charter level. Membership grows on a local, charter level, but now the NHPA will take a leading step in working together with those charters in their efforts to grow their membership and promote their events. Our selection for the NHPA's Promotion Director has served as 4th vice president and youth director for the past year in the Southern California charter and has a career in advanced behavioral therapy. The NHPA welcomes Lucy Strong to our team as the newest promotion director! Lucy has many great ideas and is very enthusiastic about the future of our sport!

We have two council appointments to make, but many of the current roles will be shifting as we restructure our staff. The current council responsibilities will be as follows, effective immediately:

Austin Bailey of Illinois is our 1st Vice President and will be shifting responsibilities. Austin will now oversee Sponsorship, working directly with Don and his committee. Austin will also oversee other revenue generating opportunities for the NHPA such as working directly with our Amazon vendor. Austin will also be serving as the NHPA grievance director, overseeing that committee.

Dalton Rakestraw of Southern California will be joining the NHPA council as our 2nd Vice President. Dalton will take on the role of World Tournament Coordinator and oversee our Promotion/Publicity area, working directly with Lucy and her committee. Dalton has had much success working with Southern California and I have no doubt that Dalton will produce much success for the NHPA in this role.

Ben Webb...continued

Jerry Labrosse of Minnesota will be also joining the NHPA council as our 3rd Vice President. Jerry will oversee World Tournament setup to ensure a consistent, high-quality setup each year. He will be working to upgrade and maintain our equipment and will also be taking on rules and bylaws. As the council has shifted to being a majority of younger leadership, I believe Jerry’s historical knowledge and prior experiences within our sport will be very helpful as we set the NHPA up for years of success.

Barbara Carson of Ohio is our 4th Vice President and will also be shifting responsibilities. Barbara will continue to oversee the Regional Directors but will be taking on the responsibility of NHPA sanctioned league director. One of the most important areas of the NHPA is the sanctioned league program. I believe that Barb’s many years of work experiences will aid her in maintaining and expanding the Sanctioned League program.

Josh Olson of Minnesota is our 5th Vice President and his responsibilities will remain largely unchanged. While maintaining our World Tournament systems, Josh will continue to explore and implement technological advancements where applicable to keep the NHPA up to speed with the changing times.

Brian Poole of Idaho is our Secretary/Treasurer, and his responsibilities in that role will remain unchanged for the time being.

We have made some significant changes to our committees as well; those appointments will be announced via Facebook once all the committees are filled. I expect to make an announcement on this no later than September 15. Historically, our committees haven’t functioned as productively as they should have. Our established committees will meet monthly via zoom and will have brand new guidelines and SOPs to guide them. Our committee chairs will be assigned as follows:

Lucy Strong	Promotional Committee Chair
Don Sorenson	Sponsorship Committee Chair
Jerry Labrosse	Rules/Bylaws Committee Chair
Aleena Lepak	Youth Committee Chair
Michelle Foard	Social Media Committee Chair
Josh Olson	IT Committee Chair
Austin Bailey	Grievance Committee Chair

All active members of each committee have been emailed to verify their intent to remain involved with their respective committees, I am awaiting a couple of those responses as well. If you are interested in serving on a committee, there is still space on several of these, please contact me with your interest if you wish to serve the NHPA in this capacity.

Look for these updates, along with many more updates to our NHPA website very soon! The next couple of months will be filled with more foundational work as we begin to lay the footing for the new promotional, sponsorship and membership incentive programs we’ll be rolling out very soon. Stay tuned to the NHPA eBlasts and Newslines for those updates. I hope everyone had a great state tournament for those who have already held theirs and best of luck to those with their state events yet to come!

Ben

What is my purpose? Why am I here?

Ken Heinritz, NHPA Chaplain

From the Chaplain's Desk . . . With NHPA Chaplain Ken Heinritz

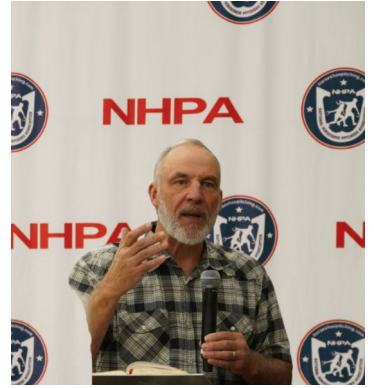
The position as Chaplain is an appointed position. In 2006, then NHPA President Paul Stewart officially appointed me as our NHPA Chaplain. I am the 3rd Chaplain of the organization, following Marvin Burgess (of Texas) and Jerry Holt (of Oklahoma).

The position really encompasses offering spiritual services to the NHPA membership. Dating back to the early 70's, it was decided on that it was needful, that the NHPA have a Chaplain. The Chaplain's duties include giving counsel and prayer to anyone in our association who is dealing with personal challenges and needing guidance or comfort. It also includes giving an invocation at various times during the World Tournament, such as commencement of the tournament, a blessing over our Junior pitchers, the beginning of our NHPA Convention Meeting and before our NHPA Hall of Fame banquet. And oftentimes it involves praying individually with people, especially in their time of need. And it is expected that the Chaplain conduct a worship service at each World Tournament, as a service to those who make it a priority to worship our great God.

I've counted it a privilege to serve the NHPA, in this capacity, for these many years and hopefully many more to come! And I certainly look forward to meeting you, whenever that opportunity arises.

Though I already know many of you, I'd like to encourage those who don't know me, to seek me out during the World Tournament or even send an email or text message to get in touch. I would enjoy talking with you. My email address is: heinritzken@gmail.com My cell phone number is: 262-239-3417.

"Seek the LORD while He may be found, call upon Him while He is near." Is. 55:6



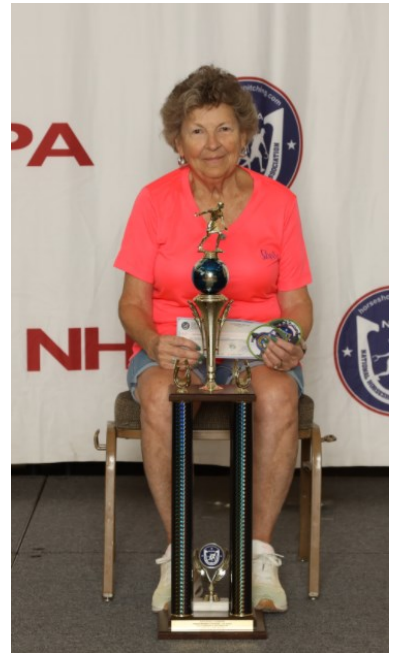
World Tournament Champions



Women
Penny Steinke — Wisconsin



Men
Alan Francis — Ohio



Senior Women
Sheila Shepard — Colorado

World Tournament Champions



Senior Men
Ken Fraser — New



Elders
Tom Moffatt — British Columbia



Cadet Girls
Addisyn Goddard — Missouri



Cadet Boys
Gavin Begaye Jr — California



Junior Girls
Lily Strong — California



Junior Boys
Hastiin Begaye — California

For a detailed list of all 2024 World Tournament Results, visit the 2024 World Tournament Review at this location: [2024 World Tournament Review](#).

Rules/Bylaws Voting Results - 2024 Delegate Meeting

Note: All Rules/Bylaws approved are effective October 1st, 2024 at the beginning of the 2025 membership year

PBC 1 Summary: A charter is entitled to one delegate for being an active charter with the NHPA and an additional delegate for every 50 NHPA members.

Votes cast: 45

No: 3

Yes: 42

Passed - Total delegates per charter will be determined based on # of NHPA members

PBC 2 Summary: Candidates for NHPA office must announce candidacy no later than April 1st. Incumbents must announce by February 1st. No nominations will be accepted from the floor of the convention if they did not meet the submission deadline.

Votes cast: 46

No: 11

Yes: 35

Passed - No nominations accepted from the floor of the convention if they did not meet the submission deadline.

PBC 3 Summary: Proposal to change the decision location for the World Tournament future locations from the NHPA Executive Council to the members for a vote.

Votes cast: 50

No: 40

Yes: 10

Failed - Proposals for future World Tournament locations will continue to be determined by the NHPA Executive Council.

PBC 4 Summary: Proposal to change the deadline for submitting rules and bylaws changes from September 30th to February 1st of the voting year.

Votes cast: 49

No: 2

Yes: 47

Passed - Deadline for rules/bylaws changes was changed from September 30th to February 1st of the voting year.

PRC 1 Summary: Proposal to change the age for Cadets to be reduced from twelve (12) years old or younger to ten (10) years old or younger.

Votes cast: 53

No: 46

Yes: 7

Failed - Cadet age will remain at twelve (12) years old or younger for the entire calendar year.

PRC 2 Summary: Elder Women age 65 and older may pitch from any place on either the extended or full distance platforms and shall observe the twenty-foot (20') foul line.

Votes cast: 52

No: 6

Yes: 46

Passed: Elder Women age 65 and older may pitch from any place on either the extended or full distance platforms and shall observe the twenty-foot (20') foul line.

Note: eShoe will be ready to support the new Elder Women distance as a new division—We welcome everyone to consider pitching with the NHPA!

For those interested...the entire NHPA Delegate Convention was recorded on Facebook Live on the NHPA official Facebook group:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1290022274982526>

PRC 2 “Senior Women” - Effective October 1st, 2024!!!

Rule 1 Current Wording

Section F - Elder Men (become eligible to pitch in the Elders Division upon purchase of an NHPA card dated for the calendar year that they become sixty-five (65) years old).

1. Elder Men may pitch from any place on either the extended or full-distance platforms, and shall observe the twentyseven-foot (27') foul line. Elder Men must notify their Charter Membership Director, in advance, of the date that they intend to begin pitching from this shorter distance. Once a member declares himself a short-distance pitcher, he must remain in that Division until the next year's membership card is purchased. At that time he may switch back to the Open Men's division, but must remain in that division until the next year's membership card is purchased.

Note: See Rule 11, Section D.1 for additional information about re-qualifying.

2. Physically Challenged Men - Physically challenged, Male pitchers less than sixty-five (65) years old may be given permission, by their governing Charter, to move onto the extended platforms in the Elders Division and observe the twenty-seven-foot (27') foul lines. The prior completion and approval of a Medical Exemption Application form (available from Charter Secretaries and on some Charter Websites) is required. At the World Tournament and at State Championship Tournaments, they shall compete in the Elders Division

Proposed Wording

Section F - Elders (become eligible to pitch in the Elders Division upon purchase of an NHPA card dated for the calendar year that they become sixty-five (65) years old).

1. Elder Men may pitch from any place on either the extended or full-distance platforms, and shall observe the twentyseven-foot (27') foul line. Elder Men must notify their Charter Membership Director, in advance, of the date that they intend to begin pitching from this shorter distance. Once a member declares himself a short-distance pitcher, he must remain in that Division until the next year's membership card is purchased. At that time he may switch back to the Open Men's division, but must remain in that division until the next year's membership card is purchased.

Note: See Rule 11, Section D.1 for additional information about re-qualifying.

2. Elder Women may pitch from any place on either the extended or full distance platforms and shall observe the twenty-foot (20') foul line. Elder Women must notify their Charter Membership Director, in advance, of the date that they intend to begin pitching from this shorter distance. Once a member declares oneself a shorter distance pitcher, they must remain in that Division until the next year's membership card is purchased. At that time, they may switch back to the Open Women's division, but must remain in that division until the next year's membership card is purchased.

Note: See Rule 11, Section D.1 for additional information about re-qualifying

3. Physically Challenged Men - Physically challenged Male pitchers less than sixty-five (65) years old may be given permission, by their governing Charter, to move onto the extended platforms in the Elders Division and observe the twenty-seven-foot (27') foul

PRC 2 “Senior Women”...continued

lines. The prior completion and approval of a Medical Exemption Application form (available from Charter Secretaries and on some Charter Websites) is required. At the World Tournament and at State Championship Tournaments, they shall compete in the Elders Division

4. Physically Challenged Women - Physically challenged Female pitchers less than sixty-five (65) years old may be given permission, by their governing Charter, to move onto the extended platforms in the Elders Division and observe the twenty-foot (20') foul lines. The prior completion and approval of a Medical Exemption Application form (available from Charter Secretaries and on some Charter Websites) is required. At the World Tournament and at State Championship Tournaments, they shall compete in the Elders Division



A Game So Pure

In a field of green, under a sky so blue
 The sound of clanking metal, the pitch of a shoe,
 There stands a group of players, with focused eyes
 Ready to pitch their horseshoes and aim for the prize.

Men, women, children with horseshoes in hand
 Playing a game they love and understand,
 With each throw, they carefully measure their aim
 Trying to land the horseshoe on the stake without shame.
 Some players have a natural talent, a gift
 Their horseshoes have the perfect lift,
 Others struggle, their throws going astray,
 But they persevere, determined to improve each day.

The horseshoe flies through the air with grace
 Seeking the stake, in which to embrace,
 The clang of metal, the cheers all around
 As friends gather, on this hallowed ground.

Each pitch is a dance, a calculated throw
 To score points, to reap what they sow,
 In the distance, they all hear a shout
 The sound of four dead, without a doubt.

The sun beats down, the sweat on their brow
 Yet the players persist, they will not bow,
 For horseshoe pitching is more than a game
 It's a tradition, a friendship, a legacy to claim.

So let us gather, on this fine day
 To watch the players, as they play,
 Horseshoe pitching is more than a sport
 It's a way to connect, to bond on the court.
 It brings people together in delight,
 And celebrates the joy of competing, day or night,
 Horseshoes, a game so pure
 In our hearts, it will always endure.

- KY Backswing



Buy a Duck...build an indoor Horseshoe Facility

The Topeka Horseshoe Association is trying to raise funds to build an indoor Horseshoe facility.

Everyone is invited to adopt ducks on our team called Quack Topeka Ringers and use the web link provided. We also have our 2015 WT logo to help guide you. Many nice prizes, including a car and a chance to win a million dollars.

Adoptions are accepted for the Topeka Duck Race up to September 13, 2024 by going to <https://www.duckrace.com/topeka/teams/9072> the logo is from our 2015 WT Then click on the blue "adopt a duck now" and select any number of ducks. Any amount is appreciated, although the most common is 5, as you get an extra duck running in the race for free. The more you purchase, the more free ducks you will get to run in the race. Half the money raised goes to Big Brothers/Big Sisters and the other half goes to teams, like Quack Topeka Ringers.

Thank you,
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Austin Bailey, NHPA 1st Vice President

The World Tournament has come and gone, and I must say that it was a fantastic World Tournament. There were so many things leading up to this year's World Tournament that I was very nervous going into the World Tournament my first year as an NHPA officer. I would have never thought that back in May I would have become the interim NHPA President going into this year's World Tournament, but that is what happened.

Things always have a way of happening for a reason. With that being said, I was very happy to be able to help out as president for the few months that I was doing it. It was not just me though. I had a lot of help along the way. I can't thank the current and past officers enough for all of the knowledge and advice that was given to me along the way. It was truly and greatly appreciated. I also must once again thank Jerry LaBrosse for taking over the Rules/Bylaws to help free me up to do the acting president duties. Jerry, all your help was very much appreciated, and you did a very good job at the delegate meeting with the rules and bylaws. Once again, thank you very much. All the support I received from current NHPA members was very much appreciated as well. I want to thank everyone who took time to come out and help with the World Tournament this year as well, with us being down an officer. It was very much appreciated with all the help we received from people who are not officers.

Now that we have a new president, I am back to my 1st Vice President position and looking forward to the next year and seeing what it will bring. Congratulations to Ben Webb on becoming the new president. I hope that everyone enjoyed the World Tournament in Kennewick and are already planning on attending next year in Utah.

If you have not participated in your state tournament, I want to wish you good luck and if you already played, I hope you had fun and did well.

Austin Bailey



Promotion from a new youthful perspective

By Lucy Strong, Promotions Director

Hey howdy hey! Growing up pitching horseshoes, this sport has been a fun and competitive way for me to connect with family and friends. What started as hanging out with grandpa at his Nebraska club has turned into a lifelong interest. Moving from Kansas to Georgia to California, the horseshoe community is always welcoming even if my ringer percentage doesn't get any better.

I have pitched in the world tournament, re-established a club, and worked as the 4th VP and Youth Director for Southern California.

Now, I look forward to furthering my involvement with NHPA as the Promotions Director.

Lucy Strong



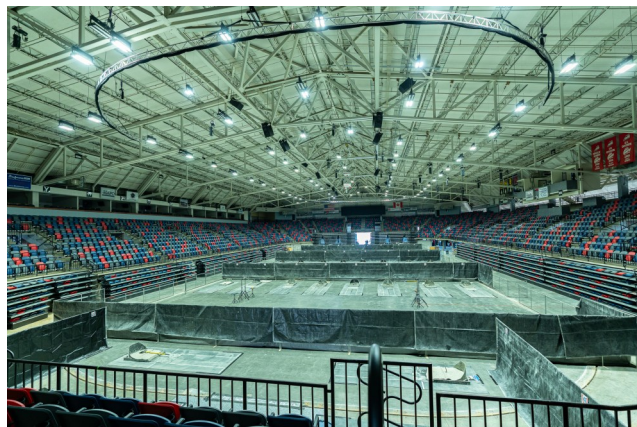
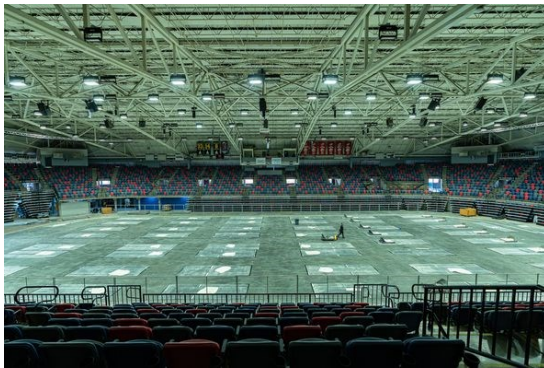
NHPA Growth by Example in Southern California

Dalton Rakestraw 2nd Vice President

Man, where has the time gone?! These past few years have just flown by! I am excited to be fulfill the term of NHPA 2nd Vice President and continue the success train for the future of NHPA. My name is Dalton Rakestraw and I have lived like Roger Vogel in several states. Ha! Currently and permanently, I reside in Southern California. I am excited for this new venture with NHPA as I have with the Southern California charter. Promotions and Publicity.



I can speak on behalf of my work in So. Cal, gaining almost a 25% membership increase in 2024. Of this increase it is a 77.33% memberships retention rate from 2023 to 2024 with 22.67% as NEW members! All this by partnering with the largest marketing firm in So Cal as well as offering incentives to the clubs and helping them on a personal level with promotional products. Photo flyers, pens, pins, photos, calendars, luggage tags, magnets. Even with the donation from a friend in San Diego...stickers for your car! This position is what drives me to success. I see the potential and drive myself to get the work done. I believe I can take my experiences and aide a team in my efforts to make NHPA successful and prosperous. Your drive and passion behind me will be everything. I appreciate the support and appointment from the council, and I look forward to working under Ben's Presidency. Welcome to the new NHPA! A progressive council. A revived hope for us all! See you all around the courts!



Additional Help at World Tournament Always Welcome

Jerry LaBrosse, 3rd Vice President

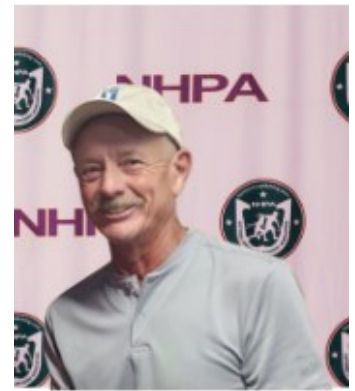
Greetings to all my horseshoe friends and the membership. My name is Jerry LaBrosse from Minnesota and I have been invited to serve out the third VP position on the NHPA Executive Council vacated by Ben Webb. I am honored and excited to fulfill that request.

I will be the Rules Committee Chair, so please send all rules and bylaws proposals to me at Jlabro6186@aol.com

The council will be embarking on an equipment upgrade project that will take a few years, and I will be managing that along with building a world tournament set up team. Anybody who may be interested in being part of this upgrade and could spend a couple extra days in Salt Lake City the week before the tournament, contact me for details.

I want to thank Ben Webb and the NHPA Council for putting your faith in me to be a part of your team. I am excited to get started and up to speed on all council business.

Jerry



PBC 4

ARTICLE XI, SECTION 3

Current wording:

Bylaws and Rule changes due to NHPA 1st Vice President by September 30th for consideration by rules committee. If a revision is authorized, there shall be no other amendments proposed to the existing Bylaws.

Proposed wording:

Bylaws and Rule changes are due to the NHPA 1st Vice President by February 1st of the voting year, for consideration by the rules committee. If a revision is authorized, there shall be no other amendments proposed to this existing Bylaw.

Proposed Bylaws change passed. Everyone is encouraged to review the Rules/Bylaws and submit their proposed changes to the NHPA 1st Vice President by February 1st.

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It's time to think about 2025

Barb Carson, 4th Vice President

Well, here we are in September already. I hope everyone had a great summer of 2024 season and pitched lots of ringers. I wish you all Good Luck at your Tournaments, but more importantly have fun and enjoy your horseshoe families. I am really looking forward to traveling and spending time with my horseshoe family. As we look forward to bigger and better things in 2024/2025, we the council have been busy preparing for the new NHPA. We are excited to have Ben Webb as our new leader. Congratulations Ben on your new position. As Ben as stated, the NHPA council continues to make changes to positions and job duties.



I would like to take this opportunity to thank those of you who volunteered your time at the World Tournament to help us out with Shift Director, Scorekeeping and Check-In. Please consider volunteering to help with your future World Tournaments. It will only enhance your experience, which promises to be a great opportunity. Thank you so much for your consideration. We appreciate each and every one of you.

This years World Tournament in Kennewick, Washington was a great success. It was very nice to see all of you. It was also a very hectic week, but thanks to all of our Volunteers, it ran smoothly.

Thank you everyone for submitting your 2024 Patch orders. You all make my job easier and I appreciate everything you do to make it run smooth. I do have patches left over, so go ahead and add more tournaments. Just email me and I will send you the requested patches. Just as a reminder, the Tournament Sanction Certificates are no longer required. Only Sanction Tournaments are in eShoe, therefore you no longer have to fill out a Certificate for each Tournament.

It's time to start thinking about 2025 tournaments and your 2025 Patch Order. I will be sending the new form to you soon along with an updated RD Directory. I would like to welcome Chris Nanneman from Wyoming to our RD family. Chris is a great supporter and promoter of our sport and will be a great asset to our team. I would also like to thank Rick Parmer for his hard work in Wyoming. Rick has decided to step down as the RD and you will be missed.

I would like to ask everyone to be patient with the NHPA Council as we prepare to make changes. As soon as we are fully staffed and everyone knows what their duties are, that information will be passed along to you.

RD's, please remember that you are required to renew your NHPA membership before January, 1st, 2025. We will also be having a Charter/RD/League meeting as soon as possible. I will let all of you know when that will be scheduled as soon as I have a date and time.

Thank you again to everyone for all of your hard work and dedication. Good luck and keep pitching those ringers. Have a great Fall. Please stay cool, hydrated and be careful. See you soon.

The screenshot shows the NHPA website header with the logo and tagline "Come Pitch with Us!". Below the logo is a navigation menu with links: Home, About Us, Membership, eShoe/HSMaster, Rules, Leagues, World Tournament, Newsline/Media, and Upcoming Events. Below the menu are two maps: one of the United States with state abbreviations and one of Canada with province abbreviations.

Locate your charter on www.horseshoepitching.com
Click on the map for your charter location

World Tournament Results—LIVE in Kennewick

Josh Olson-5th Vice President

Another World Tournament is in the books...

I want to first take this time to thank everyone who helped out in any way from setting up monitor stands to organizing the computers during teardown to being in the stat-room all week long during the tournament. Thank you, Bonnie and Larry Lewis, Dale and Vicki Marteney, Rhonda Davis and Melanie Poole in the Stat room all week long. Blaine Scott and Dwight Silver...thanks for your help with the technical support. Without everyone's help the tournament would be rough...that is for sure! One person can't do everything! I just want to say THANK YOU again. If I missed someone that stepped up and helped in anyway, I am sorry, Thank you for your help as well.



I also want to thank Kurt Whaley for everything he does behind the scenes. We got the eShoe integration working this year so the results would go straight to eShoe after the games were completed. it was very cool to see and you can even still see some of the results if you go to eShoe. Select "World Tournament" towards the top of the screen. I am looking forward to another term as the 5th Vice President and the I.T Director.

Congratulations to Ben Webb on his election as President I look forward to working together on the NHPA council.

See you on the courts!

The NHPA is made up of passionate individuals that want to make a difference, bring horseshoes into the lives of our neighbors and friends, meet new friends, and renew friendships that have often continue for decades.

Thank you to those who submitted their names for consideration for the NHPA Council positions and new Director positions. Each of those individuals count on the assistance from many people across the NHPA charters.

The NHPA Council is still interested in filling various positions on supporting committees. If you are interested in contributing to the rebuilding of the NHPA and have experience or interest in promotion, youth, information technology (IT), sponsorship, rules/bylaws, and helping to resolve grievances that occasionally come up, we welcome your applications. Please send any interests to NHPA President Ben Webb at: bwebb5155@gmail.com

Financial Report—Reviewed and Approved

By Brian Poole, NHPA Secretary/Treasurer

Well I hope everyone that went to Kennewick got home safe. Melanie and I went to Coeur d’Alene on the way home and rode the Hiawatha trail on our bikes. It was a good fun ride on the old railroad grade.

After we got home I got right to work with the NHPA CPA to figure out why the Profit and Loss report was showing such a large loss. It was discovered that we were not doing all the steps when transferring the deposits from PayPal into Quick-Books and they were showing up as a deficit. Once we completed the transfer stress it cleaned up the PayPal Bank.



We know that there were three items that cost us more than we had planned on. The three items are the Photographer, Hall of Fame Banquet, and travel cost to Michigan. These items made up most of the existing deficit.

As a council we are making steps to make sure that we don’t have another deficit. We are moving forward with an agreement to sell our Logo on shirts and merchandise. With the new ideas and vision we are moving forward to helping our organization grow its membership and League participation.

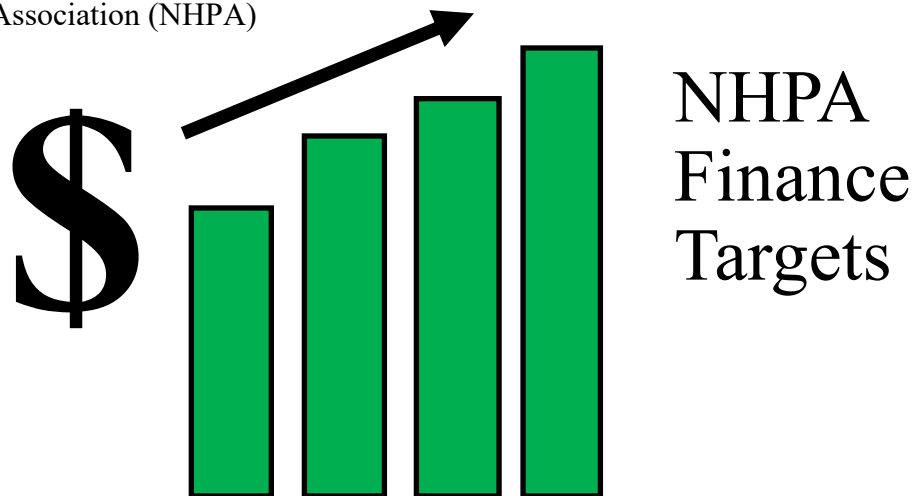
I am committed to work with Ben and the new council to make the changes and move the NHPA to new and better times.

Thanks for your trust and understanding that we are working to use the funds entrusted to us as a council to benefit the NHPA and its membership.

I look forward to seeing everyone next year in Salt Lake at the Mountain America Expo Center. We are excited about the facility and that all the courts will be in one main area. There are lots of activities to pick from in the Salt Lake area to visit and explore. We will be working on the details starting with our next council meeting this month.

Keep talking to everyone about pitching in your local clubs and leagues to help bring our membership back to where it needs to be.

Brian Poole
Secretary/Treasurer
National Horseshoe Pitchers Association (NHPA)



National Horseshoe Pitchers Association

Profit and Loss

October 2022 - September 2023

	TOTAL
Income	
2023 Championship Move-up	3,550.00
Bid Fees	28,000.00
Donation	2,600.00
Entry Fees	10,323.46
WT Entry Fee	41,396.45
Total Entry Fees	51,719.91
EShoe renewals	73,378.50
Horseshoe Sanction Fees	1,750.00
League program	
Donation (Sanction League)	973.55
Total League program	973.55
Membership Dues	3,530.50
NHPA Trading Cards	110.00
Overcharge Return	1,186.00
Paypal Deposits - eShoe renewals, WT Entries, and Trading Cards	182,547.52
Refunds-Allowances	597.96
Returned Scorekeeping	930.00
Royalties	781.55
Sales	3,415.00
Service/Fee Income	
Copy Money	218.00
Total Service/Fee Income	218.00
Ticket Sale	240.00
Unapplied Cash Payment Income	-965.00
Uncategorized Income	383.37
Total Income	\$354,946.86
GROSS PROFIT	\$354,946.86
Expenses	
Advertising	-1,200.00
Awards & Patches	23,919.02
Bank Charges	175.19
Equipment	3,566.82
Postage	25.22
Total Equipment	3,592.04
eShoe AZURE Subscription	2,397.89
Insurance	30,933.00
Insurance - Liability	1,606.00
Job Materials	1,586.86
Junior Trust Payout	3,062.50

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National Horseshoe Pitchers Association

Profit and Loss
October 2022 - September 2023

	TOTAL
Legal & Professional Fees	2,788.75
Marketing/Promotional	5,182.00
Marketing/Promotional (Banners)	1,622.50
Newsline	1,406.75
NHPF	6,784.00
Office/General Administrative Expenses	850.28
NHPA Office Internet	210.00
Total Office/General Administrative Expenses	1,060.28
Other General and Admin Expenses	1,511.58
Miscellaneous(WToffice)	56.37
RD Expenses	101.48
Total Other General and Admin Expenses	1,669.43
Payroll Expenses	
Hall of Fame Director	500.00
Newsline Editor Allowance	1,839.00
Presidents Allowance	5,700.00
Regional Director Allowance	3,903.44
Sec/Treasurer Allowance	19,037.40
Vice President Allowance	9,195.00
WT Stats Director	500.00
Total Payroll Expenses	40,674.84
photography	9,370.00
Postage	2,318.56
Prize Fund Distribution	133,765.00
Purchases	200.00
Refunds	2,298.00
Registration Fees	455.00
Rent or Lease	2,567.45
Repair & Maintenance	1,271.64
Return Bid Fees	5,000.00
Scorekeepers/Judges	16,060.00
Shipping and delivery expense	5,238.42
Software Development	3,344.33
Sponsorship	1,000.00
Staff & Officials	3,533.91
Stationery & Printing	4,347.11
Supplies	6,893.76
Taxes & Licenses	-1,650.00
Travel	11,175.06
Website-Internet	3,413.77
World Tournament Banquet	13,989.20
WT Expense Reports	2,656.39

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National Horseshoe Pitchers Association
Profit and Loss
 October 2022 - September 2023

	TOTAL
WT Rooms	22,982.80
Total Expenses	\$377,491.45
NET OPERATING INCOME	\$ -22,544.59
Other Income	
Interest Earned	113.31
Total Other Income	\$113.31
Other Expenses	
Expected Refunds-follow up needed	102.00
Returned Check	392.99
Total Other Expenses	\$494.99
NET OTHER INCOME	\$ -381.68
NET INCOME	\$ -22,926.27

Financial Report—Report on approval vote

The financial report was sent to all Charter presidents with the request for them to gather feedback from their charters regarding approval of the report. Here is the report on the request for approval:

Approved 58
Not Approved 6

The financial report was approved and work is already underway to address the negative balance including funds that are already being received from the agreement with Amazon for purchase of NHPA authorized products and clothing. We encourage everyone to spread the word about the National Horseshoe Pitchers Association by wearing your NHPA merchandise and responding to questions from your friends and neighbors and invite them to join you on the courts.



NHPA Apparel now Available on Amazon!



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National Horseshoe Pitchers Association
"Come Pitch with Us!"

We have some exciting news to share! We have reached an agreement that will place official National Horseshoe Pitchers Association (NHPA) related apparel and various other items for sale on the Amazon.com platform. New items and designs will continue to be added on Amazon as long as interest and demand from members and/or nonmembers exists.

It's truly a win-win for the NHPA. Not only is the service being provided free of charge to the NHPA, but the NHPA will also receive a commission from each sale that will ultimately benefit the entire association. In addition, the NHPA will gain free world-wide exposure from the millions of people who visit Amazon.com on a daily basis. Our goal is to offer reasonably priced official NHPA quality merchandise to members and non-members in a timely fashion. Our vision is to flood the horseshoe pitching market by having our name and logo on T-Shirts, Pullover Hoodies, Zip Hoodies, Tank Tops, Long Sleeve T-Shirts, Sweatshirts, Raglans, Iphone Cases, Tote Bags, Pillows, and other items as they become available. These items will be offered in various colors and sizes.

Amazon will handle production, shipping, and customer service — all with no costs to the NHPA. Items will be printed by Amazon in the USA and will usually arrive at your doorstep in 1-3 days with free shipping to Amazon Prime Members. Even if you are not an Amazon Prime member, you can still receive your order within 3-6 days with free shipping on orders over \$35.

Our hope is that everyone appreciates and gets behind this effort so we can take it to the next level. Therefore, we ask for your help in showing Amazon (through NHPA item clicks and orders) that we horseshoe pitchers stand together, support, and take pride in our association. We feel this is a small step in the right direction as we retool and raise the NHPA stakes!

We have included a list of Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ's) and have attached a few samples of the current items being offered. Please be aware there are many more items, styles and colors available under the Brand "National Horseshoe Pitchers Association NHPA Store" on Amazon.com.

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Frequently Asked Questions

1) How can I find NHPA items on Amazon? – There are two ways:

- a) You can click on or copy and paste this NHPA Brand Link into your web browser:
https://www.amazon.com/s?rh=n%3A7141123011%2Cp_4%3ANational+Horseshoe+Pitchers+Association+NHPA+Store&ref=bl_sl_s_ap_web_7141123011
Please note the Iphone cases will not show up in the NHPA Brand Store. You will need to find those by doing a search in the Amazon.com search bar by typing in: “NHPA Iphone Case”
- b) Go to Amazon.com and find the Amazon search bar near the top. Enter “NHPA” followed by the product you are searching for. For example, if you are searching for NHPA Hoodies then you’d type “NHPA Hoodies” in the search bar then click on search.

2) What if I don’t have internet access or do not want to order directly from Amazon.com

- a) We are currently working on an option where you can submit your name, address, item, size, item color and payment to someone in NHPA leadership. They will then place the order for you and have it sent directly to your home address. We will release more information about this option at a later date. For now, we encourage everyone to order through the Amazon.com platform if you have the means to do so. If you know of someone who wants an item but does not have the ability to conduct business online then please offer to assist them. Our ultimate goal is to put official NHPA merchandise in the hands of any member and non-member wanting it.

3) Are the shirts made of quality material?

- a) Yes, T-Shirts are Port & Company and are Direct To Garment (DTG) print by Amazon in the USA. Most solid colors are made of 80%-100% cotton while heather colors are made of 50%-80% cotton and 20%-50% polyester. For a slightly higher price, we will also offer a Premium Bella Canvas T-Shirt on some designs. The Bella Canvas T-Shirt is made of lightweight fine jersey fabric designed for softness and comfort.

4) How much is shipping, who handles the shipping and how fast will I receive my merchandise?

- a) Amazon handles production, shipping and customer service – all with no costs to the NHPA. Merchandise will be printed same or next day by Amazon in the USA and will usually arrive at your doorstep in 1-3 days with free shipping to Amazon Prime Members. Even if you are not an Amazon Prime member, you can still receive your order within 3-6 days with free shipping on orders over \$35.

5) Do you have any ordering tips?

- a) Pay close attention to the item design and description. Some items are printed on the front only, back only or front & back. Some items may have larger designs while others have smaller designs. Pick what you like best. Pick colors that go best with the design. For example, if you think a particular shirt color may clash with the design then choose another color that you feel best fits the design.
- b) If you are “in-between” on sizes then it’s best to select the next size up. Most Amazon shirts run true to fit or slightly smaller.

NHPA Sanctioned League Tournament Returns this Fall!

A highlight of the season for many NHPA Sanctioned League pitchers is the annual sanctioned league tournament in Wentzville, Missouri! Due to low entries, this tournament has taken a recent hiatus but will be returning this year, as long as we get several entries. We will be accepting up to 20 teams of 3 for the tournament and I've attached the entry form below. If you have any questions, please contact me directly. You may mail your entry form and entry fee (made payable to the NHPA), to me as well. I look forward to seeing everyone in Wentzville in October!



2024
National Sanctioned League
Championships

October 5-6, 2024 ~ Wentzville, Missouri

\$180 Entry Fee, Includes Scorekeeping

Payouts subject to change if 20 team entries not met for the tournament

\$2100 cash to the Champions!

\$1050 cash to the Runner-Up

\$300 - 2nd in each bracket

\$270 - 3rd in each bracket

\$240 - 4th in each bracket

\$100 high game over average in each bracket

Team Name: _____ Team Captain: _____

Player #1: _____ Card Number: _____

Player #2: _____ Card Number: _____

Player #3: _____ Card Number: _____

Send entries to: **Ben Webb, 605 Washington Street, Brownsville, KY - (270) 597-4900**

NO substitutions allowed, **ANY** combination of distance or charter members

Together We Can Build Up the NHPA

By Don Sorenson, Publicity Director



Hello, I would like to introduce myself. My name is Donald Sorenson. I was born in California but I grew up in Bountiful, Utah. I now live in Roy Utah. I work for Admiral Beverage, which is Pepsi. I work in our inventory controls department, which can be challenging at times, but I enjoy my work. I do have sales experience in my younger days, which was also challenging and rewarding.

I've only been pitching horseshoes in organized play for 8 years, but I have enjoyed pitching shoes for a long time.

I can't express my gratitude to the NHPA for the opportunity to help grow our sport. It's going to be exciting and challenging and I have some great ideas on how we can get it done.

Please reach out to me with any thoughts or ideas that can help us all in the years to come to grow our sport.

Don

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It's great to be back!

By Aleena Lepak, Junior Director



Hello from Wisconsin! My name is Aleena Lepak and I am extremely excited to accept the position as Youth Director. I would like to thank the officers and the council for their faith in me, and I look forward to where they can lead this amazing association.

I have been an NHPA member since I was 9 years old, and I have competed in over 20 world tournaments. I am also in the WHPA Hall of Fame. I was the NHPA Jr. Promotions Director previously but had to step down due to my life commitments. I am now settled in a career I love and feel I am in a better situation to serve the youth of our sport. I know, with the guidance of our officers, we can make a huge step for the NHPA.

I look forward to working with all of you. I welcome any, and all ideas to help grow the sport of horseshoes for today's youth. Please feel free to reach out to me with ideas, suggestions, or questions you may have. I truly cannot wait for my upcoming time as the Youth Director.

Over 5 billion daily users embrace social media!

By Michelle Foard, Social Media Director

Many of you already know who I am, but those not on social media probably don't know me. I am Michelle Foard from Minnesota. I have been pitching horseshoes for over 23 years, but only sanctioned for 6. I am the New/Media Promotions Director for Minnesota Gopher State Horseshoe Pitchers Association. After only my first year I decided to jump in and do News/Media. I started a Tik Tok page solely dedicated to horseshoes. I also started an Instagram page for horseshoes and took over the MGSHPA FB page. I was fairly new to Tik Tok, but my best friend who I would go dock diving with helped me figure things out. She posted videos of her dogs jumping off the dock. So I decided to do short clips of people pitching. My Tik Tok page has over 14,000 followers. I have posted 274 videos. Two of those videos having over 500,000 views. To my knowledge I have the largest Tik Tok horseshoe page. As of last fall I became an admin of the NHPA Official Page on FB. Also the last two years I have made promotional pictures for those attending the World Tournament. Many players like these photos and it gets everyone excited for World.



I am excited to become the Social Media Director for the NHPA. I have done a lot on my own, but looking forward to expanding and coming up with new ideas. As the Social Media Director I will be creating a Tik Tok page for the NHPA as well as an Instagram account. I am hoping I can get many of my followers to jump over to the NHPA pages as well. It takes a lot of time and effort to build a following on these pages. So once these pages are created and running I will share on FB so you can join the pages. I understand not everyone is on social media. Just know that through social media we are able to reach so many people not just across the country, but across the world. As always I encourage you to post pictures and share ideas. It takes a village to do great things. I look forward to ideas and feedback. Don't hesitate to send me an email, text or even send a Facebook message. If we aren't friends yet send me a request!



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Come Visit the NHPF Hall of Fame...In person or Virtually

By Dave Sidles NHPF Director

Much like Major League Baseball or the National Football League, the National Horseshoe Pitchers Association has a Hall of Fame. Located within Quail Ridge Park in Wentzville, Missouri, it houses an abundance of memorabilia and artifacts connected to the sport of organized horseshoe pitching dating back over 100 years. Also in the museum are plaques for all the Hall of Fame members along with individual brief biographies of their contributions and accomplishments. It's absolutely amazing how much some of these people have done for the sport and the NHPA. These can also be accessed on the NHPA's website. <https://www.horseshoepitching.com/hall-of-fame/>



This museum was made possible by people that felt strongly that the history of the sport should be preserved and made available for all to see. The National Horseshoe Pitchers Foundation was formed to make this all possible. The ongoing contributions from supporters of the sport keep the museum thriving. For those that have never been there, I highly encourage you plan a visit.

Your donations are always welcome and can be made right from the NHPF site. And as always, we thank everyone that has made donations in support of the NHPF this year and in the past.

David Sidles
NHPF President



Farewell to a dear friend of horseshoe pitchers everywhere



It is with regret that we let you know of the recent passing of a dear friend to anyone who attended World Tournaments in the past. **Ernie Bowdell** and his smile and pleasant personality was synonymous with getting your picture taken at the World Tournament. He was the World Tournament photographer for many years. I remember his fun pictures that he would take with the youth...when they would put one of the youth upside down into one of the garbage cans while he laughed and snapped the pictures. Ernie made getting your picture taken fun. He will always be missed by those who had the pleasure of getting to know him. We received this message from his son Andy:

"I wanted to inform the NHPA about the recent passing of my father, Ernie Bowdell on August 27th. He was the NHPA's selected World Tournament photographer for many years. His first tournament was in Columbus, Ohio back in 1992. He cherished the opportunity to be the World Tournament photographer. He felt most at home during the 2 weeks of the WT. I got to work with him during 8 (I believe) of these and see first hand the joy this brought him.

I would like to thank former NHPA Presidents Dave Louckes, Paul Stewart, and Stu Sipma for keeping him on for so many tournaments."

Answers to your eShoe questions

By Jim Kinney, NHPA eShoe Director



I have been part of the eShoe program since its inception. I believe this program has been the best thing for tracking membership and events since HSMaster was created. Kurt Whaley is the one who created both. Kurt has updated many things within the program over the years and is still trying to make the program better each year to fit the NHPA's needs. I work with Kurt closely on a regular basis to make sure we make eShoe run as smooth as possible without any issues for the charters. As eShoe Director I have the job of monitoring and assigning user access for each charter. We try to keep the user count to two or three, so we do not have too many people from each charter working over each other. This has worked out well since the beginning. I am the main contact for eShoe issues, and this has worked out well. If there is any change in membership director/secretary in a charter please contact me. If I do not have the answer to an issue, I will contact the one that does. This eliminates the problem of having too many hands in the pot and gives everyone a single contact point. Billing and invoice issues for charter membership will be overseen by Brian Poole, NHPA Sec/Treas.

I wanted to address a couple of issues that I have already encountered over the years. One issue is when a member goes to the NHPA website and renews their membership online. Sometimes the wrong button is chosen when renewing. There is a "Join" button and a "Renew" button when prompted. The "Join" button is for just those who have never held a membership in the NHPA in the past. The "Renew" Button is for a member who is currently or has been an NHPA member in past years. If the "Join" button is used by a current, or past, member the program generates a new membership number for that member. Creating a new membership number does one of three things.

- 1) It is possible that the member now has two membership numbers associated with their name in eShoe.
- 2) if the member has pitched in any events using their current number there will be no record of this associated with their new number.
- 3) The new membership number will not have the correct years of membership associated with the member's original number.

If this happens the eShoe director needs to be notified before anything is deleted or changed so the eShoe director can correct the issue. This is so the charter is credited with the right billing on the quarterly invoice that is sent by the NHPA Sec/Treas. This is any easy fix but needs to be addressed prior to any corrections.

Another issue that has been sent to me in the past is members moving divisions. When a member moves divisions, the charter membership director/Secretary does this, most of the time. If a member has pitched in any events before moving, then those events will not be seen. Events pitched in the current division will not count after the move into a new division. A new average will need to be established for the new division. If a member has pitched in a different division then the one that is in eShoe and the division was not changed prior to the event the charter membership director/Secretary, charter Events director, or the NHPA eShoe director will have to go to each tournament pitched and change the distance recorded for the member and save. Then they will have to go to the members name in eShoe and change the division assigned to them.

If anyone is moving from one charter to another they will have to be move by the charter membership director/Secretary that they are currently a member of, or myself. The membership number will move with the member. The membership numbers are for life, unless there are arrangements made.

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Answers to Your eShoe Questions...Continued

Updates are being worked on as I am drafting this article. We will keep everyone updated as they are implemented. Any of the issues addressed or issues that are associated with reporting tournaments or leagues can be corrected without any problems. Just contact me by email or phone provided in my closing if you have any questions.

Hope everyone is having a great year and see you on the courts.

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Action	Event Name	City	State	Begin Date	Start Time
	2024 WT Warmup	Kennewick	WA	2024-07-27	9:30AM
	2024 World Tournament Prelims	Kennewick	WA	2024-07-29	9:00AM
	2024 WT Championship	Kennewick	WA	2024-08-01	9:00AM

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Stats

Alabama	Nebraska-West	Mens Top 100
Alaska	Nevada	Womens Top 100
Arizona	New Hampshire	Elders Top 100
Arkansas	New Jersey	Boys Top 50
California-North	New Mexico	Girls Top 25
California-South	New York	Cadets Top 25
Colorado	North Carolina	Complete File
Connecticut	North Dakota	
Delaware	Ohio	Alberta
Florida	Oklahoma	British Columbia
Georgia	Oregon	New Brunswick
Hawaii	Pennsylvania-East	Ontario
Idaho	Pennsylvania-West	Quebec

<https://www.nhpa-eshoe.com/Home/Stats>

Womens Top 100 Stats *1 Sep 2024*

Rank	Card #	First Name	Last Name	State	Division	Ringer Percent	Events Played
1	330031	Marlene	Ray	TN	Women	87.33	19
2	330030	Maxine	Griffith	TN	Women	86.26	18
3	350626	Shalee	Cason	FL	Women	83.75	10
4	280216	Sarah	Chaffee	WI	Women	83.71	6
5	490476	Skyla	Rioux	CT	Women	79.48	7
6	623905	Lindsay	HODGINS	AB	Women	79.33	6
7	330173	Joan	Elmore	TN	Women	77.84	11
8	280078	Penny	Steinke	WI	Women	76.40	22
9	220130	Doris	Hieden	TX	Women	76.34	12
10	664710	Sylvianne	Moisan	QC	Women	76.32	6
11	800439	Pam	Meyer	MO	Women	75.74	11
12	360294	Amy	Francis	OH	Women	74.73	9
13	190875	Jennifer	Gegg	MO	Women	73.77	10
14	802026	Blanca	Hettinga	OR	Women	72.34	26
15	300441	Denise	Daly	MI	Women	71.93	8

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Mens Top 100 Stats *1 Sep 2024*

Rank	Card #	First Name	Last Name	State	Division	Ringer Percent	Events Played
1	360940	Alan	Francis	OH	Men	85.36	9
2	260084	Dan	Watson	AL	Men	77.97	12
3	320063	Ben	Webb	KY	Men	77.90	19
4	390143	Randy	Zeiders	PA	Men	75.00	14
5	100290	Brandon	Tenjieth	AZ	Men	74.15	3
6	440124	Ken	Fraser	NY	Men	73.41	6
7	290652	Austin	Bailey	IL	Men	72.43	9
8	300151	Andrew	Adams	MI	Men	71.52	9
9	657381	Drew	BECKER	ON	Men	71.17	6
10	10058	Matt	Fuller	WA	Men	70.75	8
11	320292	Tyler	Howard	KY	Men	69.32	16
12	190693	Michael	Bowman	MO	Men	68.72	16
13	460059	Gale	Greene	VT	Men	68.32	12
14	350369	Walter Ray	Williams Jr	FL	Men	67.89	24
15	420271	Jerry	Dean	MD	Men	67.85	6

Elders Top 100 Stats *1 Sep 2024*

Rank	Card #	First Name	Last Name	State	Division	Ringer Percent	Events Played
1	614016	Tom	MOFFAT	BC	Elder Men	81.73	24
2	191256	Virgle	McCown	MO	Elder Men	77.54	11
3	310517	Dale	Moles	IN	Elder Men	76.18	6
4	370298	Junior	Peters	WV	Elder Men	75.80	10
5	420337	Tom	Mills	MD	Elder Men	75.32	11
6	220577	Danny	Patterson	TX	Elder Men	74.23	17
7	220870	Tom	Routh	TX	Elder Men	74.01	17
8	100192	Mike	Massari	AZ	Elder Men	73.62	31
9	340080	Zane	Goggin	GA	Elder Men	73.53	2
10	660765	Jacques	HOULE	QC	Elder Men	72.98	3
11	361017	Don	Epps	OH	Elder Men	72.82	8
12	350350	Bob	Gray	FL	Elder Men	72.62	2
13	280082	Ken	Jaeger Sr	WI	Elder Men	72.25	13
14	290240	Steve	Denault	IL	Elder Men	71.79	6
15	350363	Ron	Deckard	FL	Elder Men	71.58	17

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Girls Top 25 Stats *1 Sep 2024*

Rank	Card #	First Name	Last Name	State	Division	Ringer Percent	Events Played
1	340280	Lily	Strong	CA	Junior Girls	50.76	11
2	280115	Lillyan	Kildahl	WI	Junior Girls	43.21	6
3	191533	Sadie	Wolken	MO	Junior Girls	42.92	8
4	802674	Madeline	Workman	NV	Junior Girls	38.59	9
5	95096	Adilaide	Ohms	UT	Junior Girls	35.90	12
6	800889	Lindy	Anderson	UT	Junior Girls	29.83	9
7	800812	Lilli	Light	MT	Junior Girls	29.56	3
8	803569	Aislinn Raye	Klapik	CT	Junior Girls	29.46	14
9	190110	Eli	Delacruz	MO	Junior Girls	28.64	2
10	150396	Uria	Gabel	ND	Junior Girls	24.82	6
11	802875	Natalie	Dilger	NV	Junior Girls	23.30	13
12	190880	Rhilynde	Myler	MO	Junior Girls	23.18	6
13	616571	Ericka	MCNAB	BC	Junior Girls	22.40	3
14	610079	Nia	SIGANAKIS	BC	Junior Girls	20.44	7
15	804138	Laila	Broken Rope	SD	Junior Girls	19.02	3

Boys Top 50 Stats *1 Sep 2024*

Rank	Card #	First Name	Last Name	State	Division	Ringer Percent	Events Played
1	380630	Eli	Sullivan	VA	Junior Boys	78.47	5
2	31151	Hastiin	Begaye	CA	Junior Boys	76.60	4
3	802657	Tom	Grose	NV	Junior Boys	57.79	10
4	803169	Ryder	Smith	MT	Junior Boys	57.34	9
5	300469	Kayden	Fowler	MI	Junior Boys	56.47	3
6	480516	Zack	Grzembski	MA	Junior Boys	55.56	18
7	360365	Caiden	Hogue	OH	Junior Boys	53.10	5
8	490452	Riley	Malino	CT	Junior Boys	52.00	6
9	95078	Coulson	Ohms	UT	Junior Boys	48.73	10
10	190085	Warren	Highley	MO	Junior Boys	47.98	21
11	220641	Isaac	Nelson Jr.	TX	Junior Boys	46.41	2
12	803828	Matt	Hulse	UT	Junior Boys	43.23	5
13	280226	Bradley	Benzing	WI	Junior Boys	41.03	4
14	280127	Blake	Benzing	WI	Junior Boys	40.83	3
15	802631	Ethan	Seright	UT	Junior Boys	40.00	4

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Cadets Top 25 Stats *1 Sep 2024*

Rank	Card #	First Name	Last Name	State	Division	Ringer Percent	Events Played
1	801315	Evan	Bedard	MA	Cadet Boys	64.97	8
2	804087	Gavin	Begaye Jr.	CA	Cadet Boys	49.11	2
3	802539	Zachary	Smith	IA	Cadet Boys	48.50	23
4	804088	Eben	Begaye	CA	Cadet Boys	46.33	2
5	803798	Tah-dsoka	Jeff	CA	Cadet Boys	37.00	1
6	804890	Jensen	Martin	VA	Cadet Boys	32.80	3
7	804189	Lucas	Cantone	MA	Cadet Boys	31.90	9
8	803323	Bryant	Seegmiller	UT	Cadet Boys	30.53	1
9	803456	Jeremiah	DeMello	WA	Cadet Boys	28.03	9
10	803792	Jacob	Barney	UT	Cadet Boys	25.00	12
11	803216	Beau	Dehkes	MN	Cadet Boys	24.38	2
12	804918	Kendell	Beck	GA	Cadet Boys	23.62	3
13	802970	Alexzander	Schmidt	GA	Cadet Boys	22.86	4
14	803880	Dominic	McDonald	GA	Cadet Boys	22.79	2
15	802463	Jackson	Vancleave	MI	Cadet Boys	21.64	6



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