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President's Message



Hello members,

Wow! At this point in time the summer is rather HOT. I have not been pitching as much as I thought after initially starting off strong. As I write this, many of you know that the World Tournament has completed in Louisiana and our only two representatives were

Brian and Melanie Poole.

As a reminder, State Singles this year is in Coeur d'Alene (CDA) at Winton Park. If you plan to pitch at State, you need to pre-register with either myself (Dave Spears) or Melanie Poole by Thursday, September 8 at 6 PM MDT. You may call me at 208-440-7132 or Melanie at 208-313-1545. The cost of State Singles is \$25. There will be a Friday evening warm-up tournament; pre-registration is not necessary; that registration fee is \$5. Warm-up check-in starts at 5:00 PM, pitching begins at 5:30.

Officer positions up for election/reflection are the President's position and the 2nd Vice President. These are for two-year terms. As your current president, I am personally making a decision not to run for president.

In addition to elections at the Saturday Annual Meeting, we will be voting on some Bylaw changes that I feel should be in place to bring everything updated for years to come. These are listed on pages 4 - 5 in this summer newsletter for everyone to review ahead of time.

Darla Wessel and the Kootenai club are planning a great tournament for us this year. Next year the World Tournament will be in Michigan.

With the weather appearing to change for the better, practice time is drawing near. So with that, I wish everybody a good and successful pitching season.

Good Pitchen,
Dave Spears, ISHPA President

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Hall of Fame Report

As your HOF chairperson I am happy to announce that at State Singles in CDA this year we have a very, very deserving person being inducted into our Hall of Fame. This person has already been contacted and many people already know who it is. For those who do not know, it is our fabulous newsletter editor, our state website care taker, and a valuable person overall in many ways, this is Kay Keskinen. I look forward to State Singles this year specifically for this.



Dave Spears
HOF chairperson

ISHPA 2022

State Singles Tournament

Warmup: Friday, September 9

Singles: Sat-Sun, September 10-11

Winton Park, Coeur d'Alene

Regional Director Report

As your Regional Director, once again a reminder that the year 2023 is a court resanctioning year--all of the courts used for our sanctioned tournaments must be inspected and measured to ensure that they meet NHPA requirements. So, as early in the year as I can get started, I will be communicating with the tournament site contacts to meet me at the court facilities for resanctioning. To help speed up the sanctioning process, I ask that the clubs to please measure your courts prior to my arrival. That way if there are adjustments to be made, they can be corrected prior to my review. Certificates will be issued that day depending on the condition of the courts.

Have a good rest of the summer, and, if out and about in this heat, please stay hydrated.

Dave Spears
Regional Director

Melanie's Memos



Happy Summer all you wonderful Idaho Horseshoe Pitchers. I have had a very busy but fun one. I hope that "you all" have had a good summer and had a chance to enjoy our beautiful but HOT weather and had a chance to pitch some shoes.

I want to thank everyone who made an effort to participate in our Idaho tournaments. I love going to see old friends and making new ones. As our season comes to a close I hope that as many of you who are able to can come to State Singles in Coeur d'Alene this September. It is a beautiful area and a special place to me. We lived there for four years and loved it. Please refer to page 13 of this newsletter for all the details of the tournament. Looking forward to seeing you there!

As most of you know Brian and I were the only ones from Idaho who were able to go to Worlds in Louisiana this year. We definitely missed Pep and Carol and all their hard work of helping supervise set up, judging and scorekeeping! Our clay was like soup as we did not have someone out supervising the crew mixing the clay the whole time and had to take the boxes back outside to dry out a bit and then

return them to the arena in order to play the warm up tournament on Saturday before Worlds started.

Brian and I were fortunate that we were able to pitch well. I took 2nd place in my class and Brian took 3rd place in his class. It was a lot of fun and awesome to see everyone. The photographer told me how impressed she was with all the pitchers and how it had the atmosphere of a family reunion. I agreed.

There were some amazing games played from the Juniors up to the Elders.

I was our delegate for Idaho in the delegates meeting. (FYI because of our 101 pitchers we have two votes.) Brian and Jerry Smith were both voted to continue serving as their respective NHPA VP positions for the next 3 years. There was a proposal brought before the delegates to change the date of submitting a rule change to the NHPA rules committee chairman to December 31. It was passed.

The other proposal at the meeting was to change the Elders age from 70 to 65. Where not all Charters were represented at the meeting, the delegates voted to have the proposal sent by ballot to each Charter President. Jim Kinney has sent a ballot and has requested each Charter to discuss the proposal at their respective state tournaments. We will determine, at the State meeting, how Idaho wants to vote. The ballot then needs to be returned to Jim Kinney by September 15, 2022. If you can't make the meeting, please share your thoughts with one of the officers so everyone's voice can be heard. The proposal is being presented to bring NHPA & CHPA in unison and give all men an option to move to Elders at 65. There will be some that stay pitching at 40 feet well beyond age 70, like Dale Green.

I also wanted to put in a plug for NHPA e-Shoe. It is a great tool to use for renewing your membership, checking your tournaments that you have participated in, checking your average, locating tournaments to play in as you travel, and submitting your tournament stats when completed for instant results, and ringer percentage update. If you don't feel comfortable using it or need help in navigating around in it, please contact me and I am happy to help walk you through using it or answer any questions you might have at 208-313-1545.

Pitch well and have a great rest of your summer!

Melanie Poole
ISHPA Secretary/Treasurer



Election Information

The ISHPA Bylaws has this text “Persons interested in running for office are encouraged to announce their candidacy early by submitting their intentions to the newsletter’s editor.”

Kootenai County: Darla Wessel reports:

Hello fellow pitchers. We are excited to be hosting the Idaho State Singles Tournament this year. We will be experimenting with the weekend after Labor Day in hopes of cheaper hotel rooms and decent weather. We will provide lunch Saturday and Sunday for all pitchers and score keepers. Others will be charged \$5.00. Please bring your own drinks. We will have coffee, and there is a water fountain at Winton Park. There are several hotels within a half a mile of the park: LaQuinta, Motel 6, Super 8, and Fairbridge Inn. RV parks close are Kootenai County Fairgrounds, Blackwell Island, and RiverWalk RV Park. If you have any questions please call me, Darla Wessel, 208-691-9963. Happy Practicing.

Treasure Valley: Randy King reports:

The Treasure Valley Horseshoe Club Summer has been a Hot One. Some of our Tuesday League Nights have been cancelled. Those 100-degree plus afternoons in Meridian take the fun out of pitching shoes. Hoping with the cool down in the coming weeks we can get back to normal.

Nampa League has a morning start time on Wednesdays which for those who can make it, that works much better for them.

The Idaho State Singles Tournament up North is approaching fast and the Treasure Valley Club is making sure all those going have their Ringer Percentage up to date and ready to go.

We have a few new people who have come to check us out, hopefully we have encouraged them enough to come back and join in.

A few of us seem to be nursing some type of injury or health issue this year. We hope all get back up to speed quickly and carry on working on their game.

Since this is an even-numbered year, we elect the President and the 2nd Vice President at the Annual Meeting held at the upcoming State Singles tournament. Officers are elected to two-year terms and take office on January 1.

As of this newsletter publication, I have not received notice of any intentions to run.

Kay Keskinen
ISHPA Newsletter Editor



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Proposed By-Laws Amendments
Presented by David Spears, ISHPA President

SUGGESTED BY-LAWS ADDITIONS/AMENDMENTS/DELETIONS

(1)

ARTICLE VII (AMENDMENTS)

Proposal:

I make a motion that the ISHPA By-Laws be voted on the even numbered years to have items added or amended or deleted starting again in 2024.

Current Bylaw reading:

The voting process for all new items, issues or any By-Laws amendments or deletions will be voted on at the Annual State meeting. Proposals or changes must be submitted to the President by March 1 and approved by the Executive Board before being placed on the State Meeting Agenda. Approved issues or changes will be posted in the Summer issue of "Four Dead" for the membership to review. A simple majority vote is required to pass items or issues proposed, and By-Laws changes need a 2/3 Majority vote by members present at the annual meeting. Minor issues, as determined by the President, can be presented and voted on at the annual meeting.

Proposal to read:

The voting process for all new items, issues or any By-Laws amendments or deletions will be voted on at the Annual State meeting on the even numbered years Proposals or changes must be submitted to the President by March 1 and approved by the Executive Board before being placed on the State Meeting Agenda. Approved issues or changes will be posted in the Summer issue of "Four Dead" for the membership to review. A simple majority vote is required to pass items or issues proposed, and By-Laws changes need a 2/3 Majority vote by members present at the annual meeting. Minor issues, as determined by the President, can be presented and voted on at the annual meeting.

Reason for addition/change:

To decrease the length of the annual meeting every other year.

(2)

ARTICLE XII (State Singles Tournament)

Proposed Reading:

1. To qualify to pitch in the State Singles Tournament, during the past 12 months a pitcher must have pitched in either a) a minimum of three (3) sanctioned tournaments with at least one being any Idaho sanctioned tournament or b) a minimum of two (2) sanctioned tournaments with at least two being Idaho sanctioned tournaments. The Executive Board may approve other circumstances.

Current Reading:

1. To qualify to pitch in the State Singles Tournament a pitcher must have pitched in a minimum of three (3) sanctioned tournaments during the past 12 months with one being a State Club Tournament unless approved by the Executive Committee.

Reason for change:

To allow pitchers who live at a distance from sanctioned Idaho horseshoe tournaments to be able to qualify by pitching in only two sanctioned tournaments, but the two must be Idaho tournaments.

(3)

ARTICLE XII: (State Singles Tournament)

Current reading:

9. Tournament sign up deadline shall be no later than 8:00pm (Mountain time) on the Thursday just prior to the tournament weekend.

Proposal: Deadline for signing up for the State Singles shall be by 8:00pm (Mountain time) on the Monday of the week of State Singles Tournament.

Reason: To allow adequate time to have food preparation whether a potluck or food ordered in and to allow Trophies or Plaques made or ordered in.

(4)

Elections:

ARTICLE IV (OFFICERS)

ADDITION to Officers Article IV

Ballot Forms

3.0 Proposal: Add Ballot form information and holding of ballots.

3.1 Proposal to read:

Any officers position up for election/re-election with two or more people nominated or announcing their interest in the office a ballot form will be handed out to each member by pre-selected members.

Ballots will be collected after voting has concluded.

3.2. Ballots will be counted and winner announced.

3.3. Ballots shall be kept in President's possession for no more than 6 months in case of a challenge. If no challenge is made, they shall be discarded at the end of the 6 month timeframe.

Reason for ballot form proposal:

No current information on ballots

(5)

ARTICLE XI (Tournaments)

Current Bylaw reading:

1. Sanctions are to be issued annually through the Regional Director. Deadlines for accepting schedules for sanctioned tournaments will be December 1 of prior year with the exception of newly formed clubs.

Proposed Amendment:

1.1 Sanctioned Tournaments shall be submitted to the Regional Director by December 1st of the prior year with the exception of newly formed clubs in which tournaments may be submitted any time after courts are sanctioned.


1.2. All Tournaments to be sanctioned will then be sent to the Sec/Treas by the Regional Director.

1.3 Regional Director will assign sanction numbers promptly and install all appropriate information into Eshoe and distribute certificates and patches as soon as possible whether mailed or brought to tournament location.

Reason for Amending:

There was no information mentioning as to whom to send tournament date(s) information to. More information was needed on proper path for submitting tournaments and expanding on Regional Director responsibilities of tournaments.

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2022 Idaho Tournament Results

**08-22-002 Warm-Up to World #1, Pocatello Ross Park, Tournament Director: Brian Poole
Saturday, April 30, 2022**

Class A Player	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	wins	Losses	Hi Gm %
Gary Curtis	240	71	29.58%	226	A	1	6.0	0.0	40.0%
Jim Robinson	240	31	12.92%	219	A	2	4.5	1.5	20.0%
Peter Daley	240	101	42.08%	233	A	3	4.0	2.0	52.5%
Jim Price	240	101	42.08%	232	A	4	3.5	2.5	50.0%
Brian Poole	240	26	10.83%	173	A	5	2.0	4.0	25.0%
Doug Palmer	240	40	16.67%	143	A	6	1.0	5.0	27.5%
David Spears	240	30	12.5%	139	A	7	0.0	6.0	22.5%



L-R: Peter, Gary, and Jim

**08-22-034 Gary Opper Invitational, Star, Tournament Director: Gary Opper
Saturday, April 30, 2022**

Class A Player	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	wins	Losses	Hi Gm %
Matt Fuller	280	176	62.86%	247	A	1	5.0	2.0	75.0%
Gary Opper	280	151	53.93%	204	A	2	4.0	3.0	75.0%
Don Davis	240	140	58.33%	191	A	3	3.0	3.0	67.5%
Clyde Marquez	240	64	26.67%	66	A	4	1.0	5.0	45.0%

**08-22-003 Let's Pitch, Meridian, Tournament Director: Carol Plummer
Saturday, May 7, 2022**

Class A Player	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	wins	Losses	Hi Gm %
Ray Carpenter	100	27	27.0%	79	A	1	2.0	0.0	30.0%
Pep Plummer	100	24	24.0%	66	A	2	1.0	1.0	48.0%
Randy King	100	14	14.0%	35	A	3	0.0	2.0	14.0%

**08-22-004 May Day, Pocatello Ross Park, Tournament Director: Jim Robinson
Saturday, May 7, 2022**

Class A Player	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	wins	Losses	Hi Gm %
Jim Price	120	49	40.83%	103	A	1	3.0	0.0	42.5%
Peter Daley	120	46	38.33%	83	A	2	2.0	1.0	42.5%
Wes Case	120	32	26.67%	52	A	3	1.0	2.0	37.5%
Doug Palmer	120	27	22.5%	66	A	4	0.0	3.0	30.0%

Class B										
Jim Robinson	100	10	10.0%	44	B	1	1.0	1.0	17.5%	
Melanie Poole	100	8	8.0%	37	B	2	1.0	1.0	8.0%	
Brian Poole	100	7	7.0%	24	B	3	1.0	1.0	12.5%	

**08-22-005 North Idaho Jamboree, Coeur d'Alene, Tournament Director: Darla Wessel
Saturday, May 14, 2022**

Class A										
Player	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	Wins	Losses	Hi Gm %	
Laurie Dale	160	92	57.5%	190	A	1	4.0	0.0	65.0%	
Roger Baker	160	58	36.25%	116	A	2	3.0	1.0	42.5%	
Darla Wessel	160	48	30.0%	85	A	3	2.0	2.0	35.0%	
Trudy Oye	160	42	26.25%	75	A	4	1.0	3.0	32.5%	
Robbie Domit Jr	160	38	23.75%	72	A	5	0.0	4.0	27.5%	

Class B										
Lucas Baldwin	240	49	20.42%	146	B	1	4.0	2.0	35.0%	
Robert Vollman	200	32	16.0%	98	B	2	2.0	3.0	22.5%	
Eric Cannon	200	31	15.5%	99	B	3	2.0	3.0	20.0%	

Class C										
Tom Sipiora	160	36	22.5%	114	C	1	4.0	0.0	30.0%	
Ray Abrego Jr.	160	22	13.75%	77	C	2	2.0	2.0	22.5%	
Homer Kleinsmith	160	22	13.75%	69	C	3	0.0	4.0	17.5%	

**08-22-006 NHPF Benefit, Boise, Tournament Director: Dave Spears
Saturday, May 14, 2022**

Class A										
Player	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	Wins	Losses	Hi Gm %	
Mark Morfin	180	48	26.67%	144	A	1	5.0	1.0	40.0%	
David Spears	180	38	21.11%	116	A	2	4.0	2.0	33.33%	
Mike Morfin	180	21	11.67%	92	A	3	3.0	3.0	16.67%	
Seth Morfin	180	6	3.33%	32	A	4	0.0	6.0	6.67%	



**08-22-007 Warm-Up to World #2, Pocatello Ross Park, Tournament Director: Brian Poole
Saturday, May 14, 2022**

Class A										
Player	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	Wins	Losses	Hi Gm %	
Jim Price	164	84	51.22%	119	A	1	4.0	0.0	52.5%	
Danny Bosquez	164	68	41.46%	120	A	2	2.0	2.0	50.0%	
Lorado Reetz	160	52	32.5%	92	A	3	2.0	2.0	37.5%	
Doug Palmer	160	51	31.88%	95	A	4	2.0	2.0	40.0%	
Peter Daley	160	56	35.0%	79	A	5	0.0	4.0	42.5%	

Class B										
Melanie Poole	120	15	12.5%	74	B	1	3.0	0.0	15.0%	

Jim Robinson	120	13	10.83%	66	B	2	2.0	1.0	15.0%
Brian Poole	120	12	10.0%	59	B	3	1.0	2.0	15.0%
Rick Sprague	120	5	4.17%	35	B	4	0.0	3.0	10.0%

**08-22-008 Armed Forces Day, Meridian, Tournament Director: Pep Plummer
Saturday, May 21, 2022**

Class A	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	wins	Losses	Hi Gm %
Player									
Pep Plummer	240	88	36.67%	195	A	1	6.0	0.0	45.0%
Ray Carpenter	240	73	30.42%	152	A	2	4.0	2.0	45.0%
Gary Kollmann	240	75	31.25%	143	A	3	2.0	4.0	37.5%
Randy King	240	54	22.5%	89	A	4	0.0	6.0	27.5%

Class B	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	wins	Losses	Hi Gm %
Player									
David Spears	200	45	22.5%	138	B	1	4.0	1.0	40.0%
David Schutte	160	40	25.0%	92	B	2	2.0	2.0	45.0%
Ralph Gant	200	33	16.5%	96	B	3	2.0	3.0	22.5%
Levi Tracy	80	11	13.75%	34	B	4	0.0	2.0	17.5%

Class C	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	wins	Losses	Hi Gm %
Player									
John Sproul	160	7	4.38%	63	C	1	3.0	1.0	7.5%
David Horton	160	12	7.5%	71	C	2	2.0	2.0	12.5%
Doug Mulberry	160	21	13.13%	33	C	3	1.0	3.0	17.5%

**08-22-009 Horseshoes at Stake, Pocatello Ross Park, Tournament Director: Danny Hendricks
Saturday, June 4, 2022**

Class A	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	wins	Losses	Hi Gm %
Player									
Anita Sorensen	160	71	44.38%	134	A	1	4.0	0.0	50.0%
Danny Bosquez	160	61	38.13%	125	A	2	3.0	1.0	47.5%
Jim Price	160	65	40.63%	85	A	3	2.0	2.0	50.0%
Peter Daley	160	58	36.25%	116	A	4	1.0	3.0	42.5%
Brent Wood	160	41	25.63%	76	A	5	0.0	4.0	35.0%

Class B	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	wins	Losses	Hi Gm %
Player									
Doug Palmer	200	72	36.0%	174	B	1	4.0	1.0	47.5%
Danny Hendricks	200	63	31.5%	140	B	2	3.0	2.0	35.0%
Evan Pickett	160	50	31.25%	119	B	3	2.0	2.0	40.0%
Gary Curtis	160	50	31.25%	94	B	4	1.0	3.0	47.5%
Nanette Spangler	160	33	20.63%	56	B	5	1.0	3.0	27.5%

Class C	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	wins	Losses	Hi Gm %
Player									
Dawna Parris	160	34	21.25%	94	C	1	3.0	1.0	25.0%
David Spears	160	31	19.38%	100	C	2	2.0	2.0	25.0%
Melanie Poole	160	14	8.75%	72	C	3	1.0	3.0	15.0%

**08-22-012 Elmer Currie Classic, Coeur d'Alene, Tournament Director: Darla Wessel
Saturday, June 18, 2022**

Class A	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	wins	Losses	Hi Gm %
Player									
Laurie Dale	120	61	50.83%	124	A	1	3.0	0.0	55.0%
Darla Wessel	120	38	31.67%	43	A	2	0.0	3.0	40.0%

Class B	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	wins	Losses	Hi Gm %
Player									
Rusty Butterfield	120	23	19.17%	94	B	1	3.0	0.0	27.5%
Eric Cannon	120	13	10.83%	65	B	2	1.0	2.0	20.0%
Mike Watcher	120	11	9.17%	59	B	3	1.0	2.0	12.5%
Henry Lopez	120	10	8.33%	48	B	4	1.0	2.0	17.5%

Class C	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	wins	Losses	Hi Gm %
Player									
Brandon Mcmath	120	16	13.33%	59	C	1	3.0	0.0	27.5%
Ray Schoch	120	4	3.33%	25	C	2	0.0	3.0	7.5%

**08-22-013 Donuts for Ringers, Meridian, Tournament Director: Randy King
Saturday, June 18, 2022**

Class A									
Player	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	Wins	Losses	Hi Gm %
Ray Carpenter	160	71	44.38%	144	A	1	4.0	0.0	50.0%
Pep Plummer	160	47	29.38%	108	A	2	2.0	2.0	42.5%
Randy King	160	34	21.25%	51	A	3	0.0	4.0	27.5%

Class B									
Player	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	Wins	Losses	Hi Gm %
David Schutte	160	51	31.88%	123	B	1	3.0	1.0	37.5%
Ralph Gant	160	43	26.88%	99	B	2	2.0	2.0	35.0%
David Spears	160	48	30.0%	87	B	3	1.0	3.0	35.0%

**08-22-014 Juneteenth, Pocatello Ross Park, Tournament Director: Jim Robinson
Saturday, June 18, 2022**

Class A									
Player	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	Wins	Losses	Hi Gm %
Peter Daley	280	126	45.0%	221	A	1	5.0	2.0	57.5%
Doug Palmer	280	95	33.93%	196	A	2	4.0	3.0	37.5%
Evan Pickett	240	73	30.42%	150	A	3	3.0	3.0	42.5%
Danny Bosquez	240	70	29.17%	119	A	4	1.0	5.0	35.0%

Class B									
Player	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	Wins	Losses	Hi Gm %
Jim Robinson	200	53	26.5%	157	B	1	5.0	1.0	40.0%
Mary K Blattner	240	39	16.25%	141	B	2	4.0	2.0	25.0%
Paul Taylor	240	31	12.92%	95	B	3	2.0	4.0	20.0%
Richard Vaughan	200	21	10.5%	87	B	4	1.0	5.0	15.0%



Class A: Peter and Doug



Class B: Mary and Jim

**08-22-015 Wood River Open, Hailey, Tournament Director: Brent Wood
Saturday, June 25, 2022**

Class A									
Player	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	Wins	Losses	Hi Gm %
Benj Rains	160	110	68.75%	256	A	1	4.0	0.0	85.0%
Ray Carpenter	160	69	43.13%	137	A	2	3.0	1.0	55.0%
Richard Rains	160	46	28.75%	108	A	3	2.0	2.0	40.0%
Brent Wood	160	40	25.0%	59	A	4	1.0	3.0	32.5%
Danny Hendricks	160	29	18.13%	53	A	5	0.0	4.0	25.0%

Class B										
Nanette Spangler	160	40	25.0%	113	B	1	4.0	0.0	32.5%	
David Spears	160	35	21.88%	124	B	2	3.0	1.0	27.5%	
Mary K Blattner	160	36	22.5%	98	B	3	2.0	2.0	25.0%	
Ty Byington	160	32	20.0%	83	B	4	1.0	3.0	27.5%	
Shawn Huntington	160	14	8.75%	31	B	5	0.0	4.0	15.0%	

Class C										
Weston Littlefair	160	43	26.88%	121	C	1	4.0	0.0	40.0%	
Stewart Brown	160	26	16.25%	99	C	2	3.0	1.0	27.5%	
Brian Poole	160	16	10.0%	78	C	3	2.0	2.0	17.5%	
Brandon Beall	160	17	10.63%	59	C	4	1.0	3.0	15.0%	

Class D										
Vincent Hubbs	204	35	17.16%	123	D	1	4.0	1.0	27.5%	
Travis Lynn	200	14	7.0%	74	D	2	3.0	2.0	10.0%	
Vicky Lynn	160	14	8.75%	71	D	3	2.0	2.0	15.0%	
Jeff Prescott	168	13	7.74%	71	D	4	1.0	3.0	13.64%	
Jeff Baer	164	6	3.66%	30	D	5	1.0	3.0	6.82%	

**08-22-031 4 Dead, Pocatello Ross Park, Tournament Director: Nanette Spangler
Saturday, July 9 2022**

Class A										
Player	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	Wins	Losses	Hi Gm %	
Anita Sorensen	280	134	47.86%	253	A	1	7.0	0.0	57.5%	
Ken Fuller	320	157	49.06%	232	A	2	5.0	3.0	57.5%	
Jim Price	280	125	44.64%	188	A	3	2.0	5.0	50.0%	
Danny Bosquez	240	71	29.58%	99	A	4	0.0	6.0	37.5%	

Class B										
Doug Palmer	200	77	38.5%	216	B	1	5.0	0.0	50.0%	
David Schutte	200	64	32.0%	148	B	2	3.0	2.0	42.5%	
Weston Littlefair	200	50	25.0%	114	B	3	3.0	2.0	35.0%	
Doug Peterson	200	41	20.5%	92	B	4	2.0	3.0	22.5%	
Shaylene Lanz	200	26	13.0%	73	B	5	2.0	3.0	17.5%	
Mary K Blattner	200	32	16.0%	86	B	6	0.0	5.0	17.5%	

Class C										
Jim Robinson	160	55	34.38%	184	C	1	4.0	0.0	52.5%	
Bret Davis	160	19	11.88%	95	C	2	3.0	1.0	17.5%	
Barry Mangum	160	12	7.5%	67	C	3	2.0	2.0	17.5%	
Vicky Lynn	160	7	4.38%	57	C	4	1.0	3.0	7.5%	
Travis Lynn	160	6	3.75%	31	C	5	0.0	4.0	7.5%	

**08-22-017 Hog Heaven Challenge, Moscow, Tournament Director: Kay Keskinen
Saturday, July 23, 2022**

Class A										
Player	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	Wins	Losses	Hi Gm %	
Ross Todorovich	120	11	9.17%	57	A	1	3.0	0.0	12.5%	
Ray Abrego Jr.	120	5	4.17%	39	A	2	0.0	3.0	5.0%	

L-R: Ray and Ross



**08-22-033 Switch A Roo, Pocatello Ross Park, Tournament Director: Nanette Spangler
Saturday, July 23, 2022**

Class A										
Player	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	Wins	Losses	Hi	Gm %
Mary K Blattner	156	29	18.59%	0		0	0.0	0.0	.0%	
Danny Bosquez	156	44	28.21%	0		0	0.0	0.0	.0%	
Curtis Crane	156	35	22.44%	0		0	0.0	0.0	.0%	
Steve Lewis	156	25	16.03%	0		0	0.0	0.0	.0%	
Jon Lewis	156	17	10.9%	0		0	0.0	0.0	.0%	
Vicky Lynn	156	7	4.49%	0		0	0.0	0.0	.0%	
Barry Mangum	156	26	16.67%	0		0	0.0	0.0	.0%	
Doug Palmer	156	48	30.77%	0		0	0.0	0.0	.0%	
Jeff Prescott	156	9	5.77%	0		0	0.0	0.0	.0%	
Lorado Reetz	156	55	35.26%	0		0	0.0	0.0	.0%	
Jim Robinson	156	33	21.15%	0		0	0.0	0.0	.0%	
Richard Vaughan	156	11	7.05%	0		0	0.0	0.0	.0%	

**08-22-018 State Doubles, Pocatello Ross Park, Tournament Director: Brian Poole
Saturday, July 30, 2022**

Class A										
Player	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	Wins	Losses	Hi	Gm %
Danny Hendricks	260	71	27.31%	368	A	1	8.0	2.0	53.85%	
Jim Price	260	91	35.0%	368	A	1	8.0	2.0	46.15%	
Peter Daley	260	90	34.62%	379	A	2	7.0	3.0	50.0%	
Doug Palmer	260	86	33.08%	379	A	2	7.0	3.0	42.31%	
Doug Peterson	234	65	27.78%	244	A	3	3.0	6.0	42.31%	
Jim Robinson	234	56	23.93%	244	A	3	3.0	6.0	38.46%	
Danny Bosquez	234	64	27.35%	239	A	4	1.0	8.0	46.15%	
Curtis Crane	234	62	26.5%	239	A	4	1.0	8.0	42.31%	

Class B										
Player	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	Wins	Losses	Hi	Gm %
Mary K Blattner	208	45	21.63%	276	B	1	6.0	2.0	26.92%	
Weston Littlefair	208	45	21.63%	276	B	1	6.0	2.0	26.92%	
Mike Beall	208	49	23.56%	293	B	2	5.0	3.0	38.46%	
Ty Byington	208	45	21.63%	293	B	2	5.0	3.0	46.15%	
Nanette Spangler	208	38	18.27%	240	B	3	5.0	3.0	34.62%	
Richard Vaughan	208	36	17.31%	240	B	3	5.0	3.0	30.77%	
Brian Poole	208	27	12.98%	192	B	4	3.0	5.0	23.08%	
Melanie Poole	208	34	16.35%	192	B	4	3.0	5.0	23.08%	
Durell Lewis	208	31	14.9%	177	B	5	1.0	7.0	26.92%	
Paul Taylor	208	28	13.46%	177	B	5	1.0	7.0	19.23%	

Class C										
Player	Shoes	Ringers	Ringer %	Points	Class	Rank	Wins	Losses	Hi	Gm %
Bret Davis	234	41	17.52%	225	C	1	7.0	2.0	26.92%	
Dawna Parris	234	23	9.83%	225	C	1	7.0	2.0	19.23%	
Jon Lewis	234	45	19.23%	272	C	2	6.0	3.0	26.92%	
Barry Mangum	234	41	17.52%	272	C	2	6.0	3.0	34.62%	
Brandon Beall	208	34	16.35%	221	C	3	5.0	3.0	38.46%	
Vincent Hubbs	208	30	14.42%	221	C	3	5.0	3.0	38.46%	
Steve Lewis	208	26	12.5%	191	C	4	3.0	5.0	23.08%	
Jeff Prescott	208	23	11.06%	191	C	4	3.0	5.0	15.38%	
Vicky Lynn	208	11	5.29%	127	C	5	0.0	8.0	19.23%	
Travis Lynn	208	16	7.69%	127	C	5	0.0	8.0	30.77%	

State Doubles Photos:



State Champions
Danny & Jim



B Class winners
Mary & Weston



C Class winners
Dawna & Bret



A Class 2nd Place
Peter & Doug



C Class 2nd Place
Jon & Barry



C Class 3rd Place
Vincent & Brandon



2022 World Tournament

Idaho was represented at the World Tournament held July 11-23 in Monroe, LA. Brian Poole pitched in the Men G1 Class and placed third with a record of 11-2 and a ringer percent of 11.73. Melanie Poole pitched in the Women G Class and came in second place with a record of 9-4 and a ringer average of 21.73%. Congratulations!



ISHPA State Singles Tournament

Saturday – Sunday, September 10 -11, 2022 in Coeur d’Alene

Warm-up Tournament Friday, September 9

Pitch with the best pitchers in Idaho at Winton Park,
located at 1507 N Melrose Street

Warm-up Tournament: Friday, September 9

Registration fee is \$5, there is no pre-registration

Sign-up at 5:00 PM, pitching begins at 5:30 PM

State Singles Tournament: Saturday - Sunday, September 10-11

Registration deadline: Thursday, September 8 by 6 PM MDT (call earlier if you can)

Register by calling either Dave Spears at 208-440-7132 or Melanie Poole at 208-313-1545

Registration fee is \$25

Saturday and Sunday sign-in by 8:30 AM, play begins at 9:00 AM

Rules for State Singles:

- You must have already pitched in three sanctioned tournaments in 2022, at least one of which must be an Idaho sanctioned tournament; note that the Friday warm-up tournament can count as one of the three
- Shirts must have at least your last name (state is optional) lettered on the back
- Shirts must have sleeves
- No open-toed shoes may be worn



Lunches:

- Saturday lunch will be provided for pitchers and scorekeepers. Others will pay \$5. Please bring your own drinks.
- Sunday lunch will be provided for pitchers and scorekeepers. Others will pay \$5. Please bring your own drinks.

50/50 drawing: Tickets are a dollar each or 6 for \$5; 50% will go to the winner with the other 50% going to the local club to help with the costs of putting on the tournament.

Annual Business Meeting with lunch will be held on Saturday right after the first flight; the second flight will begin after the conclusion of the lunch and business meeting. Business items include the adoption of the minutes of the 2021 Annual Meeting (found in the Fall 2021 “Four Dead” newsletter), reports of officers and committees, Bylaws amendments, elections of the President and the Second Vice President to two-year terms, NHPA vote on changing the Elder Men age, bids for the 2023 State Doubles Tournament, bids for the 2023 State Singles Tournament, Hall of Fame induction, and other items of business.



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