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## More World Success For Washington Pitchers

==== *Montgomery, Alabama wins 2016 W.T Bid* ====

### Commentary: *Jerry Clark*

**I**t was a beautiful day at the Lakefair Open, with temperatures hovering close to 90 degrees, and Yauger Park bustling with activity. With a softball tournament being played alongside our horseshoe tournament, and lots of spectators milling around, keeping an eye on both, it was a day to keep hydrated and seek shade when possible. Kudos to the Olympia Horseshoe Club and T.D. Paul Tutewiler, as well as the ladies that provided such an outstanding lunch. It was a nice day all around.

Now into August, we set our sights on the Ed Walsh Open in Spokane, the Carvo Open in Yakima, and the Bellingham International. I've always kind of considered the Bellingham International as the beginning of the "homestretch" of our pitching season. This year, the state doubles will be held the following day, also at Cornwall Park. With about two months to go, a number of big events are coming up, including the State Doubles, Singles, and the Pacific N.W. Open in Yakima. That's where we will find out who takes home the Columbia Cup for 2014. It's nice when our pitching is improving as the season moves along. Back in January when we receive our schedule of tournaments, I always highlight the ones I'm pretty sure of making

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More World Tournament trophies are on the way back to Washington. Patrick McCarthy pitched a great 58.24% and finished 2nd in the Cadet Championship Class, while brother Michael McCarthy finished with a 9-0 record and 1st place in Junior E. Bonnie Lewis finished 3rd in Women's Class H with an 11-4 record. Russ Phillips moved up and competed in the Elder's Championship Class where he placed fourth.

## 2014 World Tournament Finishes

CATEGORY	SEED	NAME	W-L	R%	FINISH
Cadet Championship	4	Patrick McCarthy	2.5/2.5	58.24	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Cadet A	2	Patrick McCarthy	5-4	48.61	4 <sup>th</sup>
Junior E	2	Michael McCarthy	9-0	32.50	1 <sup>st</sup>
Junior G	2	Karla Lewis	3.5/5.5	5.28	7 <sup>th</sup>
Womens H	1	Bonnie Lewis	11-4	35.33	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Womens H	5	Phyl Quist	5-10	25.67	13 <sup>th</sup>
Elders Championship	8	Russ Phillips	10-5	74.25	4 <sup>th</sup>
Elders A	2	Russ Phillips	6-9	72.00	11 <sup>th</sup>
Mens A1	13	Don Davis	4-11	58.33	12 <sup>th</sup>
Sr. Mens G	14	Jim Quist	1-16	12.21	18 <sup>th</sup>



### 2013 WSHPA STATE CHAMPIONS

Mens: **Matt Fuller**      Womens: **Phyl Quist**  
 Elders: **Russ Phillips**  
 Jr Boys: **Kyler Magnus Jr.**      Girls: **Karla Lewis**  
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Is everyone ready!!!!!!!!!!!!!!  
 It is that time again. Time to pack up the whites and head out to pitch the best in the game! Can't wait! I am looking forward to catching up with friends from past worlds and maybe even make some new ones. Rhonda has all the tickets ready and I have horseshoes.

Russ and I went to Bend this last weekend and played in the clay. If you are ever around there when they are having a tournament, stop in. It is a great place to play and they really treat us out-of-towners great.

We have 7 players going to compete at worlds this year and you can follow them on the national web site. I hear there is even a live video feed you can watch. Sounds pretty technical to me but I am sure you guys can figure it out.

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Good news for the state tournament! They have pushed my surgery date to September 3 so I will be able to run the tournament. That will make it easier on all you vice presidents. As for when you pitch for state I don't know yet. We will have to find out who is pitching and then we will set the classes. Hope all can make it. I will do a better job on the scheduling of games and the number of shoes pitched. We will pitch a lot of shoes this year. Be ready to walk and pitch.

Once again I would like to thank everyone who runs tournaments! You guys do a great job and don't get the credit you deserve. There is a lot of work that goes in to putting this together and each one of you do a great job of making it work. Thank you from all of us that just get to show up and pitch. See you guys on the courts!  
 Don

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# WSHPA News

Shoes News thanks those who contribute articles, pictures, emails, and other items. Your comments, criticism, and input is always welcome. This page is for you to share your thoughts, and concerns of our horseshoe pitching family. . Lets hear from you.

## Pictures From The World Tournament Photos From the World, Courtesy of Phyl Quist



Phyl and Bonnie both had one familiar face in Womens Class H



This was our Spokane booth at the World Tournament. Spokane and Montgomery, Alabama were the top two vote getters and there was a second vote in which Montgomery came out on top and will be hosting the 2016 World Tournament. Our team from Spokane, did a fabulous job, but came up just short. We will be meeting with them in the near future to determine where we will go from here.



Patrick McCarthy, Karla Lewis, and Michael McCarthy all pitched very well in Buffalo

## Yakima Open Added to Schedule On August 10th

Here is your chance to get your tournaments in before State! A new Tournament "Yakima Open" has been added to the schedule on August 10th. There will be a Saturday "Carvo Memorial" and Sunday "Yakima Open" tournaments to make a full weekend of pitching in Yakima.

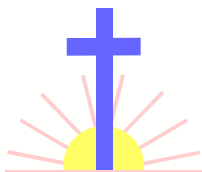
Call in is still the Thursday night to Lee for both tournaments.  
Vic Magnus

### Thank You

We wish to thank the individual who paid ahead our lunch at the John Byfield Memorial tournament in Burlington. We appreciated the kindness!

Carol and Art Sperber

Pitching For **Russ Phillips** Jesus



Col: 3:23

And whatsoever ye do, do it heartily as to the Lord and not unto men



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and one of those is always the State Singles Tournament, regardless of where it is going to be held. It generally alternates back and forth between eastern and western Washington. While there, we hold one of our two annual executive board meetings, as well as our State banquet, (at the Clover Island Inn) where the WSHPA general membership elect officers, present annual awards, and vote on any changes to our states by-laws. As WSHPA members, we should all want to see that our state tournaments are well attended, and that the various classes are very competitive top to bottom.

Many of us for various reasons, may never attend a World Tournament, or maybe only attend one or two during our entire pitching lifetimes, therefore, to pitch in a State Championship Tournament will always be a high point, and a fond memory for years after we are through pitching. This years State Singles takes place at Eastgate Park in Kennewick. I know that our hosts, the Columbia Basin Horseshoe Club will have their courts beautifully prepared and ready for action on Labor Day weekend, August 30th thru September 1st. Let's start making our plans to be there. I just know we're going to have a big turnout, and a great time along the shores of the mighty Columbia River!!

#### Single Points:

- In this newsletter you will find your Natstat averages for the purpose of the Doubles Tournament. These may not be your "up to the minute" averages, but they are as close to the press deadline as we could get for a monthly newsletter.
- I want to thank all our great tournament directors who are getting their tournament results to our State Statistician, Jerry Conklin as promptly as possible. This efficiency allows us to get the results into Shoes News, and onto our readers as quickly as we can.
- In a note to the active horseshoe pitching clubs in our state, I'm trying to give your club as much publicity as I can, but I need your help. I can't get to every club, so I'm dependent on each club to get me as much information about what's happening, and their upcoming tournaments as you can.
- Tournament Pitcher of the Year competition is very tight and there are only a few more opportunities to score before the State Singles tournament. Good luck to everyone!



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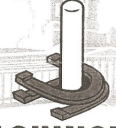
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## NATSTAT AVERAGES FOR WSHPA DOUBLES TOURNAMENT

Al Barcus 26.87	Larry Getts 52.22	Eddie Ludwig Jr. 28.82	Larry Parsons 35.90	Gerald Stangland 49.67
Larry Barr 34.59	Sid Gire 42.73	Brandon Lund 35.23	Robert Pederson 40.66	Megan Stonehocker 14.53
Mark Bell 31.97	Dave Goodwin 25.27	Gaylord Lund 46.69	Russ Phillips 86.63	Keith Stull 28.21
Andrew Bottcher 1.66	Kirk Hale 14.33	Kyler Magnus 40.41	Chris Poe 9.45	Devyn Stumpf 31.80
Shawn Bottcher 7.91	Terry Hanson 18.87	Vic Magnus 28.38	Dirk Powell 5.83	Jay Stumpf 35.28
Harold Boyer 28.26	Glen Heistand 65.29	Tom Marshall 25.64	Ray Powell 59.49	Charlie Tapper 25.00
Deanna Boyle 19.41	Marv Herridge 38.98	Jon Martin 33.85	Linda Pransky 19.00	Rex Tauscher 35.16
Bob Brown 26.93	Earl Hertlein 52.59	Bill Martino 35.25	Paul Quam 54.39	Loren Totusek 19.20
John Bruhn 48.14	Ron Heutink 21.38	Jeanette McCarthy 22.67	Jim Quist 20.75	Eiam Tricky 54.71
Paul Burckhard 28.91	Eddie Hills 12.85	John McCarthy 33.72	Phyllis Quist 37.01	Larry Tunison 41.35
Bill Buxton 33.65	Truman Hopper 27.77	Michael McCarthy 20.00	Hans Rasmussen 8.53	Jon Turnbull 36.69
Wes Chase 18.25	Mac Huson 23.81	Patrick McCarthy 42.98	John Reaney 28.23	Dennis Tutewiler 29.43
Rob Churchill 37.76	Bob Jewett 22.32	John McCarthy III 28.62	Cindy Reeves 33.14	Paul Tutewiler 50.83
Jerry Clark 43.01	Darrel Jones 30.78	J. T. McCarthy IV 30.58	Kaiti Reeves 40.64	Robbie Tyrrell 32.52
Cindy Clausen 38.39	George Kaufer 29.64	Darrell Mccollough 21.60	Micalah Renshaw 4.51	Brock Vogel 38.83
Orlean Clinton 44.85	Ray Kern 3.07	Monty McLaughlin 43.11	George Reynolds 21.87	Mike Watcher 32.59
Jerry Conklin 59.27	Marlin Kersetter 35.28	Ron McLaughlin 46.54	Howard Ryder 8.59	Gene Wertman 16.13
Darrell Coulson 34.32	Darrel Koistinen 8.44	Sharon McLaughlin 20.47	Ron Schaefer 37.20	Kathy Wertman 6.99
Jean Covington 25.96	Gene Kuiken 39.67	Chris Moore 28.03	Ross Scott 22.94	Chris Worth 26.50
Cyrus Darling 26.18	Brent Lane 17.88	Hollis Morris 34.96	Lee Shinn 46.84	Mark Young 24.19
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Will Flager 2.66	Dick Lovgren 44.35	Melikai Orozco 2.60	Art Sperber 58.96	Riley Zumini 6.00
Matt Fuller 66.49	Edward Ludwig 48.33	Trudy Oye 23.33	Bob Sperber 39.52	
Barry Gentle 25.20	Jeff Ludwig 24.27	Bert Pack 42.91	Carol Sperber 53.62	

## Where are the future Horseshoe Pitchers?

I'm sure the horseshoe pitching fraternity has been asking this question for at least the past couple decades. Many years ago when America was largely an agricultural society with many family farms that had been handed down from generation to generation, the families were large and closely knit. Grandpa had taught dad or mom how to pitch horseshoes. Then dad taught the boys and girls how to pitch and I'm sure this went on and on until the family farms were sold off to large agricultural corporations and most people moved to larger towns and big cities to find jobs. Consequently, the children in each succeeding generation have less and less familiarity with the game we love so much. The question remains, where are we going to find the future pitchers, if the game is going to survive? Some would say the youth are still the best hope for the future. The problem is the young people are entering the busiest time of their lives. College, moving away from home, jobs, getting married, having children, and all the cares and concerns of busy family life. Maybe we can reach middle age parents whose children are grown and out of the house. This is a possibility. More than likely, this group has very little horseshoe pitching in their past, most having grown up in big cities. Another possibility is seniors. These have time on their hands, and may be familiar with the game from their youth. The answer, I believe, is not any single group, but a combination of all the above. We need to use all the influence we have in our extended families and circles of friends to share what a blessing and benefit playing horseshoes has been in our own personal lives and individually, bring others along. Teach them how to play, teach them the rules and etiquette of the game, and as we gauge each one's interest and enthusiasm, invite them to our practices and competitions. If each one of us would introduce just one new person to the game each year our numbers would grow tremendously.

### Possible ways to grow our game and make more people in our communities aware of horseshoe pitching:

- 1) Every club hosts at least one unsanctioned tournament or "teaching day" a year for their local community. They must seek ways to advertise this event through flyers/newspapers etc. well in advance of the date. Start advertising when the club starts practice and hold your event later in the summer. Example: advertise as a community tournament sponsored by your club.
- 2) Each sanctioned tournament would have a "novice" class (handicapped or not) with new or inexperienced pitchers only. They could pay an entry fee and prize money would be paid out. Possibly all would pitch from 30 feet.
- 3) An Open Doubles Tournament where each club member brings an inexperienced pitcher. Each game the new pitcher gets rotated to another experienced pitcher. Wins and losses are only kept for the new pitchers. An award could be given to the pitcher with the best win/loss record, and also to the pitcher that scored the most individual points.

I have no idea what the insurance ramifications of these suggestions are. Ultimately, I believe people will participate only if they are truly interested. Therefore, our job is to do everything we can to get them interested.

*Jerry Clark*

001-14-021 KITSAP MEMORIAL 06/28/14			
Class A Mixed	W/L	T %	HG%
Glen Heistand	5/1	57.09	66.67
Paul Tutewiler	4/2	47.08	55.88
Art Sperber	3/2	49.19	57.41
Ed Ludwig	2/3	47.44	51.85
Gerald Stangland	2/3	42.79	52.27
Orlean Clinton	0/5	6.17	1.90

Class B Mixed	W/L	T %	HG%
Bert Pack	5/1	41.79	57.50
Bob Sperber	4/2	38.67	48.28
Brock Vogel	2/3	40.58	46.88
Brad Zumbuhl	2/3	34.04	39.58
Stan Speers	2/3	42.68	50.00
Ron McLaughlin	1/4	32.46	47.73

Class C Mixed	W/L	T%	HG%
Rex Tauscher	5/1	37.80	45.83
Dennis Tutewiler	4/2	26.87	40.91
Bill Martino	3/2	32.40	38.10
Charlie Tapper	3/2	27.20	33.93
Cyrus Darling	1/4	23.68	31.03
Eddie Ludwig Jr	0/5	19.26	24.14

Class D Mixed	W/L	T %	HG%
George Reynolds	4/0	28.95	46.15
Barry Gentle	2/2	20.50	26.00
Larry Lewis	1/3	13.98	18.00

Junior A	W/L	T %	HG%
Megan Stonehocker	3/1	16.67	20.83
Karla Lewis	0/4	7.98	12.0

001-14-022 SEATTLE OPEN 07/05/14			
Class A Mixed	W/L	T%	HG%
Ron McLaughlin	7.5/0.5	50.31	65.00
Stan Speers	5.5/2.5	48.44	55.00
Glen Heistand	5.5/2.5	61.56	72.50
Jim Petersen	5.5/2.5	41.56	55.00
Robert Hassan	5/3	47.50	60.00
Gerald Stangland	4/4	46.88	65.00
Art Sperber	1/7	53.15	62.50
Tami Gilbert	1/7	40.94	55.00
Orlean Clinton	1/7	20.00	52.50

Class B Mixed	W/L	T %	HG%
Jerry Clark	5/1	42.33	50.00
Gene Kuiken	4/2	41.00	54.00
Cindy Clausen	2/4	37.67	48.00
Jon Martin	1/4	33.00	46.00

Class C Mixed	W/L	T %	HG%
Keith Stull	7/0	31.07	42.50
Kirk Hale	6/1	17.50	25.00
Ken Gilbert	3.5/3.5	28.93	35.00
Barry Gentle	3.5/3.5	18.57	22.50
Kyle Gilbert	3/4	17.86	22.50
Charlie Tapper	2/5	21.07	30.00
Chris Moore	2/5	23.21	30.00
Mac Huson	1/6	16.43	22.50

001-14-023 LAKEFAIR OPEN 07/12/14			
Class A Mixed	W/L	T%	HG%
Jerry Conklin	7/1	60.51	65.22
Stan Speers	6/2	54.01	67.50
Glen Heistand	5/3	56.37	70.00
Monty McLaughlin	2/6	41.40	56.52
Orlean Clinton	0/8	6.60	10.71

Class B Mixed	W/L	T %	HG%
Jerry Clark	5/1	35.93	46.00
Brad Zumbuhl	4/2	27.91	40.48
Robert Pederson	3/2	37.61	50.00
Marlin Kerstetter	2/3	27.19	38.00
Gary Sherman	1/4	36.00	42.00
Jon Turnbull	1/4	31.15	41.67

Class C Mixed	W/L	T %	HG%
Larry Parsons	5/1	34.51	55.26
Willis Mott	4/2	33.64	47.62
Duane Nault	3/2	33.02	42.00
Jerry Phillips	2/3	25.00	28.26
Gene Kuiken	1/4	27.39	30.95
Bob Brown	1/4	20.00	30.00

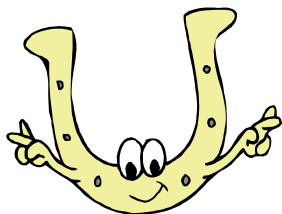
Class D Mixed	W/L	T %	HG%
Nick Nicholson	4/1	36.02	44.74
Archie Silcox	3.5/1.5	29.27	32.00
Dennis Tutewiler	3.5/1.5	28.75	34.09
Charlie Tapper	3/2	24.79	30.43
John Reaney	1/4	24.78	36.36
Barry Gentle	0/5	16.37	20.00

Class E Mixed	W/L	T %	HG%
Lee Stafford	3.5/0.5	19.38	22.50
George Reynolds	3/1	21.25	32.50
Bill Zachman	2/2	19.38	22.50
Sharon McLaughlin	0/4	13.29	21.05

Junior A	W/L	T %	HG%
Megan Stonehocker	1.5/2.5	17.09	23.68



Three rough-looking bikers stomp into a truck stop where a grizzled old-timer is having breakfast. One of the bikers extinguishes his cigarette in the old guys' pancakes. The second biker spits a wad of chewing tobacco into his coffee. The third biker dumps the whole plate on the floor. Without a word of protest, the old guy pays his bill and leaves. "Not much of a man, was he?" says one of the bikers. "Not much of a driver either," says the waitress. "He just backed his truck over three motorcycles."



When You Can....  
Walk

### 10 Hints For Getting Better.....By Former World Champion, Harold Reno

1. Get plenty of sleep, good food, and exercise and avoid bad habits that hurt your health.
2. Pick a spot to stand, and stand there every time.
3. Set no goals, except to do your best
4. Find a way to relax before you pitch each shoe. I do it by an extra swing of my arms, but other pitchers do it other ways.
5. Don't change anything without a good reason, or without giving it a good chance. If you are improving with your turn, your brand of shoe, with your stance, don't go to another.
6. Try to practice some every day. I cannot find time to do this myself, but I would recommend that you pitch 100 or more shoes a day.
7. Blot out interference. Don't talk to people, listen to noises, or watch something going on outside the courts while you play.
8. Pitch one shoe at a time, and play one game at a time. Worrying about percentages or about upcoming opponents can and probably will lessen your concentration.
9. Try to get an early lead. This will put pressure on your opponent and give you confidence.
10. ALWAYS be a good sport.

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**International**

**Aug 17 WSHPA**  
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	Tulip Open	Odessa Spring Fling	Kitchen Memorial	Schilperoort Memorial	Monosmith Open	Norm Hansen Open	Tri-City Open	Columbia Basin Open	Rehard Open	Bob Hansen Memorial	Pat Quinn Memorial	Strawberry Open	Byfield Memorial	Kitsap Memorial	Seattle Open	Lakefair Open	Ed Walsh Open	Carvo Open	Bellingham International	WSHPA Doubles	Earl Kettleon Night Tourn.	Out of State Trnmts	TOTALS	
Russ Phillips		45		28	40	35	35	35			41	35	35											329
Charlie Tapper	24		22	29	29		19	22		18	16	35	21	22	24	22							24	327
Jerry Conklin		33		32	28		36	27		41	17	19	23			41								297
Monty McLaughlin	38			46	46		23	19	19		29	22	32			21								295
Ron McLaughlin			30	33	42	29				35		31		14	43									257
Gene Kuiken	37		26	37	21	19						41	23		27	14								245
Gerald Stangland	15		20	20	16	15	11	15		32		27	27	18	29									245
Lee Zalesny		25		26	24		19	23		36	37	19	27											236
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**DATE: AUGUST 16<sup>th</sup>**

**ENTRY DEADLINE: Thursday Aug. 14, 9:00 P.M.**

**CALL: Phyl Quist 360-384-4544**  
**CHECK IN: 8:30 A.M. ENTRY FEE: \$17.00**  
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**DATE: AUGUST 17<sup>th</sup>**

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CLASS C	EDDIE GARCIA	CARLSBAD, CALIF.
CLASS D	MIKE THOMPSON	VICTORIA, BC
CLASS E	DON FERGUSON	VANCOUVER, WA
CLASS F	EARL KUPER	PUYALLUP, WA
CLASS G	BERNIE LEPPER	RICHMOND, CANADA
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CLASS J	BERT JAMESON	VICTORIA, BC
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CLASS M	DON ISAACSON	SEATTLE, WA
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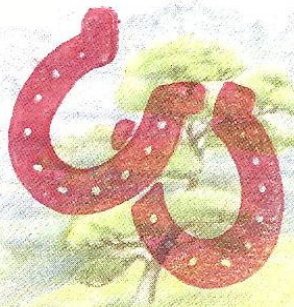


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WASHINGTON SHOES NEWS (for non member or associate) \_\_\_\_\_ \$20.00

**TOTAL ENCLOSED** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to WSHPA. (remember your spouse's associate dues)

**PLEASE SEND COMPLETED FORM ALONG WITH YOUR ANNUAL DUES TO :**

WSHPA Treasurer Email contact: rhonda.d.davis@boeing.com

**Rhonda Davis**  
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**Until further notice junior membership dues are paid for by generous donations – please fill out a form, but do not include money for junior memberships**

**Note : If there is more than one adult pitcher in your household, you may subtract \$20 for the duplicate Shoes News subscription. Contact Rhonda if you have any questions.**

(Note : Nat'l dues and insurance \$17, WSHPA dues inc. Shoes News \$30 = Total of \$47. Deduct \$5 if lifetime pitcher.)

# UPCOMING TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Entry deadline is 9 PM on Thurs. prior to tournament. Check in before 8:30AM day of tournament.

- ◆ **AUGUST 2** ED WALSH OPEN/ SPOKANE *Contact Kaiti Reeves 509-389-7781*
- ◆ **AUGUST 9** CARVO MEM / YAKIMA *Contact Lee Zalesny 509-966-3316*
- ◆ **AUGUST 10** YAKIMA OPEN / YAKIMA *Contact Lee Zalesny 509-966-3316 \*\*\*NEW\*\*\**
- ◆ **AUGUST 16** BELLINGHAM INT'L / BELLINGHAM *Contact Phyl Quist 360-384-4544*
- ◆ **AUGUST 17** WSHPA DOUBLES / BELLINGHAM *Contact Rhonda Davis 253-735-0213*
- ◆ **AUGUST 23** EARL KETTLESON NIGHT TOURN / SPOKANE *Contact Kaiti Reeves 509-389-7781*
- ◆ **AUG 30-SEPT 1** WSHPA STATE SINGLES / KENNEWICK *Contact Rhonda Davis 253-735-0213 by Aug 20th*



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