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Commentary: *Jerry Clark*

Growing up in Minnesota in the 1950's and early 60's, I was, and still am, a huge baseball fan. I listened to the games on radio or watched them on television. I didn't realize it at the time, but during this golden age of baseball, I was watching a multitude of future Hall of Famers. The names are like a who's who of baseball history, Mantle, Aaron, Mays, Banks, Clemente, Musial, Koufax, Berra, Robinson, and the names could go on and on. I collected baseball cards, and knew all the players statistics, all the way down to the last benchwarmer on the last place team in the league. Statistics have always been a big part of baseball, but when I got interested in pitching horseshoes, I was surprised that there is only one statistic that matters, and that's your ringer percentage. With four of the six Winetroust tournaments now in the books, it is very impressive to see the percentages a number of you are pitching at this early stage of the season.

It appears Russ Phillips has his focus firmly set on Topeka, Kansas later this summer. He has been pitching 85-90% tournaments, including an eye-popping game of 97.50% in Winetroust II. Folks, where I come from, that's 39 ringers in 40 shoes! I think the 2011 Elders World

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TOURNAMENT DAY ... A FUN EXPERIENCE!



SKAGIT RIVERSIDE PARK, BURLINGTON, WA

It's all so Americana, that it would bring a smile to Norman Rockwell's face. The smell of grilled hamburgers wafting over the busy courts. Or, maybe it's chili, hot dogs or sloppy joes, and a 50/50 raffle. The sound of clanging horseshoes, and the yell of "four dead" fill the air. To horseshoe pitchers, tournament day is what we look forward to. To be a good pitcher, practice is very important, because we want everything to come together on tournament day. These days we invest a lot of time and money on our recreation of choice. College and Pro sports, golf, hunting, fishing, or a number of other things, but I believe in terms of all around value for the dollar, that our game is one of the best bargains out there. Good competition, good food, lots of camaraderie, a few laughs, and just the right amount of exercise, all of it taking place in the great outdoors. **You've gotta love it!**



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Hi all! How nice has the weather been for the Winetrouts? Who can ask for better weather? Not me. Better than 28 degrees and snowing! This letter will be a little different than my others.

I want to take this time to talk about our friends and family that are passing away and how special they are to us. I can't help but feel sad for the families. We all know that the people behind the Horseshoe pitchers are maybe more valuable than the pitchers themselves. Some names I have not heard before, but some are people I have grown to admire and look to for guidance and support. Most, if not all, read the "Shoes News". I want to say how sorry we are for your loss and how they will be missed by us! Thank you for sharing your family with us. Rhonda and I went to Pat Rebman's service and it was so awesome to see all the pitchers that came to pay their respects. The three losses that I think affect me most are the wives of Rick Rebman, Henry Knauft, and Herb Criss. These are guys that I could not wait to see and/or play. Their pictures are next to the definition of "Gentleman". Thank you for sharing your time with us and sharing your families. We think of you guys always. You are all in our prayers.

See you on the courts.
Don



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You can see and download the WShPA schedule, rules and bylaws, a WShPA entry form, read Shoes News and see lots of other information on the website. The website is growing.

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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.



WSHPA Seeking A Jr. Promotions Director

The WSHPA is looking for a new Junior Promotions Director. Jim and Phyl announced in September that they would be stepping down as Jr. Promotion Directors as of January 1st.

Here are some areas that the position covers:

- ◆ Promote Junior membership;
- ◆ Recognize and encourage all Junior pitchers;
- ◆ Help clubs with trophies and/or ribbons and awards for winners at their tournaments;
- ◆ Have a Junior Committee of at least 3 - 4 adult horseshoe pitchers;
- ◆ Head up the Junior Hall of Fame Committee (The Junior Committee members are the voting contingent for Jr. Hall of Fame entrants);
- ◆ Set up Junior party at the State Tournament;
- ◆ Determine the amount of financial support for all Washington Junior entrants to the World Tournament;

The main requirement is that you love horseshoes and know that the younger generation is the future of our sport. If you are interested in working with our young Cadet and Junior pitchers, please contact Don Davis at (253) 735-0213.



Thoughts and Prayers

IN LOVING MEMORY OF PAT REBMAN March 23, 1942– February 1, 2015



Pat is survived by her husband of 55 years, Rick Rebman, of Hermiston OR. They owned and operated Rick's House of Discount and Northwest Motor Home and spent the past 15 years snow-birding in Arizona.

Pat served as secretary of the First Baptist Church, was a member of Hermiston Church of the Nazarene, directed a Walk to Emmaus, served as president of Christian Women's Association for several years and served as a hospice volunteer. She loved the ocean and cherished time with her family. She enjoyed reading, traveling, scrap booking, arts and crafts, music, gardening, playing cards, and time with her grandchildren.

Pat touched many people over the years with her hand-written notes and cards of acknowledgment. Pat will be dearly missed.

Contributions may be made in Pat's memory to the Hermiston Church of the Nazarene Youth Group, 1520 W Orchard Ave, Hermiston, OR 97838.

Note from the Ebeyes: Mary Ebey had surgery on 2/18, a procedure to unblock her artery in her right leg in order to allow better blood flow to her foot which hopefully will finally heal. She feels ok and is in good spirits.

Hugs, Mary & Don.

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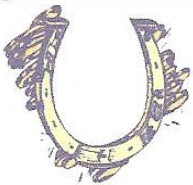
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champion is primed for another trophy run. There are others that are approaching mid-season form as well. It's nice to see good competition throughout all the classes. I don't know why, but I'm getting the impression that we are in for a great year of horseshoe pitching in Washington State. I look forward to many competitive games throughout the season. You know what I'm talking about, games where both pitchers are battling hard for the final three or four points of a close game. Win or lose, those are what makes this game so much fun to play.

I'm happy to report that our renewals for WSHPA/NHPA memberships, and with them, Shoes News subscriptions, are off to a good start for 2015. The renewals of our advertisers are lagging a bit, but that should pick up soon. Through the years, our Shoes News advertisers have been very loyal supporters of horseshoe pitching in our state, and I'm sure you feel as I do, that we need to show our loyalty to them whenever we can. Early renewals are a big help, not only to our treasurer, but to our entire organization as the budgets are set up for the year. Last year we were very lenient with the deadline date, but this year it will be enforced. Therefore, I urge those of you who have not renewed to do so no later than the March 31st deadline, so that you will not miss any upcoming issues of Shoes News.

Folks, you may wonder how we can get our tournament results into Shoes News so close to the end of the month. The answer is, we would not be able to do it without our state statistician, Jerry Conklin going "above and beyond" to make it happen. Thanks Jerry, we appreciate all you do to help us!

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Courage is fear that has said its prayers....



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WSHPA Executive Board Minutes—February 14, 2015

Winetrou III.....The meeting was called to order by President Don. The secretary read the previous meeting minutes, they were approved.

Treasurer's Report: Rhonda Davis read the following, it was approved
Bank of America: checking \$2,997.47; Savings 1 \$6,143.37; Savings \$7,532.17
Total \$16,673.01.

Washington Federal CDs: \$5,102.22, \$5,5102.22, \$53,627.58 Total \$63,832.02
Grand Total: \$80,505.03. Jr Promo: \$1,325.07.

Memberships:

2011: 152 adults and 11 juniors. Total: 163

2012: 142 adults and 14 juniors. Total: 156 (down 7)

2013: 138 adults and 12 juniors. Total: 150 (down 6)

2014: 129 adults and 16 juniors. Total: 145 (down 5)

2015: as of 2/8/15: 68 adults and 2 juniors. Total 70 and 19 associates.

Junior Promotions: Phyl Quist reminded us that she is stepping down, but has yet to have anyone volunteer to take her place.

Hall of Fame: Russ Phillips is the Chairman this year. Nominations should be sent to him.

Promotions: Chairman Jon Turnbull says he's hoping to put out a state brochure this year. He will find out the cost. He suggests following Hollis Morris's idea of carrying horseshoe business cards with us to hand out whenever we meet someone who might be interested. The idea of working the coffee booth at a rest stop came up, but it requires getting on a waiting list for 1 or 2 years.

Nominating Committee: It was suggested that we need a committee to seek out candidates to run for President next year, as well as to find anyone interested in taking over as Recording Secretary or Junior Promotions Chairman.

Everett Courts Work Party: Gaylord reported that they had replaced several stakes recently. Other work, such as roofing & painting needs to be done in the summer weather. A time for this will be planned.

Second Vice-President: Jeannette McCarthy has resigned. Pres. Don will select someone to take her place.

State Doubles: Don says they will be like a "bar league" - non-walking. You can use your own shoes, but must walk down to pick them up, or you and your partner can bring them to exchange at half-court. It will be 40 shoes.

Shoes News Ads: Rhonda reminded us that it's time to pay the club ads for 2015.

Move-Ups to 30 ft: Rhonda and Jerry Conklin reminded us that you must let one of them know if you move from 40 to 30 feet, and if you move from state to state.

2015 World Tournament, Topeka, Kansas: Entry deadline is May 15. Phyl will be selling tickets for the big World Tournament raffle. Meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted, Carol Sperber, Recording Secretary

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001-15-003 / WINETROUT III / 02/14/2015

Class A Mixed	W/L	T %	HG%
Jerry Conklin	6/0	57.92	65.00
Don Davis	5/1	63.75	75.00
Edward Ludwig	4/2	47.08	55.00
Stan Speers	3/3	50.42	62.50
Gerald Stangland	2/4	40.00	47.50
John Bruhn	1/5	44.58	47.50
Cindy Clausen	0/6	36.25	47.50

Class B Mixed	W/L	T %	HG%
Gene Kuiken	6/1	30.36	40.00
Bob Sperber	5/2	38.93	57.50
Monty McLaughlin	4/2	42.08	55.00
Jon Turnbull	4/2	39.58	52.50
Brock Vogel	2/4	37.92	47.50
Marv Herridge	1/5	25.83	35.00
Orlean Clinton	0/6	11.67	20.00

Class C Mixed	W/L	T%	HG%
Keith Stull	5/1	36.25	47.50
Nick Nicholson	4/2	34.58	42.50
Al Barcus	4/2	30.00	37.50
Paul Burckhard	4/2	27.92	40.00
Mark Bell	2/4	25.42	35.00
Don Ebey	2/4	21.25	32.50
Eddie Ludwig Jr.	0/6	20.83	25.00

Class D Mixed	W/L	T %	HG%
Ron Heutink	5/1	31.25	40.00
Mac Huson	4/2	22.08	30.00
Charlie Tapper	3/3	23.75	32.50
Sharon McLaughlin	3/3	20.83	30.00
Terry Hanson	3/3	15.83	22.50
Jim Quist	2/4	11.67	22.50
Tim V	1/5	10.83	22.50

001-15-004 / WINETROUT IV / 02/28/2015

Class A40 Ft	W/L	T %	HG%
Matt Fuller	7/0	75.00	85.00
Don Davis	6/1	71.43	80.00
Gerald Stangland	4.5/2.5	44.64	50.00
John Bruhn	4/3	48.57	57.50
Edward Ludwig	3.5/3.5	50.00	55.00
Brad Zumbuhl	2/5	43.57	57.50
Brock Vogel	1/6	35.71	42.50
Jon Turnbull	0/7	26.07	40.00

Class A30 Mixed	W/L	T %	HG%
Jerry Conklin	7/0	61.79	67.50
Glen Heistand	6/1	56.79	65.00
Stan Speers	4/3	46.79	55.00
Ron Smith	4/3	39.64	55.00
Cindy Clausen	3/4	37.50	47.50
Bonnie Lewis	3/4	31.43	40.00
Keith Stull	1/6	27.86	35.00
Orlean Clinton	0/7	12.14	25.00

Class B Mixed	W/L	T %	HG%
Duane Nault	5.5/1.5	38.57	42.50
Nick Nicholson	4.5/2.5	37.14	52.50
Bob Sperber	4.5/2.5	35.71	45.00
Don Ebey	4.5/2.5	31.43	45.00
Loren Stafford	3.5/3.5	29.64	47.50
Bill Martino	2.5/4.5	26.43	40.00
Dennis Tutewiler	2/5	33.21	47.50
Paul Burckhard	1/6	22.14	35.00

Class C Mixed	W/L	T%	HG%
Lee Stafford	6/1	24.29	27.50
Wes Chase	4.5/2.5	21.43	27.50
Ross Scott	4/3	20.36	27.50
Charlie Tapper	4/3	19.29	30.00
Jim Quist	4/3	14.64	27.50
Mac Huson	3/4	16.79	30.00
George Reynolds	2.5/4.5	16.07	22.50
Eddie Hills	0/7	9.64	15.00



Overheard on the Courts from years past!

JACK MOORE TO BETH MCKAY:

Jack: Shame on your husband for beating everybody in my class.

Beth: He wasn't in your class.

Jack: Well, he knew everybody who beat me.

TYLER BYFIELD TO ANYONE WITHIN HEARING:

"I have to pitch Art Sperber, say a prayer for me. Oh, that's one miracle even God can't do!"

KITSAP PITCHER BURL MATTESON was keeping score for a couple of inept, slow pitchers in the last game of a tournament. He exclaimed, "Hey, you guys don't need a scorekeeper, you need practice!" And set down his scoreboard and went home.

JACK MOORE TO MELBURNE VAN HUIS when he was about to start a game with Art Sperber.

"Melburne, pray for me, but if you're praying for Art forget it!"

VEY ALLEN'S game began to improve after his retirement from work sometime in the middle 90's. A spousal report indicates that more time to practice may have been a contributing factor, but at any rate, he found himself in the championship class in the state tournament in 1997. As he prepared to pitch Herb Criss, he offered Herb a stick of chewing gum. Herb politely declined after which Vey was heard to say, "Ah shucks, I heard you couldn't pitch horseshoes and chew gum at the same time."

Tournament Pitcher Of The Year

Remember, TPOY competition begins on April 11th, at the Tulip Open in Burlington.

Last years top 3 finishers were:

First Place: Charlie Tapper Second: Monty McLaughlin Third: Russ Phillips

Points are accumulated as follows: Compete in Tournament 5 pts

Each Win 5pts; Each Tie 3pts; Each Loss 1pt; Out of State Tmt. 8pts (only)

You must call or contact Jerry Clark at 425-293-3438 if you have participated in an out of state tournament, before the first of the month if you want credit for the Out of State 8pts.



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Check One of the Lines Below

I can print my own schedule from the website. Mail my schedule to me.

Circle the Division you are entering - You can enter only one division (See notes near bottom of page)

OPEN MEN 40ft SENIOR MEN 40ft (see note #2) OPEN WOMEN SENIOR WOMEN (see note #2) ELDER MEN 30ft JR. BOYS JR. GIRLS JR CADETS 20ft

Entry Deadline May 18th, 2015

No refunds will be made after May 25th, 2015

PARTICIPANTS LIABILITY RELEASE: In consideration of participating in such activity, I hereby waive, release and forever discharge the National Horseshoe Pitchers Association, all officers, employees, agents and servants of the afore stated organization, and all fellow participants of this event, for any and all action, cause of action, damage, loss or injury, which I may suffer as a consequence of participating in the World Horseshoe Pitching Tournament. In addition it is understood that the NHPA has sole rights to any and all pictures and/or articles for publication.

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Please note: The NHPA reserves the right to disallow your participation for any of the following reasons; if we discover errors on this form, if your records don't appear in NatStats or CanStats, false or misleading is on this form, or for any other reason by majority vote of the NHPA Council.

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All Entries must be on this form and mailed with a postmark no later than May 18, 2015. Entries received with a postmark after May 18th shall be put on a waiting list and entered into the tournament only as space is available. All adults must have pitched in a minimum of four (4) US/Canadian sanctioned events in the twelve (12) months prior to May 18, 2015, in the same division you are entering. Only one (1) event is required for Juniors. Exceptions for US Armed Forces members and family and foreign competitors (other than Canadians) are outlined in Rule 11, Sec D.1 of the RGS Book. Contact NHPA for more information regarding qualifying exceptions. All averages used will be the average on record in NATSTATS / CANSTATS on May 25th.

Anyone qualifying under an exception must have those scores recorded by the same date. All NHPA and any special tournament rules apply. NHPA and CANADIAN entrants must show their 2015 membership card when checking in.

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READ CAREFULLY: Any adult male pitching from the full distance platform may enter the OPEN MEN'S DIVISION regardless of age, just as any adult female may enter the OPEN WOMEN'S DIVISION. To enter the SENIOR DIVISION, you must be 60 years of age or older before the end of 2015. Any man that turns 70 years of age in 2015, is older than 70, or has an approved medical exemption may enter the ELDERS DIVISION. Entrants in the JUNIOR BOY and JUNIOR GIRL DIVISION must be 18 years old or less for the entire 2015 calendar year.

JUNIOR CADET DIVISION entrants must be 12 years old or younger for the entire 2015 calendar year.

Note # 1. A Social Security number is required from all adult pitchers that move up to the Championship Classes.

Note # 2. For class play, a minimum of 48 must enter this division or it will be canceled. All entrants will then pitch in the Open Preliminaries.

The pitching schedule will be finalized by May 31st and published on the NHPA website. If you indicated above to receive the schedule by mail, it will be mailed to the address you have listed above during the first week in June.

The NHPA Hall of Fame Banquet will be held July 19th. Tickets can be purchased from the NHPA office or at the World Tournament NHPF booth.



WSHPA Horseshoe Flashbacks

By Darrel Koistinen

WINETROUT WINNERS FOR 1997

Men 40 ft	Bob Cook
Men 30 ft	John Reedy
Women	Carol Sperber
Juniors	Brandon Lund
Travel Trophy	Joe Wolf
Most Improved	Arnt Jacobson



Actually, everybody who pitched in a Winetroust tournament is a winner.

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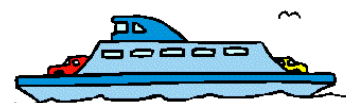
Allones Open	Evergreen Park	Bremerton, WA	1986
Tacoma Horseshoe Pitchers Memorial	Wright Park	Tacoma WA	1986
USA Open	Marshall Center	Vancouver WA	1986
Hurricane Ridge Open	Lincoln Park	Port Angeles WA	1986
Kuper Doubles	Sprinker Park (UNSC)	Spanaway WA	1987
Daffodil Open	Wright Park	Tacoma WA	1987
Skagit County Open	Owens Courts	Mt Vernon WA	1987
Southwest Washington Open	Marshall Center	Vancouver WA	1987
Blue Mountain Open	Walla Walla City Park	Walla Walla WA	1987
Lake Chelan Open	Charlie James Park	Chelan WA	1997
Kettle River Spring Fling	Kettle River Grange	Barstow WA	1997
Fathoms of Fun	South Kitsap Community Park	Port Orchard WA	1997

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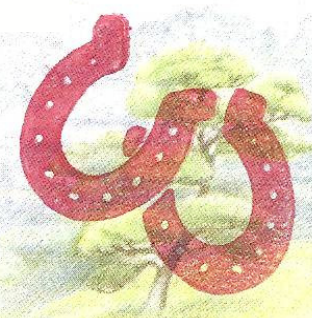
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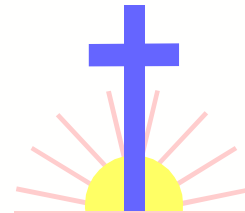
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Name _____ Date of Birth: _____

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(Which months at winter address?) _____ Email address _____
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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.

Make checks payable to WSHPA. (remember your spouse's associate dues)
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(Note : Nat'l dues and insurance \$17, WSHPA dues inc. Shoes News \$30 = Total of \$47. Deduct \$5 if lifetime pitcher.)

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MARCH 28	WINETROUT VI.....POTLUCK & AUCTION
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