

**The MUD**

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# The "MUD" New York State Horseshoe Pitchers Association

## From The Editor's & Prez's Chair:

So much news...where do we start?

We now have a publicity/promotions person. We welcome Bea McManis into our organization with open arms. Many of you know Bea as she is always out on the courts helping out with score keeping. She does not pitch but enjoys the people associated with this sport....and boy are we going to keep her busy...

The Pro Tour is coming to New York! Waterloo to be specific. Kevin Green and Ron Poorman have stepped up to the plate and are making this happen. They have met with the Pro Tour people and have set up a Pro Tour Tournament which will be held July 7th & 8th, 2012 We are very excited about having this new tournament here in New York. Check it out on line at: [www.hpprotour.com](http://www.hpprotour.com)

More news yet? Well, we were contacted by the Director of Sports Sales for the Buffalo-Niagara Sports Commission. He attended the TEAM conference and spoke with NHPA President Stu Sipma and has shown interest in a possibility for our area to host the World Horseshoe Tournament right here in Western New York. He has contacted us wondering if there would be any interest in doing so. Of course we wrote him back with a big YES. We are eagerly waiting to hear

back from him. Hopefully we can make this happen.

We are also still looking for help with the bylaws and will be setting up a meeting in January to address this and to brainstorm with Bea, Kevin, and Ron about the promoting that we need to do. If you have any interest in being a part of this group please do not hesitate to contact us. The more help the better!

It's so great to see our organization moving forward. Hopefully 2012 will open up doors for increased membership in NYSHPA. Let's spread the word about our great sport to anyone who will listen.....

Diane & Lyle

Nov 2011



**LOOKING MIGHTY GOOD**



# NYS CLUB DIRECTORY

Latest Club Contact List

24 Active Clubs

Updated Nov 2011

<u>CLUB NAME</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>CONTACT</u>	<u>PHONE NUMBER</u>	<u>SANC-CERT.</u>
Altamont	Altamont, NY	Stan Towne	518-827-4300	NO
Andes	Andes, NY	Adam VanValkenburg	845-676-4079	YES
Catskill Mountain	Deposit, NY	Vic Davis	607-467-2227	YES
Chautauqua Lake	Jamestown, NY	Ralph Whitney	716-789-4495	YES
Concord	Springville, NY	Wayne Goodridge	716-592-5539	YES
Crow's Nest	Getzille, NY	Norman Wehrung	716-688-9121	NO
Floyd	Floyd, NY	Don Ezman	315-337-5284	YES
Forestville Flingers	Forestville, NY	Lyle Dorler	716-965-2212	YES
Hornell	Hornell, NY	Mike Pierce	607-324-2851	YES
Leroy	Leroy, NY	Dave McCann	585-288-5970	YES
Lockport	Lockport, NY	Paul Thomas	716-434-1154	YES
Mid Hudson	Newburgh, NY	Rose Wright	845-565-4601	YES
Moreau	Gansevoort, NY	Chris Jackson	518-793-0549	YES
Odessa	Odessa, NY	Ernie Pound	607-594-2169	YES
Pine Grove	Camden, NY	Bob Best	315-245-5879	YES
Pioneer	Syracuse, NY	Wayne Hinman	315-656-3697	YES
Queen City	Elmira, NY	Jerry Bernard	607-684-3711	YES
Round Robin	Delevan, NY	Dean Rogers	716-492-4676	YES
Seneca	Hammondsport, NY	Al Buckland	607-292-6281	NO
S. New Berlin	S New Berlin, NY	Roger Chase	607-488-4029	YES
Southern Tier	Johnson City, NY	Charlie Reigles	607-754-8208	YES
Tri County	Groton, NY	David Conrad	607-657-2703	YES
Waterloo	Waterloo, NY	Kevin Green	315-237-2540	YES

## NYS ADDITIONAL SANCTIONED CERTIFIED COURTS/PITS

Farnes Road Pit	Canton, NY	Dick Pike	315-386-2378	YES
Jessmore Courts	Oswego, NY	Jerry Jessmore	315-342-2431	YES
Leo's Court	Dundee, NY	Al Buckland	607-292-6281	YES
Olsen's Barn	Geneva, NY	Kevin Green	315-237-2540	YES



## NYSHPA TREASURES'S REPORT (FINAL 2011)

### INCOME

#### Interest/Donations Income

Interest/Donations 146.50

#### Junior Fund Inflow

Donations 35.00

#### Membership Dues

2011 8694.00

#### Other Income

2011 375.00

#### Pins & Patches

2011 194.50

**TOTAL INCOME 6651.00**

### EXPENSE CATEGORIES

#### Stipend

Analyst 100.00

Mud Editor 100.00

President 100.00

Sec/Treas 269.00

Tourn Director 100.00

**Total Stipends 669.00**

**Previous Balance 4682.97**

**INCOME LESS EXPENSES 332.37**

**Junior Fund 899.43**

**NYSHPA 4115.91**

**Total Current Balance 5015.34**

### EXPENSES CONT.

#### Hall of Fame

Jackets/Plaques (2) 140.00

#### Jr. Program

NHPA Dues 2011 (15) 75.00

Trophies 73.44

Savings Bonds 50.00

Total Junior Inflow 198.44

#### NHPA Dues

2010 Adult 34.00

2011 Adult 5440.00

Total NHPA Dues 5474.00

#### NYS Tournament

State & Doubles Cont. 724.00

#### Office Supplies, Postage, Printing

Paper, Labels, etc. 47.07

Newsletter 135.96

Stamps 271.66

MUD 568.58

Total 1023.27

#### Miscellaneous

Re-order pins/patches, etc 426.97

Web site Fee 78.54

50/50 pay out 182.50

Phone 50.00

Total Misc 738.01



**SANCTION TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE**

<b><u>NAME</u></b>	<b><u>CLUB</u></b>	<b><u>DATE</u></b>	<b><u>DEADLINE</u></b>	<b><u>FEE</u></b>	<b><u>CONTACT</u></b>
Dec Open	Tri-County	Dec 3	Nov 23	\$15.00	#1
Jan Open	Tri-County	Jan 7	Dec 28	\$15.00	#1
Andes Jan Open	Andes	Jan 28 (29 if nec)	Jan 21	\$25.00	#2
Feb Open	Tri-County	Feb 4	Jan 25	\$15.00	#1
John Mills Memorial	Andes	Feb 25 (26 if nec)	Feb 18	\$25.00	#2
Mar Open	Tri-County	Mar 3	Feb 23	\$15.00	#1
Andes Mar Open	Andes	Mar 24 (25 if nec)	Mar 17	\$25.00	#2

**NON SANCTION TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE**

<b><u>NAME</u></b>	<b><u>CLUB</u></b>	<b><u>DATE</u></b>	<b><u>FORMAT</u></b>	<b><u>FEE</u></b>	<b><u>CONTACT</u></b>
Walking Doubles	Tri-County	Dec 17	11 am sign up	\$20/team	#1
Walking Doubles	Tri-County	Jan 21	11 am sign up	\$20/team	#1
4th Annual Oven Mitt	Forestville Flingers	Jan 29	pitch w/oven mitt	\$10.00	#3
Walking Doubles	Tri-County	Feb 18	11 am sign up	\$20/team	#1
Walking Doubles	Tri-County	Mar 17	11 am sign up	\$20/team	#1

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**OTHER HORSESHOE NEWS**

Marion Gee would like to thank everyone for all their prayers and well wishes during her cancer illness

Congratulations to Bob Hayes for being inducted into the Western New York Amateur Baseball Hall of Fame

Check out all the NYS Class Tournament results on the NYSHPA Website

Looking to pitch indoors this winter? Erie, PA Horseshoe Club has plenty of room...contact the Dorlers for more information on leagues and tournaments held there

**Membership Application & Order Form**

**NHPA and New York State Horseshoe Pitcher's Association**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Club Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_ or Independent Member: \_\_\_\_\_

Please send the NYHPA Newsletter (the MUD) to me by (check one):

Mail copy to home address \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail it to me \_\_\_\_\_ I will get my copy from the NYSHPA Website \_\_\_\_\_

Please check type of application and your division of participation.

NEW \_\_\_\_\_ RENEWAL \_\_\_\_\_

Men 40' \_\_\_\_\_ Men 30'(must be 70) \_\_\_\_\_ Women \_\_\_\_\_

NHPA # \_\_\_\_\_

Junior Boy \_\_\_\_\_ Junior Girl \_\_\_\_\_ (a junior cannot be greater than age 18 during the entire year)

Junior Boy 20' \_\_\_\_\_ Junior Girl 20' \_\_\_\_\_ (until end of year following 9th birthday)

\*Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

**APPLICATION DUES & ORDER FORM TOTALS**

\$5.00 \_\_\_\_\_ NYSHPA 50/50 DRAWING on Labor Day

Junior State and National Dues \$0

Adult State and National Dues \$27.00

Make check payable to: NYSHPA or

N.Y.S. Shoulder Patch \$2.50

New York State Horseshoe Pitchers Association

N.Y.S. Patch Logo (regular.) Decal \$2.50

Please return to: Robert Klock, NYSHPA Sec/Treas

N.Y.S. Patch Logo (inside window) Decal \$3.00

P.O. Box 478

N.Y.S. Pin \$4.00

Spencer, NY 14883

607-589-4122

Total Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_



Due to printing problem in Feb and May MUD,  
these names are being printed again this MUD edition....  
3rd times a charm?

**Service Year Award Patches**

Arthur Tyson	40yrs
Robert Yeomans	40yrs
Mark Cooley	20yrs
John Camey	20yrs
Bob Klock	20yrs
Ernie Pound	20yrs
Tim Collier	20yrs
Kevin Green	20yrs
Ted Hinzy	20yrs
Wayne Hamilton	20yrs
Ed Uhlig	20yrs
Bob LaBrum	20yrs
George McCracken	20yrs
Henry Grulkowski	20yrs
Dale Edwards	10yrs
Wayne Wright	10yrs
Diane Dorler	10yrs
Bill Hornbuckle	10yrs
Robert Wright	10yrs
Joshua Wright	10yrs
Ted Cale	10yrs
Eric Burdett	10yrs
Brad Johnson	10yrs
Tino DeAngelo	10yrs
Nathan Metott	10yrs
Sue Way	10yrs
Jerry Way	10yrs
Bob Kelzach	10yrs
Tom Scheffler	10yrs
Joshua Bowerman	10yrs
Jim Conant	10yrs
Dick Winters	10yrs
Walt Wright	10yrs

**2011 New Members (3rd & 4th Quarter)**

Earl Robbins Jr	Addison
Gavin Barteau	Belfast
Mark Haines	Brocton
Tim Smith	Cameron
DJ Lombardo	Dunkirk
Glenn Scott	Endicott
Robert Breezee	Fayette
Shawn Malek	Gowanda
John Almeter	Hamlin
Douglas Wahl	Hancock
Bill Cooper	Kirkville
Christopher Bartolone	Lancaster
Michael Bartolone	Lancaster
Scott Hoffman	Machias
Dean Laughlin Jr	Montour Falls
Leroy Koser Jr	Painted Post
Rolland Barry	Syracuse
Willie Davis	Syracuse
Bob Kraus Sr	Syracuse
Peter Sterpe	Syracuse

**NYS MEMBERSHIP**

Adults:	339
40'	234
30'	62
Women	27
Juniors:	16
Boys	10
Girls	6

 Seasons Greetings

## NEW YORK STATE SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIPS 2011

### MENS CHAMPIONSHIP

1. Tom Bernard 7-0 60.51%
2. Art Tyson 6-1 56.86%
3. Gerald Bernard 5-2 62.01%

### WOMENS CHAMPIONSHIP

1. Karen Graham 7-0 64.80%
2. Carolyn Slaughter 6-1 52.33%
3. Ellen Perry 5-2 54.00%

### ELDERS CHAMPIONSHIP

1. William Franklin 7-0 58.97%
2. Albert Montroy 5-2 60.74%
3. Harold Uncapher 5-2 56.80%

### MIXED JR CHAMPIONSHIP

- 1, Scott Stafford 6-0 35.83%
2. Nicole Wright 3-3 20.13%
3. Brittany Stansfield 2-4 16.22%

## NEW YORK STATE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIPS 2011

### A CLASS

- Franklin/Green 7-0  
Montroy/Pike 6-1  
Johnson/Riley 4.5-2.5

### B CLASS

- Team Harageones 7-1  
Team Wright 6-2  
Bernard/Buckland 5-2

### C CLASS

- Team Stafford 5-2  
Berninger/Lafountain 4.5-2.5  
McCanney/Grant 4-3

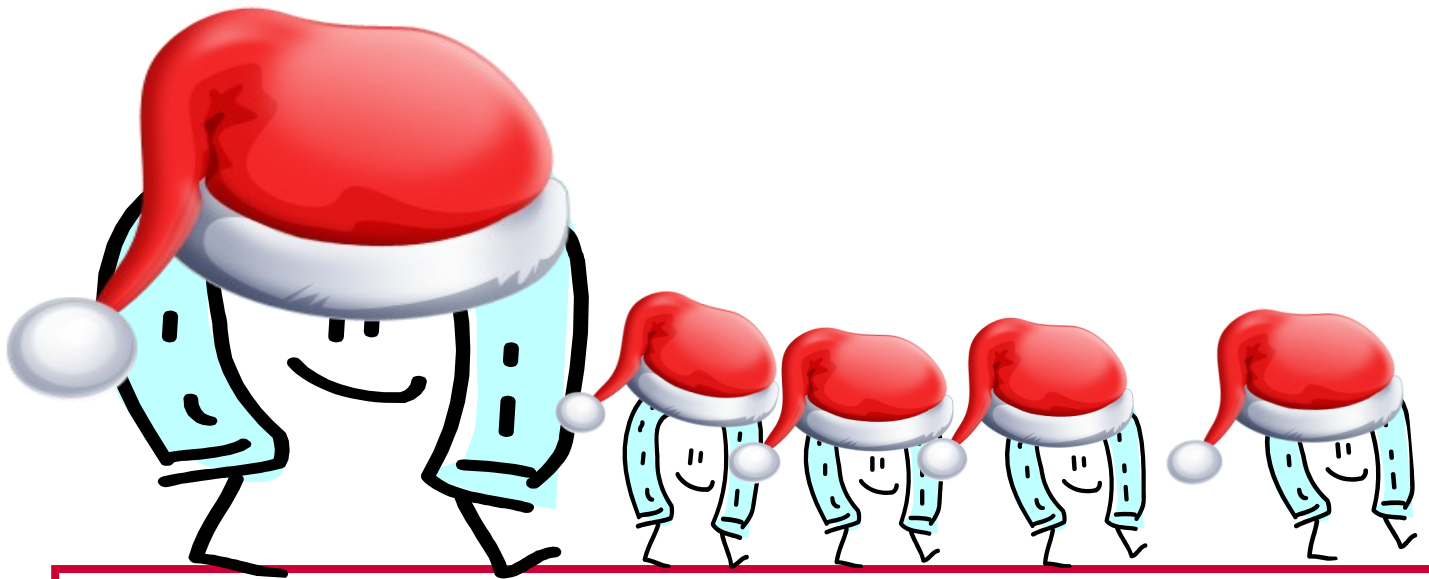
### RAFFLE WINNERS

- Picnic Table- Tom Bernard  
Grill- Ken Hirsch  
Mini Bar- Walt Wright  
Adirondack Chairs & Table- Marion Gee  
\$250.00 Lottery Tickets- Jim Perry  
\$125.00 Lottery Tickets- Kelly Doebler  
\$75.00 Lottery Tickets- Paul Caci  
\$50.00 Lottery Tickets- Dan Bauer  
50/50 Raffle (worth \$182.50)- Rowland Rupp

### TEAM EVENT WINNERS

- WATERLOO #1: Ron Poormon  
Ron Saylor  
Bill Franklin  
Jim Rose  
Gary Dowley





Generic All- Purpose Tournament Application

Tournament Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Tournament Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

NHPA Card #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Ringer %: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle your pitching category: Men 40' Men 30' Women Jr. Boy Jr. Girl Jr. Boy 20' Jr. Girl 20'