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Commentary: *Larry Lewis*

I received an email from Rhonda with a new address for Darrel Coulson. He would love to hear from people. I am listing his address below.

Mill Marquis Part

Attn: Darrel Coulson

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As the end of the pitching year draws near there maybe some changes coming. As you read the Prez's message this month think really hard about how we can change and increase our membership numbers. I remember when I first started pitching back in the 80s & 90s we would have full

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THE SPORT OF HORSESHOE PITCHING

(Why pitch organized horseshoes?)

A Family Sport

Horseshoe pitching boasts of being one of the few sports that has a national champion for men, women, boys and girls and can still be played in one's backyard. It can be played by one or more and by the young as well as the old.

Physical Fitness

In this day of weight-watching, what better way to exercise than walking, bending and reaching? These are integral parts of this great sport. Game-related injuries are rare, and doctors have repeatedly stressed the beneficial aspects of this sport.

Join Many Participants

Lots of people enjoy pitching horseshoes in the United States and Canada, in tournaments, leagues, recreation areas and backyards. What sport offers so much for so little?

Sports Origin

The origin of this sport goes back to the days of the Roman Empire. Roman soldiers pitched horseshoes discarded from the horses used to drive their chariots.

Soldiers in the American Revolutionary War pitched horseshoes for recreation on the Boston Common. The Duke of Wellington in history said that

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Message from The Prez



Good day Washington State Horseshoe Pitchers, For me this maybe the lowest I have felt about horseshoes since I joined the state league. So far, we have 14 - 30 foot pitchers, 11- 40 foot pitchers and 4 women pitchers for the state singles tournament. It is so sad to see us get to this point. We have some real soul searching to see why our numbers are so low. Is it the lack of competition? Not fun enough? Too much drama? Not enough score keepers? If anyone has anything they see we should be doing please drop me a line or hunt me down at the tournament. Anything you think might help would be

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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.

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good to hear. I have enjoyed the horseshoe environment so much I don't see why everyone doesn't want to spend all their time wanting to play this game. But as we can see, that isn't the case. So if anyone has anything, please let me know. See you on the courts, Don.

Columbia Cup Standings 7-28-2018		
Tournament	OR	WASH
Tulip Open 01-18-007	0	0
Columbia Basin Open 01-18-008	0	0
Odessa Spring Fling 01-18-009	0	0
Kitsap Open 01-18-010	0	0
Mt. Hood Open 02-18-006	8	13
Otnes Open 02-18-010	11.5	8.5
Wiedrich Open 02-18-011	7	15
Bob Hansen Memorial 01-18-011	0	0
Strawberry Open 01-18-012	0	0
John Byfield Memorial 01-18-013	0	0
Rehard Open 01-18-014	0	0
Kitsap Memorial 01-18-015	0	0
Portland Rose Open 02-18-019	6	3
Juniper Open # 1 02-18-020	8	7
Juniper Open # 2 02-18-021	1	4
Ed Welsch Open 01-18-016		
Lakkefair Open 01-18-017		
Earl Kettleon Night Tourn 01-18-018		
Bellingham International 01-18-019		
Vey Allen NW Warm-up 01-18-021		
Pacific Northwest 01-18-022		
TOTAL	41.5	50.5

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shifts for all three days of the state tournament. I am talking 60+ pitchers. I would really like to see those numbers return. I know we have lost some clubs due to attrition, etc. But there has to be something that we can do.

Not quantity but quality – that’s what counts. The Seattle tournament saw only 11 pitchers, but we had a great day of competition and fun. Ron McLaughlin captured Class A and Jim Quist came in first in Class B. It was a great day.



01-18-018 Earl Kettleson Night Tournament

Class A Mixed

Pos	Name	Entry %	Won	Lost	R%	HG%
1.	Don Davis	63.72	6	0	58.67	66.00
2.	Earl Hertlein	50.61	4	2	51.67	60.00
3.	Laurie Dale	48.75	2	4	36.67	42.00
4.	Kaiti Reeves	39.55	0	6	17.33	24.00

Clas B Mixed

Pos	Name	Entry %	Won	Lost	R%	HG%
1.	Ray Durfee	31.92	5	1	30.67	38.00
2.	Ron Heutink	33.11	4	2	26.67	34.00
3.	Mike Watcher	32.39	3	3	27.00	36.00
4.	Homer Kleinsmith	37.73	0	6	19.67	26.00

C Mixed

Pos	Name	Entry %	Won	Lost	R%	HG%
1.	Chris Worth	30.35	5	1	31.00	48.00
2.	Tom Gasper	25.00	4	2	23.67	28.00
3.	Matthew Butterfly	28.01	2	4	25.00	32.00
4.	Zach Knudsen	11.44	1	5	10.67	20.00


Juniors

Pos	Name	Entry %	Won	Lost	R%	HG%
1.	Addi Knudsen	4.00	5	1	4.58	7.50
2.	Melikai Orozco	3.88	4.5	1.5	2.92	7.50
3.	Dakota Blanchard	3.75	1.5	4.5	1.67	2.50
4.	Alexander Blanchar	0.00	1	5	2.50	10.00

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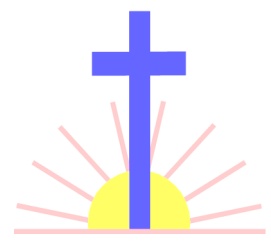


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*And whatsoever ye do, do it heartily
 as to the Lord and not unto men*



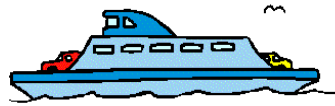

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Class A Mixed

Pos	Name	Entry %	Won	Lost	R%	HG%
1.	Russ Phillips	79.61	16	0	75.14	87.50
2.	Don Davis	63.72	7	9	59.57	68.33
3.	Cindy Clausen	49.44	6	10	54.92	65.79
4.	Jim Grant	54.07	6	10	49.87	64.58
5.	Darryl Olson	49.48	5	11	50.85	64.00

Class D Mixed

Pos	Name	Entry %	Won	Lost	R%	HG%
1.	Nick Nicholson	29.89	10	0	44.82	57.14
2.	Herb Milbourn	25.93	6	4	32.05	42.86
3.	Gary Shinpaugh	27.91	6	4	29.77	47.06
4.	Brian Rickaby	23.65	5	5	24.23	36.11
5.	Bert Pack	28.87	2	8	18.56	25.00
6.	Jim Quist	22.77	1	9	19.87	28.57

Class B Mixed

Pos	Name	Entry %	Won	Lost	R%	HG%
1.	Keith Stull	45.45	13	3	44.24	60.71
2.	Jerry Conklin	45.49	9	7	37.87	55.56
3.	Marcel Fournier	44.10	8	8	38.66	50.00
4.	Dave Rowell	42.95	6	10	34.67	58.33
5.	Jon Turnbull	39.19	4	12	32.29	48.28

Class E Mixed

Pos	Name	Entry %	Won	Lost	R%	HG%
1.	Lorne Listoen	17.43	8	4	16.46	25.00
2.	Duane Gates	17.91	6.5	5.5	14.38	22.50
3.	Darrel Koistine	12.24	5	7	13.96	20.00
4.	Rod Herriot	15.09	4.5	7.5	16.25	27.50

Class C Mixed

Pos	Name	Entry %	Won	Lost	R%	HG%
1.	Rick Eherenfeld	35.56	11	3	40.78	50.00
2.	Lloyd Anderson	32.32	10	4	35.64	50.00
3.	PJ Shinpaugh	34.12	9	5	32.35	44.00
4.	Jerry Phillips	37.36	8	6	33.05	50.00
5.	Dennis Tutewill	33.62	7	7	29.54	43.48
6.	Gene Kuiken	32.34	5	2	38.17	55.26
7.	Ron Heutink	33.11	5	9	28.18	40.00
8.	Gerald Stanglan	35.08	1	13	20.76	34.00

01-18-026 Seattle Open

Class A

Pos	Name	Entry %	Won	Lost	R%	HG%
1	Ron McLaughlin	45.59	6	0	45.42	57.50
2	Rick Bidwell	36.00	4	2	34.17	42.50
3	Phyllis Quist	36.50	4	2	35.42	45.00
4	Robert Hassan	41.25	3	3	43.33	62.50
5	Dean Speers	45.83	3	3	40.00	52.50
6	Stan Speers	54.59	1	5	40.00	45.00
7	Jerry Conklin	45.49	0	6	25.00	40.00

Class B

Pos	Name	Entry %	Won	Lost	R%	HG%
1	Jim Quist	22.77	6	0	20.42	30.00
2	Curtis Lee	31.33	3	3	24.58	32.50
3	Jeff Ludwig	33.08	2	4	22.92	37.50
4	Jon Martin	33.68	1	5	22.50	32.50

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The Bellingham International champion this year was Russ Phillips. Eight Canadians joined us for the two day tournament. Great competition, great food and great friends sum up the weekend activities.



TPOY 2018 Top Twenty Pitchers	
Russ Phillips	381
Don Davis	360
Curtis Lee	231
Barry Gentle	212
Ron McLaughlin	186
Jerry Conklin	185
Vic Magnus	184
Stan Speers	163
Dennis Tutewiler	162
Ron Heutink	158
P J Shinpaugh	157
Cindy Clausen	150
Jon Turnbull	144
Jim Quist	142
Phyllis Quist	137
Herb Milbourn	129
Nick Nicholson	129
Mike Watcher	127
Jerry Phillips	123
Keith Stull	123

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the war was won by the pitchers of the steel (horseshoes).

An International Sport

The sport has been introduced in South Africa, Italy, Japan, Grand Bahama Islands, Togo, West Africa, Australia, New Zealand, West Germany, Nigeria, Honduras, Canada, South America, Israel, Norway, Switzerland, Poland, Philippine Islands, England, Sweden, Finland and Russia.

I found this one the Home Page of the NHPA Website. I thought that it would be a good reminder about our sport and maybe give everyone a little something to talk to others about Horseshoe Pitching. Larry Lewis

2018 Tournament Schedule

7-Sep	Paid entries for WSHPA Doubles must be to WSHPA Tres.			Davis, Rhonda		\$15 ea	
9-Sep	Entries for Pacific Northwest Close at 9:00 PM			Quist, Phyllis	360/384-4544		
14-Sep	Vey Allen NW Warm-Up ###	Eastgate Park	Kennewick	Magnus, Vic	509/554-2768	\$20	001-18-021
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15-Sep	PNW Annual Meeting & Banquet		Kennewick	Quist, Phyllis	360/384-4544	\$25	
16-Sep	Pacific Northwest (Day 2)	Eastgate Park	Kennewick				
22-Sep	South Puget Sound Open	Yauger Park	Olympia	Tutewiler, Dennis	253/472-0424	\$20	001-18-023
29-Sep	Odessa Open	Finney Field	Odessa	Heutink, Ron	509/754-5132	\$20	001-18-024
30-Sep	WSHPA State Doubles	Finney Field	Odessa	Davis, Don	253/735-0213		001-18-025



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