TENNESSEE RINGER ROUNDUP



Tennessee Horseshoe Pitchers Association Newsletter TNHPA website: <u>www.tnhorseshoepitching.com</u>

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Message from President: Another year is coming to a close. I hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving and that the holidays ahead will be Merry and the New Year will be healthy and prosperous. Our charter can always use your help to run tournaments and to try to find a new member. Once again our numbers have declined. I want to thank all our members and tournament directors and officers for this year amid all the covid restrictions now and probably to come. Remember there are online tournaments all the time on Facebook, or thru NHPA events listings. There are indoor and heated tournaments at Rutledge and at Crossville starting in January 2022. A donation to help pay for fuels to heat the facilities is always appreciated.

WE all need to keep in our prayers the people effected by the terrible weather events that have been occurring recently and thru out this Year. GOOD LUCK and HAPPY NEW Year!!

2022 TNHPA Sanction Cards: Members may renew cards online or send payment and any changes to address, phone #'s or email and ICE(in case of emergency #) to Anita Evans (sec./Treas) at 143 Karla lane Lafollette, TN 37766.

2022 TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE: a copy sized 8 ½ x11 will be sent with this issue. Wallet cards will be available asap. Remember unless noted most tournaments will be a check in at 9:30 a.m. and play begins at 10:00 a.m. When possible tournaments will be moved due to weather to another location and played on that same day. **Pre registration is required**.

2021 TOP 100 in all category: **Men**s = no TN players at this time. **ELDERS** = 4th James Cooper, 15th Charles Gray, 55th Doug Sullins Jr., 86th Doug Farnsworth. **Women** = 2nd Marlene Ray 3rd Max Griffith, 6th Joan Elmore, 73rd AllaFaye Monday, 83rd Joyce Manis , 100th JoAnn Stanford **Congratulations to all !!** Loss of a TNHPA Member of 13 years , **ROGER SEARS TOTTEN** lived in Crossville, we will miss him!!! He was in an accident while relocating to FL moving his possessions. Roger was a kind gentle soul. Rest in Peace, you will be missed.





November 29, 1938 – November 10, 2021

Roger Sears Totten, 82, of Tallahassee, FL, formerly of Crossville, TN, passed away Wednesday, November 10, 2021.

A private memorial service will be held at a later date. Online visitors may sign the guest register at www.bryantfuneralga.com. Memorial donations may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Roger Sears Totten was born November 29, 1938, in Massachusetts, the son of Mr. & Mrs. Elliott Totten. After high school, Roger earned a Bachelor of Arts degree. He proudly served his country in the United States Navy aboard the USS Franklin Delano Roosevelt. Roger retired from Diebold Safe & Lock Company and was a member of Cornerstone Baptist Church.

Roger was quite a character. He enjoyed pitching horseshoes, a friendly game of cards, playing the fiddle and really anything else to do with music. He had a little stubborn streak but never let it interfere with what was important. Family was his anchor and he treasured time spent together. Though he was proud of his service in the Navy, his claim to fame was being a real-life safe cracker.

Survivors include his wife of 25 years, Kathryn Brown Totten; his children, Leslie Totten of South Carolina, David & Deborah Shepard of Tallahassee, and Deborah & Samuel Rhames of Quincy; his brother, David Totten of Sun City Center, FL; his grandchildren, Kathy West, William Glynn Rhames, and Sarah Shepard; and a host of extended family. Roger was preceded in death by his parents.

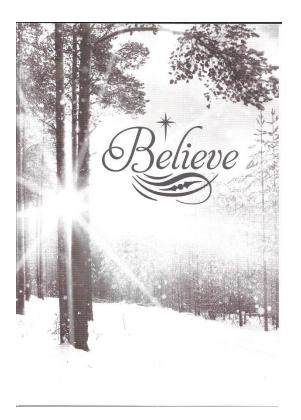
Bryant Funeral Home, located at 105 N. Florida Street, is assisting the family with arrangements. (229-246-3321)

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS: DECEMBER Lawrence Adamczyk

Nick Murphy

JANUARY Harold Morgan Tim Seagroves **FEBRUARY** Pat Constantino Houston Culbert Maxine Griffith & Mar Ray

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR



The peacefulness of winter, the closeness of family and friends... some of the best gifts are held in our hearts, not in our hands.

From and to all our Horseshoe pitching family and friends Best Wishes from your Officers and Tournament Directors.



10-30-21 RUT CLA R. Smullen & H. Melton



10-30-21 Rut CLB 1st D. Kell, 2nd Mike Bouton 3rd Robert Bilyeu



10-30-21 Rut CLC 1st Henry 2nd Houston Culbert



11-13-21 RUT CLA 1st Sizemore



11-13-21 Rut CLB 1st Mike



11-13-21 Rut CLC Houston Culbert



11-20-21 CRS CLA 1st Merle South 2nd Garrison(AL) 3rd Ervin South (Not pictured) 5th Mcmillian



11-27-21 Rut CLA 1st David Kell 2nd Alan Pinkston



11-27-21 Rut CLC 1st Buster Williams



11-27-21 Rut CLB JoAnn Stanford



12-11-21 RUT CLA 1st Bilyeu 2nd Pinkston 3rd Mike Bouton



12-11-21 RIT CLB 1st H. Culbert 2nd H. Nease 3^{rd} F. Smith

2022 TNHPA Tournament SCHEDULE

Tournament info: All tournaments are pre-registered. You register you play. No walk-ons will be accepted. Register the Day before tournament by Noon or earlier!!! Please check in with tournament directors upon arrival. All tournaments will start at 10:00 a.m. unless noted. Check in time is 9:30 a.m. unless noted. Entry fee \$21 per tournament.

June 11 State Doubles Entry Cut off! Fee \$20.00 per player/ \$40 team. September 10 State Singles Entry cut off. Fee \$25.00 Check schedule for locations below!

Tournament Directors:

Н.	865-828-8526			
Н. 9	931-788-3545			
JoAnn Stanford 931-243-2648 or				
C. 931-267-7716				
Н. 4	23-352-6456			
C. 6	15- 663-7700			
73	31-267-207			
	H. 9 931-24 931- H. 4 C. 6			

 Ronnie Boyd
 C. 931-801-9939

 Fred Smith
 H. 865-748-5607

 Merle South 931-510-5710
 Anita Evans 423- 871-2726

 Robert Smullen 714-598-9411
 Shannon Foster

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January 01 Snowbird Open	Rutledge	Harold Morgan	865-828-8526
January 08 Doug Farnsworth Open	Crossville	JoAnn Stanford	931-243-2648 or
			931-267-7716
January 15 Lawrence Osborne Op	oen Rutledge	Harold Morgan	865-828-8526
January 22 The January Open	Rutledge	Harold Morgan	865-828-8526
January 29 No Leaners Open	Rutledge	Harold Morgan	865-828-8526
February 12 Valentines' Day Open	Rutledge	Harold Morgan	865-828-8526
February 19 Presidents' Day Open	Rutledge	Harold Morgan	865-828-8526
February 19 The Sweetheart Open	Crossville	JoAnn Stanford	931-243-2648 or
			931-267-7716
March 12 Early Morning Open	Rutledge	Harold Morgan	865-828-8526 *9am
March 12 Early Afternoon Open	Rutledge	Harold Morgan	865-828- 8526 * 1pm
March 19 Peter Zegarzewski Open	Crossville	JoAnn Stanford	931-243-2648 or
			931-267-7716
March 26 March Thaw Open	Clarksville	Ronnie Boyd	931-801-9939
April 02 Season Opener	Crossville	Doug Farnsworth	931-788-3545
April 09 Alla Faye Open	Caryville	Buster Williams	H. 423-352-6456
		Anita Evans	423- 871-2726
April 09 Alan Gauger Open	Algood	JoAnn Stanford	931-243-2648 or
			931-267-7716
April 16 Marlene Ray Open	Crossville	Buster Williams	423-352-6456
April 23 Fred Smith Open	White Pine	Robert Smullen	714-598-9411
		Fred Smith	865-748-5607
April 30 Mac McMillian Open	Clarksville	Ronnie Boyd	931-801-9939
May 07 Maxine Griffith Open	Algood	JoAnn Stanford	931-243-2648 or
			931-267-7716
May 14 Earl Wyatt Open	Rock Springs	Shannon Foster	423-426-1744
		Harold Morgan	865-828- 8526
May 21 Jack Conner Open	White Pine	Fred Smith	865-748-5607
		Robert Smullen	714-598-9411
May 21 Tommy Wahl Open	Clarksville	Ronnie Boyd	931-801-9939
May 28 Charles Perkins II Open	Crossville	Buster Williams	423-352-6456

June 04 Frank Jones Open	Rock Springs	Harold Morgan Shannon Foster	865- 828-8526 423-426-1744		
June 04 Richard Rosser Open Tournament	Clarksville COURT	Ronnie Boyd Tourn. Director	931-801-9939 Phone		
JUNE 11 State Doubles entries cut off preregistrationAlan Pepper615-663-7700					
June 11 Ervin South Open	Crossville	Merle South	931-510-5710		
June 18 Harold Morgan Open	White Pine	Robert Smullen	714-598-9411		
		Fred Smith	865-748-5607		
June 25 TN State Doubles	Crossville	Alan Pepper	615-663-7700		
July 2 Bobby South Open	Clarksville	Ronnie Boyd	931-801-9939		
July 9 The White Pine Open	White Pine	Robert Smullen	714-598-9411		
		Fred Smith	865-748-5607		

July 11-23 World Tournament Monroe, Louisiana

August 6 Bob Davis Open Rock Sprin August 6 Merle South Open	-	Shannon Foster 423-426 nn Stanford	5-1744 *(5:00 sign in 5:30 start) 931-243-2648 or		
			931-267-7716		
August 13 Ray Duncan Open V		ert Smullen	714-598-9411		
		Smith	865-748-5607		
August 19 Friday Night Open (6PM s	615-663-7700				
August 20 Saturday Morning Open	Clarksville	Richard Rosser	731-267-2071		
August 27 Joan Elmore Open	Crossville	Merle South	931-510-5710		
September 3 Charles Gray Open	White Pine	Fred Smith	865-748-5607		
september s chanes dray open	White Fille	Robert Smullen	714-598-9411		
September 3 Nick Wilson Open	Clarksville	Ronnie Boyd	931-801-9939		
SEPT. 10 STATE SINGLES Entry CUT OFF for PREREGISTRATION Ronnie Boyd 931-801-9939					
September 10 Bill Brand Open Algood JoAnn Stanford			931-243-2648 or		
			931-267-7716		
September 17 Fall Fling Open	Rock Springs	Harold Morgan	865-828-8526		
		Shannon Foster	423-426-1744		
September 24 TN State Singles	Clarksville	Ronnie Boyd	931-801-9939		
October 01 Columbus Day Open	Rutledge	Harold Morgan	865-828-8526		
October 15 The "TWINS" Open	Clarksville	Ronnie Boyd	931-801-9939		
October 22 Jim Cooper Open	Crossville	JoAnn Stanford	931-243-2648		
			or 931-267-7716		
October 29 James Sizemore Open	Rutledge	Harold Morgan	865-828-8526		
November 12 Willard Williams Open	-	Harold Morgan	865-828-8526		
November 19 Buster Williams Open	Crossville	JoAnn Stanford	931-243-2648		
			or 931-267-7716		
November 26 Rudy Klein Open	Rutledge	Harold Morgan	865-828-8526		
December 10 JoAnn Stanford Open	Rutledge	Harold Morgan	865-828-8526		
December 17 Cumberland Open	Crossville	JoAnn Stanford	931-243-2648		
			or 931-267-7716		