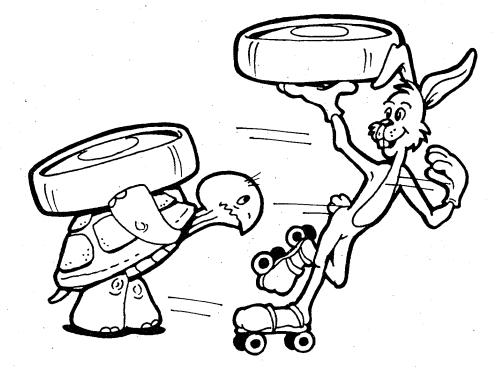
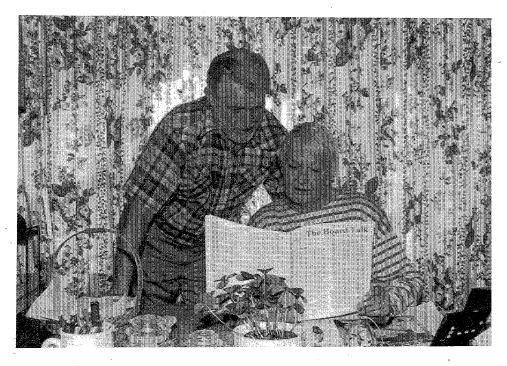
12th Annual Board Talk Shufflers' Reunion & 4th Annual Dixie Belle 4th of July Tournament July 2-7, 1996



The Dixie Belle Downey, California







George and Donna Wilber

We're glad you're here! We hope this 12th Annual Board Talk Shufflers' Reunion and 4th Annual Dixie Belle 4th of July Tournament will be one of your most enjoyable shuffleboard experiences.

Take a moment now to review this program. It contains more than just a schedule of events and the rules by which you will play for good sportsmanship. It contains messages from those who serve The World of Shuffleboard. We encourage you to express your appreciation to those advertisers.

It also contains a "Winners' Circle" honor roll of the previous 11 Board Talk tournament winners and a place for you to fill in this year's winners.

There's also a page that gives you the history of shuffleboard, tracing its origin back to the 15th Century.

We encourage you to take an extra copy of the program back home with you and share it with your shuffleboard friends -- so they'll know what they missed!

Our sincere thanks to Wes and Eileen Eades and all the Dixie Bellers for hosting this year's event, and to the PCSA for lending their expertise in running this tournament.

Enjoy!

George and Donna Wilber, Publishers THE BOARD TALK

WELCOME TO THE DIXIE BELLE!



Wes and Eileen Eades

We are very happy that you have chosen to join us here at The Dixie Belle for our 4th Annual 4th of July Tournament and the 12th Annual Board Talk Shufflers' Reunion. We hope you enjoy our facilities and friendly staff and the fellowship of all the shufflers and fans who are here for this big event!

We invite all participants and their guests to join us for a buffet on Saturday, July 6.

Wes and Eileen were honored by the Pacific Coast Shuffleboard Association for their continual, enthusiastic support of shuffleboard. Dixie Debbie performed the honors at the PCSA's Extravaganza VIII in Las Vegas while PCSA official Paul Weber gave Eileen a congratulatory kiss and PCSA officials Joe Muniz and Karl Spickelmier (background) applaud.



Good luck to all -- we think you are all winners!

Please come see us again soon..... The Dixie Belle welcomes shufflers any time!

> Your Hosts, Wes and Eileen and all the Dixie Bellers

THE DIXIE BELLE

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4th Annual Dixie Belle July 4th Tournament/ 12th Annual Board Talk Shufflers Reunion

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

(Times subject to change depending upon player feedback)

<u>Date</u>

Event

Entry Fee Sponsor SaleTime

Tues., July 2Amateur/Pretty Good Doubles\$50 team11 a.m.Play begins immediately following sale. Teams will be evaluated regarding appropriate ratings. Limited to
first 16 paid teams. Single game, double elimination.11 a.m.

Tues., July 2Women's Singles\$255-6 p.m.Play begins immediately following sale. Single game, double elimination. Limited to first paid 16 entries.

Wed., July 3A-B-C Blind Draw\$25 per player10 a.m.Play begins immediately following sale. Single game, double elimination. Limited to 16 teams.

NOTE: DEPENDING UPON PLAYER RESPONSE, THOSE PARTICIPATING IN THESE EVENTS MAY NOT BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE PRO EVENTS.

Thur., July 4Open Singles\$100Wed., 8 p.m.Play may begin following sale, or following morning. 2 out of 3, double elimination. Limited to first 32players.

Fri., July 5 Open Singles, 8 a.m.

Fri., July 5Open Doubles\$200 per team3-4 p.m.Play begins after sale. 2 out of 3, double elimination. Limited to first 28 paid teams.3-4 p.m.

Sat., July 6 Open Singles Finals, Continuation of Doubles, 8 a.m.

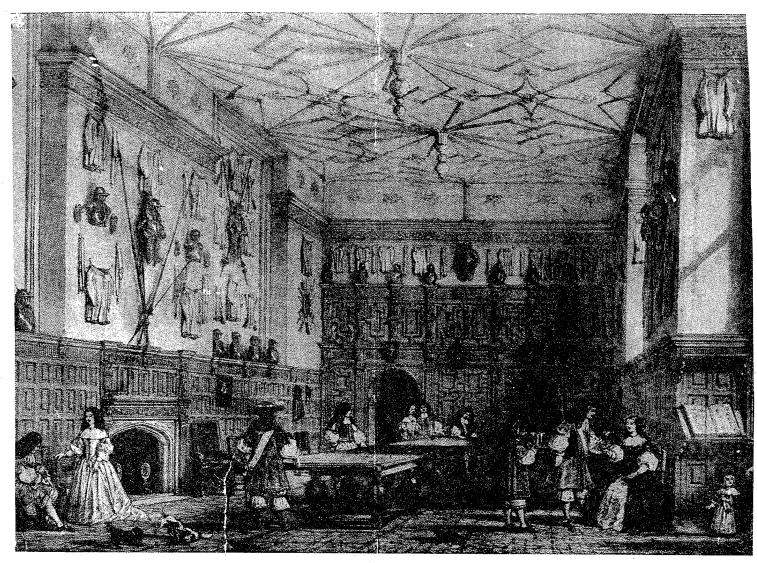
Sun., July 7 Continuation of Doubles, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Official Tournament Rules

- 1. All games are to 15 points.
- 2. If there is no score in a frame, the hammer switches.
- 3. If the leading weights in a frame are tied, there is no score and the hammer changes.
- 4. Any weights in question will be called by three people.
- 5. Any weight in danger of falling off the end of the board may be made safe.
- 6. You may wax dry spots on the rails, up to the foul line, on the end of the board you are shooting only. All other re-waxing shall be done by an official at their discretion.
- 7. Please show respect for players on the boards next to you.
- 8. Players shall stand behind their opponent while the opponent is shooting: one warning, then a one point penalty thereafter.
- 9. It is good courtesy for all players to shake hands before and after each match.
- 10. No physical or verbal harrassment of players while shooting: no warning, two point penalty.
- 11. No drinks, cigarettes, or any foreign objects in hands while shooting.
- 12. No tampering with or altering of boards, weights, or wax: automatic disqualification.
- 13. If you bring your own weights, the opponent has the option of using your weights also. Different color of tops are O.K. No changing of weights after game starts. Remove personal weights from board after you play.
- 14. Players may walk to the opposite end of the board to look at the position of the weights.
- 15. More than 30 seconds between shots shall constitute slow play: one point penalty. Also, more than five minutes between games once the tournament has started shall constitute slow play and a one point per minute penalty will be assessed.
- 16. If the object weight has wax on the side which may result in a "soft" or "mush" shot, you may have an official wipe off and re-spot the weight.
- 17. Flip for choice of hammer or color before the first game. Loser of flip has choice in second game. If a third game is necessary, flip again.
- 18. All games will start at end of the board the weights finished the previous game.
- 19. Players shall have four practice weights from each end in the singles, and from one end in doubles prior to each match.
- 20. All players are under obligation to police themselves. Refer to the bracketboard and/or ask an official to help keep track of when you play.
- 21. The officials and tournament directors shall strive to be fair in all decision-making, and their decisions will be final.

GOOD LUCK TO ALL AND ENJOY YOURSELVES!

The History of Shuffleboard



The forefather of the American Shuffleboard Shuffleboard in the Great Hall at Littlecotes, Wiltshire, England, 1740

Back in 15th Century England, folks played a game of sliding a "groat" (a large British coin of the day worth about four pence) down a table. The game was called shove groat and/or slide groat. Later, a silver penny was used and the name of the game became shove-penny and/or shovel-penny. The game was played by the young and old, and was a favorite pastime in the great country houses of Staffordshire, Winchester and Wiltshire.

While our Founding Fathers were busy putting together the makings of this great country, there were big shuffleboard matches being conducted throughout the colonies. Shuffleboard was popular among the English soldiers as well as the colonists.

In his play, "The Crucible," concerning the historic witch trials of Salem, Mass., Arthur Miller wrote: "In 1692, there was a good supply of ne'er-do-wells who dallied at the shuffleboard in Bridget Bishop's Tavern." That item provides a written record of the entrance of the game into the New World.

The fame of the game spread, and soon it came upon the public scene in more ways than one. In 1848, in New Hanover, Pennsylvania, a case of "The State vs. John Bishop" to decide the question, "Is shuffleboard a game of chance or a game of skill?" came up for trail. The judge ruled thus: "Though the defendant kept a public gaming table, as charged, and though diverse persons played thereat and bet spiritous liquors on the game, the game was not a game of chance, but was altogether a game of skill."

The game shed its crude beginnings when American cabinetmakers such as Hepplewhite and Duncan Phyfe turned out some of their finest inlaid cabinet work on shuffleboard game tables for the wealthy homes of New York City.

By 1897, table shuffleboard rated as much space in the metropolitan newspapers in the New York City area as prizefighting and baseball. Highly publicized tournaments played by such colorful characters as "Big Ed" Morris, Dave Wiley, Alex Scott, Ed Gardland, and George Lavender drew hordes of fans. The fans faithfully followed the players to tournaments in New York City; Newark, Paterson, Hoboken, Jersy City and Bloomfield, New Jersey, and even into Philadelphia. The fans included important figures of the business, theatrical, and political worlds.

Shuffleboard made its way across the country. In 1904, Gentleman Jim Corbett, an avid player, had a tavern owner named Croll install a table in his Alamedia, California, pub. "Doc" Croll, his son, claimed it was the first shuffleboard in that part of the country.

World War II opened the "Swinging Forties" and shuffleboard really came into its own. The intrinsic appeal of the game -- skill, diversity, competitiveness, availability to young and old, strong and disabled, the serious game, the fun game, offered the kind of release needed in those turbulent years.

Hollywood climbed on the shuffleboard bandwagon and took it up, at first, as a source of good publicity. Then when the pin-up girls and bandleaders and actors discovered they really liked the game, shuffleboards found their way into the studios and homes of the stars. People like Betty Grable, Harry James, Merv Griffin, Alan Ladd, all had their own shuffleboards.

Shuffleboard grew to its greatest height in the 1950s. Most major shuffleboard manufacturers sponsored nationwide shuffleboard tournaments. These were the biggest tournaments ever held; one had 576 teams participating.

Fierce competition among major manufacturers and suppliers, lack of uniform rules and organization, the inability to gain sponsorship of the sport, and general internal strife in all facets of shuffleboard, led to a demise of the game in the '60s and '70s. Some feared it was damaged beyond "repair," but others invested their time, efforts and talents to breath life into the sport that they loved. That dedication paid off; by the mid-'80s, shuffleboard experienced a revival, a revival that has extended and strengthened in the '90s.

While organization, cooperation and communication have been key elements in the revival of shuffleboard, probably the most important factor has been an almost universal realization in The World of Shuffleboard that new young shooters will be the continued lifeline of the sport. Across the nation, established shooters have made it their top priority to help novice players develop their talents and nurture their enthusiasm for league and tournament play. As long as that remains a priority, shuffleboard will continue to grow.

One major accomplishment in this decade was the establishment of a National Shuffleboard Hall of Fame in 1995. This achievement was due in large part to the efforts of six volunteers who serve on the NSHF Board of Directors: Glen Davidson, Oklahoma, president; Hal Perry, California, vice president; Louise Freer, Pennsylvania, secretary; Bob Hunt, California, treasurer and chief financial officer; Larry Creakbaum, Indiana, director; and Jim Foran, Washington, director. Helping them realize this long-sought dream have been individual shufflers, associations, and fans who have made financial and/or memorabilia contributions.

To date, five people have been inducted into the Hall of Fame: Bob Miles of Oregon, Mickey Mickens of New Jersey, Earl Kelly of Texas, PeeWee Ramos of California (all deceased), and Sol Lipkin of the American Shuffleboard Company (now American International Shuffleboard Corp.). Several others are currently going through the nomination process. It is the NSHF's goal to recognize excellence for all deserving participants in The World of Shuffleboard and to finance a "home" for preserving the history of shuffleboard so that generations to follow will have a knowledge of and appreciation for that history.

--Information provided by the American Shuffleboard Company, the Phil-American Shuffleboard Company, and The Board Talk

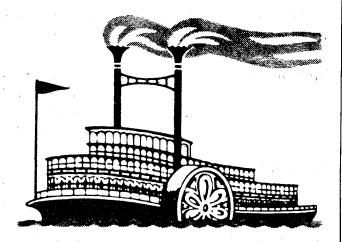
1st Annual Board Talk Tournament - 1985 - Log Cabin Bar, Howell, Michigan

| Draw Your Partner | : 1st Joe Kardos, New Jersey; Jerry Hershman, Michigan 2nd Larry Creakbaum, Indiana; Ron Spalding, Michigan 3rd Paul Casula, Missouri; O.B. Brimm, Michigan |
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| Open Doubles: | 1st Lee McDonald and J.R. Lopez, Michigan 2nd John McDermott, Michigan; Bobby Voorhis, Indiana |
| | 3rd Don Casula, Delaware; John Lukas, Maryland |
| Women's Singles: | 1st Cassie Kern, Michigan 2nd Rita Yank, Pennsylvania |
| Open Singles: | 1st Bobby Voorhis, Indiana 2nd Anthony Conch, Pennsylvania |
| | 3rd Lee McDonald, Michigan, |
| 4-Person Mixed: | 1st John McDermott, Cheryl Collins, Gordie Collins, Michigan; Bobby Voorhis, Indiana |
| | 2nd Jim and Rita Yank, Anthony Conch, Ron Ness, Pennsylvania |
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3rd Annual Board Talk Tournament - 1987 - Log Cabin Bar, Howell, Michigan

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| Mixed Doubles: | 1st Trish Turner, Michigan; Larry Creakbaum, Indiana 2nd Marie Sweeney, Michigan; Rick Boyer, Texas |
| | 3rd Cheryl Collins and John McDermott, Michigan |
| Open Singles: | 1st Rick Boyer, Texas |
| | 2nd Bill Lally, Pennsylvania 3rd Mickey Mickens, New Jersey |
| Women's Singles: | 1st Cheryl Collins, Michigan 2nd Trish Turner, Michigan 3rd Marie Sweeney, Michigan |
| Open Doubles: | 1st Bill Lally, Pennsylvania; Mickey Mickens, New Jersey 2nd Bobby Voorhis and Jerry Warr, Indiana |
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| 4th Annual Board | Talk Tournament - 1988 - Beef's Shamrock Bar, Waterloo, Indiana |
| Open Singles: | 1st Darrol Nelson, Oregon |
| | 2nd Mickey Mickens, New Jersey 3rd Howard Mouton, Texas |
| | 4th Jim DeWitt, Indiana |
| W | 1st Deb Somers (Voorhis), Indiana |
| Women's Singles: | 2nd Rita Yank, Pennsylvania |
| | 3rd Cheryl Collins, Michigan |
| Open Doubles: | 1st Bobby Voorhis and Jerry Warr, Indiana |
| | 2nd Darrol Nelson, Oregon; Mickey Mickens, New Jersey 3rd John Lukas, Maryland; Don Casula, Delaware |
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| Mixed Doubles: | 1st Janet Cook (Weidner) and Howard Mouton, Texas 2nd Buddy and Fritzi Broka, Ohio |
| | 3rd Diana Hagen and David Williams, Texas |
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5th Annual Board Talk Tournament - 1989 - Holiday Inn South, Lansing, Michigan

Men's Singles:

Women's Singles:

1st -- John McDermott, Michigan
2nd -- Bobby Voorhis, Indiana
3rd -- Neil Fetter, Michigan
4th -- Tony Howard, Texas
5th/6th -- Dick Losee, New York; Denny Busch, Nebraska

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| | 2nd Fritzi Broka, Ohio |
| | 3rd Gwynette Orsi, Nebraska |
| | 4th Marie Sweeney, Michigan |
| Open Doubles: | 1st Earl Kelly and Frank Blade, Texas |
| * | 2nd John McDermott, Michigan; Mickey Mickens, New Jersey |
| | 3rd Bobby Voorhis, Indiana; Gordie Collins, Michigan |
| | 4th Jim Long and Jerry Knox, Indiana |
| | 5th/6th Dick Losee and Milt Benedict, New York |
| | Buddy and Terry Broka, Ohio |
| Mixed Doubles: | 1st Marie Sweeney and Rick Boyer, Michigan |
| | 2nd Buddy and Fritzi Broka, Ohio |
| | 3rd Bobby Voorhis and Deb Somers (Voorhis), Indiana |

1st -- Diana Hagen, Texas

Welcome, players and guests, to the 4th Annual Dixie Belle 4th of July Tournament/ 12th Annual Board Talk Shufflers' Reunion. Hope everyone has a super good time!



-- Al & Von Stewart

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6th Annual Board Talk Tournament - 1990 - Skip's Lounge/Northway Lounge, Houghton Lake, Michigan

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| Draw Partner; | 1st Chris Passariello, Michigan; Mike Johnson, Indiana 2nd Mickey Mickens, New Jersey; Milt Benedict, New York 3rd Skip Jackson, Indiana; Steve Bennett, New York 4th Paul Dickens and Jerry Siebert, Michigan 5th/6th Jerry Herrmann, Pennsylvania; Jimmy Kumpula, Michigan Frank Parrish, Michigan; Paul Macarrone, Florida |
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| Women's Singles: | 1st Cheryl Collins, Michigan 2nd Deb Voorhis, Indiana 3rd Marie Sweeney, Michigan 4th Joann Ware, Maryland |
| Men's Singles: | 1st Neil Fetter, Michigan 2nd Rick Boyer, Michigan 3rd Jim Long, Indiana 4th Dave Boaz, Indiana 5th/6th Chris Passariello, Michigan; Larry Creakbaum, Indiana 7th/8th Scratch Todd, Maryland; J.R. Lopez, Michigan |
| Open Doubles: | 1st Jim Stockmaster and Phil McGrew, Michigan 2nd Gordie and Cheryl Collins, Michigan 3rd Don Bauer and Ceylon Davis, Michigan 4th Mickey Mickens, New Jersey; Jerry Herrmann, Pennsylvania 5th/6th Bernie Sunde and Doug Stewart, Michigan Paul Macarrone, Florida; Jimmy Kumpula, Michigan 7th/8th Cassie Kern, Michigan; Al DiBella, Pennsylvania J.R. Lopez and Dana Gray, Michigan |
| 4-Person Team: | Co-Champs Neil Fetter, Val Borja, Chris Passariello, Jerry Siebert, Michigan Co-Champs Cassie Kern, Phil McGrew, Wally Fredrick, Gene Gach, Michigan 3rd Joann Ware, Judy Iseman, Scratch Todd, Len Dell, Maryland 4th Marie Sweeney, Bev Armsdon, Rick Boyer, Jim Kelsey, Michigan |

7th Annual Board Talk Tournament - 1991 - Holiday Inn, Kulpsville, Pennsylvania

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| Draw Partner: | 1st | Doug Fridley Jr., New York/Scraten Toda, |
| | 2nd | Bobby Voorhis, Indiana/George Wilder, |
| | 3rd | Bill Stoops, Oklahoma/Joe Williams, |
| | 4th 5th | Gene Gach, Michigan/Ed Galke, New York Al DiBella, Pennsylvania/Judy Iseman, Maryland |
| Women's Singles: | 1st 2nd 3rd | Judy Gartland, Pennsylvania Gail Schultz, Michigan Anna Dell, Maryland |
| Open Singles: | 1st 2nd 3rd | John McDermott, Michigan Bill Lally, Pennsylvania Bobby Voorhis, Indiana |
| Singles Classic: | 1st 2nd 3rd 4th | John Lucas, Maryland Len Dell, Maryland Tom Schaeffer, Pennsylvania Mickey Mickens, New Jersey |
| | 5th /6th | Dick Losee, New York; Terry Bloka, Onlo |
| Doubles Classic: | 1st 2nd 3rd 4th | Jim Yank and Mike Kennedy, Pennsylvania Scratch Todd and Len Dell, Maryland Bernie Sunde and Phil McGrew, Michigan Terry Broka, Ohio, and Judy Iseman, Maryland |
| 4-Person Team: | 1st | Kathy & Terry Broka, Ohio; Bernie Sunde & John McDermott, Michigan |
| v | 2nd | Al DiBella, Louise Freer, Joe Williams, Feiney |
| | 3rd | Jimmy Kumpula, Michigan Honda John Arndt, Doug Fridley Jr., Tracie Fridley, Doug Fridley Sr., New York |





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Event Information

| Event | Entry Fee | Starts | Finishes | Limit |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| Pro/Am Draft Team Event | \$50.00 per player | Monday, October 28 (2:00 pm) | Tuesday | 144 players |
| Pro/Division I Doubles | \$100.00 per player | Wednesday, October 30 | Thursday | 32 teams |
| Division II Doubles | \$50.00 per player | Wednesday, October 30 | Wednesday | 32 teams |
| Division I Singles | \$100.00 per player | Thursday, October 31 | Thursday | 32 players |
| Division II Open Singles | \$50.00 per player | Thursday, October 31 | Thursday | 48 players |
| Division II Ladies Singles | \$25.00 per player | Thursday, October 31 | Thursday | 24 players |
| Pro Draw Partners | \$50.00 per player | Thursday, October 31 | Thursday | 32 players |
| Amateur Team Event | \$50.00 per player | Friday, November 1 | Sunday | 32 teams |
| Pro Singles | \$300.00 per player | Friday, November 1 | Saturday/Sunday | 32 players |
| Legends Draw | \$50.00 per player | Saturday, November 2 | Sunday | 32 players |
| DeucesWild® | \$25.00 per player | Sunday, November 3 | Sunday | 128 players |

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- Entries for each event will be accepted until that event is full, or until the day prior to that event, whichever comes first. Entries received after October 10 are subject to a \$5.00 penalty for registration, and for each event entered.
- For more information, contact The Shuffleboard Federation at (810) 380-9300, 41761 Onaway Drive, Northville, Michigan 48167-2411.

8th Annual Board Talk Tournament - 1992 - Holiday Inn, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania

Draw Partner

- 1st -- John Lucas, Maryland, and Al DiBella, Pennsylvania 2nd -- Mickey Mickens, New Jersey, and Terry Broka, Ohio
- 3rd -- Bob Morell, Pennsylvania, and Jimmy Kumpula, Florida
- 4th -- Jim Yank Jr., Pennsylvania, and Doug Fridley Jr., New York
- Round Robin Singles
- 1st -- John McDermott, Michigan 2nd -- Chuck King, Delaware

3rd -- Doug Fridley Jr., New York

1st -- Louise Freer, Pennsylvania

Women's Singles

- 2nd -- Cassie Kern, Michigan
- 3rd -- Judith Iseman, Maryland

Open Doubles

- 1st -- Paul Maccarrone, Florida, and Doug Fridley Jr., New York 2nd -- Bob Morell and Jerry Herrmann, Pennsylvania
 - 3rd -- John Lucas and Mark Grove, Maryland
 - 4th -- Jim Yank Jr. and Al Schall, Pennsylvania
 - 5th/6th-- Jim Yank Sr., Pennsylvania, and John Gardner, Maryland Tom Schaeffer and Ron Herrmann, Pennsylvania

Open Singles

1st -- John McDermott, Michigan 2nd -- Paul Maccarrone, Florida

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3rd -- John Gardner, Maryland

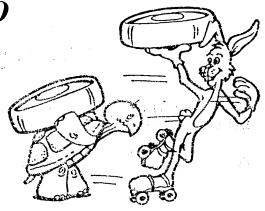
4th -- Chuck King, Delaware

5th/6th -- Scratch Todd, Maryland, and Tom Schaeffer, Pennsylvania

4-Person Team

- 1st -- Greenwood Tavern: Judy Iseman, Chuck King, Len Dell, and Scratch Todd
 - 2nd -- Philly's Finest: Bob Morell, Jerry Herrmann, Ron Herrmann, Peggy Herin
 - 3rd -- Kathy's Klowns: Kathy Broka, Terry Broka, Mickey Mickens, John McDermott

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9th Annual Board Talk/2nd Annual Southwest Open - 1993 - American Legion Post 73, Del City, Oklahoma

| Pro-Am Team: | 1st Bobby Voorhis, Jim Long, Steve Blue, Indiana; Sam Sweat, Oklahoma |
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| | 2nd Mark Foust, John Cason, Ron Huddleston, Oklahoma; Bob |
| | Lewis, Arizona 2rd – Bill Malton, Billy, Malton, Lion Malton, Oklahoma, Ispat |
| | 3rd Bill Melton, Billy Melton, Lisa Melton, Oklahoma; Janet Weidner, Texas |
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| Pro Singles: | 1st Bill Melton, Oklahoma |
| | 2nd Rick Boyer, California |
| | 3rd Frank Blade, Texas |
| | 4th Mark Foust, Oklahoma |
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| Pro-Am Draw: | 1st Mark Foust, Oklahoma; Mike Roach, Nebraska |
| | 2nd Frank Blade, Texas; Ron Blalock, Oklahoma |
| | 3rd Bobby Voorhis, Indiana; Chuck Deweese, Florida |
| | 4th Sam Sweat and Mike Melton, Oklahoma |
| | 5th/6th Bud Hillburn and Dino Fleming, Oklahoma |
| and the second second | Alan Primrose, Oklahoma; Larry Creakbaum, Indiana |
| Beginners/Just | 1st Cindy Sweat and Jeff Simco, Oklahoma |
| Pretty Good Draw | 2nd Sharon Huddleston and Ken Carter, Oklahoma |
| an a | 3rd Pat Kinard and Ron Snellgrove, Oklahoma |
| Amateur Singles: | 1st Bobby Williams, Texas |
| | 2nd Steve Burkett, Oklahoma |
| | 3rd Rena Hendrix, Oklahoma |
| | 4th Jim Long, Indiana |
| , | 5th/6th Tom Hendrix, Oklahoma; Mike Roach, Nebraska |
| | 7th/8th Ken Hawks, Colorado; Cliff Goff, Oklahoma |
| Beginners/Just | 1st Eddie Woods, Texas |
| Pretty Good Singles | |
| | 3rd Alan Cobb, Oklahoma |
| Open Doubles: | 1st Bill and Billy Melton, Oklahoma |
| - Point 2 Caroloon | 2nd Sam Sweat and John Cason, Oklahoma |
| . · · · · | 3rd Glen Davidson, Oklahoma; Dudley Hutcherson, California |

THE WINNERS' BRACKET (continued)

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9th Annual Board Talk/2nd Annual Southwest Open - 1993 - American Legion Post 73; Del City, Oklahoma

4-Person Team:

1st -- ELBOW ROOM: Larry Morrow, Gwyn Orsi, Mike Roach, Nebraska; Ken Hawks, Colorado

2nd -- PRIM'S WAGON WHEEL: Alan Primrose, Brenda Watts, Bill Holley, Tom Hendrix, Oklahoma

3rd -- BUCKHORN TAVERN: Steve Walker, Rick Yingst, Betty Brantley, Pam Croft, Oklahoma

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10th Annual Board Talk Shufflers' Reunion/5th Annual Grand Masters Plus - 1994 - Whisting Oyster Tavern, Quilcene, Washington

4-Person Team:

3rd -- FOUR PLAY: John Luhtala, Nancy Johannsen, Don Shaffer, Jeff Adams, Washington

4th -- 3 SHORT GUYS & A CANUCK: Gary George, Jim Allis, Washington; Don Cox, California; Diane Madsen, Canada

Open Singles:

1st -- Darrol Nelson, Oregon 2nd -- Chuck Norris, Oregon

3rd -- Dan Hitt, Washington

4th -- Don Cox, California

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5th/6th -- Mike Thorpe, Washington; Billy Maxwell, California

Draw Partners:

1st Place Tie -- Dave Davidson, Oklahoma; and Bob Shirley, Washington Ed Olson and Jim Manders, Washington
3rd -- Darrol Nelson, Oregon, and Larry Sawyer, Washington

- 4th -- Jim Thornton and Ron Wicks, Washington
- 5th/6th -- Jeff Adams and John Luhtala, Washington Ken Wochnick and Dick Doak, Washington

7th/8th -- Dan Hitt, Washington, and Dottie Bastanchury, California

Don Cox, California, and Jim Buhl, Oregon

Grand Masters:

1st -- Doug Buhl, Oregon, and Steve Wilson, Washington 2nd -- Glen Davidson, Oklahoma, and Don Cox, California

3rd -- Mike Pond and Marv White, Washington

4th -- Jim Allis, Washington, and Darrol Nelson, Oregon

5th/6th -- Al Pease and Mike Waters, Washington

Ed Olson and Pat Van Cleve, Washington

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¹st -- L.A. INVADERS: John Fisher, Billy Chiles, Jim Kennedy, California; Ruthie Miles, Oregon

²nd -- DREAM TEAM: Jim and Michelle Foran, Rick Gindt, Mike Waters, Washington

11th Annual Board Talk Shufflers' Reunion/Mickey Mickens Memorial - 1995 - Harvey's Place, Street, Maryland

| Pro Singles: | 1st Len Dell, Maryland |
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| | 2nd Chuck King, Delaware |
| | 3rd Bobby Voorhis, Indiana |
| 2nd Chance Draw: | 1st Buddy Brammer and Blaine Douglas, Maryland 2nd Jane Johnson, New York; Jerry Garber, Maryland |
| | 3rd Grace Wyatt, Maryland; Marty Allen, Florida |
| | 1st Wendy Davis, Delaware; Lindsay Hall, Maryland |
| e . | 2nd Bob Overbay, Maryland; Dick Gorman, Delaware |
| | 3rd Penny Cottrell, Michigan; Terry Smith, Illinois |
| 2nd Chance | |
| Pro-Am Draw: | 1st Marty Allen, Florida; Bobby Voorhis, Indiana |
| | 2nd Jane Johnson and Dick Losee, New York |
| • | 3rd Willis Long and Dave Shewbridge, Maryland |
| | 1st Louise Freer, Pennsylvania; George Chamberlin, Maryland |
| | 2nd Faye Todd, Delaware; Doug Fridley Sr., New York |
| | 3rd Joyce Pyle, Maryland; Milt Benedict, New York |
| Pro Doubles: | 1st Dave Boaz, Indiana; Steve Lacinski, Pennsylvania |
| | 2nd Len Dell and Eddie Kibler, Maryland |
| | 3rd Chuck King, Delaware; Rick Niblett, Maryland |
| с. | 4th Jerry and Ron Herrmann, Pennsylvania |
| Open Doubles: | 1st |
| | 2nd |
| | 3rd |
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| Women's Singles: | 1st Penny Cottrell, Michigan 2nd Peggy Whately, Arizona 3rd Joyce Pyle, Maryland 4th Darlyne Belcher, Maryland |
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| Round Robin Pro Singles: | 1st Bobby Voorhis, Indiana 2nd Len Dell, Maryland 3rd Glen Davidson, Oklahoma 4th-5th Lonzo Knight, Maryland; John McDermott, Michigan |
| Bring Partner: | 1st Lindsay Hall, Maryland; Butch Kelly, Pennsylvania 2nd Jane Johnson, New York; Jimmy Kumpula, Florida 3rd Anthony Conch and Jim Yank Jr., Pennsylvania 4th Judy Iseman, Maryland; Jeff Cottrell, Michigan 5th Johnny Hummel and Mary Anne Watson, Pennsylvania |
| Amateur Draw: | 1st John Moniti and Willis Long, Maryland 2nd Mike Kennedy and Rita Yank, Pennsylvania 3rd Connie King, Delaware; Brenda Wallace, Maryland 4th Shelly and Martin Comer, Maryland 5th Barb Brammer, Maryland; Grace Wyatt, Delaware |
| 4-Person Team: | 1st "Shufflers Four" (Judy Iseman, Maryland; Glen Davidson, Oklahoma; Dallas Hayman, Delaware; Larry Kirk, Maryland) 2nd "Diggers" (Wendy Davis and Dick Gorman, Delaware; Buddy Brammer, Maryland, Steve Lacinski, Pennsylvania) 3rd "Power Drivers" (Ellie Curric, Jason Chisendell, Rick Johnson, Rob Masey, Maryland) |
| Lando en 1997 | 2nd Glen Davidson, Oklahoma, and Don Cox, California 3rd Mike Pond and Marv White, Washington 4th Jim Allis, Washington, and Darrol Nelson, Oregon 5th/6th Al Pease and Mike Waters, Washington Ed Olson and Pat Van Cleve, Washington |

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