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February 2006 Wrap-Up of Results!

The February Wrap up includes all tournaments reported to eshuffleboard.com as of this date, March 20, 2006. My goal is to have each months wrap up posted for printing on the 10th of the following month. To meet this goal I will be starting the March Wrap Up as results come in. The sooner I receive your tournament results the sooner I can get this "print" issue out for the folks without internet access. I try to put this together in the most economical manner possible for your personal printing. I know how much ink costs, believe me.

Several flyers have been posted including the SW Open flyer provided by Kathy Yingst and that can be found on the Oklahoma Schedule page.





Flyers for Oskar's in Bellflower, CA have also been posted this weekend and are on the California Schedule page.

http://www.eshuffleboard.com/CA/California_Schedule.htm http://www.eshuffleboard.com/OK/Oklahoma_Schedule.htm



Journey's End Bar & Grill welcomes all 1.5> players for the 5th doubles and singles tournament. There will be a sixth board added to the normal 5 available for play.

Join us for this very competitive event. Accommodations available in Warsaw & Plymouth, IN. See the link below for the flyer for **this April 15th**, tournament.

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The Shuffleboard Guy

In early March, 2006, Bourbon, Indiana lost a friend and shuffleboard player. Jan Morlan passed away March 7^{th,} 2006, at the age of 59, of natural causes. Jan was a Viet Nam veteran and had grown sons and siblings. Jan will be missed

dearly by his family and his extended shuffleboard family. Even though I knew Jan hadn't been feeling the best for the past month, I was still shocked when I heard the news. I asked me oldest son, "Did you know Jan Morlan from the Legion? He died!" He says, "The shuffleboard guy!?! No way!"

Jan played shuffleboard a lot, mostly at the Legion and Journey's End, rarely anywhere else in recent years. He was a fixture at the Legion, always ready to step in and play whether it was with some of the younger, newer players or with and against the "pros" like Jim Long, Mike Koontz, Dennis Kinsey or Gary Anglin. He'd clean the gutters, wipe and spray the board (some would say over sprayed) and have it ready to play for when other players showed up at the end of the day for a game or two. He generously doubled with me in several tournaments when I first started playing and couldn't get a partner.



Jan Morlan with Mike Johnson



Photo taken February 18, 2005

Jan played league this year on the "Do Wells", captained by Terry & Pam Dowell in the Bourbon/Etna Green League. Another member of the team, Bud "Harry" Esterline, told me that Jan was really happy to be playing on such a good team this year. They finished 1st in season play but second in the tournament. He even enjoyed watching and supporting the team on the nights that he didn't get to play.

Last time I spoke to Jan other than just to say hello in passing was February 11th, 2006. Actually, it was more like the 12th as it was about 2:00 AM. As happened many times, Jan and I were the last ones to witness the end of the tournament. He stayed to see who won and I stay to record and report the events. This happened to be the Sweethearts tournament at the Warsaw Eagles and I gave him a ride home to Bourbon afterwards.

You say the usual things, like "take care", and "see you later", never realizing that it might be the last time you speak to someone. I'll miss Jan. Many is the time I walked in some where and asked "Where's Jan?". Now something will always be missing in those places. It will be Jan, father, brother, veteran and "the shuffleboard quy".

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What do women really want?

King Arthur was ambushed and imprisoned by the monarch of a neighboring kingdom. The monarch could have killed him but was moved by Arthur's youth and ideals. So, the monarch offered him his freedom, as long as he could answer a very difficult question. Arthur would have a year to figure out the answer and, if after a year, he still had no answer, he would be put to death.

The question?....What do women really want? Such a question would perplex even the most knowledgeable man, and to young Arthur, it seemed an impossible query. But, since it was better than death, he accepted the monarch's proposition to have an answer by year's end.

He returned to his kingdom and began to poll everyone: the princess, the priests, the wise men and even the court jester. He spoke with everyone, but no one could give him a satisfactory answer. Many people advised him to consult the old witch, for only she would have the answer. But the price would be high; as the witch was famous throughout the kingdom for the exorbitant prices she charged.

The last day of the year arrived and Arthur had no choice but to talk to the witch. She agreed to answer the question, but he would have to agree to her price first. The old witch wanted to marry Sir Lancelot, the most noble of the Knights of the Round Table and Arthur's closest friend! Young Arthur was horrified. She was hunchbacked and hideous, had only one tooth, smelled like sewage, made obscene noises, etc. He had never encountered such a repugnant creature in all his life. He refused to force his friend to marry her and endure such a terrible burden, but Lancelot, learning of the proposal, spoke with Arthur. He said nothing was too big of a sacrifice compared to Arthur's life and the preservation of the Round Table. Hence, a wedding was proclaimed and the witch answered Arthur's question thus:

What a woman really wants, she answered....is to be in charge of her own life.

Everyone in the kingdom instantly knew that the witch had uttered a great truth and that Arthur's life would be spared. And so it was, the neighboring monarch granted Arthur his freedom and Lancelot and the witch had a wonderful wedding. The honeymoon hour approached and Lancelot, steeling himself for a horrific experience, entered the bedroom. But, what a sight awaited him. The most beautiful woman he had ever seen, lay before him on the bed. The astounded Lancelot asked what had happened

The beauty replied that since he had been so kind to her when she appeared as a witch, she would henceforth, be her horrible deformed self only half the time and the beautiful maiden the other half. Which would he prefer? Beautiful during the day....or night? Lancelot pondered the predicament. During the day, a beautiful woman to show off to his friends, but at night, in the privacy of his castle, an old witch? Or, would he prefer having a hideous witch during the day, but by night, a beautiful woman for him to enjoy wondrous, intimate moments?

What would YOU do? Noble Lancelot, knowing the answer the witch gave Arthur to his question, said that he would allow HER to make the choice herself. Upon hearing this, she announced that she would be beautiful all the time because he had respected her enough to let her be in charge of her own life.

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Now....what is the moral to this story?

The moral is.....If you don't let a woman have her own way....Things are going to get ugly.

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CURRENT SCHEDULE AS OF MARCH 19, 2006

March 23-26 321-267-6700 Flyer Florida Open 2006 Moose Lodge #1962 Mims, Florida

March 24th-26th Brook Alley's Spring Tournament 4726 S. Peoria Tulsa, Ok Flyer

March 25 OSA-Milton Short Board Open Doubles 95 Commercial St.Milton, Ontario, Canada

March 25 Carol's Birthday Doubles Lucky's Tavern N. Webster, IN

March 25, 2006 Fiver 2nd Annual MDA Send a Kid to Camp

Madison Park Bowl W

Mar. 31-April 1st 2nd Annual All Missouri 6 Person City vs. City Shootout Doc's Shuffle Inn Stockton, MO

APRIL 2006

April 1 Warsaw Eagles #1339 - DBL Warsaw, IN

April 8

OSA-Polish Legion Short Board Tournament of Champions Polish Legion #412 Kitchener, ON, Canada

April 1-9, 2006 5th Annual Champion Shuffleboard Open Garland, TX Flyer

April 7-9, 2005 Jim Moran Sportsman of the Year for 2006

3rd Annual Larry Hudson Memorial ABC Draw Red Dog Saloon Port Orchard, WA

April 8 Doubles Tournament American Legion #258 Pierceton, IN

April 15 Journey's End Bar & Grill Spring Amateur 1.5> Doubles & Singles

Mike Koontz: 574-202-1632 Email: ann@eshuffleboard.com

Journey's End

April 15

Gl's Town Tavern 765-536-2150 Summitville, IN Open Doubles Flyer

GI'S Town

April 22

OSA-NRSL Fonthill Legion Open Doubles Niagara Regional Fonthill Legion #613 Fonthill, Ontario, Canada

April 23 Steelville Country Club ABC Shuffleboard Tournament & BYO Partner Steelville, Mo Call Larry Cothran and Kathy Anderson at 573-743-6673 or 573-775-5992 for information

April 21-23 A-B Bring Your Own BZ's Sports Bar & Grill Burien, WA

April 22 Pendleton Am Vets #26 Doubles Pendleton, IN

April 28-30th, 2006 12th Annual Women's Tournament Missouri To Be Determined

April 29, 2006

Gls Town Tavern 765-536-2150 Summitville, IN Doubles Flyer

GI'S Town Tavem

April 29th KANE'S CLUB CAR Saturday Amateur Singles 2s-3s-4s Only Sunday April 30th Ladies Singles - Mens Doubles

April 29

OSA-Polish Legion Short Board Open Doubles

3rd Annual Earl Kurt Memorial Polish Legion #412 Kitchener, Ontario, Canada

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February 04 2006 Open Doubles Polish Legion Kitchener

The 10th Annual Jackie and John Memorial tournament was a huge success with 19 teams coming out .Everyone had so much fun and the OSA thanks the Polish Legion for hosting such a great day, especially sports officer Paul Baker who sees that everything runs smoothly!

1st Place: Albert Westfall and Rico Beaulieu
2nd Place: Mery Neil and Art Guysberg
3rd Place: Richie Kresse and Al Kuentzler
4th Place: Kelly and Rod Hoffman

Check out the OSA Photo Gallery for more pics of the tournament



Girls just wanna have fun. And fun we had !!!! We celebarated Valentine's Day! We celebrated Birthdays! We had a cake walk! We had gifts for everyone And yes we even played Shuffleboard!!!

The 7th Annual Ladies Only tournament was held at the Polish legion in Kitchener

and there were twelve teams entered. What a great day was had by all. Thanks to everyone who contributed to the cake walk ...thanks to our "Sub Shack Princess" Pat for the great food she provided.

1st Place: Theresa Lynk and Marie Dickson
2nd Place: Margie Kresse and Brenda Brown
3rd Place: Joyce Davidson and Carol Heideman
4th Place: Joan Benton and Kelly Hoffman

Check out the OSA Photo Gallery for more pics of the tournament



February 18 2006 Milton Open Doubles Tournament

Seven teams braved the blustery day and freezing temperatures to compete in this open doubles tournament hosted by Audrey and Geoff Denny

And the winners are !!!

1st Place: David Gillies and Francis Baver-

stock

2nd Place: Ginny and Wolf Merten
3rd Place: Roy Stuart and Darlene Pe-

rusello

Check out the <u>OSA Photo Gallery</u> for more tournament pics

February 11-12, 2006 Open Singles Tournament La Piazza Best Western Bar and Restaurant

Monday February 13, 2006 8:47 PM Results Reported by: Doug "Phil" Fridley

Prize monies just under \$1,500 were paid out to three places,. DeVonna Golden played tremendously but placed "just out of the money". Very good turnout, not a sell-out, though. Great food, 2-for-1 domestic beers, raffles. Large 4-board tournament to be held later this year, I will notify you when dates are set. Thanks, Doug "Phil" Fridley

1st: Jim Golden 2nd: Phil Fridley 3rd: Dan Leach 4th: DeVonna Golden

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Sweethearts Shuffleboard February 10-12, 2006 Downey Elks 2020 Downey, CA Reported by Chris Brown

DOWNEY, CA: The Sweethearts Shuffleboard Tournament, negative-handicapped event drew 16 teams with prize money totaling \$3060.00.

Negative Handicap, Max 3 Points

The First Place Winners were Paul Obermiller and Cindy Clark of Arizona.

The Second Place Team was Bob Naretta (an Elk Member playing in his first tournament) and Michele Lamo of Orange County, CA

The Third Place Team was Tony and Dottie Bastenchury of Orange County, CA

The Fourth Place team was Vern Booth and Gloria Duron, also of Orange County, CA

The 3 point max. negative handicap system once again proved itself as effective as the First Place team was the highest rated (combined rating of 2), while the second place team was the second lowest rated (combined rating of 7). The 3rd and 4th place teams both had combined ratings of 4.

A great time was had by all, and no one went home hungry. Friday night the Elks kitchen served up a choice of Baby-Backed Ribs or Liver & Onions. Saturday Morning came and Breakfast Burritos were available. Saturday afternoon sandwiches and snacks came out. Saturday night was Pizza and Beer night. Sunday morning was the monthly Esquire's Breakfast. Sunday afternoon a Pot Luck was served featuring a Barbequed Turkey and a Ham.

Ernie Alverez, in memory of "Bellflower Bruce" Hale, distributed roses to all the ladies, and offered a \$50.00 prize to the first 4 lagged with hammer. The money was taken by Kenny Hawks (with a beauty lag during his second match) which he promptly used to buy a round for the house, another deed done in Bellflower Bruce's memory.

All players involved left with smiles and hugs, and promises to return for the next tournament.



President's Day Tournament - February 17-20, 2006 - Bell Flower, CA

ABC Draw - Kenny Hawkes - Yard Sale Mike - Oscar

Bring Doubles - Kenny Hawkes - Jeff

If you have more information on this tournament send to ann@eshuffleboard.com

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Blue Goose and Red Dog Saloon February 10-12, 2006 Sweetheart Mixed Doubles Port Orchard, WA 1st Joanie Millar & Rick Gindt 2nd Mike Waters & Susan Clarke 3rd Paulette McKinney & Gary George 4th Nels Anderson & Linda Steffensen 5th/6th Michelle Foran & Jeff Kersting 5th/6th Frank Mako & Melody Marine

Ernies

25th Annual Masters Ernie's Fir Cone February 25 - 26, 2006 By Dwayne Dibley

Shelton, WA: Ernie's Fir Cone Masters is the longest running open doubles in the Pacific Northwest. It has survived three different owners and continues to draw the best of the best from all over the country. Players have come from as far away as Maine, Pennsylvania, Indiana, Nebraska, Texas, California, and Canada. With 2 great boards and a owner who has a good shuffleboard attitude, the future look bright for Ernie's Fir Cone Masters. Teams are already forming for next years Masters. Players are searching out the right partner to create a magical moment that will lead to their names being inscribed on the trophy and their names written in history.

This years magical moment belongs to Gary George and Jeff Kersting. They join the select few who have their names on the trophy by cruising through unbeaten to become the 2006 Ernie's Fir Cone Masters 2006 Champions. Dino Mako and Mike Waters were not without their own magic. Being behind in almost every game and still finishing second after losing their first match in this field of competitors proved to be quite a feat. Third place went to the team of Carl Roush and Dean Johnson. This is the team that proves that practice pays off. Carl and Dean have been away from the game for quite a while, but devoted the time and effort to learn the boards, and it paid off. Vern Gonzales and Mel Hohn finished fourth.

Regardless of the outcome everyone had a great time with good friends and good competition. Another benefit to the Masters is the feast provided by the Shelton Shuffleboard Community. Ernie would like to thank all the people who contributed to the success of this tournament, and all the players who gave their all.

The next scheduled tournament at Ernie's Fir Cone is the Forest Festival A-B Bring your own partner on 02 -03 June, 2006. For more information on this tournament contact Ernie (360) 426-2221.

* Dwayne Dibley is a syndicated columnist for an unnamed national publication and accepts no compensation for his analysis, but merely does it for the love of the game. However I would like to clear up a minor issue. Mel Hohn (a close personal friend and college classmate) and I are indeed different people. If you are interested in having me comment on your upcoming tournament contact me at ddibley@comcast.net



1st Gary George & Jeff Kersting



2nd Dino Mako & Mike Waters



3rd Carl Roush & Dean Johnson

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The Palace Bar

Farimount, IN February 4th, 2006 Home of James Dean, Garfield and Bobby V.

Fairmount, IN - Sixteen teams from Bourbon, Summitville, Pendleton, Huntertown, Ft. Wayne and....Cincinnati, OH converged on the Palace Bar in Fairmount for an Open Doubles Shuffleboard tournament despite it being one of the few days of snow this winter. This same tournament last year drew just 11 teams. This upswing in participation can be credited in part to the promotion efforts of Glen Ingram from Summitville and several local teaming testing their skills against the out of town professionals.

Glen Smith from Cincinnati drove up to reacquaint himself with the shuffleboard community. He had been following events online for awhile and took the plunge after a 20 year absence from the shuffleboard circuit. Though he had not been planning to play, he partnered with Ann Harrell for a couple credible games. Indiana and National Hall-of-Famer Jim Long and Glen reminisced about players they both remembered from that area (and era!). Here's hoping Glen and his wife can make it up to several more tournaments, including the April 15th 1.5> Amateur tournament.

Gary Anglin and his partner were put in the losers bracket by Jim Long & Glen Ingram but came back to defeat them the second time around giving Jim and Glen 3rd place. They were unable to force a 2nd game for the championship and Laggin' Larry Brown and Bobby V went unfeated for the day. Congrats to LAB and Bobby V.

Ann Harrell

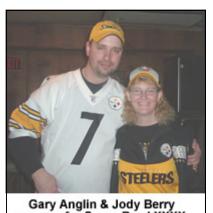
16 Teams

Bobby Voorhis & Larry Brown Gary Anglin & John Partner Jim Long & Glen Ingram Tom Massie & Greg Massie Jim Hamilton & Tom Nolder Mike Gilman & Dave Welsh Debbie Voorhis & Mary Brown Skip Envert & Jesse Lainhart Byron George & Tony Watson Danny Watson & Nick George Bud Esterline & Doc Deventor Chet Seybert & Jane Seybert Willie Fox & Gene Brown Glen Smith & Ann Harrell Larry Creakbaum & Tony Skinner Rudy Robinson & Rocky Rider

1st Bobby Voorhis & Larry Brown







prepare for Super Bowl XXXX

3rd Jim Long & Glen Ingram



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Warsaw Eagles #1339
Warsaw, IN
Mixed Doubles
February 11, 2006

Mixed Doubles - 17 Teams 1st Jody Berry & Gary Anglin



3rd Sheryl Cockerill & Jim Long 4th Kristie Redman & JD Partner

5th/6th Jeri & Glen Ingram



5th/6th Ann Harrell & Bud Esterline



Mixed Draw Partner - 5 Teams

1st Pam Dowell & Brian Collins 2nd Terry Dowell & Ann Harrell Jim Long & Jody Berry Gary Anglin & Amy Bond Vicki Morgan & Jesse Lainhart

2nd Pam & Terry Dowell



Joyce Roberts & Gary Neff Amy Bond & Jesse Lainhart Bev & Terry Sidle **OH** Mindy Sidle & Bobby Liechty **OH** Steve & Marie Jim Hamilton & Carol Westerman Mary & Larry Brown Phil & Barb Short **OH** Brian Collins & Vicki Morgan Ken Reed & Jackie Imus Ortie Mann & Donna

Bourbon/Etna Green Shuffleboard League Tournament February 25, 2006

1st Dennis Kinsey & Randy Redman 2nd Bud Broka & Dennis Creighbaum

Zane Burnett & Robbe Stouder
Jan Morlan & Keith Spencer
Dennis Perrin & Steve Slough
Scott Haverstock & Bob Reyes
Bud Esterline & Uriah Graham
Gary Neff & Gary Anglin
Jason Weirick & Jay King
Don Chapman & Fletch
Robbin & Brenda

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Mixed Doubles February 25, 2006

[Saturday February 25, 2006 11:52 PM

Summitville, IN: Mixed doubles teams from accross Indiana gathered at Glen and Jeri Ingram's Town Tavern, Satruday, February 25, 2006. Mark Holland and "One Arm" John Myles made the trek from Michigan with their friend, Don Porter driving

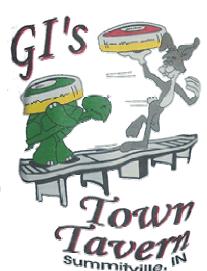
for them, for a chance at playing (shuffleboard) with the

women of Indiana!

Mark gets a warm welcome from Jeri Ingram.

Fourteen teams participated with more women waiting in the wings for willing male partners.

The team of Jody Berry * Dave "Fluffy" Boaz won the winners bracket and decided on a split with losers bracket survivors Larry & Mary Brown. The hosts for the weekend, Glen & Jeri Ingram, filled out the field by taking third place.



By Ann Harrell

1st Jody Berry & Dave Boaz



2nd Larry & Mary Brown



3rd Glen & Jeri Ingram



Jim Long & Sheryl Cockerill
Shelly & Tony Skinner
Mark Holland & Taya Keesling
Jim Hamilton & Vicki Morgan
Brian Collins & Carol Westerman
Jesse Lainhart & Amy Bond
Mike Glass & Theresa Taylor
S & M Smith
Gene & Angie Brown
Ann Harrell & Troy Ingram
John Myles & Brenda Neil



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Journey's End

Bourbon, IN -February 17-18, 2006 -Open Doubles

Bourbon, IN: Tournament events in Bourbon, IN at Journey's End Bar & Grill started Friday night, February 17th with a draw partner. Ten teams participated with Dave "Brownie" Nifong placing 3rd in his first ever shuffleboard tournament with partner Gary Neff. Jim² (Jim Long & Jim Hartung) placed 2nd and the power house team of Brian Collins and bar owner, Mike Koontz came in first.

Saturday dawned with cold and clear with temperatures in the single digits. Even though Jesse Lainhart ws feeling uder the weather, he and partner Larry Brown placed third on the every changing (becaue of the temperature drop) boards. Gary Anglin and partner, Jim Hamilton finished second. Brian Collins and Gary Neff finished the day undefeated and took the top prize.

February 17, 2006 - Draw Partner - 10 Teams

1st Brian Collins & Mike Koontz



2nd Jim Long & Jim Hartung 3rd Gary Neff & Dave Nifong

Dave Arnett & Gary Anglin Ron Merrill & Ken Reed Mike Grimes & Vicki Morgan Pam Dowell & Tom King Dennis Creighbaum & Erik Keenan Ann Harrell & Uriah Graham Jesse Lainhart & Terry Dowell

February 18, 2006 - Open Doubles - 12 Teams

1st Brian Collins & Gary Neff

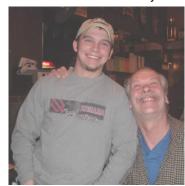


Ken Reed & Erik Keenan
Amy Bond & Ann Harrell
Randy Redman & Dennis Kinsey
Mike Koontz & Dave Vondron
Pam Dowell & Vicki Morgan
Terry Dowell & Jim Long
Bobby & Debbie Voorhis
Jerry Knox & Ron Merrill
Dave Arnett & Doc Deventer

2nd Gary Anglin & Jim Hamilton



3rd Jesse Lainhart & Larry Brown



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Market Street Cafe Charlestown, MD February 17-19, 2006

Reported by Louise Freer & Dave Shewbridge

Chip & Bobbi Spangler (Market Street owners) and their staff (with the usual special kudos to Debbie) did a wonderful job hosting this tournament and serving the players with great food and drink. The food was awesome! The tournament did not start until Friday, but players started coming in on Thursday... so we had an 18 team warm-up open draw on Thursday before the official tournament started on Friday.

The first event of the tournament was the Draw Partner on Friday (17th), followed by a Bring Partner on Saturday (18th), and ending with the Mixed Doubles on Sunday (19th). There was no handicap in any of the events. All events paid 5 places (5th & 6th places played it out to get the 5th place money spot).

Draw Partner - Friday Feb 17, 2006 - 24 Teams

1st Johnny Gardner & Rob Hummer

2nd Dick Losee & Mike Kennedy

3rd Louise Freer & Ryan Fuller

4th Curtis Dean & Pauline Rock

5th Sharon Canino & Brian Rutherford

Bring Partner - Saturday Feb 18, 2006 - 22 Teams

1st Chuck King & Eddie Kibler

2nd John & Sharon Canino

3rd Louise Freer & Joe Williams

4th Dave Shewbridge & Johnny Gardner

5th Dave Shewbridge & Johnny Gardner

Mixed Doubles - Sunday Feb 19, 2006 - 23 Teams

1st Dave Shewbridge & Stephanie McNeil

2nd Johnny Gardner & Bobbi Spangler

3rd Mike & Mary Ann Kennedy

4th Chuck Decker & Pauline Rock

5th Chuck King & Judy Iseman

The Participants:

Jonathon Harris Joyce Pyle Judith Iseman **Kurt Mauer** Len Dell Louise Freer Mark Dean Mary Ann Kennedy Mary Lou Burdo Matt Hickey Mike Caldwell Mike Kennedy Mike Miller Nicole Miller Pauline Rock Penny Everett Rick Greider Rob Hummer Roger Douglas Ryan Fuller Shannon Ratledge Sharon Canino Steph McNeil Stephanie Jason Steve Burdo Steve Jourdan Wendy Arndt Wendy Davis John Canino John Gardner

Anthony Todd Brenda Wallace Brian Andersen Brian Rutherford **Buddy Bramer Butch Kelly** Carol Hampton Cathy Hoskins Chris Hart Chuck Decker Chuck Kina Cid Floriani Corey Kink Curtis Dean Dave Shewbridge Debbie the barmaid Dick Gorman Dick Losee Donna Rutherford **Doris Reynolds Doris Roberts** Ed Kibler Flo Carlyle Jantz JB Armour Jeff Myles Jen Pickett Jim Dennis Jim Wallace Joe Williams John Arndt

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Bavarian "B" House Titusville, Florida A-B Draw & Bring Partner February 17-19, 2006 Reported by Dick Smedberg

TITUSVILLE, FL: The Bavarian "B" House in Titusville, Florida played host to many round robins on Friday, and into Saturday morning, in preparation for the weekend. The results are:

Saturday February 17, 2006 - AB Draw

1st Marty Allen & Ursala Badouin

2nd Barrie McClean & Larry Cooper

3rd Dick Smedberg& JT Swindle

Sunday February 18, 2006 - Bring Partner

1st Doug Paben & Angie Moore

2nd Scott Auten & Dick Smedberg

3rd Ray Miller & Harold "Moose" Whitt

We are looking forward to the 2 big tournaments coming up in March at Mim's Moose Lodge just north of Titusville on US 1. The participation in these annual events by many out of staters makes for great shuffleboard competition.

Valentine's Tournament One Nostalgia Place Dallas, TX February 4-5, 2006 Reported by Connie McCormick

Valentine's Day Mixed Doubles - 16 Teams

1st Bruce Childers & Cynthia Calderon 2nd Robert Duncan & Connie McCormick 3rd Fred Boyd & Cynthia Demore

Jack N Jill Mixed Doubles February 11, 2006 The Post, Cedar Park, Texas Ronnie McMellon

Bring Partner Mixed Double - 10 Teams

1st Linda Anthony & Cliff Visel 2nd Lynda French & Tom French

2nd Annual Jack & Jill Tournament Triple Crown Sports Bar February 11, 2006 Houston, Texas

Thanks to: James Cummings

31 Mixed Doubles Teams

1st Ann Walker & Richard Pisarski 2nd Dar & James Cummings 3rd Sheila & Harold Gandy 4th Kim Lawther & Kelly Cameron

All the participants:

Adele K & Jack S
Aileen & Larry A
Ann W & Richard P
Annette M & George M
April & Gabby
Pam & Armando
Beverly L & Neil
Cheryl & Paul K
Joy & Chris
Tree C & Daniel C

Dar C & James C
Janet & Del
Wayne H & Diana H
Louise D & Dwayne D
Jennie S & Goose
Sheila & Harold
Lilly K & Harvey K
Holly K & Richard B
Jennifer & Jack A
Janet R & Mike R

Laurie & Jimmy
Lisa & Joe M
Kim L & Kelly C
Pat S & Lee S
Lynette B & Sam B
Mary K & Nick
Olivia G & Michael H
Pat B & Tom B
Laura H & Terry H
Tracy F & Roy Boll
Tracy G & Richard G

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KANE'S CLUB CAR

AB Draw and Mixed Doubles -February 11-12, 2006 Reported by Coco Brown

PLAYERS RALLY IN DURAND FOR TOURNAMENT IN MEMORY OF SALLY WENDLING

Players came from far and wide to show their support for the Club Car Sweetheart tournament in memory of Sally Wendling (wife of Gene Wendling – President of the Michigan Shuffleboard Hall of Fame).

Tournament fund raising to be presented to Gene in honor of Sally Wendling was announced to be donated to the Michigan Shuffleboard Hall of Fame in Sally's name by Gene. Two events were scheduled in this tournament; an AB draw, and the annual Sweetheart Mixed Doubles event.

In the AB Draw on Saturday, teams competed in a four placement event. In first place, girl power of Linda Mitchell and Melinda Flynn surfaced in first place (sponsored by Chuck Ricklefs). Finishing in second place were Sonny Morgan and Harold Garian (sponsored by Jackie Meagher). Third place went to John Addington and Steve Jurik (sponsored by Linda Mitchell) and finishing in fourth place were Chris Lemieux and Slick Parrish (sponsored by Vic Matteson). During the presentation of prize monies, Chuck Ricklefs generously announced that he was donating his Calcutta portion to the Michigan Shuffleboard Hall of Fame in honor of Sally Wendling.

In Sunday's Sweetheart Mixed Doubles event, first place went to the double dipping team of hosts Bill and Brenda Kane (sponsored by Gene Wendling). Second place victors were Vic Matteson and Kathy Francisco (sponsored by themselves), and third place went to Steve Jurik and Melinda Flynn (sponsored by Gene Wendling).

A very special thanks to all of those who participated in the memorial tournament!



1st Linda Mitchell & Melinda Flynn



2nd Sonny Morgan & Harold Garian



3rd John Addington & Steve Jurik



1st Bill & Brenda Kane

2nd Kathy Francisco & Vic Matteson



2rd Steve Jurik & Melinda Flynn



4th Slick Parrish & Chris Lemieux

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Madison Heights, MI President's Day Weekend February 17-20, 2006

Friday: Mixed Doubles [Chart]

First Place: Travis Taylor & Sandy Blade - Second Place Peggy Williams & Chris Lemieux



Saturday: ABCD Draft winner take all.

Winners were Jason Papa, Cindy Brown, Tom Williams, and Lacho Barradas



Sunday: Amateur Doubles (add to 4) [Chart]

First Place

Lacho Barradas and Chris Lemieux



Second Place Cindy Brown and Rob Kern



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Liz's Place February 11, 2006 St. Louis, MO



The 11th Annual Sweetheart Tournament was held recently in St. Louis, Missouri on February 11, 2006 at Liz's Place. The established tradition of this tournament was begun by our dearly departed friend, shuffleboard player and promoter, and Missouri Shuffleboard Association Hall Of Fame inductee, Bill "Thunder" Hill. This tournament has been organized and run by several local people since Bill's passing in December, 2003. This year it was my honor to carry on that tradition. This year also brought the inclusion of several newer shuffleboard players, both as couples and as teammates with some more seasoned players. We are grateful for their participation and encourage all those newer players to continue to play and hone their skills to make our local shuffleboard community a stronger and more vibrant community.

Taking Third Place in this year's tournament was the team of Mary Curtis and Wayne Cupp. After losing their first game in the opening round, Mary and Wayne climbed back up through the loser's bracket with steady and consistent play. In one of their final games in the loser's bracket May and Wayne defeated some strong competitors, Jill and Larry Romay, in a tight 15-14 game, assuring them to place in this tournament. They lost their next game, but still garnered their third place honors. Congratulations, Mary and Wayne.

Second Place honors went to the tough shooting team of Judy Lee and 'Super' Sam. They both remained in the winner's bracket to become the only other undefeated team of the tournament. After their first loss, they went on to defeat Mary and Wayne in the finals of the loser's bracket, but were no match for the remaining undefeated team. Their good play ended up rewarding them with their second place finish. Congratulations, Judy and Super Sam.

First Place Honors went to the fine shooting match-up of Rhonda Proffer and Chuck Muehlhauser. Rhonda and Chuck worked through the winner's bracket ending up as the only undefeated team of the tournament. Their good shooting and consistent play sealed their place as the champions of this tournament. Congratulations to Rhonda and chuck for their First Place Honors.

I would like to thank a trio of Romays, Jerry & Lisa and Jill, along with Judy Lee for their help with tournament duties and for helping out with the food. Thank you all, your help was greatly appreciated and made this yet another fun and successful tournament.



1st Chuck Muelhauser & Rhonda Proffer



2nd Super Sam Eveland & Judy Lee



3rd Mary Curtis & Wayne Cupp

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HE/SHE Mixed Doubles Eagles Lodge Springfield, MO Feb. 17-18th, 2006 Initial Report by Charley Riley Follow Up by Keitha Ellison



The Tournament Directors—Left to Right
Steve Hinkle - Keitha Ellison - Terry Gregory - Connie
McCall - Roger Ellison

Although the weather was chilly and treacherous outside, it does not phase the determination of shuffleboard players meeting for a tournament.

Feb 17th & 18th Springfield Eagles 3934 hosted the 5th annual Springfield He/She tournament. A record number of 30 teams faced off for competition. 19 teams in division I and 11 teams in division II. The break was add to 5.7 combined, and resulted in some phenomenal match plays climbing their way to the top.

Nobody had an excuse to go hungry. The ladies auxiliary ritual team was fast with ladle and spatula to feed hungry players with a delicious array of dishes. Thanks girls, we appreciate the long hours you put in to keep us nourished.

Thanks to the Eagles # 3934 for the nice facility in which we can meet and have these tournaments. It is great for Spring-field to boast of a neat atmosphere to gather and play our game of shuffleboard. Come join us May 5th & 6th for the next tournament!

Division 1 - 19 Teams

1st. Jim French & Alice Patterson



2nd Rick Pittman & Barb Head



3rd.Sandy Tubbs & Gary Hagerty



Division 2 -11 Teams - add to 5.70 combined

1st.
Gary Swaine sponsor - Jennifer Frye,
Stockton. & Gary Johnson Jr



2nd. Steve Hinkle, Springfield & Melissa Dunn, Houston, Mo



3rd. Janice Hagerty and Gary Swain, K.C. team



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9TH ANNUAL FRANK KANE MEMORIAL SHFFULEBOARD TOURNAMENT ST. LOUIS. MISSOURI

Submitted by Jack Murphy

The 9th Frank Kane Memorial Shuffleboard Tournament was held recently in St. Louis, Missouri on February 24 & 25, 2006 at Ulena's Sports Bar. This year brought the return of some out of town guests from Houston, MO and Arkansas. We would like to thank them for joining us and adding their spirit of camaraderie and competitiveness.

Taking Third Place was the team of Robert Kasza and Steve Nowack. Robert and Steve made it through to the last game of the Winner's bracket. They were then handed their first loss and moved into the final match in the loser's bracket. They again suffered a tough lost, but still were able to garner Third Place Honors. Congratulations to them both.

Second Place went to the tough shooting brother team of Jerry and Larry Romay. Jerry and Larry were handed an immediate upset in the first round of the tournament. They battled back up through the Loser's bracket and arose victorious. They then went on to get pay back for the team who ousted them out of the Winner's bracket in their first game. Jerry and Larry were then handed their second defeat, but still secured their Second Place Honors and our congratulations for their efforts.

Taking First Place was the team of Jim Dunn and Mike Simpson. Jim and Mike played well against some good competition through the opening rounds. When the dust had cleared they remained the only undefeated team in the Winner's 2nd Larry Romay, Sponsor Rick Pittman bracket. In their final match they faced the team they had beat in their first game of the day. Jim and Mike produced another defeat of that team and secured the championship and the honor of remaining undefeated throughout the tournament. Congratulations to Jim and Mike for their First Place Honors.

Thanks again to our out of town friends for joining us. Also thanks to Steve Nowak for all his efforts in organizing and running the tournament. Thanks to Sanna Clark for hosting this event and her assistance with the food and to Larry Romay for the pictures. Hope to see you all again next year on February 23 & 24, 2007 for the 10th Annual Frank Kane Memorial Tournament.



1st Jim Dunn, Sponsor Robert Kasza & Mike Simpson (Right)



and Jerry Romay (Right)



3rd Robert Kasza & Steve Nowack

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