

American Legion Post #424
202 S. Main Street
Bourbon, Indiana, 46504



Induction Ceremony

For

Gary Anglin

Into the

Indiana Shuffleboard

Hall of Fame



2026 Fall Tournament
American Legion Post #424
Bourbon, Indiana
October 3, 2026

Indiana Shuffleboard Hall of Fame

The Indiana Shuffleboard Hall of Fame was started in May 1998 with the introduction of Emmett Wilcox.

The requirement for nomination in the Hall of Fame is a petition with twenty or more signatures recognizing individuals who have played and/or promoted shuffleboard in Indiana.

The American Legion Post #424 in Bourbon Indiana has a showcase highlighting the Indiana Shuffleboard Hall of Fame inductees located upstairs in their facility.

This display board was made by Bill Niswonger and Dick Baney with framing done by Robin (Weissert)Racolta.

Gary Anglin

Gary Anglin was born on September 24, 1971, in Bremen, Indiana, and was raised in Bourbon. He has two brothers, Scott Anglin (deceased) and Justin Anglin. He married Ann Anglin on July 7, 2016.

Gary began playing Friday-night draws in the mid-1990s at the Bourbon Legion and played several years in the Bourbon traveling league. Bill Niswonger and Terry Dowell were very influential in my beginning years. I also began running tournaments for several years at the Bourbon Legion and held several large two-board garage tournaments at my house. My first Calcutta was with Kristie Redman in the mid-1990s at the Legion in Bourbon.

Gary bought his first set of weights from his boss, who also played, Charles “Peewee” Fleshman. Kristie Redman, several other beginners, and Gary would frequently meet upstairs to practice and learn the game.

Gary’s first Calcutta win came in 2000 with his great friend and teacher Bill Niswonger at Al’s Bar in Evansport, Ohio. It was a one-board tournament, and they double-dipped one of the great double teams at the time, Jim Long and Glen Ingram. Bill and Gary rode to Ohio with Jim, and Gary thought for sure he was going to get kicked on their way home because neither Bill nor Gary would shut up.

Gary had other great people besides Bill that helped him along the way. Terry Dowell, Mike Koontz, and Bud Broka were very helpful in his beginning years.

Gary wouldn’t be here today without hooking up with his buddy Dave Vordrun in 2001. They won several Calcutta’s together, including three doubles state titles and multiple second- and third-place finishes. Dave gave Gary the confidence to trust himself and believe in his shot selection. Their games worked incredibly well together. A couple of other experiences Gary wanted to share include winning the three-man event at the Michigan Open with Dave and Brian Collins over John McDermott, Darrel Nelson, and Bobby Lopez, and winning the four-man event in Oklahoma City with Bobby Voorhis, Terry Dowell, and Larry Creakbaum.

To add one more fun experience, Bobby Vooris asked Gary to play in a handicap doubles event in Houston. He was obviously nervous, but then they drew Bill Melton and Billy Mays. Billy Mays had a medical condition and supposedly could only use one arm. Anyway, it was a great time traveling to Houston with one of the greats of all time.

One last person to mention, and probably the most important: thanks to Ann Anglin for putting up with my moods if we didn’t win and the all-night celebrations if we did win. Thanks so much!

Gary over his career in Indiana had forty-six (46) firsts, thirty-eight (38) 2nds, twenty-nine (29) 3rds and twenty-three (23) 4ths.

1st Places (46)

2000 Open Doubles - Bill Niswonger
2000 Mixed Doubles - Jody Berry
2001 Open Doubles - Terry Dowell
2002 Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2002 Michigan Open, 3-Man Pro - Larry Creakbaum & Bobby Voorhis
2003 WWW V, Men's Bring - Jeff McFadden
2003 Halloween Monster Board, Div. 1 Doubles - Mike Koontz
2004 Michigan Open, 3-Person Bring - Dave Vorndran & Brian Collins
2004 Michigan HOF, ABC Div. 1 - Dave Vorndran & Brian Collins
2004 Journey's End, AB Draw - Ron Merrill
2004 Journey's End, Mixed Doubles - Jody Berry
2005 Draw Partner - Jody Berry
2005 Open Doubles - Brian Collins
2005 Bourbon/Etna Green League, Bring Partner - Bill Niswonger
2005 Indiana Open, Singles Div. 1
2005 Fall Chicken, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2005 Open Doubles - Jody Berry
2006 Open Doubles - Mike Koontz
2006 Mixed Doubles - Jody Berry
2006 Open Doubles - Brian Collins
2006 Spring Chicken, Draw #1 - Leon Black
2006 Spring Chicken, Draw #2 - Terry Wolfrum
2006 Spring Chicken, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2006 Player Appreciation, Mixed Doubles - Sheryl Cockerill
2007 Open Singles
2007 Fall Chicken, AB Draw - Tyler Lozier
2008 Open Singles
2008 Spring Chicken, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2008 Carol's Last Round Up, Pro Am - Joyce Roberts
2009 Indiana HOF, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2009 Indiana HOF, Pro Am - Wally Dan
2009 Open Singles
2011 Spring Chicken, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2014 Spring Chicken, ABC Draw - Chet Seybert & Brandon Chapman
2014 Fall Chicken, AB Draw - Jackie Imus
2014 Indiana State, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2015 Spring Chicken, 3-Person Draw - Joyce Roberts & Larry Creakbaum
2015 Fall Chicken, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2017 3-Person Add to 3 - Dave Vorndran & Ryan Schori
2020 Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2020 Fall Chicken, Handicap Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2020 Indiana State, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2022 Fall Chicken, AB Draw - Lynnett Lonaker
2023 Indiana State, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2024 Spring Chicken, ABC Draw - Lynnett Lonaker & Sean Barb
2024 Fall Chicken, Handicap Doubles - Dave Vorndran

2nd Places (38)

2000 Amateur Doubles - Tom Bickel
2002 Fall Chicken, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2002 Bring Partner - Jody Berry
2003 Indiana State, Mixed Doubles - Jody Berry
2004 AB Draw - Jeremy Graves
2005 AB Draw - Jay Boyle
2005 Michigan Open, 3-Person - Alonzo Cottrell & Dave Vorndran
2006 Open Doubles - John Partner
2006 Open Doubles - Jim Hamilton
2007 Open Round Robin Singles
2007 Spring Chicken, Open Singles
2007 Indiana HOF, ABC Bring - Gary Neff & Ann Harrell
2007 Indiana State, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2008 Open Doubles - Mike Koontz
2008 ABC Bring - Gary Neff & Joyce Roberts
2008 Indiana State, Open Singles
2008 Indiana State, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2009 Spring Chicken, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2009 Fall Chicken, Pro Am - Dennis Creighbaum
2010 Spring Chicken, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2012 Spring Chicken, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2013 Spring Chicken, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2013 Fall Chicken, Handicap Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2014 Spring Chicken, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2014 Player Appreciation, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2014 Indiana State, Singles
2015 Spring Chicken, Open Singles
2015 Player Appreciation, Pro Am - Dennis Creighbaum
2016 3-Person - Dave Vorndran & Pat Riewoldt
2018 Open Draw - Dave Shewbridge
2019 Open Singles
2020 Indiana Pre-State, Open Doubles - Gary Neff
2021 Spring Chicken, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran
2021 Miller's South Bend Veteran's House, Open Draw - Mary Brown
2022 Doubles Div. 1 - Gary Neff
2023 Open Draw - Dennis Creighbaum
2025 3-Person Add to 2 - Tyler Lozier & Ryan Schori
2026 Chicken Barbecue, Open Doubles - Dave Vorndran

Agenda

Welcome

Jackie Imus, Chet Seybert, Mary Brown (IN
HOF Bd Member)

Hall of Fame Update

Jackie Imus, Chet Seybert, Mary Brown (IN
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Presentation

Jackie Imus, Chet Seybert, Mary Brown (IN
HOF Bd Member)

Acceptance

Rick Royal

Closing

Jackie Imus, Chet Seybert, Mary Brown (IN
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Hall of Famers

Emmett Wilcox 1998

Steve Hart 1999

Larry Creakbaum 1999

James Long 1999

Larry Paxton 2000

George Slabaugh 2000

Dale Jackson 2000

Charlie Thompson 2000

Jim DeWitt 2002

Les White 2003

Bobby Voorhis 2003

Glen Ingram 2004

Terry Dowell 2005

Larry Brown 2005

Mary Brown 2006

Debbie Voorhis 2006

Mike Koontz 2015

Bill Niswonger 2017

Dave Boaz 2018

Bud Broka 2018

Butch Thomas 2020

Joyce Roberts 2022

Jody Berry-Shewbridge 2023

Brian Collins 2024

Rick Royal 2026