

Skip's 17th Annual Fall Bash September 8th 9th 10th 2006 Skips Lounge, Hougton Lake, MI



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SKIPS FALL BASH RETURNED TO HOUGHTON LAKE, MI FOR THE 17TH STRAIGHT YEAR!

Another successful turnout occurred in what is believed to be the second longest running tournament in Michigan at Skip's during this year's Skip's Fall Bash. A total of 56 shuffleboard patrons participated in this three day tournament, including the following events: AB Draw Partner on Friday, ABC Draw Partner on Saturday, and Open Singles on Sunday. More than \$10,500 was up for grabs. Players came from far and wide, including Indiana, Ohio, Florida's Dick Smedberg, and Missouri's Frank Edelen. Thanks for your continued support in your travels!

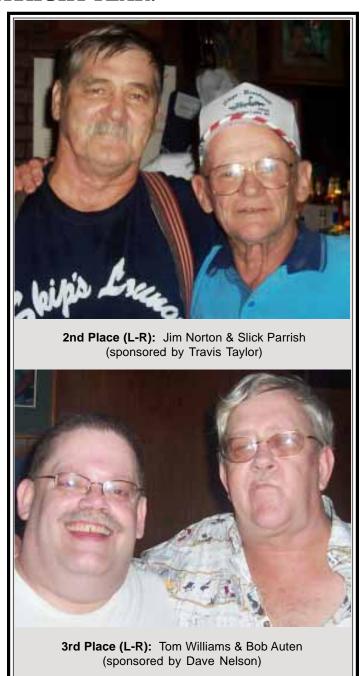
On Friday, 21 teams participated in the AB Draw Partner event. Taking first place this year were Jim Long & Jessica Williams (sponsored by Travis Taylor). Second place winners were Slick Parrish & Jim Norton (also sponsored by Travis Taylor), and third place recipients were Bob Auten & Tom Williams (sponsored by Dave Nelson). Fourth place went to Dennis Bittner & Dawn Hall (sponsored by Dick Reist).



(Friday, 21 teams/42 players)



1st Place (L-R): Jessica Williams & Jim Long (sponsored by Travis Taylor)



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On Saturday, 18 teams battled in the ABC Draw Team Event. Fierce competition resulted in first place victory going to Jim Earl Madary, Travis Taylor, & John Hines (sponsored by themselves) with Dennis Stantz, Kelly Genez, and newcomer Denese Cussans (sponsored by Dick Reist) finishing in second, and Dan Genez, Martha Hall, and Lacho "Cheese" Barradas in third (sponsored by Jo Nelson). Finishing in fourth place were Doug Queen, Slick Parrish, & Sandy Norton (sponsored by themselves).

ABC DRAW TEAM

(Saturday, 18 teams/54 players)



1st Place (L-R): John Hines, Travis Taylor, Jim Earl Madary (sponsored by selves)



3rd Place (L-R): Lacho "Cheese" Barradas, Martha Hall, Dan Genez (sponsored by Jo Nelson)



2nd Place (L-R): Sponsor: Dick Reist pictured with 2nd place team wiiners:
Denese Cussans, Dennis Stantz, and Kelly Genez



4th Place (L-R): Slick Parrish, Sandy Norton, Doug Queen (sponsored by selves)

Sunday heat continued, as 13 people competed in the Open Singles. 1st Place Dick Smedberg & 2nd Place Jim Long (60/40 Split versus playing for a double dip - sponsored by Jimmy Kumpula and Rita respectively). 3rd Place went to Travis Taylor (also sponsored by Rita).



Tournament Directors CoCo and Cindy Brown, and Rob and Debbie Kern would like to thank the many people who helped to ensure the continued success of this annual event.

Special recognition should be given to Skip and Carol Sliwa (owners of Skip's Lounge), and the wonderful staff for their generous hospitality, including a great food spread.

Special thanks are also extended to Carolyn Perry, Jessica Williams, and Joy Stephens for 50/50 ticket sales, and auctioneer's Steve Auten, Skip Sliwa, and Dennis Bittner.

Skip's Annual Fall Bashs' continued success is attributed to the many wonderful shuffleboard patrons. Thank you so much for all who attended and we hope to see even more players next year!

Table Shuffleboard BLOGGING FUN... Let's Blog!

If players or attendees would like to post any comments or suggestions regarding the tournament, please click below link -- TSA Blog Link regarding upcoming events and results (thread under this section created for the purpose of posting comments on any of the September tournaments, including Skips Fall Bash 2006:

http://blog.tableshuffleboard.org/2006/03/24/upcoming-event-2006-calendar--tournament-results.aspx

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