J.C.H.C. 2023 SUMMER LEAGUE ORGANIZATION AND BY-LAWS

- 1. THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE JCHC CONSISTS OF THE OFFICER STAFF AND TEAM CAPTAINS. THIS GROUP, COLLECTIVELY, IS REFERRED TO AS THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
- 2. THE OFFICER STAFF IS COMPRISED OF: PRESIDENT, VICE-PRESIDENT, SECRETARY, TREASURER, BUILDING ADVISOR/MAINTENANCE (IF APPLICABLE) AND THE M.H.P.A. TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR.
- 3. THE OFFICER STAFF IS THE MANAGING BODY OF THE CLUB AND IS ELECTED ANNUALLY BY THE CLUB MEMBERSHIP AT THE SEASON END MEETING HELD IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE AWARD BANQUET.
- 4. THE TERM OF OFFICE FOR ELECTED OFFICERS IS FROM APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 10TH. THE JACKSON TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR TERM SHALL END JUST PRIOR TO THE MHPA SCHEDULING MEETING (LATE SEPT)
- 5. TEAM CAPTAINS (ONE PER TEAM) ARE DESIGNATED BY THE TEAM MEMBERS OR SPONSOR IN WHATEVER MANNER THEY SEE FIT.
- 6. WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE SEASON END MEETING WHERE IN ELECTION OF OFFICERS TAKES PLACE, ELIGIBILITY TO VOTE IS VESTED IN THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS. HOWEVER, ALL MEETINGS ARE OPEN AND COMMENTS AND SUGGESTIONS BY INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS ARE WELCOMED.
- 7. CHANGES TO THE ORGANIZATION AND BY-LAWS REQUIRE AGREEMENT, BY SIGNATURE OR VOTE, OF AT LEAST TWO-THIRDS OF THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
- 8. OFFICERS RESPONSIBILITIES:

PRESIDENT

- A. SCHEDULE ALL MEETINGS AND PRESIDES AS CHAIRMAN. PROGRAMS UPCOMING SEASONS ACTIVITY.
- B. ASSIGNS SPECIFIC PROJECTS AS REQUIRED.
- C. SERVES AS CHAIRMAN FOR THE SEASON END BANQUET, INCLUDING PROCUREMENT OF TROPHIES.
- D. MONITORS FINANCIAL MATTERS. COSIGNS WITH TREASURER ALL CHECKS IN EXCESS OF \$ 100

VICE-PRESIDENT

- A. ASSISTS, SUBSTITUTES FOR PRESIDENT AS NEEDED.
- B. SERVES AS CHAIRMAN FOR THE SEASON END TOURNAMENT.

VICE-PRESIDENT TO NHPA & MHPA

- A. RESPONSIBLE FOR LIAISON BETWEEN JCHC, AND MHPA.
- B. MAINTAINS RECORDS OF BUSINESS BETWEEN JCHC, AND MHPA.
- C. KEEPS JCHC MEMBERS ADVISED, AND INFORMED CONCERNING MHPA EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES.
- D. ASSIST, ADVICES OTHER JCHC OFFICERS AND MEMBERS AS NECESSARY.

SECRETARY

- A. FORMULATES, PUBLISHES AND DISTRIBUTES SCHEDULES FOR LEAGUE PITCHING.
- B. PROVIDES UP-TO-DATE HANDICAP CHARTS FOR REGULARLY SCHEDULED PITCHING.
- C. COLLECTS, EDITS SCORE SHEETS UPON COMPLETION OF REGULAR WEEKLY PLAY.
- D. PUBLISHES UP-TO-DATE STANDING REPORTS.

- E. PUBLISHES, DISTRIBUTES UP-TO-DATE COPIES OF THE JCHC ORGANIZATION AND BY-LAWS TO ALL OFFICERS AND CAPTAINS AS REQUIRED.
- F. ORDER LEAGUE AWARDS, NOTIFY TREASURER OF COSTS AND AWARD SUPPLIER NAME, ALSO COLLECT AND BRING AWARDS TO SEASON END BANQUET.

TREASURER

- A. MAINTAIN AN ACCURATE RECORD OF ALL CLUB INCOME AND EXPENSES.
- B. HANDLE ALL JCHC CASH AND BANK ACCOUNTS.
- C. ISSUES CHECKS FOR JCHC FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS WHEN THEY BECOME DUE.
- D. IS BONDED IN THE AMOUNT AGREED UPON BY JCHC OFFICERS.
- E. CARRIES OVER A MINIMUM OF \$ 200.00 TOWARD PRIZE FUNDS WITH WHICH TO BEGIN THE FOLLOWING SEASON.
- F. OBTAINS CO-SIGNATURES OF ANOTHER JCHC OFFICER, CHECKS IN EXCESS OF \$ 100 (NA NORMAL UTILITIES....)
- G. COLLECTS WEEKLY COURT FEES, YEARLY MEMBERSHIP DUES, AND SPONSOR FEES, ALL OF WHICH WILL BE FORWARDED FROM THE TEAM CAPTAINS.
- H. PREPARES AND PUBLISHES REPORT OF YEARLY MONEY TRANSACTIONS FOR INCLUSION IN SEASON AWARDS BANQUET PROGRAM.
- I. PROCURES CLUB'S LIABILITY INSURANCE COVERAGE.
- J. MAINTAINS UP-TO-DATE RECORD OF LIFETIME MEMBERS AND THEIR CONTRIBUTIONS.

BUILDING ADVISOR / MAINTENANCE

A. DIRECTS ALL BUILDING AND SITE IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS TO BEST SERVE THE CLUB'S BEST INTEREST FINANCIALLY, FUNCTIONALLY, AND AESTHETICALLY. ACTIONS TAKEN WITH EXPENDITURES OVER THE AMOUNT OF \$ 150.00 REQUIRE AGREEMENT BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS BY VOTE, OR SIGNATURE, AND MUST HAVE NO LESS THAN TWO-THIRDS MEMBERS AGREEMENT.

M.H.P.A. TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR

ATTEND TOURNAMENT SCHEDULING MEETING, AND ANY OTHER MEETINGS NEEDED. SETUP AND RUN JACKSON HOSTED TOURNAMENTS. HANDLE ALL MEMBERSHIP FEES, ENTRY FEES, PRIZE PAYOUTS, AND ALSO FORWARD JACKSON MONEYS INCLUDING 50/50 INCOME TO DESIGNATED JACKSON COUNTY HORSESHOE CLUB MEMBER.

TEAM CAPTAIN RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. ATTEND MEETINGS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
- B. ARRANGE FOR TEAM MEMBERS TO REPRESENT HIS TEAM ON ALL PROJECTS WHERE COMPLETION IS DEPENDENT UPON CLUB MEMBER LABOR.
- C. PROMOTE TEAM IDENTIFICATION THROUGH SHIRTS, HATS, ETC. WITH TEAM SPONSORS NAME.
- D. RESPONSIBLE FOR CONDUCT AND SPORTSMANSHIP OF TEAM MEMBERS.
- E. RESPONSIBLE FOR "FIELDING" HIS TEAM AT THE SCHEDULED TIME AND PLACE.

- F. SUBMIT \$ 24.00 TO THE TREASURER FOR EACH NIGHT OF PLAY. (\$ 2.00 PER MAN PER GAME) OFFICERS PAY WHEN PITCHING. PAYMENT TO BE REIMBURSED AT THE END OF THE SEASON.
- G. COLLECT INDIVIDUAL CLUB MEMBERSHIP DUES (\$ 10.00 PER MAN) AND TURN THIS OVER TO THE TREASURER PRIOR TO THE THIRD NIGHT OF PLAY. IF YOUR TEAM GAINS NEW MEMBERS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR. THESE NEW MEMBERS MUST ALSO PAY THE \$ 10.00 CLUB MEMBERSHIP DUE.
- H. COLLECT SPONSOR FEE (\$ 35.00) PER TEAM AND FORWARD TO THE TREASURER PRIOR TO THE THIRD NIGHT OF PITCHING.
- I. PROVIDE SECRETARY WITH TEAM ROSTER INCLUDING NAMES, AND ALSO THE TEAM CAPTAINS ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER.
- K. UPKEEP OF COURTS AND AREA PRIOR TO AND DURING PLAY. WATERING, TURNING, AND CLOSING OF COURTS AFTER PLAY IS COMPLETED. (ALL LEAGUE MEMBERS SHOULD TAKE PART IN THESE ITEMS)

CLUB RULES

- A. MEMBERSHIP ELIGIBILITY: FULL OR PART TIME MICHIGAN RESIDENTS.
- B. LEAGUE WINNERS ARE DETERMINED BY THE SIX TEAM PLAYOFF SYSTEM, WHICH IS AS FOLLOWS: HALF WINNERS AND THE FOUR TEAMS WITH THE GREATEST POINTS NOT WINNING A HALF ADVANCE TO PLAYOFFS PER SCHEDULE. TIES FOR HALFS, GREATEST POINTS NON-HALF WINNER FINAL SPOT, AND TIES DURING PLAYOFFS WILL BE BROKEN SAME NIGHT WITH A ONE GAME PLAYOFF. IF TIE AGAIN USE HALF GAME TIE BREAKER UNTIL A WINNER IS DETERMINED. (HALF HANDICAP)
- C. IF ANY ONE TEAM WINS BOTH HALF'S THEY WILL HAVE 2 BYES INTO THE CHAMPIONSHIP MATCH (1A) THIS WILL MEAN ONLY 5 TEAMS IN THE PLAYOFF, TEAM WINNING BOTH HALFS AND 4 TEAMS WITH GREATEST POINTS (N.H.W.)
- D. HALF WINNERS ARE DETERMINED BY THE TEAM WITH THE MOST POINTS AT THE END OF EACH HALF. IN THE EVENT OF A TIE AT THE END OF EITHER HALF A ONE GAME PLAYOFF IS REQUIRED. (SAME NIGHT) THESE SCORES DO NOT COUNT ON INDIVIDUAL HANDICAPS, NOR DO NOT EFFECT OVERALL TEAM POINTS.
- E. IN THE EVENT OF A TIE BREAKER GAME OR GAMES AS EXPLANED IN (B) THESE SCORES WILL NOT EFFECT YOUR HANDICAP OR TOTAL TEAM POINTS. THESE TIE BREAKERS ARE ONLY TO DETERMINE A HALF WINNER, A FINAL PLAYOFF TEAM, AND ADVANCING THROUGH PLAYOFFS.
- E. IF WE HAVE AN ODD NUMBER OF TEAMS AND A DUMMY TEAM IS REQUIRED, THE DUMMY TEAM CANNOT BE PART OF THE PLAYOFF EQUATION. THE TEAM POSITIONED IN POINTS JUST BELOW THE DUMMY TEAM WOULD EARN THE THE PLAYOFF POSITION IN THIS CASE. (THIS SAME RULE WOULD APPLY IF PLAYOFF ELIGILIBILITY CAME INTO PLAY) G. PITCHING DISTANCE STANDARDS & RULES:
- PERSONS STAYING BEHIND AND OBSERVING THE 37 FT. FOUL LINE ARE CONSIDERED 40 FT. PITCHERS PERSONS STAYING BEHIND AND OBSERVING THE 27 FT. FOUL LINE ARE CONSIDERED 30 FT. PITCHERS *** PERSONS STARTING BEHIND 27 FT. FOUL LINE AND TAKING 1 STEP ARE AGE 85 AND UP ARE ELITE SENIORS ****
- 1) MEMBERS TURNING 65 WITHIN THE CALENDAR YEAR MAY MOVE TO 30 FOOT FROM WEEK #1 OF THIS SEASON. THIS ALLOWS THESE MEMBERS TO PITCH AND OBSERVE THE 30 FOOT FOUL LINE. (SHORT DISTANCE) HOWEVER, THEY MUST DECLARE TO THE SECRETARY PRIOR TO 1ST GAME OF THE SEASON, THEY WISH TO PITCH SHORT DISTANCE. THEY WOULD THEN BEGIN THE SEASON JUST AS A NEW PLAYER, WITH THE SAME AWARD

ELIGIBILITY AND A NEW HANDICAP. IF THEY DO NOT DECLARE SHORT DISTANCE, IT IS ASSUMED THEY WISH TO PITCH 40 FT. AND MUST STAY BEHIND THE 40 FT. FOUL LINE. IN EITHER CASE THIS MUST BEGIN FROM GAME #1 OF THE SEASON, AND CONTINUE UNTIL THE END OF THE SEASON AT THE SAME DISTANCE.

2) PLAYERS WITH A DISABILITY REQUIRING THEM TO PITCH LESS THAN 40 FEET MUST PROVIDE A DOCTORS.

- 2) PLAYERS WITH A DISABILITY REQUIRING THEM TO PITCH LESS THAN 40 FEET MUST PROVIDE A DOCTORS EXCUSE TO THE CLUB PRESIDENT OR VICE-PRESIDENT. THEY MUST DECLARE THE PITCHING DISTANCE NEEDED TO ACCOMIDATE THEIR DISABILITY, AND OBSERVE THIS DISTANCE THE ENTIRE SEASON. THIS MUST BEGIN FROM GAME #1 OF THE PITCHERS SEASON. NEW PLAYER RULES & AWARD ELIGIBILITY WILL APPLY IN THIS CASE.
- 3) PLAYERS TURNING 85 YEARS OLD WITHIN THE CALENDAR YEAR ARE ALLOWED TO PITCH TO TAKE ONE STEP PAST THE SHORT DISTANCE FOUL LINE. THESE ELITE PLAYERS MUST START WITH BOTH FEET BEHIND THE SHORT DISTANCE FOUL LINE AND ARE ALLOWED TO TAKE ONE STEP PAST THE FOUL LINE. THIS IS ALSO CONSIDERED A DISTANCE CHANGE AND WOULD REQUIRE A NEW HANDICAP ESTABLISHED, ALONG WITH AWARD LIMITATIONS.

 **** ALL DISTANCE CHANGES MUST BE REPORTED TO LEAGUE SECRETARY PRIOR TO GAME #1 OF THE SEASON.

 **** IN THE EVENT OF AN UNFORTUNATE UNIQUE SITUATION REQUIRING A PLAYER TO PITCH A SHORTER DISTANCE IN MID-SEASON, A CAPTAINS VOTE WILL BE TAKEN. TWO-THIRDS OR MORE APPROVAL IS NEEDED TO ALLOW THIS. ALL IND. GAMES & STATS WOULD BE ERASED. PLAYER WOULD THEN FOLLOW ALL NEW PLAYER RULES.

 ******IF THE TEMP. OR HEAT INDEX REACHES 100 OR ABOVE BY 4:00 PM THE ENTIRE LEAGUE NIGHT WILL BE

CANCELLED. A LEAGUE OFFICER WILL NOTIFY TEAM CAPTAINS BY 4:00 PM. CAPTAINS THEN NOTIFY TEAM MEMBERS.
*****THE HOME IS SCHEDULED ON THE ODD # COURT (LEFT SIDE OF SCORE SHEET) AND GETS DIBS TO ENTER

HIS PLAYERS ON THE SCOREBOARD LAST IN GAMES 1 & 3. (ALTERNATING BASIS) HOME TEAM RECORDS ALL SCORES.

H. REGULAR TEAM PLAY HANDICAP FOR EACH PLAYER IS CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS: SUBTRACT A PLAYERS AVERAGE FROM 88, THEN MULTIPLY THE DIFFERENCE BY 90%. A PLAYERS HANDICAP IS ALWAYS ROUNDED DOWN TO THE LOWER WHOLE NUMBER. NO PLAYERS HANDICAP IS TO BE GREATER THAN 72. A NEW PLAYERS HANDICAP WILL BE ESTABLISHED AFTER PITCHING 2 GAMES (80 SHOES) BOTH PITCHED ON INITIAL NIGHT. THIS HANDICAP WILL THEN BE USED TO DETERMINE THE RESULTS OF THE FIRST TWO GAMES PITCHED. THE HANDICAP FOR A NEW PLAYER WOULD THEN CHANGE WEEKLY, REGARDLESS HOW MANY GAMES ARE PITCHED. THE RULES ABOVE FOR A NEW PLAYERS HANDICAP ALSO APPLY TO PREVIOUS YEAR CLUB MEMBERS WHO PITCHED LESS THAN 12 GAMES. PLAYERS RETURNING FROM THE PREVIOUS YEAR'S PLAY WITH 12 OR MORE GAMES PITCHED, WILL USE LAST YEARS HANDICAP UNTIL 6 GAMES HAVE BEEN PITCHED. AFTER YOU PITCH YOUR 6TH GAME YOUR HANDICAP WILL BE ADJUSTED THE FOLLOWING WEEK. IF YOU DIDN'T HAVE 12 GAMES OR MORE LAST SUMMER, BUT PLAYED 12 ROSTER GAMES IN THE MOST RECENT WINTER SEASON, YOU WILL BE ALLOWED TO USE THIS HANDICAP WITH FULL ELIGIBILITY FOR AWARDS. IF YOU HAD 12 OR MORE GAMES IN MULTIPLE WINTER LEAGUES, THE LOWEST HANDICAP WILL BE USED IN THIS SITUATION.

MINIMUM # OF GAMES PITCHED FOR PARTICIPATION ELIGIBILITY ARE AS FOLLOWS:

1ST HALF POSITION ROUND (6 GAMES) 2ND HALF POSITION ROUND (12 GAMES) PLAYOFFS (12 GAMES) PITCHING AS A SUB FOR ANOTHER TEAM DOES NOT COUNT TOWARD YOUR GAMES PITCHED.

- I. IN REGULAR TEAM PLAY, A GAME CONSIST OF FOUR PLAYERS ON EACH OF TWO OPPOSING TEAMS WITH EACH PLAYER PITCHING 40 SHOES. TEAMS ALTERNATE FIRST PITCH EACH FRAME TO 20 FRAMES (2 SHOES PER FRAME) WITH THE TEAM SCHEDULED ON THE ODD NUMBERED COURT PITCHING FIRST IN ALL OF THE ODD NUMBERED FRAMES THE ENTIRE NIGHT. THIS RULE ALSO APPLIES TO THE INDOOR COURTS. THE COUNT ALL METHOD OF SCORING IS USED. RINGER COUNTS 3 POINTS, SHOE 6 INCHES OR CLOSER TO THE STAKE COUNT 1 POINT.
- J. A TEAM MAY PARTICIPATE IN A LEAGUE GAME WITH A MINIMUM OF TWO ROSTER PLAYERS, A SUBSTITUTE, AND A BLIND SCORE OF 72 FOR AN ABSENT PLAYER. A TEAM MAY USE TWO SUBS ALONG WITH THEIR TWO ROSTER PLAYERS, BUT CANNOT USE TWO BLIND SCORES ALONG WITH THEIR TWO ROSTER PLAYERS. SEE SECTION Q FOR SUBSTITUTION RULES.
- K. IN REGULAR TEAM PLAY, THREE GAMES ARE PITCHED EACH LEAGUE NIGHT BY EACH TEAM.
- L. A TWENTY POINT SCORING SYSTEM WILL BE USED FOR TEAM PLAY.

1 POINT AWARDED FOR INDIVIDUAL GAMES WON
12
2 POINTS AWARDED FOR HIGH TOTAL EACH GAME
2 POINTS AWARDED FOR HIGH 4 GAME TEAM TOTAL
2

20 TOTAL

WHEN TWO PLAYERS TIE EACH IS AWARDED 1/2 POINT. IF YOU TIE FOR TEAM GAME TOTAL THE 2 POINTS ARE SPLIT, EACH TEAM GETTING 1 POINT. A TIE FOR OVERALL GRAND TOTAL IS ALSO SPLIT, 1 POINT EACH.

- M. TIES FOR HALF WINNERS AND TIES OCCURRING IN THE PLAYOFFS WILL BE BROKEN BY A ONE GAME PLAYOFF. TIES NOT INVOLVING PLAYOFF POSITIONS WILL BE DETERMINED BY THE HIGHEST TEAM AVERAGE.
- N. LEAGUE PLAY STARTS AT 6:00. IF A TEAM CANNOT PLACE THE PLAYER MINIMUM ON THE COURTS BY 6:15, THAT TEAM FORFEITS THE FIRST GAME. IF BY 6:30 THAT TEAM IS STILL UNABLE TO BEGIN, THE ENTIRE THREE GAMES ARE FORFEITED. (0 PTS.) THE TEAM OPPOSING THE FORFEIT MUST PITCH ALL THREE GAMES, COMPETING AGAINST EACH INDIVIDUALS OWN AVERAGE. ROUNDED DOWN) PITCH GAMES ON ONE COURT, FOLLOW SAME RULES WHEN OPPOSING A DUMMY TEAM. BOTH TEAMS ARE STILL REQUIRED TO PAY THE \$24.00 WEEKLY PITCHING FEES. TEAMS FORFEITING MORE THAN 8 GAMES SHALL BE INELIGIBLE FOR PLACING IN THE TOP 4 WINNING POSITIONS.
- O. PLAYERS MAY TRANSFER FROM ONE TEAM TO ANOTHER DURING THE LEAGUE SCHEDULE ONLY WITH THE WRITTEN CONSENT OF ALL TEAM CAPTAINS, OUT OF SEASON ANY PLAYER MAY TRANSFER TO A NEW TEAM.
- P. A NEW PLAYERS ELIGIBILITY FOR HIGH HANDICAP GAME OR SERIES, OR 112 GAME TROPHIES BEGINS AFTER 8 GAMES (320) SHOES. PLAYERS WITH AN ESTABLISHED HANDICAP FROM THE PREVIOUS YEAR (12 GAMES) ARE ELIGIBLE THEIR FIRST LEAGUE PLAY GAME.
- Q. A TEAM MAY USE ANY MEMBER OF LEAGUE AS A SUBSTITUTE IF THEY HAVE LESS THAN FOUR MEN PRESENT AS LONG AS THAT SUBSTITUTE IS NOT PLAYING AGAINST HIS OWN TEAM. A SUBSTITUTE WOULD NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PAYING FOR GAMES PITCHED, NOR WOULD HE APPLY GAMES PITCHED TO HIS AVERAGE. SUBSTITUTES ARE ELIGIBLE FOR 112 GAME TROPHIES. TEAMS REQUIRING SUBSTITUTES MUST PAY THE PLAYING

FEES FOR THE SUBSTITUTE. A TEAM MAY USE A MAXIMUM OF TWO SUBSTITUTES.* THIS RULE DOESN'T APPLY IN PLAYOFFS & POSITION NIGHTS. DURING PLAYOFFS AND POSITION NIGHTS YOU MUST HAVE A MINIMUM OF 3 ROSTER PLAYERS, AND NO SUBSTITUTES ARE ALLOWED. YOU MAY USE ONE BLIND SCORE OF 72 FOR AN ABSENT PLAYER. THE TEAM OPPOSING THE ABSENT PLAYER MAY ALLOW A PERSON TO THROW THE SHOES BACK. WITH THE KNOWLEDGE THAT THESE SCORES DON'T COUNT, BUT THE DAMAGE THE SHOES MAY HAVE CAUSED, DOES COUNT. *THE ONLY EXCEPTION TO THIS RULE IS A MEDICAL EMERGENCY APPROVED BY THE LEAGUE OFFICERS. IF 50% OR MORE OF THE LEAGUE OFFICERS APPROVE, A LEAGUE QUALIFIED SUB MAY PLAY IN POSITION ROUNDS & PLAYOFFS.

- R. A MINIMUM AGE FOR LEAGUE MEMBERSHIP WILL BE 16. THOSE UNDER 18 OR STILL IN HIGH SCHOOL WILL HAVE WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THEIR PARENTS OR LEGAL GUARDIAN.
- S. IF FOR ANY REASON A PLAYER CANNOT FINISH A GAME, THEY WILL USE THE LOWER OF THE THESE OPTIONS: A FLAT SCORE OF 80, OR CALCULATE THE PLAYERS AVERAGE SCORE PER FRAME WHEN THEY STOPPED, OUT INTO A 40 SHOE GAME.
- T. ANY UNRESOLVED ISSUE OR SITUATION NOT COVERED IN THE J.C.H.C. BY-LAWS WILL BE HANDLED BY LEAGUE OFFICERS IN REFERANCE TO "THE OFFICIAL NHPA PLAYING RULES, REQUIREMENTS, GUIDELINES, AND SPECIFICATIONS" FOR THE SPORT OF HORSESHOE PITCHING.

TROPHY AWARDS STRUCTURE

- A. SPONSOR TROPHIES OR AN AWARD WILL BE GIVEN TO THE FIRST AND SECOND PLACE TEAMS.
- B. ALL MEMBERS ON THE FIRST AND SECOND PLACE TEAMS WILL RECEIVE INDIVIDUAL AWARD OR CASH.
- C. INDIVIDUALS PLACING FIRST IN THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES SHALL RECEIVE AN AWARD OR CASH.
 - 1) HIGH LEAGUE AVERAGE
 - 2) HIGH THREE GAMES SERIES-ACTUAL
 - 3) HIGH ONE GAME SCORE-ACTUAL
 - 4) HIGH THREE GAME SERIES SERIES-HANDICAP
 - 5) HIGH ONE GAME SCORE-HANDICAP
 - 6) MOST INDIVIDUAL POINTS WON
 - 7) BEST INDIVIDUAL PERCENTAGE OF GAMES WON
 - 8) MOST IMPROVED ACTUAL AVERAGE FROM THE END OF ONE SEASON TO THE END OF THE FOLLOWING SEASON. NEW PLAYERS OR PLAYERS WITH LESS THAN 12 GAMES PITCHED FROM THE PREVIOUS SEASON ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR THIS AWARD.
 - 9) HIGH TEAM GAME HANDICAP
 - 10) HIGH TEAM SERIES HANDICAP
- D. PLAYERS WHO PITCH A SINGLE GAME OF 112 POINTS OR MORE INCLUDING HANDICAP RECEIVE A TROPHY. THE RULE FOR NEW PLAYERS, AND PLAYERS WITH LESS THAN 12 GAMES FROM PREVIOUS YEAR APPLIES HERE.
- E. INDIVIDUALS WINNING A 112 TROPHY WILL THEN BECOME ELIGIBLE TO WIN A 120 HANDICAP TROPHY.
- F. SPECIAL AWARDS CAN BE MADE AS DIRECTED BY THE CLUB OFFICERS.

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- G. NO PLAYER IS ELIGIBLE FOR ANY LEAGUE AWARD UNLESS ONE-HALF OF LEAGUE GAMES ARE PITCHED. EXEMPTION FROM THIS RULE ONLY BY A MAJORITY VOTE BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
- H. NO TEAM OR INDIVIDUAL RECORDS WILL BE ALLOWED WHEN OPPOSING AN ABSENT TEAM FORFEITING, WHEN PLAYING AGAINST A DUMMY TEAM, OR WHEN YOU ARE SUBBING. THE ONLY EXCEPTION IS WHEN A TEAM USES 1 OR LESS SUBS PER GAME, THIS WOULD MAKE TEAM HIGH GAME AND OR SERIES ELIGIBLE FOR SEASON RECORDS. INDIVIDUAL SEASON HIGHS ARE NEVER ALLOWED WHEN SUBBING.
- J. TEAM CAPTAINS MUST ATTEND THE SEASON END BANQUET, SEND A REPRESENTATIVE, OR MAKE FUTURE ARRANGEMENTS WITH THE LEAGUE TREASURER TO PICK YOUR TEAMS CASH AWARDS. IF NOT ATTENDING THE SEASON END BANQUET, ARRANGEMENTS MUST BE MADE PRIOR TO THE SEASON END BANQUET OR ALL MONEYS WILL BE DONATED TO THE J.C.H.C. BUILDING FUND. (ARRANGEMENTS MUST BE MADE WITH LEAGUE TREASURER)

BUILDING FUND

THE JACKSON COUNTY HORSESHOE CLUB IN ORDER TO MAINTAIN AND IMPROVE OUR INDOOR HORSESHOE COURTS WILL SET ASIDE IN A SEPARATE ACCOUNT ALL INCOME FROM THE FOLLOWING SOURCES.

- A. SPONSOR FEES
- B. TOURNAMENT INCOME (NET PROCEEDS)
- C. INTEREST INCOME
- D. DONATIONS TO THE FUND
- E. LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP PAYMENTS
- F. 100% OF THE 50/50 INCOME
- G. 100% OF THE ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES
- H. 100% OF THE PLAYING FEE INCOME

DISBURSEMENTS FROM THIS FUND FOR OTHER THAN ROUTINE BUILDING MAINTENANCE AND OPERATING EXPENSES MUST BE APPROVED BY TWO-THIRDS APPROVAL OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS. THE EXCEPTION TO TO THIS RULE READS BELOW AND WAS PASSED BY THE "BOARD OF DIRECTORS" (CAPTAINS & OFFICERS) 4-18-23

IN AN EFFORT TO BETTER PREPARE FOR OUR CLUBS LARGER UPKEEP EXPENSES SUCH AS NEW ROOF AND HEATERS WE WILL NOW DIRECT 100% OF OUR INCOME TO THE BUILDING FUND. THIS WILL REQUIRE US TO DIRECT MONEY FROM THE BUILDING FUND TO THE TEN PAID CATEGORIES PAID, TROPHY GAMES, SPONSOR AWARDS AND THE 1ST & 2ND PLACE TEAM MEMBERS. IT WAS AGREED (4-18-23) TEAMS FINISHING OUTSIDE OF THE TOP TWO POSITIONS SHALL NOT RECEIVE TEAM PRIZE MONEY.

COMPENSATION

***SECRETARY: THE PERSONS PERFORMING THE DUTIES OF SECRETARY SHALL RECEIVE THREE DOLLARS PER MEMBER PER YEAR. FEE IS TO BE PAID AT THE END OF THE YEAR STARTING IN THE 2002 SEASON. THE PRESIDENT, VICE-PRESIDENT, SECRETARY, TREASURER, BUILDING ADVISOR/MAINTENANCE AND TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR ARE TO BE REIMBURSED FOR LEAGUE PITCHING, AND ALSO EACH OFFICER WILL RECEIVE AN ADDITIONAL \$50

IN COMPENSATION FOR ALL OF THEIR EFFORTS, ALL OF WHICH WILL BE PAID AT THE SEASON END BANQUET. M.H.P.A. TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR: SHALL ALSO RECEIVE \$1.00 PER ENTRANT WHEN JACKSON IS THE HOST CLUB, MONEY TO BE PAID ON TOURNAMENT DATE. MAINT / BUILDING ADVISOR SHALL RECEIVE AN ADDITIONAL \$200 IN THE SUMMER AND \$300 IN THE WINTER, POSITION RUNNING ENTIRE LENGTH OF SUMMER AND WINTER LEAGUES.

BYLAWS LAST AMMENDED APRIL 18, 2023 BY APPROVAL OF CLUB LEADERS ON APRIL 18, 2023 AT THE SPRING MEETING ATTENDED BY WINTER & SUMMER CAPTAINS & OFFICERS.