



**MHPA**  
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***Juniors are now eligible for cash awards, therefore they must pay entry fees for tournaments they are participating in.***

#### **INDOOR TOURNAMENTS: FALL/WINTER 2021**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>HOST</b>	<b>TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR</b>
<b>10/2/21</b>	<b>Senior Tournament</b>	<b>Keith Schafer</b>
<b>10/9/21</b>	<b>Brighton</b>	<b>Paul Bachelor</b>
<b>10/23/21</b>	<b>Jackson</b>	<b>Brandy Morehead</b>
<b>10/30/21</b>	<b>Lake Orion</b>	<b>Doug Bailey</b>
<b>11/6/21</b>	<b>Brighton</b>	<b>Paul Bachelor</b>
<b>11/13/21</b>	<b>Jackson</b>	<b>Brandy Morehead</b>

***Please note that all indoor tournaments are pre-registration only. Please pre-register by Friday at 6:00 P.M. Check-in is 9:30 and the tournament start time is 10:00. All tournament players will pay scorekeeper fees at the time of check-in and the TD will pay the scorekeepers. Lunch and drinks will be available.***

## STATE TOURNAMENT RESULTS

### Men's Championship

1st. James Dunlap  
2nd Andrew Adams

### Women's Championship

1st. Terry Beagle

### Elder's Championship

1st JD Drake  
2nd Clip Connin

### Junior Boy Championship

1st. Keyden Fowler

### Junior Girl Championship

1st Keara Hunter

### Cadet Championship

1st Bryce VanCleave

## CLASS CHAMPIONSHIPS

### Elder B

1st Kayden Fowler  
2nd Steve Florek

### Men's B

1st Keith Schafer  
2nd Dave Buikema

### Men's D

1st John Banks  
2nd Chuck Osborn

### Men's F

1st Rich Hare  
2nd Darrell Harris

### Elder C

1st Michael McDaniel  
2nd Lawrence Hinton

### Mix G

1st Bryce VanCleave  
2nd Brandon Tremlett

### Men's C

1st Steve Campbell  
2nd Sam Moore

### Men's E

1st Tony Kammer  
2nd Tom Gombos

### Men's G

1st Matt Skrzypek  
2nd Johnnie Smith

### Women's B

1st Tina Payne  
2nd Cathy Ardelean

## 2022 TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

### WINTER TOURNAMENTS

(All winter tournaments held at the Jackson County HS Club)

Dates and Hosting Clubs Listed Below

#### January 2022

8th Jackson

15th Brighton

22nd Jackson

29th Kalamazoo

#### April 2022

9th Jackson

30th Spring Meeting

24th Jackson Thru/Vincent

#### February 2022

12th Jackson

20th Jackson

26th Brighton

#### October 2022

1st Schedule Mtg.

8th Jackson

15th Brighton

22nd Lake Orion

29th Lake Orion

#### March 2022

5th Kalamazoo

12th Jackson

20th Jackson

#### November 2022

5th Jackson

19th Jackson

### OUTDOOR TOURNAMENTS

(All outdoor tournaments are held at the hosting club facilities)

#### May 2022

8th Jackson

21st Hillman

28th Lansing -St. Tourn Fund

29th Lansing

#### June 2022

4th St. Clair Shores

10th Kalamazoo

11th Kala/LO

12th Jackson

18th Brighton

25th Hillman

#### July 2022

2nd Holt

3rd Lansing

9th St Clair Shs.

16th Lake Orion

22nd St Clair Shs.

23rd St Clair Shs.

30th Holt

31st Jackson

#### August 2022

6th Lake Orion State Doubles Tourn

13th Hillman/Brighton

20th Lansing

21st Lansing Web Fund

27th & 28th State Tournament – Kalamazoo

#### September 2022

10th Senior Singles Tournament

17th Lansing - Woody Cup

25th Jackson.

So Lansing has the beautiful Woody Cup Challenge trophy for the next year. **Way to go Lansing!!!**

## **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

### HALL OF FAME

Congratulations to our new Hall of Fame Members, JAMES DUNLAP, JOHN BANKS and JD DRAKE. James, John and JD, are outstanding representatives of the MHPA and are a welcome addition to the HOF. Please congratulate James, John and JD over the next few months.

### CERTIFICATES OF RECOGNITION

Pat Bailey, Pat Drake and Gabriel Hernandez were awarded Certifications as recognition for their continued efforts to support the MHPA. Congratulations all!!

### 1st Vice President Election

Congratulations go to Brandy Morehead who is our new 1st VP beginning January 2022. Congrats Brandy!!!

Also, we would like to thank Tina Schafer for her work as 1st VP and Ringer Report Editor. You did a great job with both responsibilities. Thanks!!! We'll miss you.

### WOODY CUP CHALLENGE

This years Woody Cup Challenge was held in Lansing (last year's winners). Once again the Lansing Team out played all other teams. Congratulations Lansing!!

### Woody Cup Challenge Results

1st.	Lansing
2nd.	St. Clair Shores
3rd.	Lake Orion

### PRE-REGISTRATION

Don't forget that all indoor tournaments are now Pre-Register only. Therefore, please contact the TD by 6:00 P.M. the night before the tournament to register. Tournament check-in is 9:30 A.M. and the start time is 10:00 A.M. **GOOD LUCK TO ALL PARTICIPANTS.**

### STATE DOUBLES TOURNAMENT

Lake Orion is hosting the State Doubles Tournament this year on August 6, 2022.

Please make plans to attend this fun event. Don't have a partner, come anyway and we will find you one.

To compete in this tournament are required to complete in two MHPA tournaments.

### STATE SINGLES TOURNAMENT

Kalamazoo is hosting the State Tournament August 27 and 28, 2022. To compete in the State Tournament you must have competed in four (4) MHPA Tournaments.

You are required to wear a shirt with your first name on the front of the shirt and your last name on the back. (No tank tops or open toe shoes.)

Please note that if there are a large number of participants, a Friday night might be added to the tournament.

MHPA BOARD MEETING MINUTES  
8/28/2021

The meeting was opened by John Stephenson. He indicated that due to the additional agenda items we would skip agenda items 1 through 7 and open with item 8.

Certificates for continued contribution to the MHPA by non members were awarded as follows:

Pat Bailey - for her work for the Hall Of Fame Museum

Pat Drake - Helps at tournaments whenever needed, especially with scorekeeping.

Gabriel Hernandez - Continued scorekeeping at tournaments

Officer Elections

First VP - Nominations

Zack Spanke

Brandy Morehead

A secret written ballot was conducted. The winner is Brandy Morehead.

Brandy will begin her term 1/1/22

Secretary/Treasurer - Nominations

Pam Nelson

Pam won the election for a second full term

Hall Of Fame

New Inductees

John Banks

James Dunlap

J.D. Drake

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF THE NEW INDUCTEES.

Bob Wells indicated that postage is going up to \$.58. The new stamps have included a Horse-shoe stamp in the sports collection.

We are still trying to fill the following positions. Please let a board member know if anyone has any candidates for these positions.

Ringer Report Editor  
Financial Auditor

## Publicity Chair

The World Tournament is coming to Lansing, Michigan in 2023. To qualify you will need to have pitched in at least 4 sanctioned tournaments.

## OLD BUSINESS

Paul Bachelor opened a discussion pertaining to tournament Pre-Registration. Paul indicated that he was receiving negative feedback on the pre-registration requirement.

After much discussion a vote was held on whether to have pre-registration requirements for all tournaments.

The vote was unanimously against pre-registration for summer tournaments. TD's would welcome walk-ins the day of the tournament - SUMMER ONLY.

WINTER TOURNAMENTS - Pre-registration is required for all indoor tournaments.

## NEW BUSINESS

Paul Bachelor opened a discussion regarding not holding a Championship round at the State Tournament. Paul indicated the feedback he received was that players were disappointed the Championship Round was discontinued.

A discussion ensued pertaining to a Championship round, which means if added to the State Tournament would have to have Friday night pitching.

After much discussion, Keith Schafer, formed a tournament committee to discuss, come up with a plan of holding or not holding a Championship round to be presented to the board at the spring meeting.

Meeting adjourned around 9pm.