

JAMES H. KUMPULA



Table Shuffleboard Association, Inc.

“JIMMY THE COP”

**TSA HALL OF FAME
INDUCTION AS “*PROMOTER*”**

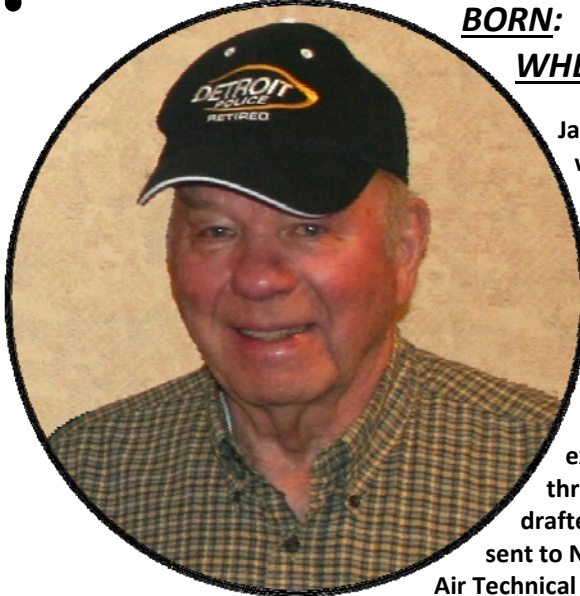


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JIMMY'S STORY

BORN: February 27, 1925

WHERE: Detroit, Michigan



James H. (Jimmy the Cop) Kumpula was born in Detroit and raised in the State of Michigan. He is a bachelor who relishes time with family and friends. His relatives consist of his sister, Janet Giffra and her two sons, Greg and Gary, who all reside in San Rafael, California.

Jimmy had a "Navy experience" where he spent almost three years in the Navy when he was drafted. Once he was drafted, he was sent to Norman, Oklahoma to the Naval

Air Technical Training Center. He trained there,

then received his first assignment at Banana River Naval Air Station in Florida. So, that's when Jimmy had his first chance to see Florida, at the end of 1943. Jimmy trained as a gunner on a patrol bomber crew, then he was sent to San Diego for further training. After that, he flew out to Hawaii for even more training, which subsequently landed him close to the Japan/China area.

The next chapter in his life began when Jimmy became a police officer for the City of Detroit in 1950. He held that job until retirement in 1977. Along the way, he was introduced to table shuffleboard. Doug Stewart and Cass Grubbs got him started. His first tournament was in Lake Orion, Michigan in a bar owned by Manny Lane. Back then, he received two vacations a year (a 15-day summer vacation, and a 15-day winter vacation) where he would use that time to travel to tournaments. It was then that he began his quest to make endless calls around the state, to gather players from all areas within driving distance to meet for play. It would not make any difference what location he was in, though, he would always pull someone from the bar to join in, mostly inexperienced players.

Jimmy enthusiastically mentions, "I met a lot of nice people, nice places, because I love traveling. The Board Talk is what got me, really—when Donna and George Wilber come out with The Board Talk, that was the connection with all of the cities and towns where the tournaments were. That brought everybody to the tournaments, The Board Talk. We always wondered, 'What was in New York?

What was in Maryland?' That was the important thing.

That's what got me around traveling wherever they played."



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JIMMY'S STORY (Continued)

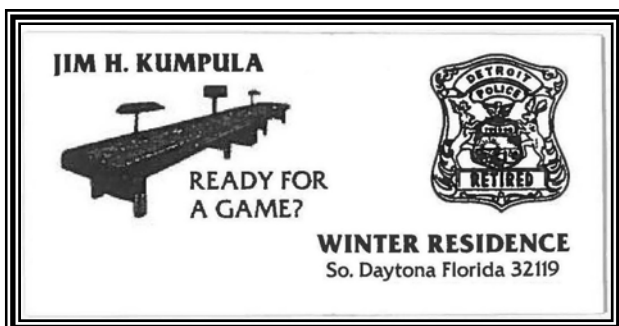


1995 FLORIDA OPEN, PEMBROOKE PINES, FL

The east coast was a stomping ground for Jimmy back in the 1990's when play was at its peak for him. He now resides in Florida. He plays a major part in their State Open every March, where he continues to make endless calls all over the country for participation and play. Jimmy has been to every major tournament this country has to offer. The NASC™, Houston Holiday Open, Southwest Open, along with Bourbon, Indiana were his favorite venues because he was able to see everyone. The smaller tournaments, in between the majors, are endless. Jimmy can still tell you shots and scores from the past that will have you scratching your head.

Through his persistence in encouraging new players, his teaching revolves around how the game should be played, the basics, and rules of the game. He has been a huge supporter of all related organizations and is second to none for calling in results and the happenings of the day to those who publish news-related articles.

Jimmy is a unique gem amongst a sea of stones. His love for the game and the people who play it, appears to be unconditional. Well done, Jimmy!



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DAVE SHEWBRIDGE, TSA Director (Maryland)

James Kumpula (Jimmy the Cop) has passed all expectations of a figure to promote our game. He has been traveling the country for over 30 years playing and making phone calls along the way. He has attended major tournaments, as well as the smaller ones, to help keep them going. He really spends endless hours reaching out for players to show up to keep our game alive. He plays a big part in the Calcuttas, along with a little side action, and will often

give you your choice of picks. He is known for supporting tournaments all over, as well as encouraging and mentoring numerous players on many different levels. Most importantly...

Jimmy is worthy of this recognition because of his enthusiastic passion to include and encourage every person in this dream of his; his love for the game and its people; his global support of tournaments, both large and small; in addition to his eager support of the organizations that have been the backbone of table shuffleboard on a national level, such as The Board Talk and the Table Shuffleboard Association.

He is truly an asset.



WILLIAMS FAMILY: (Texas)

DAVID SR., TSA HOF Inductee: December 2002

BOBBY & JERI

Jimmy the Cop has slipped into more tournaments unannounced, bringing his great humor and wisdom, than we can count. We would be finishing with the set up and there would be Jimmy. These visits were always a special bonus and blessing. People would come by just to see

Jimmy and we would all stroll down memory lane. Bobby and David first met Jimmy in the early 1980's and immediately found a new friend. They would ask other players "Do you know Jimmy the Cop?" Everyone always said, "Yes—Jimmy plays everywhere!" We've played with and against Jimmy for it seems like a hundred

years. He is a true friend and shuffleboard promoter.

Congratulations!



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JOHN McDERMOTT (Michigan)

TSA HOF Inductee: November 2004

I met Jimmy in 1976, just days after I saw my first shuffleboard table. He asked me to play in a "round robin," a term that I was previously unfamiliar with. In the ensuing 38 years, I have seen Jimmy in action all across the country, always promoting the game. His efforts took many forms. Countless times I saw him initiating round robins, often putting in a player who was a little short on cash. At tournaments, he has always been one of the main participants in the sponsor sales. Many times, he essentially made a donation by making a few bids on, and buying, some of the weakest teams so that they would not feel as though they did not belong. Jimmy was the first person to make me aware of the big tournaments out west. Back in the late-70's through the mid-80's, the west coast was the epicenter of tournament action. I remember him posting flyers for those tournaments in the local bars, which was a source of inspiration and motivation for me. Please remember that there was no internet at that time, and that The Board Talk was not yet in existence. Word of mouth was literally the only way that people knew of tournaments in other parts of the country. Jimmy has been involved on a national level for more than 40 years. With the possible exception of Billy Mays, I believe that he has played in more venues than any player in history.

He is as worthy as anyone to hold this

title of TSA Hall of Fame Inductee as a

"Promoter" of Table Shuffleboard.

(The Shuffleboard Federation/ Host of the NASC™ in Reno, NV)



DENNIS BITTNER (Michigan/Florida)

Listen, this guy lives and breathes shuffleboard! I have bunked up with Jimmy at tournaments for the last 18 years! This former Michigan resident knows nothing about sports, religion, politics, or where we go to dinner. But, ask him what pro made the winning shuffleboard shot in 1958, at Bourbon—He can tell you! Does he deserve this high honor? Do you think? Even when our tournaments seem boring, Jimmy will take a bet with anyone.

Sometimes there is more money bet with Jimmy, than in the Calcutta!

What a great promoter of this weird sport.

Nobody else deserve this more!!!



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MANNY LANE (Arkansas)

Jim Kumpula, AKA "Jimmy the Cop"—and I think in 1965 and 1966 he was a cop, but not a shuffleboard player. This was at the Wagon Wheel Tavern at Lake Orion, Michigan. I had quite a few good shuffleboard players then.

Bernie, Ziggy, Dick Keener, Bill Canterbury, Ted Johnson, and

myself made up our 6-man team.

After some observation, Jimmy said, "I think a guy can make money at that and have a good time, too."

After that, he took to shuffleboard *like a duck to water*. I didn't see him

mature before I sold the Wagon Wheel and

bought the Reel Inn in Union Lake, Michigan. First time I met him in a tournament, he made me shoot competitively. He made most of the tournaments around and still does. He still calls to get me to attend every tournament. Good Luck, Jimmy.



STEVE BENNETT (New York)

I first met Jimmy the Cop in the early 90's in Waterloo, New York at The Dew Drop Inn. He came in with Johnny Myles and a strong contingency of players from Michigan and Indiana. Soon thereafter, Jimmy was a familiar face frequently attending many a tournament up and down the eastern seaboard. His love for the game was quite obvious, his love for the action even greater.

He would come and give me a bump and say, "Who do you like, Steve?" End result being my wallet getting a "lil" lighter. Always a

gentleman in victory or defeat. As much love as Jimmy has for the game of shuffleboard, I honestly believe his love for the people he has met during his travels is something that he holds close to his heart. Not too many shuffleboard venues in this

great country that don't know the name "Jim Kumpula." I can think of no one who will relish this honor more. My only regret is that I will not be in Reno to see my friend receive this prestigious award.

Congratulations, Jimmy...

Congratulations and God bless!



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THOMAS (TOM) FRENCH (Oklahoma)

Jimmy "The Cop" Kumpula is one of the most memorable icons since me and Lynda started playing shuffleboard back in the mid-90's. We first met him about 1994 when we came to see, for the first time, a room full of shuffleboards at the SW Open in Del City, OK—and there was Jimmy "The Cop" Kumpula. We got to know Jimmy very well (as does anyone that meets him)...as he

travels and supports shuffleboard across the country where we go to visit and have been good friends with him for a very long time. He has always been supportive of the promotion of shuffleboard and seen across the country at many tournaments. When we started doing The Board Talk, we saw him in Michigan a number of times (Houghton Lake near the Canadian border, too, in 2000). After The Board Talk ceased in 2004 and the Table Shuffleboard Association took over doing a newsletter, Jimmy always made sure his newsletters and support of the organization continued. He is an avid supporter of the game and definitely worthy of being nominated as a "Promoter" of the game, not only in Michigan and Florida, but nationally at many tournaments. Thanks to Jimmy for all he has done for the game over the many years he has been involved.



JIM AND RITA YANK (Pennsylvania)

We met Jimmy at the first Board Talk Tournament in 1985 in Howell, Michigan. It did not take long for us to realize we would become instant friends. Over the next two decades, it seemed that almost every tournament we attended, outside of Pennsylvania, Jimmy was there! Through all the years, we found Jimmy to be a true gentleman and a major promoter of the game of shuffleboard. Jimmy always went out of his way to tell anyone who would listen that the east coast had some great shooters. He more than proved it by making a lot of money on side bets and cheap Calcuttas... not just for himself, but also for friends looking to invest. As some of us know, he has great talent for picking long shots. Jimmy has also always been a big promoter of the ethics of shuffleboard and his sportsmanship over the years has been above reproach. He has been one of the truest ambassadors the sport has ever seen. Jimmy more than deserves this long overdue honor. (Although health concerns make it impossible to attend your induction this year, we would like to congratulate you!)



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MARK GRAY (Missouri)

TSA President/Acting Vice President

I guess I met Jimmy back in 2002 at the Southwest Open in Del City, Oklahoma. Real nice guy. You can't help but say something nice about Jimmy the Cop. We exchanged pleasantries, exchanged our names and where I was from, and didn't see him for a year. I came back the next year and couldn't remember his name, which is not unusual for *me*, but he remembered me and he remembered where I was from. I thought, "Man, that's amazing that somebody could remember that, you know, just meeting me one time." And he's always promoting shuffleboard. He's just a great guy. I really like Jimmy the Cop. Congratulations, Jimmy, you deserve it. (Transcribed from Video Testimony)



LYNDA FRENCH (Oklahoma)

TSA CFO/Treasurer

Well, they've asked me to say a few things about Jimmy the Cop. There's just a whole lot you could say. He's probably one of the most deserving promoters of this game that we've met. We've known him pretty much ever since we started playing. We've played with him, talked with him, and been good friends with him. He's just a super supporter. He always supported The Board Talk when we were the editors of that. He's been a member of the Table Shuffleboard Association since Day 1. He's the first one to call and say, "Okay, send it (The Newsletter) to my winter address now. Time to send it to my summer address." He's been so supportive of everything... very supportive of all the tournaments. Anywhere we've been (tournaments), we see Jimmy the Cop.

We think he is very deserving and wish to congratulate him.

(Transcribed from Video Testimony)



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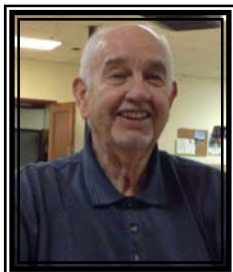


BILL MELTON (Oklahoma)

TSA HOF Inductee: July 1997

Well, Jimmy's probably one of the greatest promoter's in shuffleboard that there's ever been. But I remember him as a player quite well. He was really Jimmy the Cop then. But I remember playing Jimmy in Bourbon, Indiana in one of the largest tournaments I ever played in. I lagged a "4" on him and I stole a "4", but he still beat me. I'll always remember that game. He's been a competitor and a promoter as long as I've known him. I welcome him into the Hall of Fame.

(Transcribed from Video Testimony)



BOB PERRY (Colorado)

TSA HOF Inductee: November 2011

I met Jimmy the Cop in Michigan. He was always promoting, playing, and buying Calcuttas. Then many times in Bourbon when they had that doubles tournament, he would be there and was always one of the guys that would seem like he would always bid my Calcutta up, too. But he would always bid, buy, and made things real interesting. Then in Reno, it was kind of the same way. I always thought that was great because he'd always remember me. And I didn't know him all that well, I didn't think. He'd always say, "Big Bob Perry" every time he'd meet me. Whenever I meet him at the tournaments, I always enjoy sitting...he's got so many stories and things that you forget about. It seems he's got a very good memory for his age, super memory. Plus, Jimmy ended up giving me his phone number. He was in Florida living. He said "If you need any kind of backing, put in a tournament or something, now or later on give me a call. I'll make sure you get in the tournament." Which I thought— you know, just knowing him and talking to him there— I thought that was pretty darn nice of a person. I think he well deserves to be in the Hall of Fame as "Promoter" for promoting the game, which he does very well.

(Transcribed from Video Testimony)

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LOUISE WILLIAMS, TSA Director (Pennsylvania)

Jimmy "The Cop" Kumpula most definitely belongs in the Table Shuffleboard Association Hall of Fame. He has always gone above and beyond the call of duty when it comes to supporting the game of shuffleboard. As many might mention, Jimmy is a big supporter of the Calcutta and has made many events stronger for the winners—while taking his cut too at times.

One never knew where Jimmy would appear, but without a doubt he was welcomed wherever he went...and he's a pretty good player, too! From my own personal memory bank, I remember meeting Jimmy many years ago when I first started playing and he was kindness itself to a terribly nervous and inexperienced shooter. We drew each other in the final (biggest) draw of the night at John McDermott's national tournament at the Kulpville Holiday Inn in the summer of 1991. (The tournament when the power went out for hours in the middle of the 4-person team event!) Rather than express disappointment or a thousand worse emotions (like many experienced shuffleboard players unfortunately do) he was his normal gracious, charming and patient self. He walked me through that draw event, giving advice or direction only when he sensed I needed it—and thanks to him we won the whole thing. It may not have been a big deal to many, but it was to a girl who had been playing a few short months. It showed me the way I wanted to be as a shuffleboard player. Many thanks to Jimmy's supporters for recognizing that he richly deserves the honor he is receiving. I regret I cannot be there to witness the event. Best wishes to you always, my friend!



ROBERT (BOB) AUTEN (Florida)

This is to certify that I believe Jimmy Kumpula should be inducted into the Shuffleboard Hall of Fame. He has been an asset to shuffleboard for at least 40 years, if not more. Jimmy has lent people money every year, sometimes three or four so they could go to Reno, Del City, and all

other shuffleboard tournaments. Jimmy has lent me money a few times. Without him helping me, I wouldn't have been able to go to some of the past tournaments, nor would other people. On top of that, he remembers the winner and losing teams from tournaments from years ago and can tell some good stories on those.

He loves shuffleboard.



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DOUG QUEEN (Michigan)

I first met Jimmy the Cop back in the mid-90's in Duran, MI. We drew up in the draw partner event. I didn't throw the weights very hard at the time, so he yelled down to "Hit the weights hard. They aren't eggshells. They won't break." My thought was, Did he have to yell it out like that? After that first game, I realized he was correct and have never forgotten that still today. I feel he is and has been a great mentor for the game.

PS: One of his better lines,

"Grab a drunk off the bar to play, I'll put him in!"



RICHARD (DICK) SMEDBERG (Florida)

Jimmy "The Cop" Kumpula has been a long-time friend, shuffleboard opponent, shuffleboard partner who has, over the 30-plus years I've known him, been an avid promoter of shuffleboard around the country. Jimmy's travels around the country to tournaments, or simply local shuffleboard establishments, have always included his pitch for the game, its rules and publications, such as The Board Talk. As partners, Jimmy and I have had our "two-and-outs", as well as a few 2nd's and 3rd's at respectable tournaments. We've spent fun times mapping out

Calcutta picks, at which Jimmy is very adept. I've joined Jimmy as a guest at his residences in both Florida and Michigan, and listened to his many stories, possibly a time too many. But then I marvel at his memory, stamina, and zest for life at 89. Jimmy is a kind of legendary character, known far and wide, a credit to our sport, and is really deserving of this honor and recognition.



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The Board Talk

September 2004

Michigan Hall of Fame Tournament

Held July 30-August 1, 2004 at Kane's Club Car Lounge in Durand, Michigan

The second Michigan Hall of Fame tournament was held July 30, 31, & Aug. 1, 2004 at Kane's Club Car Lounge in Durand, Michigan. The tournament was run by Jerry and Sara Siebert. They donated their time for the weekend to benefit the Hall of Fame. Audra Siebert and Matt Gierowski from Chicago, Illinois assisted with registering players and sign up for the tournaments on Saturday.

Players came from many states to participate in the weekend long event. They came from Pennsylvania, Maryland, California, Nebraska, Indiana, and of course, Michigan! Michigan Hall of Famers in attendance were John McDermott and Junior Lopez. Indiana Hall of Fame was well represented by Jim DeWitt, Larry Creakbaum, Jim Long, and Glen Ingram.

During the weekend long event, donations were made to the Michigan Hall of Fame by Marty Allen, Florida, John Tischler, Michigan, and Lorraine Olsen, California. The Indiana Hall of Fame also pledged a donation to the Michigan Hall of Fame. A commemorative plaque to honor all donors is planned for the wall of fame at Kane's Club Car. Lorraine Olsen also donated a set of weight tops for a drawing. The winner of the weight top drawing was Mike Kowitz, Indiana.

Friday evening two draw partner tournaments were held. Saturday, two tournaments ran consecutively, the Open Singles and the Mixed Doubles. The Hall of Fame inductees, the ladies entered in the Mixed Doubles tournament, and the staff of Kane's Club Car received bouquets courtesy of the Michigan Hall of Fame.

After the auction for the two tournaments on Saturday, the Hall of Fame inductions were held. Jerry Siebert inducted Jerry Handman, Jim Kumpula, and John Myrie and presented each of them with a State of Michigan plaque. Jerry Siebert and John McDermott inducted Phil Skover, and he received a Michigan plaque. John McDermott presented Jerry Siebert with his commemorative State of Michigan plaque, and he was inducted to the Hall of Fame. The program for the induction ceremony included a section of personal memories from each inductee and a friend's memories of one inductee, remembering their eventful shuffleboard careers.

The day's tournaments started at the end of the induction ceremony. There were 30 singles players and 21 mixed doubles teams. The turnout was so great, special brackets for the events had to be created. Larry Creakbaum did a fantastic job of the moment job and created two brackets for the tournaments. To keep everyone full of energy during the day, Betty Parish had made potato salad, coleslaw, and brownies, and with the efforts of Brenda Kane, Jackie McLaughlin, and Melinda Flynn, who took on the task of frying A LOT of hamburger for sloppy joes, a good feast was put out and donations to the

The Saturday tournaments carried over to Sunday morning. Winners of the Mixed Doubles were Jody Berry and Gary Anglin both from Indiana. Second place went to another Indiana team, Mary and Larry Brown. Carrie Siple and Steve Auten, both from Michigan took third place. Linda Ritter, Nebraska and Jerry Siebert, Michigan were fourth. The fifth and sixth place finishing teams were from Michigan, Melinda Flynn and Frank Blade and Cathy Francisco and George Nelson.

The Open Singles tournament was won by John McDermott, Michigan and Glen Ingram, Indiana was second. The rest of the winners in the Open Singles were all from Michigan. Frank Blade was third and Scott Auten was fourth. Fifth and sixth places went to John Tischler and Bill Kane.

After the Saturday tournaments ended, the Sunday schedule began with the Open Doubles and the Ladies Singles. All of the tournament winners in the two tournaments were from Michigan. Cassie Schubert was first and Brenda Kane was second in the Ladies event. The Open Doubles tournament was won by Scott and Steve Auten. Alonzo Cottrell and Frank Blade were second, and Roland Melvier and John Tischler were third.

During the day on Sunday, Vickie Morgan was presented with balloons and cake to celebrate her birthday. The weekend concluded with an evening of karaoke. Players and guests joined in and had a great time! The weekend events were a wonderful way to celebrate the inductions of Michigan shuffleboard players into the Hall of Fame. A meaningful inscription appeared on each of the State of Michigan plaques.

Each inductee is hereby a member of the Michigan Shuffleboard Hall of Fame. Nominated and elected by his peers for skilled performance, integrity, and promotion of the game of shuffleboard for the State of Michigan.

MICHIGAN HALL OF FAME INDUCTION 31 JUL 2004



James Kumpula

As one of Table Shuffleboard's greatest promoters, you have perhaps played more games of shuffleboard, in more places, than anyone in the history of our sport. During your travels, you have often distributed flyers for upcoming tournaments and promoted those events, always doing so for the good of the game, not for personal recognition.

Over the course of more than five decades, you have distinguished yourself as one of shuffleboard's leading goodwill ambassadors.

In doing all of this, you honor the efforts of those for whom this award is named.

We proudly present the

GEORGE & DONNA WILBER AWARD

in grateful recognition of all you have given to our sport

November 2, 2012

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DATA ARCHIVES

∞ **BOARDTALK:** (Feb) Letter to Editor, Vol. 1/No. 2: Jimmy appreciates Newsletter

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~~~~~1994~~~~~

∞ LAS VEGAS, NV: 1st Place -> AB Draw @ PCSA Extravaganza V (Rick Royal)

DATA ARCHIVES

~~~~~ 1994 Continued ~~~~~

- ∞ FUNKSTOWN, MD: 2nd Place -> Draw Partner @ Glenn's Tavern (Judy Iseman)
- ∞ RENO, NV: 1st Place -> Legends Draw @ NASC™ (Joe Hudson)
- ∞ UNION LAKE, MI: 3rd Place -> Open Draw @ Lakeside Lounge (Roland Harkless)

~~~~~ 1995 ~~~~~

- ∞ PEMBROKE PINES, FL: 2nd Place -> Doubles @ Huddles Sports Cafe (Dick Smedberg)
- ∞ STREET, MD: 2nd Place -> Doubles @ Harvey's Place (Jane Johnson)
- ∞ STANWOOD, WA: Attended Sportsman's Tavern Tournament

~~~~~ 1996 ~~~~~

- ∞ FLORIDA: Tournament Official -> 1st Annual Florida State Championship
- ∞ FLORIDA: 3rd Place -> Mixed Doubles (JoAnn Ware);  
2nd Place -> Singles @ Florida State Championship
- ∞ BOURBON, IN: Attended 1st Annual National Shuffleboard Hall of Fame Tourney

~~~~~ 1997 ~~~~~

- ∞ FLORIDA: 2nd Place -> Open Doubles @ Florida State Championship (Alvis Ramey)
- ∞ EARLVILLE, NY: 4th Place -> Draw Partner @ The Riverside (Steve Bennett)
- ∞ PALM BEACH GARDENS, FL: 2nd Place -> Draw Partner @ Snuggery Bar (Terry Smith)
- ∞ EARLVILLE, NY: 1st Place -> Round Robin @ The Riverside (Ryan Fuller)
- ∞ RENO, NV: 11th/12th Place -> Div. II Open Singles (64-Contenders);
5th/6th Place -> Legends Draw (Joanie Millar) @ NASC™
- ∞ BOARDTALK: (Dec) Letter to Editor, Vol. 14/No. 12: "Welcome Hot Spot!"

~~~~~ 1998 ~~~~~

- ∞ RENO, NV: 2nd Place -> 6-Person Draft -> (Brown/Davidson/Osborn/Kumpula/  
Halstead/Brown) @ NASC™

~~~~~ 1999 ~~~~~

- ∞ MIMS, FL: 4th Place -> Draw Partner (Les McFarland);
3rd Place -> Singles @ Hobo's Pour House
- ∞ DOWNEY, CA: 3rd Place -> Div. 1 Doubles @ Dixie Belle Tourney (Bryan Lounsbury)
- ∞ RENO, NV: 7th/8th Place -> Div. II Singles (50-Contenders) @ NASC™
- ∞ BOARDTALK: (Dec) Letter to Editor, Vol. 16/No. 12: "Come on Down...Florida Open"

~~~~~ 2000 ~~~~~

- ∞ PALM BEACH GARDENS, FL: 3rd Place -> Draw Partner (Charlie Potter);  
2nd Place -> Doubles (Bill Kane) @ Snuggery Bar & Grill
- ∞ LANSING, MI: 2nd Place -> Round Robin @ Stober's Lounge (Ron Bown)

~~~~~ 2001 ~~~~~

- ∞ DURAND, MI: 2nd Place -> Amateur ABC @ Club Car Lounge (Scott/Brown/Kumpula)
- ∞ BOARDTALK: (Aug) Letter to Editor, Vol. 18/No. 8: "...Shuffle At KoKoMo"
- ∞ HOUGHTON LAKE, MI: 4th Place -> ABC @ Skip's Lounge (Wendling/Kumpula/Brown)



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∞ TITUSVILLE, FL: 3rd Place-> Doubles @ Florida Open (Mike Miller)
 ∞ HOUGHTON LAKE, MI: 1st Place-> AB Draw @ Skip's Lounge (Alonzo Cottrell)

∞ HOUGHTON LAKE, MI: 4th Place-> AB Draw @ Skip's Lounge (Leon Black)
 ∞ TITUSVILLE, FL: 1st Place-> Blind Draw @ Our Place Saloon (Marty Allen)

∞ MERRITT ISLAND, FL: 1st Place-> Blind Draw (Chris Boyett);
2nd Place-> Doubles (Dennis Bittner) @ Eagles Aerie #4257
∞ DURAND, MI: MICHIGAN HALL OF FAME INDUCTION (JULY 2004)

∞ **BOUBON, IN:** 3rd Place-> AB Draw @ Journey's End (Vickie Morgan)
 ∞ **DURAND, MI:** 3rd Place-> AB Draw @ Kane's Club Car Lounge (Slick Parrish)
 ∞ **TITUSVILLE, FL:** 4th Place-> Doubles @ Our Place Saloon (Doug Paben)

∞ **MIMS, FL:** **3rd Place**-> AB Draw (Glenn Smith);
3rd Place -> Doubles (Cid Floriani) @ Moose Lodge #1962
 ~~~~~**2008**~~~~~

∞ **MIMS, FL:** **"Blast Off"** & **"Florida Open"** **3rd Place**-> Div. II Draw (Eric Klouda);  
**2nd Place** -> Doubles (Dennis Bittner) @ Moose Lodge #1962;  
**3rd Place**-> Div. II Draw (Vern Allen); **3rd Place**-> Doubles (Dennis Bittner)

∞ HOUGHTON LAKE, MI: 2nd Place-> Doubles @ Skip's Lounge (Mike Cork)  
 ∞ MIMS, FL: 2nd Place -> Doubles @ Moose Lodge #1962 (Bob Auten)

∞ MIMS, FL: 2nd Place->ABC Draft (Badouin/Kumpula/Perry);  
2nd Place -> Doubles (Dave Boaz) @ Moose Lodge #1962;

∞ MERRITT ISLAND, FL: 1st Place-> ABC Draft @ Eagles Aerie #4257  
(Miller/Kumpula/Cologna)  
∞ CENTRAL FLORIDA SHUFFLEBOARD ASSOCIATION: 3rd Place-> ABC Draft with  
(Nowakowski/Kumpula/Holloway)

∞ **NASC™2014: TSA HALL OF FAME INDUCTION AS “PROMOTER”**

# CONGRATULATIONS, JIMMY!

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