

Membership Application

Minnesota Gopher State Horseshoe Pitchers Association

State and National Dues (Jan 1 through Dec 31)
(one applicant per form)

We, the horseshoe pitchers of Minnesota, invite you to join the Minnesota Gopher State Horseshoe Pitchers Association (MGSHPA). Our association is dedicated to promoting and developing the game of horseshoe pitching both as a competitive sport and as a recreational pastime. The MGSHPA is a charter member of the National Horseshoe Pitchers Association (NHPA), which is the governing body of horseshoe pitching.

Please complete the form below, be sure to provide all information requested. You will be issued a membership card with a 6-digit number, followed by a decimal and 2 more digits. The first 2 digits specify our NHPA region (Minnesota 23). Along with the next 4 digits, this will make up your 6-digit permanent member number. The digits following the decimal represent the year of issue, this number will change year to year, as will the color of your card. As a MGSHPA/NHPA member you will be receiving, free of charge, 'The Ringer Digest' and 'NHPA Newsline' magazines, if you include your email address in your application. Both are published bi-monthly.

Complete this application form and send it with your annual dues payable to the MGSHPA to:
Cards can be purchased, beginning October 1st, for the next calendar year

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Dues are as follows:

Adult Members

\$25.00 NHPA dues

\$13.00 MGSHPA dues

\$38.00 total for adult members

Junior Members

(eligible through the year of 18th birthday)

Cadet Members

(eligible through age 12, move to junior year of 13th birthday)

No Charge for Juniors or Cadets

Thank you and Welcome to the fun of Horseshoe Pitching

Many Rings to you from the Officers and Members of the MGSHPA

Please cut along this dotted line and send the form with your dues payable to MGSHPA

Please print clearly

Name: _____

Address: _____ E-mail address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____ Phone#: _____

Club affiliation: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Year first joined NHPA: _____

Circle one: **Adult male** **Elder** **Medical exemption**
 Adult Female **Junior Boy** **Junior Girl** **Cadet**

Elder: Males are eligible as an Elder the year of 70th birthday, pitch short distance
Medical Exemption: a man can move to short distance pitching, if medically indicated
Juniors: includes young pitchers the year they turn 13 through the year of 18th birthday
Cadet: all younger pitchers up to age 12; move to Junior the year of 13th birthday

How did you find the MGSHPA?

Friend: _____ Advertising: _____ I am a past member: _____ Other: _____