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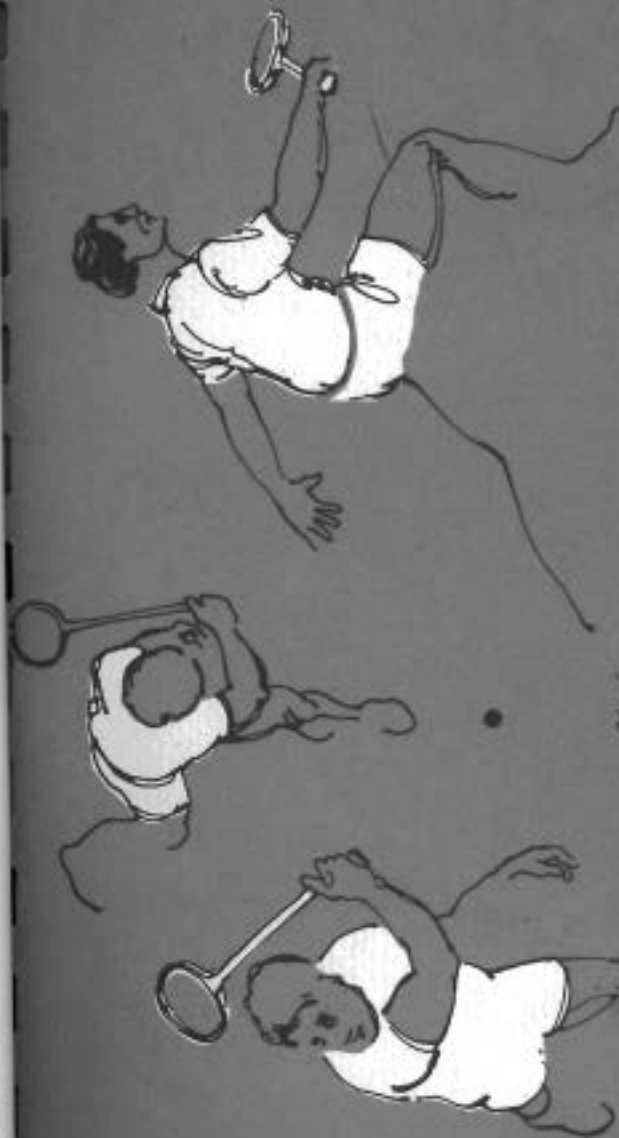
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Greetings from the President

Dear Squash Players:

Once again we are finishing "summer squash" and the Executive Committee turns its thoughts to the "winter game." A new season will soon present itself with all the challenges and hopes we eagerly anticipate. Our program this season is brought to you by essentially the same principals as last year, this being the second half of the two-year cycle-of-office. One significant change, however, is in the office of Historian. Jim Hense has retired, owing to other duties, and Bob Everd has been nominated as his replacement. We thank Jim for his many contributions over the years and wish him well. Bob's investments to the game are no secret to the Maryland scene with many successful projects, including the recent annual dinner and exhibitions and Insilco tournament chairmanships to his credit.

This year should see most of the activity of last year's schedule. Of course, we won't have the National Doubles here, but we can certainly relish the thought of our "default" tournament, the famous Baltimore Invitation Doubles & Singles event. As usual, the MSSRA will attempt to bring the fullest possible array of squash happenings—singles, doubles, American, International, womens, mens, juniors, participatory, and spectator. We hope there is for you a dimension that you will find enjoyable.

Let me add that this is my final year as President of Maryland Squash. In my association with squash, first as Historian, and later in other offices, I have seen the program grow and diversify, continuing and building on great Baltimore traditions and also breaking new ground. I think Maryland squash offers the player many fine opportunities for participation in so many dimensions. I want to thank my many Baltimore friends for their enduring support of our growing programs.

If there is any way in which we on the Executive Committee can help you to a better squash year, please let us know. And from all of us, please have a great season on and off the court.

October, 1981

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Member Club Reports

Baltimore Country Club

by John Voneiff

Our 1980-81 Squash Season was exceptional. Three players Bruce Preston, John Voneiff, and Dave Warfield, won both Club and State Tournament titles, and the BCC was very proud to host a good portion of the National Doubles Tournament. Bob Hicks, who has unselfishly devoted so much of his time to the game of Squash, outdid himself as National Doubles Tournament Chairman by directing a marvelous program. A great time was had by all.

Bruce Preston, who has worked hard to improve his game, had his efforts pay off by winning both the Club C and the State D Singles Tournaments. John Voneiff won the Club B and the State C Singles Championships. Dave Warfield, one of the finest young players in the state, won impressive victories in the Club A and the State B Singles Tournaments. Tom Biddison and Digger Krebs persevered and became the Club B and State C Doubles Champions.

Bob Travers and Joe Harlan, two players who have always participated in Club and State events, teamed together to win the Club C Doubles.

Joe Fitzpatrick and Bob Voelkel were unstoppable and became the 1980 BCC Doubles Champions.

Bob Voelkel teamed with Jim Tillman and defeated Dave Warfield and Richard Thomas in our annual Member-Guest Tournament. His play was outstanding and Bob's regret is not having placed more bets.

Barbara Thompson defeated Helen Lacy in the BCC's first Womens Championship. Barbara and Helen are two individuals who have promoted Squash through out the state, and we are pleased that they are the first to be listed on the Championship Board.

Deitz Squash Club

by Kay Deitz

CLUB PLAY: At the club level here in Bel Air, David Denton, Bob Everd and Darryl Palmer dominated finals play in our Fall and Winter Tournaments. In the Fall, unseeded Denton upset Everd in three overtime games: 17-14, 17-16, 16-15. At the end of the match Everd wanted a replay. "I felt I wasn't in it," he said. Everd lost to Denton in the second round but handily defeated all other opponents in this feed-in tournament to lose to Denton again in the finals. In third place was Palmer, who lost early to Denton and in the semis to Everd.

In our Winter '81 tournament, Everd easily regained his position as "C" ladder champ, defeating Palmer in the finals. Palmer easily defeated

Denton in an earlier round. Don Olsavicky hardly broke a sweat to win the consolation flight against David Ladd and Kay Deitz. Most baffling to our players is their seeming gain against Darryl Palmer. They consistently report an easy two-game lead in the match with a strong lead in the third game. "I had him 6-0 in the third, then I don't know what happened. I hardly got a point the rest of the match," is a familiar lament around our court. Palmer's seemingly effortless hard hitting, mixed with delicate front-court winners—often executed from back corners—throw most opponents completely off balance. "He teases us, then pulls out the ax," says frequent near-winner Sandy Nolan.

INSILCO: Club rep Bill Bruchey signed up sixteen players in the Insilco Tournament. Bill Kissinger won the club level Insilco engraved tray by defeating Carol Madigan in the finals. Bill Bruchey won the club "C" tournament 3-0 against Bob Everd. Bill went on to lose his first round in the Regional competition to Jeff Clay, the tournament's national "C" Consolation champ.

INTERCLUB: Special thanks to Frank Cushman whose interclub competition renewed a sense of excitement to our club play. Nine players participated from our club. Team #1, made up of Bill Bruchey, Bob Everd, Bob Harner, Pete Gerard and Roger Rice, had the highest overall win record and was in first place during the entire season. When team captain Bob Everd was asked how they happened to lose in their final play-

offs, he said, "They had the best "C" players from Hopkins and Towson. We were outclassed." Finals play-off night in Bel Air saw a strong Team #7, captained by Ralph Bulle, take us in all matches but one. The toughest fight was Bob Noll's win over Roger Rice; overtime in the fifth. Congratulations to our players on their strong showing. And thanks again to Frank for organizing this exciting competition. We hope interclub continues at this intense level.

STATE LEVEL: Our club players took home some awards at the annual dinner this spring. Bob Everd and Bill Bruchey were finalists in the State "C" doubles championships, and the team of Tillman/Deitz was semi-finalist in the "B" doubles, losing 3-0 to eventual winners Warfield and Thomas.

Special thanks to Bob Everd and Nancy Taylor for the breathtaking annual dinner. More than a dozen of our members were held spellbound by the heart-stopping play of Cushman, Martin, and the Talbotts. During this sell-out evening, we thrilled to watch Mark Talbott—Maryland's own "C" class champ in '75—press indefatigable David to new limits of skill and fitness, with Mark hardly seeming pressed. The excellent dinner and entertaining awards presentation made this evening a perfect finish to our active squash season. Let's renew this evening as an annual event.

Johns Hopkins University

by Cathy Cramer

The Johns Hopkins Women's Squash team, under new coach Cathy Cramer, began its 1980-81 season well, winning its season opener against Swarthmore by a resounding 7-0. Its next dual meet was not so successful, as the Jays fell to Franklin and Marshall, 2-5. A few weeks later, however, they avenged the loss by defeating Franklin and Marshall, 4-3. An additional win over Swarthmore (6-1) brought the season dual meet record to 3-1.

A group of eager, hard-working novices had its first competition in a JV match against George Washington University. Although they lost 0-5, it was a good experience.

At the Howe Cup Tournament played at Yale, the Hopkins Women finished with a national ranking of twelfth out of twenty-one ranked teams. After an initial loss to Dartmouth, the Jays went on to defeat Smith. This was followed by losses

to Brown, Middlebury, Wellesley, University of California, and University of Pennsylvania.

At the Penn Round Robin the following weekend, Hopkins came out on top, defeating teams from the University of Pennsylvania, University of Virginia, Cornell, George Washington, Franklin and Marshall and Swarthmore.

Two players, Nunzie Gould, playing at the number one position, and Liz Cianos, playing at number two, distinguished themselves throughout the season and were invited to the National Intercollegiate Championships held at Bowdoin College in Brunswick, Maine. Each went three rounds in the double elimination tournament, which was characterized by the coaches as being the highest caliber squash ever seen at the Women's Intercollegiate Nationals.

With only a single senior, Captain Liz Cianos, lost to graduation and a group of eager young players vying for Varsity positions, next year's prospects are very bright.

Women's Squash Team Roster Coach: Cathy Cramer

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New Johns Hopkins University Facility Denton A. Cooley Center

by Jan Markowitz

Dedication ceremonies for the Denton A. Cooley Center were held on Friday, March 13, 1981. The Center is located on the campus of The Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions. The Center was made possible through the donations of Dr. Denton A. Cooley, JHMI alumni and other friends.

The facility was designed and built to serve the recreational needs of students, faculty and staff of the medical institutions.

The facilities available are:

- 2 squash courts
- 4 racquetball courts
- 1 regulation basketball court
- 1 weight room
- indoor running track
- men and womens locker room, with sauna in each
- co-ed whirlpool

The Center will be open seven days a week year-round. Membership is free to full-time students of the School of Medicine and the School of Hygiene. All other JHMI fellows, faculty, staff and employees may purchase memberships to the Center on a yearly basis.

Court fees are assessed for both the racquetball and squash courts. The cost depends on both the time of the day and employment/student status.

Possible use of the facilities' squash courts for inter-club leagues and MSSRA tournaments will be discussed with the Center's director, Mr. Ray Ferreira.

The Maryland Club by Frank Cushman

The Maryland Club has always provided an excellent athletic program for its squash-playing members. The facilities include four singles courts and one doubles court, exercise room, pro shop, sauna, spacious locker room and a relaxing dining area that offers a complete menu.

Frank Cushman, Maryland Club Professional, oversees the program, which features the arrangement of playing partners for all members. The much beloved Charles Thomas reigns at courtside, spreading his special warmth and charm. Curtis Booker completes the staff, lavishing members with more attention and service than they could possibly deserve.

Club Champions

SINGLES Winner(s)

- A Alexander B. Martin
- B Richard Thomas
- C Randy Brinton
- D Mike Ewing

Finalist(s)

- John MacColl
- Peter George
- Downie McCarty
- John Payne

DOUBLES Winner(s)

- A Charles Fenwick & A. B. Martin
- B Dave Warfield & Richard Thomas
- C Bob Grose & Bob Kent

Finalist(s)

- John Beatson, Frank Riggs
- Stuart Janney, Francis Wells
- Richard Hook, IV, Gordon Priest

Many of our members also enjoyed success in the State and National Squash Tournaments.

Sandy Martin won both the Baltimore City and State Singles Tournaments, easily establishing himself as the top singles player in Maryland. Dave Warfield captured the State "B" title, having won the State "D" and "C" titles the previous two years.

In the State "A" Doubles, Joe Lacy and John MacColl won an all-Maryland Club final over John Menton and Bill Rice. A. C. Hubbard and Bob Hogan won the Veterans title over Joe Lacy and Bob Voelkel. Dave Warfield and Richard Thomas won the State "B" title.

In the National Doubles, hosted by MSSRA on March 27-29, five Maryland Club members made it to the semi-finals, assuring themselves of high national ranking for 1981-82. In the Championship doubles, Alexander B. Martin and his partner, Tom Poor, lost 18-16 in the fifth to the top seeded American doubles team. They probably will end up the second-ranked team in the country.

In the Veterans, Bill Rice and Frank Riggs upset the top-seeded team in the country before finally bowing out in the semi-finals. Seniors Jim Lacy and Tom Schweizer lost a tough five game match to the eventual champions in their semi-final. Lacy and Schweizer should improve upon the #4 ranking they received last year.

The Athletic Committee is happy to report the establishment of a Sportsmanship Award this year. This award gives us a chance to recognize

an individual whose spirit and sense of participation epitomize the happy fraternity that we are. Our heartfelt thanks and appreciation go to its inaugural recipient, Michael C. Warlow.

The athletic facilities are being updated in keeping with recent improvements in our club. Air conditioning for the singles courts is being designed and was scheduled for operation by July 1st. The Squash dining area furniture will be refinished or replaced. New carpeting is also being considered. A Universal weight machine is being sought and an overall upgrading of the exercise room is in the making.

The Maryland Club Squash members certainly enjoyed a successful season and are looking forward to a better one next year, with an increased membership and improved facilities.



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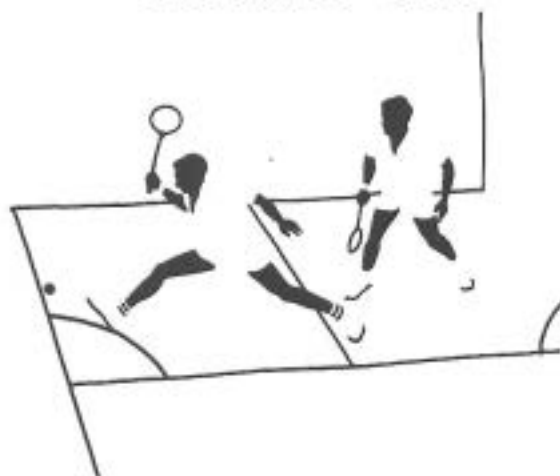
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The Racquet Club

by Jim McCaslin

The squash activity at the Racquet Club continues to accelerate at a rapid rate. Court time is becoming an increasingly scarce commodity, particularly during the evening hours. However, despite the frequent and regular play, the management was able to get into the doubles court to repair and paint the floors. High compliments were paid by the Nationals Doubles players who used the facilities. The club doubles players were all deeply saddened by the removal of "Riehl's rail." Racquet Club members John Minkowski, Scott Jordan Jim Hense and Bob Hicks continue to contribute to squash administration both through MSSRA and USSRA.

1. Haswell Franklin continues to do a fine job as the Maryland Director on the USSRA Board.
2. Randy Torr, Nancy Taylor, Bob Hicks, Don Townsend, Jim McCaslin, and Peter Wolff all serve on the MSSRA Executive Committee.
3. Peter Wolff served another year as Chairman of Referees of the USSRA and continues to serve on the Board of Directors as a director-at-large. He was also the Maryland nominee for the Grey's Cup.

In the MSSRA sponsored tournaments, Racquet Clubbers continued to participate at all levels. In the English Ball tournament, Paul Ellis, Jim McCaslin, and Gene O'Connor made the final four. Gene was defeated by Malcolm Jensen (3-0) in

one semi-match, while Jim defeated Paul (3-1). Unfortunately, in the finals, Malcolm's staying power did in Jim McCaslin in three long games. In the Blue Dot tournament, again three Racquet Clubbers reached the semi-finals. Jim McCaslin was defeated by John Minkowski (3-1) in one semi and Scott Ryan defaulted to Scott Jordan in the other half of the draw. In the finals of the A Flight, John Minkowski prevailed (3-0) over Scott Jordan. In the Baltimore City Singles, the Racquet Clubbers made their presence known, but did not push any men to the finals. In the C event Joyce Hogan and Mary McGuirk went through a tough field of men to reach the finals. In a long, hard-fought match, Joyce squeaked past Mary in overtime in the fifth game (3-2).

Unfortunately, in the State Championships, the Racquet Club did not fare as well. In the A Flight, John Minkowski was the only Racquet Clubber to reach the semifinals. He was defeated by his colleague Peter Wilson (3-1). However, in the Consolation, it was an all Racquet Club final; Scott Jordan defeating Peter Wolff (3-2) to win the A Consolation. In the B event, Dr. Arve Gillette reached the finals, but was defeated by David Warfield (3-0). The Racquet Club was blanked in the C and D events. In the Ladies Singles, it was an all Racquet Club final with Nancy Taylor defeating Mary McGuirk (3-1). The other bright spot for our stable was the venerable Gene O'Connor, who went through a fine field of veteran players to win the State Veterans title. Gene teamed up

with fellow Racquet Clubber, John Riehl in the Senior Doubles and placed second to Bob Williams and Dan Senft. Bob Hogan teamed up with A. C. Hubbard to upset Joe Lacy and Bob Voelkel in the Veteran Doubles. None of the Racquet Club players reached the finals in the A, B, C, or State Doubles competition.

The Racquet Club did not sponsor its annual club doubles tournament, nor were there any other club events this squash year. However, there was considerable competition among the top players for the top slot in the ladder play. Although the top rung of the ladder was usually occupied by Jim McCaslin, Bob Hogan, Gene O'Connor and Peter Wolff also shared top honors from time to time.

The Racquet Club women have been a source of pride to us as they continue to distinguish themselves on the local, regional, and national scene. This year was no exception, as three of our women received national honors:

1. Mary McGuirk was crowned the National Women's B Champion by virtue of her overall tournament record and winning the national tournament in Rhode Island.
2. Margaret Riehl was presented the President's Cup by USSRA President, Herb Gross, for her special contributions to the game of squash.
3. Nancy Taylor was awarded the Feron's National Sportsmanship Trophy for the exemplary demeanor and character she displayed on and off the court.

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Towson YMCA by Bob Noll

Squash at the Towson YMCA experienced both "good news" and "bad news" in the past season. The good news was the "Y" won the Interleague "C" Championship while the bad news was the squash court lighting is still less than optimum. We had twelve participants in the Insilco tournament with Ralph Bulle being the eventual winner. The tournament was helpful in introducing players to each other. Both Bob Noll and Gerd Petrich played in the Boodles/Washington D.C. Jamboree in April, 1980.



MSSRA Season Highlights

State Singles Championships by Jim McCaslin

The 1980-81 MSSRA State Singles Championships were held over the weekend of January 30-February 1, 1981, in Baltimore, Maryland. There were seventeen players in the "A" draw, twelve in the "B", twenty-three in the "C", and twenty-five in the "D" draw. Competition was held in most of the major squash clubs in the greater Baltimore area with all semifinal and final matches played at the Baltimore Country Club. This year's competition offered two additional features: (1) consolation rounds for first round losers; and (2) play-offs for the third and fourth spots in the championship rounds.

In the "A" draw, Sandy Martin, sporting his number three national doubles ranking, was the number one seed. Dr. John Minkowski was ranked second, Dr. Steve Rosenblum third, and Dr. Peter Wilson fourth. Martin, after recently winning the Baltimore City Open, defeated fellow Maryland Clubbers Barrett Freedlander (3-0) and Bill Rice (3-0) before he encountered Rosenblum, three-time MSSRA State Champion, in the semifinals. His match was a hard-fought battle with the scrappy, wily veteran and was won in overtime in the fourth on a let-point called by referee Jim Hense. Martin displayed outstanding rac-

quet skills, deft shot-making, good power, and excellent gamesmanship in defeating Peter Wilson in the finals (3-0).

Wilson upset the number two seed, John Minkowski, in the semi-finals (3-1). Scott Jordan defeated Peter Wolff (3-2) to win the consolation round.

The "B" singles draw was perhaps the best in recent years. The entries were mixed with seasoned veterans and out-of-town ringers, as well as young upstarts. Charles Fenwick, who had recently lost in the Insilco B/C Regional Finals, was number one seed. The number two seed was Arv Gilette, a recent transplant from the New York "B" league. The number three seed was Richard Thomas and the number four seed was Dave Warfield.

Youth prevailed as Dave Warfield defeated Ray Blank (3-1), John Clarke, Jr., product of the Maryland Junior program, (3-1), and Arv Gilette (3-1) to win the "B" crown.

As far as our MSSRA records go back, Warfield is the only person to win the "D", "C", as well as the "B" event. In the play-offs for the third and fourth positions, John Clarke defeated Richard Thomas.

The "C" singles draw was significantly less in the quantity of entries but the quality of play was exceptional. Number one seed was Bob Travers. The number two seed,

Richard Moxon; number three seed, John Voneiff; and number four seed, Bill Bruchey. John Voneiff upset the number one seed, Bob Travers (3-2) in the semi-finals and met Dave Barclay in the finals. Dave Barclay eluded the handicappers and displayed considerable skill in the tournament play until he was defeated by John Voneiff (3-1) in the finals. (Sukon) Kancharanaraska won the consolation event without playing a single match!

The "D" singles draw was also lighter than expected with only twenty-five players entered. None of the seeded players, number one, Don Townsend; number two Peter Gerard; number three, Jim Smith; number four, Gary Zipper, reached the finals. Bruce Preston prevailed through six matches, losing only two games, to win the "D" title over Bill Berault (3-0). Dave McDonnell defeated Jim Eyring (3-1) in the finals of the "D" consolation bracket. Don Townsend, Jr., another product of our junior program, won the play-off for the third spot by defeating Kerry Tenberg (3-1).

Earlier in the year, Gene O'Connor won the Maryland State Veterans Singles Championship.

State Doubles Championships

by Jim McCaslin

The 1980-81 Maryland State Squash Racquets Association State Doubles Championship season is completed. There were five separate championships, including A, B, C, Veterans, and Seniors events. The age group competition was hosted by the Mary-

land Club and the other championship events were played at the Baltimore County Club, as well as the Maryland Club.

Sandy Martin, our nationally ranked doubles player, was the Tournament Director, but, for the first time in many years, he did not compete in the action. The number one seeded team was Joe Lacy and John MacColl and second seeded team was John Menton and Bill Rice. The competition began Friday, February 20 with 16 teams and concluded Sunday with semifinals and finals being played at the Baltimore Country Club. In the semifinals, the number one seeded team, Joe Lacy and John MacColl handily defeated Bob Hogan and Jim McCaslin (3-0). The newly-formed Veterans team of Peter Wolff and Ted Berger were defeated by the number two seeded John Menton and Bill Rice (3-2). Finals were somewhat unspectacular, but Lacy and MacColl prevailed over Menton and Rice (3-0).

Over the same weekend, thirteen C Doubles teams competed for the C crown. Number one seeds were Gordon Priest and Rick Hook and the number two seeds were Digger Krebs and Tommy Biddison. The number one seeded team of Priest and Hook were upset in the quarterfinals by Bill Bruchey and Bob Everd of the Deitz Racquet Club. Bruchey and Everd continued their winning ways by defeating Allan Acton and Peter Rose at the Towson Center. In the bottom half of the draw, Digger Krebs and Tommy Biddison muscled their way past Joyce Hogan and Mary McGuirk. In the finals, which

were held at the Baltimore Country Club, Krebs and Biddison turned back the upset-minded team from Harford County to claim the C Championship.

Over the weekend of February 27-March 1, thirteen B Doubles teams competed for the B Championship. The number one seeded team and perennial runners-up for the B crown, Jim Tillman and Paul Deitz were upset in the semifinals by the young team of Dave Warfield and Richard Thomas. In the other half of the draw, the wily veteran team of Jervis Finney and Tommy Greene upset Bob Hogan and Jim McCaslin to create an all Maryland Club final. Youth just barely prevailed, as the team of Dave Warfield and Richard Thomas squeaked past Finney and Greene (3-2) to claim the B crown.



During the week of March 2, nine veteran teams competed for the Veterans Doubles Championship. The Tournament Director, Jack Fetting, seeded Joe Lacy and Bob Voelkel number one and Jervis Finney and Tommy Greene number two. In the semifinals Lacy and Voelkel turned

back Ted Berger and Peter Wolff (3-0). In the other half of the draw, Finney and Greene were upset by the newly formed team of A. C. Hubbard and Bob Hogan (3-1). In the finals, the hot new team of Hubbard and Hogan continued their winning ways by handily defeating Lacy and Voelkel (3-0) to claim the Veterans Crown.

During the week of March 13 (and then some), seven Seniors teams competed for the Seniors Doubles Championship. The tournament Director, Dick Catzen, seeded Jack Fetting and Fred Smith number one and Tommy Schweizer and Jack Bandiere, number two. At the top half of the draw, Gene O'Connor and John Riehl squeaked past Jack Fetting and Fred Smith (3-2). In the bottom half of the draw, Dan Senft and Freddy Williams defeated Tommy Schweizer and Jack Bandiere. In the finals, which were held at the Maryland Club, Dan Senft and Bob Williams defeated Gene O'Connor and John Riehl (3-0) for the Seniors Title.

State Women's Championship

by Greg Szoka

The 1981 Maryland State Women's Squash Racquets Championship marked a return to the mid-week tournament format. This, coupled with the liberalization of women's eligibility requirements for men's tournaments, produced a small, but strong, draw, including defending champion, Mary McGuirk; former champion, Helen Lacy; and the wily veteran, Nancy Taylor.

The first round matches saw new-

comer Margie Goldsborough best Helen Lacy in a gruelling 5 game match, while the other first round participant, Toby Gordon, walked to the semi-finals on a bye.

In the semi-finals, experience and court savvy proved to be the formula for success for McGuirk and Taylor. The lithesome McGuirk, using the drop-shot and lob to her best advantage, defeated Goldsborough, 3-0. In the other half of the draw, Taylor combined crisp rails with a devastating forehand to overpower Gordon in three.

The finals, which were held at the Marylea Farm Court, proved to be the most exciting match of the tournament. It was a showcase for the talents of these two fine squash players. Characterized by long rallies, the flow of the match constantly shifted. In the end, however, the advantage shifted to Taylor and McGuirk bowed 3-1.

In winning, Taylor joins the ranks of other women who have distinguished themselves by capturing the Maryland State Crown.

Men's National Doubles Championships

Excerpted from "Squash News"

Second-seeded teams, proving that they try harder, succeeded in winning three of the four National Doubles titles which were decided in Baltimore March 27th through March 29th.

The 1981 U.S. National Doubles crown belongs to Vic Harding and Peter Hall from Toronto. In the finals, held at the Baltimore Country Club,

they defeated Larry Heath and John Reese from New York, the top seeds, in three close games.

In each game, Harding and Hall, who won this title in 1977 and were seeded second this year, built a lead that was too substantial to overcome.

One semifinal matchup pitted Harding and Hall against Scott Ryan from Philadelphia and Jay Umans from New York. The other semifinal, featuring Heath and Reese against Tom Poor from Boston and Sandy Martin from Baltimore, was not decided until overtime in the fifth game. Poor and Martin won the first and third games 15/12, 15/9, respectively. The second and fourth games were taken by Heath and Reese by 15/8, 15/6 scores.

In the deciding game, it appeared that Poor and Martin, who were seeded third in this tournament, would upset the top seeds, as they held a 13/10 lead. Heath and Reese, however, tied the game at 13 to force extra points and won the opportunity to play in the finals by an 18/15 score.

Women's National Doubles Championships

Excerpted from "Squash News"

For the first time, the Women's National Doubles were held in conjunction with the Men's Nationals. Carol Thesieres and Joyce Davenport of Philadelphia won the Women's title for the third straight year.

A total of eight women's teams participated in two divisions, with the winner of each division playing off for the title. In the finals, The-

sieres and Davenport faced fellow-Philadelphians Gail Ramsey and Connie Pierce.

National Veterans Doubles Championships

Excerpted from "Squash News"

The second seeded team, Ted Simmons from St. Louis and Mel Sokolow from New York, won the National Veterans Double title. This team also won the title in 1978 and 1979, and were unable to defend in 1980 when Simmons was injured. They came back in style, losing only one game in the semifinals.

In the finals, they met David Fleming-Wood from Dallas and Tom Harrington, who has recently moved to Denver. In short order, 15/9, 15/9, 15/8, Simmons and Sokolow reclaimed the National Veterans Doubles crown.

National Seniors Doubles Championships

Excerpted from "Squash News"

Don Leggat and Chuck Wright from Hamilton, Ontario won the Senior division of the National Doubles Championships. Newly eligible for this age group, they proved to be formidable opponents.

In the finals, they faced the number three seeds, Nelson Graves and Bill Dann from Buffalo. Graves and Dann, winners of the Seniors title in 1978, were beaten 15/8, 10/15, 15/12, 15/5.

Insilco B/C

by Bob Everd

Insilco, the International Silver Co., each year sponsors a national

squash tournament for "B" and "C" level players. Each squash club in the country is invited to hold its own tournament and have its champions compete at a Regional Playoff and National Championship. The Club winners each receive a trophy from Insilco.

This year, one hundred and fifty players, representing eight different clubs from Maryland, competed in this tournament. Each club sent a "C" Champion, and the Maryland Club and Racquet Club each sent a "B" Champion to the Regional Playoffs held at the Regency Club in Washington, D.C.

One player, Charles Fenwick, Jr., had great success in the regionals.

Baltimore City Open

(Bowl donated by Dr. John Minkowski)

1978 Sandy Groff

1979 Bill Rice 1978

1980 Sandy Martin

Fall Doubles

1978 J. A. Menton, Jr., T. Jas. Hense, Jr.

1979 Joe Lacy, Sandy Martin

1980 Joe Lacy, Sandy Martin

Baltimore Women's Open

1978 Barbara Maltby

1979 Barbara Maltby

1980 Judy Michel

Outstanding Junior Girl

(Bowl donated by Margaret and John Riehl)

1975 Jessie Wittich

1976 Missy Harper

1979 Denise Galambos

1980 Timmi Wolff

Outstanding Junior Boy

(Bowl donated by Margaret and John Riehl)

1975 Thomas H. E. Scruggs

1976 John H. O. Clarke

1980 Don Townsend, Jr.

Representing the Maryland Club, he battled all the way to the finals in Class "B" before bowing. The other Class "B" entrant from Baltimore was Arve Gillette of the Racquet Club.

The area entered eight players in the Class "C" tournament. They included Ralph Bulle (Towson YMCA), Don Townsend (Racquet Club), Bill Bruchey (Deitz Club), Jan Markowitz (John Hopkins), Nancy Taylor (Racquet Club), Downie McCarty (Maryland Club), John Magee (Baltimore CC) and Mary McGuirk (McGuirk Club).

Insilco also authorized each club to hold a "D" competition to encourage players who didn't want to battle the "C" level players. The winners of this flight also received trophies, but there was no follow-up National Tournament.

A special thank you to the club organizers: Bob Travers, Bill Bruchey, Bob Noll, Frank Cushman, Cathy Cramer, and Don Townsend.

Junior Program

by Randy Torr

The 1980/1981 MSSRA Junior Program continued its steady progress toward the goal of recognition on a national level.

This year, the program was expanded to include not only the regular ten Saturdays, but additional playing time on both Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. This extra allotment, provided through the generosity of Towson State, enabled many of our twenty-five participants to practice

some of the techniques demonstrated by the instructors in the previous Saturday morning session.

In tournament play, the increased practice gave our team the extra experience they needed to compete more favorably with their national counterparts. Our first contest was against Washington, and while not defeating Jeff Fisher's charges, many of our players, notably Timmi Wolff, Peter Heubeck and Don Townsend, Jr., played admirably to provide the Free Staters with their best performance in McLean yet. Wait till next year!

Our annual weekend trip to Mercersburg Academy was again the highlight of our team season. Not all of our players were able to attend, but those that did witnessed some of the best Junior Squash that there is. Flashes of brilliant play by both Heubeck and Townsend were not quite up to the more experienced players, but in light of their accomplishments, we expect a good finish next year from our more seasoned players.

Much to their credit, Miss Wolff and Mr. Townsend represented Baltimore in the National Championships in New Haven. Although they were defeated in the early rounds, this was our best representation of Baltimore in the Nationals since the fine performance by Mark Talbott.

Next year, we have the distinct honor of tri-hosting, with Washington and Annapolis, the first National Juniors Doubles Tournament. This event will come under the direction of Don Townsend of Baltimore and Ted Berger of Annapolis. We look

forward to the affair and expect this event to become a major focus for tri-city junior competition.

As you can see, our program has come a long way since its inception at the Maryland Club. With over twenty participants, both boys and girls, we look with pride at our recent strides and look forward to a growing, successful future on a national level.

A word of thanks must be extended to our friends at Towson State. Without their continued cooperation, the entire Junior Program would have been severely limited, and we would not have been successful without the continued support and unselfish devotion of two men, Don Townsend and Peter Wolff. Their contribution to our game provided our players with models of fine squash players, both on and off the court.

Fitzgerald Cup

by Haswell M. Franklin, Captain

Thirty-two years ago, William Fitzgerald of Washington donated the Fitzgerald Cup to promote friendship, competition and sportsmanship between squash players in Baltimore and Washington. The scores of all matches are engraved on the cup, along with the names of players who have participated at least five times.

Teams are composed of thirteen players. Of these players, one must be at least 60 years of age, one other at least 50 years of age and four others at least 40 years of age.

Since we are the host city for this year's competition, all positions on

our team are open to challenge, well in advance of the matches, which are tentatively set for the last weekend in December; the procedure for challenging will be published.

Unfortunately, we trail in the series 12-20, but if our best players commit themselves now to playing on our team, there is every reason to believe that we can reverse our streak of seven straight losses. I hope we can count on maximum participation.

Whether you play or not, everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend the party following the matches which will be held this year at the home of MSSRA's illustrious Treasurer, Bob Hicks. Win, lose, or draw, I am certain that we will beat our opponents into Bob's Jacuzzi. In all thirty-two years, Baltimore has never finished second in this post-match celebration, and I am certain that this year will not be an exception.



Stevens Cup

by Nancy Taylor

The Stevens Cup is an annual January match-up of squash proficiency between the ladies of Baltimore and Washington. This event was begun in 1976 and has continued each year, largely through the efforts of Helen Lacy.

Washington Squash Racquets Club hosted the 1981 competition in which Baltimore won back the coveted Stevens Cup with a record of 6 wins and 3 losses. The Baltimore team consisted of Liz Cianos, Linda Denton, Laurie Fergusson, Toby Gordon, Joyce Hogan, Helen Lacy, Mary McGuirk, Laurie Steiff, and Nancy Taylor.



Nancy Taylor

Interclub

Baltimore "C" League

by Frank Cushman

In most cities, an interclub league is the focal point for the growth and development of squash players. The MSSRA was pleased to promote the

resumption of interclub play in the Baltimore area this past season. It is hoped that the league will continue to operate and expand in the years ahead.

The 1980-81 league consisted of eight five-man teams. The players were predominately of "C" level ability.



(L. to R.) Bob Noll, Frank Cushman—Chairman "C" League, Ralph Bulle, Sukon Kanchanaraksa, Dr. Gerd Petrich—All members of the "C" League winning team.

Deitz Club

Team #1

Bill Bruchey
Bob Everd, Capt.
Pete Gerard
Bob Harner
Chad Pistell
Roger Rice
Greg Szoka

Team #2

Dave Denton
Tom Frezell
Clarke Griffin
Mary McGuirk, Capt.
Don Olsavicky
Greg Szoka
Ted Thomas
Steve Wilson

Baltimore Country Club

Team #1

Jim Flannery
Digger Krebs
Joe Lacy, Jr.
Bruce Preston
Scott Supplee
Barbara Thompson
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Team #2

Bryan Chesney
Joe Harlan
John Magee
Mike Miller
Harry Rogers
Bruce Smith
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Racquet Club

Team #1

Toby Gordon
John Gorslime
Doug Hornick
Bob Kurtz
John Riehl IV
Nancy Taylor
John Tolson
Don Townsend, Capt.

Team #2

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Norton Gettes
Tom Gregory, Capt.
Gene Litz
Richard Moxon
Matt Polk
Mike Purtell
Ron Riefler

Towson YMCA

Team #1

Ralph Bulle, Capt.
Sukon Kanchanaraksa
Jan Markowitz
Bill Newlin
Bob Noll
Gerd Petrich
Frank Steedson
David Travis

Team #2

Bill Berault, Capt.
Jim Cowens
Jim Eyring
Bert Meric
James Ridgely
Kerry Tenberg
Don Townsend, Jr.

Final Regular Season Standings

Club	W	L
1. Deitz Club #1	25	10
2. Racquet Club #1	23	12
3. Towson YMCA #1	19	16
4. Racquet Club #2	19	16
5. BCC #1	18	17
6. Deitz Club #2	15	20
7. BCC #2	11	24
8. Towson YMCA #2	10	25

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The top four teams made the playoffs, with Towson YMCA #1 winning the finals over regular season champion Deitz Club #1 by a score of 4-1.

Special thanks go to the respective clubs and their owners or representatives for making court time available for league play. Obviously, there could be no league play without their generous support.

Deitz Club - owners, Paul & Kay Deitz

BCC - Pro Eddie Sheaffer, Club Reps, Jim Goodyear and Bob Hicks

Racquet Club - owners John and Marge Riehl

Towson Club - Manager John McHale

Towson YMCA - Club Rep Ralph Bulle

It is hoped that the league will continue, and possibly expand, in the upcoming 81-82 season. If you are interested in participating, please contact an officer or member of the MSSRA Executive Committee to help keep the ball rolling.

Baltimore City Open

by Bob Everd

The weekend of November 14-16 saw one of the largest national-level tournaments ever hosted by the MSSRA—The 1980 Baltimore City Singles Tournament. Over 105 players competed in both regular and consolation flights. The tournament even had some international flavor with one entry from Guatemala.

In summary, the main-flight results were: A: Martin over Wilson, B:

Stuck over Thomas, C: J. Hogan over M. McGuirk, D: Jaeger over Townsend, W: Shelburne over Gould, 35+: Rosenblum over Frazier, 40+: Nicholson over Jensen, 45+: Williams over Newman.

The tournament chairman for this event was Frank Cushman, squash professional at the Maryland Club. A hearty tip of the MSSRA hat to Frank for an outstanding job in organizing and running this tournament and for bringing a new dimension of squash professionalism to Baltimore.

Baltimore Women's Open

by Mary McGuirk

The Baltimore Women's Open continues to be one of the more popular sanctioned tournaments in this area. While including several nationally-ranked entrants, the bulk of the draw consisted of players from the Baltimore and Philadelphia areas in quest of national ranking.

For the second year in a row, Connie Pierce came in second. We were all waiting for one of her patented comebacks, but winner Judy Michel kept on the heat to win in four. In the semis, Michel succeeded in keeping Baltimore's Nancy Taylor on the defensive by continually volleying the ball and winning in three. On the other side, Pierce in a fine display of persistence, if not consistency, held back Kirk Cameron in five.

In the feed-in consolation, Mary McGuirk defeated Molly Pierce in four.

In the B division of the Baltimore

Open, the winner was Sally Shelburne, defeating Sally Nassau in five. Shelburne reached the finals by defeating Sharon Schwarze in three. Nassau defeated Liz Cianos, 3-1 in the other semi.

The B feed-in consolation was won by Lynn Miner from New York over Baltimore's Kay Fowler in three close ones. In the semis of the feed-in, Miner was extended to four games before defeating Joan Weyers.

Chairman Nancy Taylor is to be commended for doing a great job with the Baltimore Women's Open. The Cruzan Rum party on Friday night was enjoyed by both spectators and players.

Feron's Cup Nancy Taylor

At the Women's A Nationals, Nancy Taylor was presented with the prestigious Feron's National Sportsmanship Trophy. This award is given annually by the Women's Executive Committee of the United States Squash Racquets Association to a top player in recognition of her outstanding service and sportsmanship to the game of Squash.

In addition, Nancy traveled to Virginia in February and captured the Virginia Women's title (this competition is open to MSSRA members) and on the same weekend teamed with Maryland Club pro Frank Cushman to win the Virginia Mixed Doubles Championship.

What a year: MSSRA Champ, VSSRA Champ, VSSRA Mixed Doubles Champ and Feron's Winner!

Mary McGuirk B Champion

Mary McGuirk, after a few timely lessons from pro Frank Cushman, decided to try her luck on the National Squash scene this year. Now that the tally is in, she seems not to have fared badly at all.

In mid-October, Mary came in third in the Rhode Island Open. In the Pennsylvania State A's, she had her one big win of the season, defeating Sally Fields, nationally ranked number 9, in 80-81. It was also in this tournament that she relinquished status as an amateur, accepting her prize money of \$35.00 for a fourth-place finish.

At Howe Cup in New York, Mary played on Baltimore's five-woman A team behind Nancy Taylor. Unfortunately, in four matches she won only one game.

Early in March, Mary traveled to Newport, Rhode Island for the National B tournament. Out of a draw of thirty-eight, she emerged the eventual winner with her first national title. So, for now, she is Queen of the B's.

In this coming squash season, she is counting on joining Maryland's number one woman player, Nancy Taylor, in the continuing quest for a national A ranking.

President's Cup

Besides bringing to Baltimore exciting doubles play, the USSRA brought deserved recognition to Baltimorean Margaret Riehl.

Marge was honored for her outstanding contributions to Squash,

through her leadership as President of the United States Women's Squash Racquets Association prior to the merger of the men's and women's divisions. Under her guidance, women's squash gained national prominence.

Herbert Gross, USSRA President, presented the prestigious President's Cup to Marge at the USSRA Doubles Championship brunch. Herb's praise reminded all of those present of the tireless effort and fine example that we have seen from Marge.

Surprised and thankful, Marge was unaware of the secret efforts her family and friends had made to arrange for her presence at the presentation.

Universal Squash

by Peter Wolff

In the SQUASH UNIVERSE, Maryland is a major galaxy! Her sons and daughters (and Harlan's moons) established astronomical facts never recorded before 1980-81. Blasting off with Summer Softball and the first USSRA sanctioned Fall Doubles, Marylanders shuttled space as far as Pakistan this light year, then re-entered our world with the largest and most successful U.S. Doubles Championship in the Game's history. We finally touched-down with the First MSSRA Awards Banquet featuring Star-Wars among four of the best players on the face of our real Earth.

Frank Cushman, our adopted professional pilot, hurled himself through space (a la Ryan) to lead his partner

and the only amateur in the group, State Champ Sandy Martin, against Space Invaders Dave and Mark Talbott (both former Marylanders, now settled in Detroit and Toronto) in the April Shootout. After the Solar Doubles, we mortals watched the Stellar Singles between real-World ranked #9 Mark and #14 Dave with and without afterburners. If Mark had not taken time earlier this season to represent the U.S. in Softball at the Pakistan Open and International Team events sponsored by Pakistan International Airlines, his Hardball world ranking would, no doubt, be higher. To achieve #9, he defeated all ranked below him on the WPSA tour and won the Oberlin Open and Spring Boodles in D.C. The D.C. win earned Mark a \$3000 First Prize with five wins, including a sweep of the world's top four in one weekend: Sharif Khan, Michael Desaulniers, Clive Caldwell, and Stuart Goldstein. Please note, Earthlings that Mark spent his formative teen years at the Racquet Club while only winning the National Boys 16's and Junior 18's twice each! (There's still hope, Donnie!)

Sandy Martin, with partner Tom Poor of Boston, improved his doubles ranking from #3 to #2 in the U.S.A. as predicted, by not letting Tom play singles on the same tournament weekend. They narrowly missed winning the Canadian Championship and the U.S. National Doubles on successive March weekends, losing in both tournaments to Canadian and U.S. Champs Vic Harding and Peter Hall of Canada. The first match in the Canadian finals

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saw Sandy and Tom take a two-game lead only to lose the match by a total point difference of six. The following weekend at Baltimore, the victory slipped away by only two points in the entire semi-final match with a score of 18-15 in the fifth game. Sandy (with Tom), Dave and Mark all journeyed to Toronto to play in the First World Doubles Championship in February.

Other notables from Maryland emerging in the new U.S. Doubles rankings are Seniors Jim Lacy and Tom Schweizer at #3, Gene O'Connor and Bob Hicks at #8. The Veterans category has Frank Riggs and Bill Rice ranked at #3 and State Veterans Champs, A.C. Hubbard and Bob Hogan at #5.

Los Angeles, Detroit, New Haven, Providence, Buffalo, Cleveland, Dayton, Karachi, New York, Boston, Washington, Philadelphia, Toronto. We were represented there and they were all here. Some of the achievements.

Mary McGuirk won the National B Women's Championship.

Nancy Taylor won the Feron's Award for Sportsmanship at the National Women's Singles.

Denise Galambos, as a freshman, was a member of the Princeton Varsity Team, winner of the Women's Intercollegiate Team Championship.

Marge Riehl won the USSRA President's Cup for outstanding service to the Game.

Dell Steinmann was a member of the U. of Pennsylvania Varsity Team, achieving #4 ranking

among Intercollegiate 9-Man Teams.

The Naval Academy Varsity Team gained #5 National Ranking.

Charlie Fenwick was a finalist in the INSILCOB Regional Playoff.

Les Nicholson, Malcolm Jensen, Howard Newman, Gene O'Connor were all ranked in the top 20 in the U.S.A. in their respective age categories.

What squash weapons are yet to be developed? With graphite and fiberglass just approved for racquets by the USSRA, who knows what their rays will conquer? Just shuttle through space and time, another light year for the '81-'82 videovue.

Author's note: The opinions stated herein are those of the author and reflect his limited research into the field of Space. He regrets and apologizes for any errors or omissions and promises the pen to anyone who wishes to record the facts for '81-'82.

English Ball

by Nancy Taylor

Squash is a year-round effort in Maryland and this season was no exception. The MSSRA English Ball Tournament was played over two week-ends at Baltimore area clubs with the semis and finals held at the Deitz Squash Club in Bel Air on August 9th.

This tournament is traditionally one of the foremost social gatherings of the squash year as people emi-

grate out of the city to the country. The success and enjoyment of this tournament, year after year, is due to the fine hospitality of Kay and Paul Deitz as they literally open up their home to all squash enthusiasts who spend the day eating, drinking and enjoying this international sport of the softball.

Competition was keen for the forty-six entrants in the A, B/C, D and Consolation flights.

Honors in the A flight went to Malcolm Jensen who defeated Jim McCaslin 3-0 in the finals. In the semis, Jim beat Paul Ellis 3-1 and Malcolm handily won 3-0 over Gene O'Connor.

The B/C flight was quickly taken by Peter George over Bob Travers, 3-0. Bob regrettably, received a default in the semis from Linda Denton, while Peter topped Bob Everd 3-0.

DFlight competition found a winner in Tom Frezell as he overcame Bill Furman 3-1. One semi turned out to be an exciting 3-2 match between Bill and Greg Szoka, while Tom received a default from Denise Galambos.

The Consolation was a combination of the B/C and D flights. The final match between Ralph Bulle and David Denton was a highlight in the day's competition, with David winning in a tough five.

Many thanks to participants, able assistants and especially the Deitz family for a most enjoyable tournament.



Squash is a game of agility and grace.

70+ Tournament by Bob Everd

The 70+ Tournament is a matter of history. It was Minkowski over Jordan in four in the A's, Travers over Townsend in three in the C's and Supplee over Grose in five in the D's.

The tip of the MSSRA hat to the workhorses of this tourney: Jim Hense Bob Everd. Just for fun, some of you should try scheduling ninety matches in three days for 70 people at five different court locations!

MSSRA Awards Banquet by Bob Everd

Squash in Maryland over the past few years has shown growth in the number of annual tournaments and in the number and interest of the participants in those tournaments. The highlight of this season was MSSRA's hosting of the USSRA's

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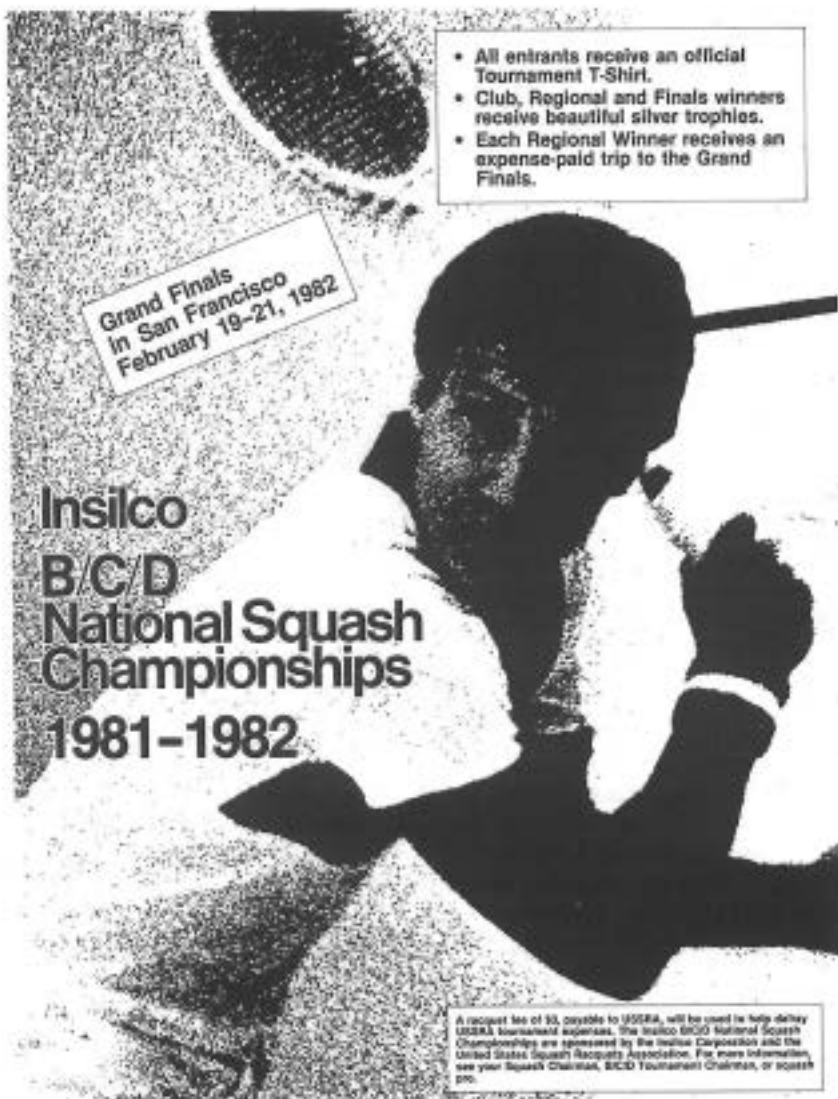
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National Doubles Championships. With these positive factors, the Association decided to revive the Annual Awards Banquet.

On Friday, April 24th the Baltimore Country Club opened its doors to more than one hundred guests who attended our function. The evening started with a professional exhibition. And what an exhibition it was! Maryland Club professional Frank Cushman teamed with Sandy Martin, himself a National Ranked Doubles Player, to challenge two favorite sons, David and Mark Talbott (with Mark attending just two weeks after his Boodles Championship win over Sharif Kahn.) This match was highlighted by good shooting and shouting, great gets and a lot of laughs which only four old friends and a relaxed gallery could produce. Frank and Sandy easily posted a two-to-one win.

Mark and David then demonstrated the ease with which one can play singles. Again, the two-out-of-three match, which no one remembers who won, showed the stamina and skill of these exceptional players.

David usually carries on a conversation with himself while playing. But this night his comments were directed to friends in the gallery. If he made a winning point, he might thank someone in the gallery for teaching him that shot. If he was forced into a mistake by brother Mark, he might chastize another spectator for not teaching him properly. He and Mark owned the crowd that evening.

After these matches, the entire

group retired to the dining room for a fine dinner followed by the presentation of trophies.

Paul Deitz, MSSRA President, and Jim McCaslin, MSSRA 1st Vice-President, presented trophies to the 1979-80 and 1980-81 MSSRA State Champions and Finalists as well as the "C" Interclub League Champions for 1981.

The Junior Program also presented a trophy to the Outstanding Junior Girl, Timmi Wolff, and the Outstanding Junior Boy, Don Townsend, in the presence of a former recipient and Junior National Champion, Mark Talbott.

Joe Harlan closed the affair with his famous slide show depicting a few lessons in the game of doubles.

Special thanks to Nancy Taylor and Bob Everd for their organizational skills and tireless effort.



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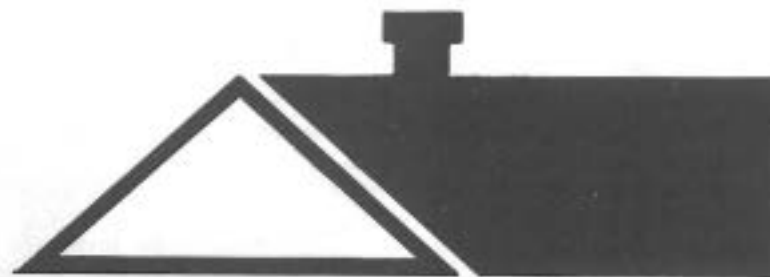
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Southey F. Miles Award

by Dic Catzen

The Baltimore Invitational Doubles and Singles Tournament has been attracting top squash players to the area every spring since it was begun by the University Club of Baltimore in the 30's. As was the case at most squash competitions in those early years, Philadelphia teams invariably walked off with top awards at the final ceremonies. But Philadelphia squashers were becoming famous for another "award" given in honor of the late Carter B. Simonin.



Bob Hicks and Dic Catzen admire the Southey Miles Trophy.

Carter B. Simonin loved squash tournaments, as did any other loyal Philadelphian, but unfortunately he seldom saw one because he participated so vigorously in the accompanying festivities; he was too "relaxed" to make his way to the gallery.

The "Carter B. Simonin" award was established after his death in recognition of the tireless pursuit of the enjoyment of squash and was thenceforth presented to that individual who most exemplified Carter's championship performance off-court.

Baltimoreans soon recognized that behavior at their local Invitational equalled or surpassed any wayward deportment Philadelphia could muster. It was decided to initiate the Baltimore Chapter of the Simonin Award to be bestowed upon those squash afficiandos who, by dint of Herculean deeds in bad manners or inebriation, were judged to have sunk to standards high enough to qualify.

From the 40's until the early 70's, Southey F. Miles so dominated this aspect of the Baltimore Invitational that, upon his death, it was agreed that the Simonin Award, Baltimore Chapter, should forthwith be known as the "Southey B. Miles Award." The tribute is in recognition of Southey's determination to live life to its fullest.

The list of winners of this most prestigious award reads like a combination of "Who's Who" in Baltimore society and drunk tank regulars. Names of distinguished past-winners are omitted here to protect the guilty!

Occasionally, even members of the Baltimore squash group do not live up to the high standards of bad deportment Southey would have approved and, consequently, no presentation of the award is made in those years.

To be judged a winner of the Southey B. Miles award, one must reach the pinnacle of perfection to which Southey aspired. It may be the finest hour of squash player's career; unhappily, however, it usually comes with one hell of a hangover!



Current MSSRA Champions

State Singles Championships

Championship	Winner(s)	Finalist(s)
	Sandy Martin (Bowl donated by Tommy Schweizer)	Peter Wilson
Flight B	David Warfield (Bowl donated by Anthony Rytina)	Arve Gillette
Flight C	John Voneiff (Bowl donated by Haswell M. Franklin)	David Barclay
Flight D	Bruce Preston (Bowl donated by James J. Lacy, Jr.)	Bill Berault
Women	Nancy Taylor (Bowl donated by Southey Miles)	Mary McGuirk



Jim McCaslin awards: Nancy Taylor (center) 1981 Womens Singles Champion; Helen Lacy (right) 1980 Womens Singles Finalist.



(L to R.) Bill Berault—1981 Finalist "D" Singles; Bruce Preston—1981 Champion "D" Singles; Douglas Hornick—1980 Finalist "D" Singles; Bob Travers—1980 Champion "D" Singles.

State Doubles Championships

	Winner(s)	Finalist(s)
Championship	Joe Lacy/John MacColl (Bowl donated by J. Beverly Miller)	John Menton/Bill Rice
Flight B	Dave Warfield/ Richard Thomas (Bowl donated by Sam Silber)	Jervis Finney/Tom Greene
Flight C	Digger Krebs/ Tom Biddison (Bowl donated by Dudley Catzen)	Bill Bruchey/Bob Everd
Veterans Singles	Gene O'Connor (Bowl donated by Peter Wolff)	Ted Berger
Veterans Doubles	A.C. Hubbard/Bob Hogan (Bowl donated by Jack Fetting)	Joe Lacy/Bob Voelkel
Seniors Doubles	Bob Williams/Dan Senft (Bowl donated by Joe Lacy)	John Riehl/Gene O'Connor



(L. to R.) Tom Biddison—1981 "C" Doubles Champion; Pat O'Malley—1981 "C" Doubles Champion; Nancy Taylor—presenter; Bob Everd—1981 "C" Doubles Finalist; Bill Bruchey—1981 "C" Doubles Finalist.



(L. to R.) Paul Deitz MSSRA President; Mark Talbott 1981 Boodles Champion; Kay Deitz; David Talbott former B.C.C. Pro, now in Detroit.

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1970 R. L. Custer
1971 R. L. Custer
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1973 C. W. Dawson
1974 S. Rosenblum
1975 D. A. Talbott
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Doubles

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John Reese goes after one that Larry Heath missed as Sandy Martin and Tom Poor watch and hope that he doesn't get it. He didn't.



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Peter Hall and Jay Umans try to occupy the same space in the semi-final round.



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Scott Ryan returns one down the middle while partner Jay Umans backs him up. Peter Hall and Vic Harding prepare to react.



Elder statesmen Ted Friel, J.B. Miller and Joe Hahn caught at ease. Ted and Joe are past presidents of USSRA.



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Tournament Director's Duties and Responsibilities

Generally, the Second Vice President shall serve as the Chairman of the Tournament Committee. The Tournament Director of each MSSRA Tournament shall be appointed by the Chairman of the Tournament Committee and approved by the Executive Committee. He or she shall be responsible for the overall management of the tournament and insure that the tournament is operated in accordance with USSRA Rules and Regulations and MSSRA policies and procedures.

Duties and Responsibilities: As the overall director, he or she shall be responsible for the following:

Task

1. Insure that notices have been sent to all MSSRA Clubs and the media. Notices should include who to contact for tournament details. If it is an open tournament, notices shall also be sent to NCSRA and VSSRA as well as "Squash News."
2. Insure that an adequate number of registration cards have been produced (membership +50) and mailed to MSSRA members. If it is an open tournament, registration cards shall also be sent to NCSRA and VSSRA.



Coordination
 Secretary and
 Historian

Timing
 4 weeks

Mailing
 Chairperson

4 weeks

3. Recruit Flight Chairmen and brief them on their duties and responsibilities.	Chairman of the Tournament	3 weeks
4. Insure the availability of courts with MSSRA Clubs and arrange for specific court time for each scheduled match.	Chairman of the Tournament Committee	3 weeks
5. Arrange for prizes and awards.	Awards and Promotions	3 weeks
6. Arrange for social events if required.		3 weeks
7. Receive entries and insure that each Flight Chairman completes their report including a fair draw.		1 week
8. Insure that the draws have been posted at participating clubs. Mail a copy of the draw to the Treasurer.	Secretary and Treasurer	5 days
9. Keep the Chairman of the Tournament Committee advised of the Tournament proceedings.		During Tournament
10. Maintain records for results of each match including game count and forward tournament results to the Historian.	Historian	During Tournament
11. Be available during the Tournament to interpret policies and resolve disputes.		During Tournament
12. Assume financial responsibility for revenues and expenses of the tournament. Assure collection of racquet fees and sponsor contributions and operate the tournament in accordance with the bud-	Treasurer	During Tournament

Task	Coordination	Timing
get for refreshments, prizes, and miscellaneous expenses.		
13. Send records of all flights to Treasurer: (a) a registration card for each entrant; (b) racquet fee for each entrant, whether or not collected at the time; (c) record of expenses, if any.		Within 1 week after Tournament
14. Follow-up collection of dues.	Treasurer	

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MARYLAND STATE RANKINGS 1981-1982

at the conclusion of the
1980-81 Season

Rankings For This Year

This year we ranked and rated players in all singles divisions. A numerical system was used based on three tournaments: 70+ Blue Dot, Baltimore City Open and Maryland State Tournament.

*—Indicates player was advanced in rank at the conclusion of the 1980-81 season.

Players may appeal to the ranking committee for a change in ranking.

RANKING COMMITTEE—Frank Cushman, Joe Lacy, Mary McGuirk, Don Townsend.

CLASS "A" SINGLES

1. Sandy Martin
2. Peter Wilson
3. John Minkowski
4. Scott Jordan
5. Steve Rosenblum
6. Jim McCaslin
7. Bill Rice
8. Gene O'Connor
9. Bob Hogan
10. Ted Berger

CLASS "B" SINGLES

1. Dave Warfield
2. Rich Thomas
3. Arve Gillette
4. John Clarke
5. Peter George

CLASS "C" SINGLES

1. John Voneiff
2. Bob Travers
3. Dave Barclay
4. Don Townsend
5. Joyce Hogan
6. Mary McGuirk
7. Bob Everd
8. George Beall
9. Jan Markowitz
10. Rich Moxon

CLASS "D" SINGLES

1. Bruce Preston
2. Bill Berrault
3. Don Townsend, Jr.
4. Steve Jaeger
5. Kerry Tenberg
6. Scott Supplee
7. Pete Gerard
8. Bob Grose
9. Mike Purtell
10. Jim Smith



Nancy Taylor awards (left) Peter Wilson 1981 Finalist Mens "A" Division, and (right) Dr. John Minkowski 1980 Finalist Mens "A" Division.

STATE RANKINGS

1981-1982

(to be used for this year's tournaments)

The following players are classified "A" without ranking:

Matt Dillon
Paul Deitz
Paul Ellis
Haswell Franklin
Barrett Freedlander
Jim Hense
Murray Gilman
Malcolm Jensen
Jim Lacy, Jr.
Jim Lacy III
Joe Lacy
John MacColl
Frank Riggs
Tom Schweizer
Sam Shriver
Jim Tillman
*Dave Warfield
Mickey Webster
Peter Wilson
Peter Wolff

The following players are classified "B" without ranking:

Al Acton
Ron Attanasio
*Dave Barclay
Ray Blank
George Boynton
Ron Creamer
Lee Deskins
Stan Dorney
Mike Dunn
Charlie Fenwick
John Fetting
Mark Fetting
Jervy Finney
Joe Fitzpatrick
Tom Greene
Mike Inlow
Butch McCleary
Bill McGuirk
John Menton

Pat Miller
Clarke Murphy
Peter Parker
Tom Reilly
Tim Schweizer
Alex Sotir
Bob Smith
*Bob Travers
*John Voneiff
Al Weaver
Rufus Williams
Bruce Wilson

The following players are classified "C" without ranking:

John Beatson
Tom Biddison
Bill Bruchey
Emmett Collins
Bill Dorsey
Dave Denton
Dick Dunn
Dave Fogg
Lou Galambros
Bill Gillich
Jim Goodyear
Tom Gregory
Bob Harner
Doug Hornick
Mel Keller
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Lee Marston
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Bill McMillan
Ted Mudge
Marv Norin
Darryl Palmer
*Bruce Preston
Pickett Riehl
Howard Simpson
Nancy Taylor
Frank Wells
Bob Williams

CLASS "A" DOUBLES

1. Joe Lacy-John MacColl
2. John Menton-Bill Rice

The following players are classified "A" without ranking:

Jack Bandiere
John Beatson
Ron Creamer
Matt Dillon
Charlie Fenwick
Joe Fitzpatrick
Haswell Franklin
Jim Hense
Bob Hicks
A.C. Hubbard, Jr.
James J. Lacy III
James J. Lacy, Jr.
Sandy Martin
Pat Miller
John Minkowski
Gene O'Connor
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Frank Riggs
Dan Senft
Alex Sotir
*Rich Thomas
Bob Voelkel
*Dave Warfield
Mickey Webster
Peter Wolff

CLASS "B" DOUBLES (not ranked)

*Tom Biddison
George Boynton
Paul Deitz
Lou Ditch
Stan Dorney
Bill Edelen
Paul Ellis
Jack Fetting
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Rufus Williams

CLASS "C" DOUBLES

All players not listed in "A" or "B" Doubles

VETERANS DOUBLES

1. A.C. Hubbard-Bob Hogan
2. Joe Lacy-Bob Voelkel

SENIORS DOUBLES

1. Bob Williams-Dan Senft
2. John Riehl-Gene O'Connor

Insufficient Data — Jim Lacy-Tom Schweizer



(L. to R.) Jervis Finney—1980 Veterans Doubles Finalist—1981 "B" Doubles Finalist; Bob Voelkel—1980 Veterans Doubles Champion—1981 Veterans Doubles Finalist; Tom Greene—1980 Veterans Doubles Finalist—1981 "B" Doubles Finalist; Joe Lacy—1980 Veterans Doubles Champion—1981 Veterans Doubles Finalist 1980 & 1981 "A" Doubles Champion.

VETERANS' SINGLES

1. Gene O'Connor
2. Ted Berger

WOMEN'S SINGLES

1. Nancy Taylor
2. Mary McGuirk
3. Sally Shelburne
4. Toby Gordon

(Tie) Margaret Goldsborough

6. Annunziata Gould
7. Helen Lacy
8. Simmy Pell
9. Liz Cianos
10. Kay Fowler



Ted Berger, Veteran Singles Finalist 1979-80 and 1980-81



Flight Chairman's Duties and Responsibilities

Flight Chairmen will be appointed by the Tournament Director and be responsible for the management of their assigned flights. They shall not compete in the flight which they are chairing.

Duties and Responsibilities: As the Flight Chairman, he or she shall be responsible for the following:

Task

1. Conduct their respective flights in accordance with USSRA Rules and Regulations and MSSRA policies and procedures.
2. Complete Flight Chairman's reports and assist in developing the seedings and draw for their flight.
3. Although the Treasurer is responsible for collecting dues, the Flight Chairman must coordinate with the Treasurer to insure that each participant is a member in good standing.
4. Coordinate with the Tournament Director to insure that all participants have paid their entry fees.
5. Notify each participant of the match time and place, and name of his opponent.
6. Arrange for referees for required and/or requested matches.

Coordination
Tournament
Director

Timing

Tournament
Director

1 week

Treasurer

1 week

Treasurer

1 week

1 week

Chairman of
Referees

1 week



How To Prepare A Draw

7. Maintain record for results of each match including game count and forward to the Tournament Director	Tournament Director	During Tournament
8. Issue prizes and/or awards to participants and/or finalists.	Awards and Promotions	During Tournament
9. Be available during the Tournament to resolve disputes.		During Tournament
10. Keep Tournament Director informed and assist as required.		During Tournament

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Seeding

One person can be seeded for every four players entered in the tournament. It is not necessary to seed the maximum. The basis of seeding should be the current rankings and up-to-date playing results which can be obtained from the USSRA Office upon request. The positioning of the seeds in the draw is as follows:

In a 32 draw:

Seed #1 is placed on the top line (line 1).

Seed #2 is placed on the bottom line (line 32).

Seeds #3 and #4 are placed in the center (lines 16 and 17) as determined by the toss of a coin.

Seeds #5, #6, #7, and #8 are placed on the top lines of the second and fourth quarters (lines 8 and 9) and on the bottom lines of the first and third quarters (lines 24 and 25). Places are determined by the toss of a coin. However, seeds #5 and #6 must end up in opposite halves of the draw as must seeds #7 and #8.

Placing (Optional)

For every seeded player, a player may be placed on the opposite side of the section from the seed. It is not necessary to place the maximum. Placing can be used when a tournament director feels that there is a distinct group of players, after the seeds, that warrant positioning advantage. The group of players should first be determined and then randomly placed.

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If there are more entrants than places in the draw (a draw usually being 16 or 32 or a power of 2), qualifying rounds may be held to pare down the field to the necessary number. For example, if there are 18 players entered in a 16 draw, then the two extra entrants will require two qualifying matches of two players each—or four players. The winner of each match enters the main draw.

It is also possible to hold open a number of places in the main draw for qualifiers and to arrange a competitive format for such places. In this case, any number of qualifiers may compete for the openings. For example, if there are two places held open in the main draw and eight applicants, two mini-tournaments of four each can be held to reduce the qualifiers to two winners who will be placed in the open places in the main draw.



Byes

If there are fewer entrants than places in the main draw, then first round byes are given. In a draw of 32 with only 28 entrants, there will be four byes. The byes go first to the seeded players in order of seeding. Any additional byes are placed working from the outside towards the center of the draw and alternating to and bottom halves—lines 4, 29, 6, 27, 12, 21, and 14 respectively.

Making the Draw

Place the #1 and #2 seeds. Toss a coin for placement of the #3 and #4 seeds. Toss a coin for placement of #5, #6, #7 and #8 seeds. Keep in mind that the #5 and #6 seeds as well as the #7 and #8 seeds must end up in opposite halves of the draw. The balance of the entries, including any qualifiers, are drawn randomly and placed. If the names of the qualifiers are unknown at the time of the draw, identify them as "qualifier A", "Qualifier B", etc.

The sample draw is for 32 entrants. For a 16 draw, seed only 4 players, place accordingly, and proceed with the draw, qualifying rounds or byes using the same principle as for the 32 draw. For a 64 draw, 16 players may be seeded and placed along the same principles.

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MSSRA By-Laws

MARYLAND STATE SQUASH RACQUETS ASSOCIATION CONSTITUTION AND BY LAWS (as amended May 13, 1981)

ARTICLE I TITLE AND PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The Title of this Association shall be the "Maryland State Squash Racquets Association." The principal office of the Association shall be in metropolitan Baltimore, Maryland.

ARTICLE II OBJECT

The purpose of this Association shall be to promote the game of squash racquets in the Maryland area, to protect the mutual interests of the members of the Association, and to establish and enforce uniformity in the rules of the game.

ARTICLE III POWERS

The Association shall be an unincorporated Association in accordance with the laws of the State of Maryland. The Association is not organized, and shall not be conducted, for pecuniary profit, and no part of its funds, however acquired, shall inure to the benefit of any officer, member, or individual, except that the Association may pay consideration for work, labor, or materials furnished to it. In addition to the powers specifically conferred upon it by law, the Association shall have the power to receive gifts, devises, and bequests of money or property of whatsoever kind or description; to acquire, hold, sell, give, or otherwise dispose of such real and personal property as the purposes of the Association may require; and generally to do any and all other acts and things incident to and in furtherance of the aforesaid purposes of the Association not forbidden by law or by the by-laws of the Association. The Association shall abide by all rules of the United States Squash Racquets Association.

ARTICLE IV MEMBERSHIP

Membership shall consist of the following types:

a. **Military** shall consist of those individuals who are members of the military service and who are stationed at a military establishment within the State of Maryland, or who are attending a military school within the State of Maryland. Annual dues will be established by the Executive Committee.

b. **Collegiate** shall consist of those individuals who are bona fide students of any school, college, or university within the State of Maryland. Annual dues will be established by the Executive Committee.

c. **Organizational** shall consist of those clubs and associations located in Maryland, and which have been duly elected to membership by the Executive Committee. Dues and fees for the member clubs shall be set by the Executive Committee.

d. **Individual** shall be players or friends of squash who pay annual dues to the Association in an amount established by the Executive Committee. They shall be members of an organizational club or should be encouraged to join by the Executive Committee. Individual members shall be entitled (1) to participate in tournaments sponsored by the Association, (2) to receive a copy of the Association yearbook without charge, and (3) to vote at any general membership meeting.

ARTICLE V EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

a. **Powers:** The Executive Committee shall be entrusted with the management of the Association. Its duty shall be to carry out the purposes of the Association according to the by-laws, and it shall be the final authority in all matters concerning policy, administration, and management of the Association. It shall also be empowered to assign responsibility among the membership of the Association for the committees provided in Article X.

b. **Members:** The Executive Committee shall consist of the following members, a majority of which shall constitute a quorum: (1) the duly elected officers of the Association; (2) the two immediate past Presidents of the Association; and (3) the representative(s) to the USSRA.

ARTICLE VI OFFICERS

a. **Officers:** The officers of this Association shall consist of a President, a First Vice President, a Second Vice President, a Secretary, a Treasurer, and an Historian.

b. **Election and Term:** The officers shall be elected by a majority vote at the annual meeting of the Association for a term of two years.

c. **Disability:** In the event of absence or disability of any officer of the Association for a prolonged period of time, the Executive Committee may fill such vacancy during such absence, or for the remainder of his or her term of office.

ARTICLE VII DUTIES OF OFFICERS

a. **President and Vice-Presidents:** The President, and in his absence the First Vice-President, shall preside at all meetings of the Association and Executive Committee, and if neither shall be present, the Second Vice-President, the Secretary, or Treasurer, respectively, shall preside. The President shall appoint all committees not otherwise herein provided for; appoint the representative or representatives to the USSRA; and oversee the performance of the respective duties of other officers, committees, and representatives. In the event of absence or disability of the President, the First Vice President shall possess and exercise all the powers of the President.

b. **Secretary:** The Secretary shall conduct the correspondence and keep the records of the Association and its Executive Committee, shall issue calls for such meetings, and shall perform such other duties as the Executive Committee may from time to time assign.

c. **Treasurer:** The Treasurer shall collect the dues and other revenue of the Association, pay all authorized bills, keep the accounts, submit a report of the financial condition of the Association at the first annual meeting of the Executive Committee and a proposed budget for the ensuing year. He shall perform such other duties as the Executive Committee may from time to time assign.

d. **Historian:** The Historian shall maintain records of winners and runners-up of all tournaments, and shall maintain a file of all suitable photographs and clippings. He shall research all previous tournaments in order to maintain accurate historical records. He shall keep a record of the donors of all trophies. He shall research previous records in order to maintain a record of previous presidents of the Association. He shall serve as chairman of the Communications Committee. He shall perform such other duties as the Executive Committee may from time to time assign.

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ARTICLE VIII MEMBERSHIP DUES

a. **Organizational:** Each member organization shall pay the Treasurer each playing season annual dues for membership entitling it to participate in interclub play with one team, singles or doubles.

b. **Active:** Any individual member who wishes to compete on a team for an organization, to compete in individual tournament play, to be officially ranked, and to participate in all other Association activities and benefits.

c. **Contributing:** Those members who wish to be entitled to all the benefits of the Association as a friend of the Association and the game of squash racquets in the Maryland area by contributing to and sponsoring the Association's activities.

d. **Amount:** The amount of the annual dues and additional fees shall be set by the Executive Committee at the first annual meeting, and such dues and fees are payable upon receipt of the invoice from the Treasurer.

ARTICLE IX MEETINGS

a. **Annual Meeting** of the Association shall be held on the last Wednesday in March of each year.

b. **Special Meetings** and meetings of the Executive Committee may be called by the President at any time upon seven days' notice.

ARTICLE X COMMITTEES AND REPRESENTATIVES

a. **Ranking Committee:** This committee shall consist of a chairman and at least two other members, all of whom shall be appointed by the Executive Committee. The rankings shall be furnished by the committee to the Secretary and Historian of the Association prior to June 1 of each year.

b. **Tournament Committee:** This committee shall consist of a chairman and such other members as shall be appointed by the Executive Committee. It shall be the duty of the committee to make the draw and preparations for all tournaments of the Association. This committee shall have authority on matters concerning eligibility, defaults, scheduling of matches, time of play, and collection of entry fees. The annual agenda of matches and locations of play shall be furnished by the committee to the Secretary and Historian prior to June 1 of each year.

c. **Referees Committee:** This committee shall consist of a chairman and such other members as shall be appointed by the Executive Committee. It shall be the duty of the committee to provide referees for all tournaments.

d. **Nominating Committee:** This committee shall consist of a chairman and such other members as shall be appointed by the Executive Committee. It shall be the duty of the committee to nominate officers for the coming term. The report of this committee shall be submitted in writing to the President and Secretary three weeks prior to the annual meeting preceding the commencement of the term, at which meeting officers shall be elected.

e. **Representative to the USSRA:** The representative(s) to the United States Squash Racquets Association shall be appointed by the Executive Committee. He or they shall attend, on behalf of the Association, meetings of the USSRA and shall represent the Association on all matters at such meetings.

f. **Communications Committee:** This committee shall consist of the Historian, as chairman, and such other members as shall be appointed by the Executive Committee. It shall be responsible for publication of the yearbook and the newsletter, posting of notices of Association activities at

member organizations, liaison with "Squash News," and coordination with the general news media so as to effectuate adequate publicity of all Association activities.

g. **Special Committees:** The Executive Committee may appoint chairmen and other members so as to create from time to time such other committees as may be necessary for the proper functioning of the Association, including, but not limited to, those responsible for inter-club competition, annual dinner, awards, and the Baltimore Invitational Doubles and Singles, Insilco, Fitzgerald Cup, and Stevens Cup tournaments.

ARTICLE XI AMENDMENTS

The Constitution and By-laws may be amended at any meeting of the Executive Committee by the vote of two-thirds of all the members of the committee. Proposed amendments must be presented to the Secretary at least two weeks before any meeting, and a copy of such amendments must be mailed by the Secretary to all members of the committee at least five days prior to said meeting.

From the Association Historian

The purpose of the MSSRA Yearbook is to record and recognize the activities of our members—their attempts, successes and failures. We need your help. If you traveled to, competed in, or observed any local, club or national tournament, tell us about it. Your views are interesting to other members and, without your input, we can't record the happening.

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MSSRA Tournament Schedule 1981-82

<u>TOURNAMENT†</u>	<u>EVENT(S)</u>	<u>DATE(S)</u>
English Ball Classic	A/B/C/D	June 26-28
English Ball	A/B/C/D/V	Aug 14-16
Blue Dot	A/B/C/D/E	Sep 18-20
Fall Doubles	B/V	Oct 9-11
Fall Doubles	A/C	Oct 30-1
*Baltimore City Open	A/B/C/D/W	
	35/40/45/50	Nov 13-15
USNA Team Invitational	AT/BT	Nov 21
Fitzgerald Cup	Inv.	Jan 9
Veterans Singles	V	Dec 11-13
MSSRA Singles	A/B/C/D/W	Jan 29-31
MSSRA Doubles	B/W	Feb 26-28
MSSRA Doubles	A/C	Mar 5-7
*Veterans Doubles	V	Mar 6-11
*Baltimore Invitational		
Doubles and Singles	Inv.	Mar 19-21**
Seniors Doubles	S	Mar 15-19
Stevens Cup	Inv.	TBA

*USSRA sanctioned tournament

**Note that the BIDS date has been changed from that shown on your wallet-size schedule.

Virginia State Squash Racquets Assoc.

Oct 9-11	Holt-Bullington (Invitational)	Richmond
Feb 20-21	A Tournament	Charlottesville
	Sen. Women, Mixed Doub.	
Mar 13-14	Vets Singles	
	A Doubles	Charlottesville
Aug	Softball A & B	Richmond

National Capital SRA

Dec 4-6	Wash., D.C. Open	Wash., D.C.
	A, B, C, Vet	
Feb 5-7	Woodruff—Nee Inv.	Wash., D.C.
	A, 35+, 40+, 45+, 50+, 55+	
Feb 12-15	USSRA Singles	Wash., D.C.
Mar 5-7	National Capital Open	Wash., D.C.
Apr 2-4	Washington Boodles Open	Wash., D.C.
	A, B, C, D, 40A, 40B, 50+	

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Legend

APG	Aberdeen Proving Ground
BCC	Baltimore Country Club
CSC	Columbia Squash Club
D.C.	District of Columbia
DRC	Downtown Racquet Club
DSC	Deitz Squash Club
GS	Green Spring Racquet Club
JHU	Johns Hopkins University
MC	Maryland Club
PSC	Potomac Squash Club
RC	Racquet Club
TS	Towson State
TY	Towson YMCA
USNA	U.S. Naval Academy

Player	Club	Home Phone	Business Phone
Allan Acton	RC	323-2132	396-4396
Bill Amelia	DRC	728-0225	727-3100
Steve Archer		836-3748	
Ron Attanasio	RC	788-6181	1-371-4040
Jack Bandiere	MC	239-7530	727-4040
Nancy Miller Bandiere	BCC/RC	239-7530	237-5445
David Barclay		757-3571	268-5600
Clark Barrett	MC	825-6974	727-6820
Mary Ellen Barry			
Bob Bates		321-6645	666-1151
Bill Beale	BCC	433-5612	727-0840
Carolyn Beall	BCC	323-6226	
George Beall	BCC/MC	323-6226	727-6464
John Beatson	BCC/MC	366-5894	539-7644

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Charles Bell		532-8246	659-9107
Dick Bennett	RC	532-6655	727-1164
Jacob Benus		363-3143	
William Berault		256-6618	355-6600x65
Ted Berger	USNA	757-4594	984-9442
Maurice Bessman		467-8666	338-7316
Tom Biddison	BCC	323-1123	727-7702
Farlow Blakeslee		666-8594	367-6903
Ray Blank	RC	659-9345	659-9345
George Boynton	BCC	366-6265	539-7578
Lee Bradley	BCC	828-5241	321-3487
Mrs. Robert Bradley	BCC	323-3261	
Dick Britt	MC	363-1134	332-3060
Mary Brooks	RC	377-9145	955-5041
Rodney Brooks	MC	377-8369	727-7172
Bill Bruchey	DSC	939-0532	278-5849
Emil Budnitz	BCC/MC	377-9677	435-3100
Ralph Bulle	TY	665-0009	665-0009
Jim Campbell			
Bob Caret		882-6485	321-2670
Domenic Catton		666-3096	
Dudley Catzen	MC	486-3685	789-9400
Liz Cianos	JHU	628-1590	
David Claghorn	GS	296-5822	821-6886
John Clarke		268-2441	202-296-2950
Sally Clark		467-8262	237-5235
Peggy Classen	RC	377-8899	323-3800
John Coale	DRC	323-0329	
Nancy Cole		377-4344	
Emmett Collins	MC/RC	592-8128	889-8686
Bill Connolly	RC		252-3166
Vernon Cook	MC	433-9104	433-9104
Ed Cooper	BCC	825-2241	
John Corckran	BCC	435-2255	327-4500
David Cordish	RC	484-3637	539-4141
Ron Creamer	MC	252-9045	332-8807
Frank Cushman	MC	679-1359	727-2323
Richard Darrell	MC	727-2222	781-7070
Leo Davin	DSC	838-5358	332-7533

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Paul Deitz	DSC	838-3671	278-3372
Dan Dent	MC		
David Denton	DSC	879-3833	838-8566
Lee Deskins	DRC		804-898-9236
Matt Dillon	MC	377-7654	667-7245
Luther Ditch	MC	377-7038	821-6350
George Doetsch	BCC	433-9289	
Stan Dorney	BCC	561-0551	732-9300
Bill Dorsey	MC	435-6904	539-5040
Bill Downes	MC		539-4535
Eric Dressler	JHU	366-8591	
Bill Dulaney	BCC	848-1363	876-2117
Michael Dunn	RC/TY	668-6231	668-6231
Richard Dunn	DSC	661-0987	547-2035
William Edelen	MC	366-2133	561-0110
Gary Ehrlich		655-4305	828-8040
Paul Ellis	RC	838-7724	278-2344
Bob Everd	DSC	877-0751	338-1500
Chris Feiss	RC	435-2678	
Steve Feiss	MC/RC	435-2678	717-993-2588
Charles Fenwick	MC	833-4468	727-1700
Jack Fetting	BCC/MC	467-7681	752-1832
John Fetting			694-0663
Mark Fetting		448-9487	
Mike Finegan	RC	235-4127	296-6888
Jervis Finney	MC	486-3172	685-1120
Joe Fitzpatrick	BCC	296-0666	247-5500
Jim Flannery	RC	323-0088	252-2111
Katie Fowler		366-8571	
George Franke	BCC/MC	366-4997	
Haswell Franklin	BCC/RC	323-4611	539-2320
Steve Frazier		296-5348	466-0013
Barrett Freedlander	MC/RC	243-3240	539-3240
Bill Furman		435-7160	
Bob Gaines	BCC	377-2478	321-7200
Denise Galambos	JHU/RC	243-8049	
Louis Galambos	JHU/RC	243-8049	338-8363
Leon Galitzen	BCC	321-0567	879-2770
Joe Gazzam	RC	825-5442	837-2133
Peter George	MC	771-4232	667-7280
Peter Gerard	DSC	838-0128	838-7300x253

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Norton Gettes	RC	486-1512	542-2100
Arve Gillette	RC	433-1088	955-8190
Bill Gillich	APG	877-7163	278-2263
Murray Gilman	Atlanta	404-875-2639	404-588-4305
Chris Cockran		836-0065	
Richard Goldman	DRC	466-7174	661-1481
Margaret Goldsborough	RC	669-7330	396-5150
Jim Goodyear	BCC	528-1306	727-0225
Toby Gordon	JHU/RC	235-3620	955-6601
Aunnunziata Gould	JHU		243-7365
Franklin Gould	BCC/MC	202-862-8800	
Kingdon Gould		725-2018	202-785-9721
Jim Gray	MC	433-7924	237-5593
Sally Gray	RC	752-5493	
Suzanne Greene	RC	377-2342	
Tom Greene	MC	666-9342	796-2550
Tom Gregory	RC	435-5188	528-3427
Clark Griffin	MC	243-5244	727-0225
Bob Grose		467-1435	528-4247
Gordon Haines	MC	825-5585	539-5541
Joe Harlan	BCC	433-1644	837-2636
Liz Hargadon		377-7339	377-7339
Bob Harner	DSC	836-2667	879-0600
Alexander Harvey	MC	377-9069	962-4655
Elizabeth Harvey	RC	689-1467	955-3920
John Heller	JHU	467-8703	955-6070
Jim Hense	DRC/RC	377-6166	377-6669
Bob Hicks	BCC/RC	385-0444	685-2400
Joyce Hogan	JHU/RC	235-1288	338-7171
Bob Hogan	JHU/RC	235-1288	338-7060
Richard Hook	MC	323-1115	237-5495
Doug Hornick	RC	467-5781	528-6811
Steve Howell	MC	267-2831	
A.C. Hubbard	MC	825-8221	547-2072
Fred Hudson	MC	780-7584	685-4190
Steve Jaeger	RC	321-9682	547-4549
Stuart Janney	MC	771-4827	539-3240
Malcolm Jensen	PSC	840-1888	840-1888

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Gordon Jones	BCC/MC	825-2994	252-6470
Scott Jordan	RC	252-7736	366-1030
Randy Kahn		267-2831	
Sukon Kanchanaraksa	JHU	243-3980	955-2847
Mel Keller	RC	486-2076	367-7800
Steve Kelly	CS	653-3573	539-7808
Bob Kent	MC	338-0208	727-1700
Stanard Klinefelter	MC	435-4562	539-2530
Bill Krebs	BCC	486-1491	486-1491
Alexander Kuehl		563-1132	528-6846
Bob Kurtz	RC	828-9142	393-7453
Helen Lacy	BCC	433-1034	
Jim Lacy	MC	435-8786	539-4535
Jim Lacy III	MC	435-8786	
Joe Lacy	MC/DRC	433-1034	342-1148
Joe Lacy, Jr.	DRC	377-2193	342-1148
Stanford Lamberg	RC	466-7068	396-9185
Bill Lamble	BCC/MC	486-2828	752-0020
Page Lansdale		774-0180	953-7100
John Laporte	MC	321-7386	547-2088
David Larkin		666-9031	321-3052
Charles Libby		296-5822	243-3660
Ann Lilley	RC	889-8219	889-8219
Ron Lipinski	DSC	668-4461	
Rodney Locks	DC	434-3067	
Phil Lohrey	TY	377-7814	828-8178
Kevin London		466-1550	
Mark London		466-1550	
Jack Luetkemeyer	MC	377-4077	727-4800
John MacColl	MC	363-4218	539-2940
Carol Madigan	DSC	879-1365	
Jan Markowitz	JHU	235-1207	955-8755
Lee Marston	MC	647-7493	327-6700
Sandy Martin	MC	363-0525	837-0720
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Bernie McCrory	BCC	323-8516	321-9400
Dave McDonnell	BCC	433-1167	685-4400
Peter McGill	RC	433-4045	752-7440
Mary McGuirk	RC	836-2462	836-2462
Bill McGuirk	MC		237-5571
Bill McMillan	MC	429-2991	752-7848
Steve Meinson	DSC	561-0455	539-7578
John Menton	MC	467-4944	252-2111
Bert Meric		467-9217	528-3911
J. B. Miller	BCC/MC	435-5511	889-3400
Michael Miller	BCC	825-0073	889-3400
Patrick Miller	BCC/MC	435-5511	889-3400
Ric Miller	JHU	467-3341	338-7605
John Minkowski	RC	728-5280	
David Moore		467-8015	
Richard Moxon	JHU/RC	889-3310	955-5201
Ted Mudge	MC/DRC	838-8725	752-5200
Clarke Murphy	MC	823-2709	752-2131
Joe Murphy	JHU	563-4473	955-5100
Sandi Nolan	DSC	836-2482	
Bob Noll	TY	823-2259	765-3251
Marv Norin	RC	922-3496	353-4518
Gene O'Connor	DC	296-3211	633-9550x311
Tom O'Donnell	BCC	821-7074	465-9100
Karl Oesterling		289-5547	289-5547
Don Olsavicky	DSC	838-2385	838-2385
Pat O'Malley	BCC	252-4458	276-3400
Alexander Owens	JHU	235-4612	338-7386
Darryl Palmer	DSC	877-3839	355-6400
George Parker	MC	433-9000	
Peter Parker	MC	433-9000	752-2131
Todd Parker	MC	433-9000	
David Pasterchik	RC	628-6585	666-1400
Bob Patton	MC	467-3359	235-2225
Gerd Petrich	TY	252-3973	823-1413
Bob Phillabaum	DSC	272-0306	278-3045x4072
Ross Pierpont	BCC/RC	435-3663	296-6888
Chad Pistell	MC	685-0394	547-3368

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Tom Pittman		252-9510	667-1900
Matt Polk	RC	664-6856	837-4300
Steve Pollock	DRC	243-4013	428-6056
Lou Pratt		825-7623	661-1551
Miriam Pratt	RC	825-7623	
Bruce Preston	BCC	433-7441	788-6300
Gordon Priest	MC	889-5077	667-2451
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Jeff Quartner		323-5170	
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Ron Reifler	RC	664-1807	396-4429
Tom Reilly	MC	889-4583	685-2600
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Robbie Rice	BCC	666-3027	823-6111
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John Riehl	RC	377-4404	243-3400
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Lawrason Riggs	MC	235-0563	542-9000
Steve Rosenblum	DC		
Joe Rubino		235-2218	
Horace Rumsey			
Tony Rytina	MC	828-5530	342-2818
Chris Scarlett	MC	235-3904	752-3415
Aram Schlosberg	CSC		
Bill Schmick	MC	429-3945	332-6100
Tommy Schweizer	MC/DRC	377-0210	539-7644
Tim Schweizer	MC	363-0494	727-1700
Stuart Selonick		296-6893	
Dan Senft	BCC	235-0781	539-3500
Eddie Shaeffer	BCC		889-4400
Sally Shelburne	DC	279-4217	
Sam Shriver	MC	828-0416	377-2400
Sam Silber	MC	433-8204	433-8204
Howard Simpson	MC	323-4448	685-2323
Boo Smith	DSC	879-8324	879-2480
Fred Smith	BCC	323-5767	243-2550

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Jim Smith	MC	323-8522	955-4432
John Smith		433-4655	539-0252
Walt Smyth	RC	366-2391	276-1411
Michael Sonnenfeld		358-8371	
Alex Sotir	RC	321-1850	321-1850
Barry Spector		484-4555	644-0600
Bob Spooner		268-1772	267-2300
Michael Squires		435-7938	828-5800x2490
David Stam		235-9664	338-8325
Richard Staples		828-6254	821-9100
Dell Steinmann	BCC	323-2755	
Fred Steinmann	BCC	323-2755	685-4400
Rudolph Stewart		841-6376	338-1150
Laura Stieff	BCC	202-965-9618	202-223-4121
Alan Stifler		838-7874	323-2100
Jerry Styrt	RC	433-2507	433-2507
Scott Supplee	BCC	828-4572	
Francis Symington	MC	366-3050	366-3050
Greg Szoka	RC	734-7910	727-1164
Bill Tanton	MC	243-2822	332-6565
Nancy Taylor	RC	679-1359	676-0466
Kerry Tenberg	TY	426-7348	995-1383
Rich Thomas	MC	837-5099	837-3666
Jim Tillman	RC	821-8162	265-7500
Joe Tirella		323-7371	528-5955
Vernon Tolo	RC	435-3454	955-3609
John Tolson		366-7376	539-7578
Randy Torr	RC/DRC	467-0076	539-7578
Don Townsend	RC	828-9585	433-4550
Don Townsend, Jr.	RC	828-9585	
Leslie Travers	BCC	377-8326	298-3605
Bob Travers	BCC	377-8326	667-0900
Marv Trott	MC	889-0962	342-6013
Dan Velling		776-4377	677-5752
Carlisle Voelkel	RC	433-5774	
Bob Voelkel	RC/BCC/MC	433-5774	237-5836
John Voneiff II	BCC	433-5545	296-9100
Jean-Pierre Walder		821-6940	
Gene Waldron	MC	889-4559	685-2600

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Dave Warfield	BCC	821-1746	821-0200
Mike Warlow	MC	377-7284	539-5541
Mark Warren	DSC	679-6006	679-5445
Al Weaver	BCC	377-6636	539-5881
Mickey Webster	BCC/MC	534-1910	539-7010
Andy Weiland	RC	433-5655	323-2263
Harry Weitzel		974-0795	244-6647
Francis Wells	MC	363-1391	752-0051
Joan Weyers	RC	821-9693	876-2055
Bill Whitridge	MC	363-6398	547-3654
Bob Williams	BCC	828-5488	752-1191
Anita Williams	BCC	828-5488	
Rufus Williams	MC	833-4632	866-4450
Bruce Wilson	MC	823-0977	237-5202
Peter Wilson	CSC	730-2270	496-4333
Steve Wilson	MC	561-1719	727-2105
Henry Wittich	RC/MC	323-3796	235-0111
Peter Wolff	RC/TS	592-8533	592-8533
Doug York		296-4162 685-7346	
Patricia Xavier		235-5207	234-2370
Gary Zipper		922-8853	296-8620

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