

# HALL OF FAME

The California Police Athletic Federation (CPAF) recognizes individuals who have been associated with our Games for numerous years and who strive to exemplify the spirit of the Games. Individuals who consistently exhibit good sportsmanship, camaraderie and the overall excellence in their professions are being inducted into our "Hall of Fame".

This time we honor two brothers, Othal F. and Harlan A. Rippetoe, as our latest inductees. Both are retired from the California Department of Corrections and have competed in the Games for many years and won numerous medals in the Individual and Team events in Horseshoes.

## **Othal F. Rippetoe - 2008**

- Retired from the California Departments of Corrections as a Correctional Officer after 12 years of service
- Competed in his first Games in 1990.
- Has accumulated 82 medals for the Horseshoes competition in both the Western States Police and Fire Games and the World Police and Fire Games
- 2 time State Champion in the National Horseshoe Pitchers Association
- Has been a sports' competitor most of his life
- Set records in Track & Field events while in High School
- Played Varsity Baseball during his Freshman and Sophomore years in High School
- Played Fast-pitch Softball in the Sacramento City Leagues for over 20 years

## **Harlan A. Rippetoe - 2008**

- Retired from the California Departments of Corrections as an Associate Warden after 32 years of service
- Competed in his first Games in 1982
- Has accumulated 82 medals for the Horseshoes competition in both the Western States Police and Fire Games and the World Police and Fire Games
- In 1975 earned a Bachelors Degree in Correctional Administration from Sacramento State University
- Is actively involved in his community and serves as a member on the Madera Resource & Transportation Committee
- Has recently worked with the Madera Parks Department to secure grants and build 10 state of the art, lighted horseshoes courts
- President of his local Horseshoes Pitching League
- Assisted the CPAF in establishing a novice and short course pitch for the Games

Congratulations to all Hall of Fame Members:

Duke Nyhus - 2004  
Bob Burke - 2004  
Chuck Foote - 2005  
Matthew Pruitt - 2005  
John Rogers - 2006  
Bill Hartmann - 2006  
Cadelerio Lopez - 2006  
Lawrence Albrecht - 2006  
Don and Fran Haley - 2007  
Robert A. Buckman - 2007  
Lawrence J. Moore - 2007

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