

# ***SPORTS MUSEUM of DUTCHESS COUNTY***



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## **2011 Museum Newsletter Volume #3 – Fall 2011**

### **2011 UPCOMING EVENTS**

Induction Dinner	10/03
Annual 5K Run	10/23
Fundraising Lottery	November
Annual Meeting	12/05

These are tentative planned events, with dates & information on our website.

### **ANNUAL MEETING**

The Sports Museum of Dutchess County will be holding its' Annual Meeting on Sunday December 5<sup>th</sup> 2011, at Aloy's Restaurant in Poughkeepsie at 1:00 PM. The President's and Curator's End of Year Reports will be read at the meeting. Nominations & elections of Board Members will be held. All members are invited. Refreshments will be served.

### **DAILY LOTTO**

That time of the year again. The Sports Museum will be holding their November Lotto based on the New York daily evening drawing. Drawings will be held every day during the month of November. Enclosed with this newsletter are 2 lottery tickets. Tickets are priced at \$10.00 per ticket. Please help support the Museum by mailing your tickets, including your favorite **three** digit numbers and a check payable to the Sports Museum of Dutchess County to:

Bill Doxsey 147 Bower Road  
Poughkeepsie, NY 12603

This is one of our **major fundraisers** for the year and the Museum needs and depends on the support of its membership and friends to maintain the museum and its many artifacts. Additional tickets may be obtained by calling:

Bill Doxsey at: 845 452-8623 or email:  
[DCSportsmuseum@aol.com](mailto:DCSportsmuseum@aol.com)

### **2011 INDUCTEE DINNER**

The 2011 inductee selection committee meeting was held on Sunday June 5<sup>th</sup> and the following individuals were selected for induction.

**JOHN BASSO RALPH MURPHY JIM MURRAY CHARLES NUGENT MIKE PERRY**

The Induction Dinner will be held on **Sunday October 2<sup>nd</sup>** at the Wappingers Falls Knights of Columbus. For ticket information, please contact:

Cheryl Rose at 471-9790

This year we will be offering a choice of meals, which will include Prime Rib, Chicken Marcella or Fish. Please indicate what meal you would prefer when you contact Cheryl.

### **5K CROSS COUNTRY RUN**

The Sports Museum will be holding a 5K-Cross County Run and a 1-mile kids run on Sunday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> at 9:00 a.m. at Bowdoin Park in Wappingers Falls. For information and registration, contact Pete Sanfilippo at 845 297-7950 or visit our web site at [www.sportsmuseumdcny.org/](http://www.sportsmuseumdcny.org/)

## BOWLING EVENTS

The Sports Museum will again be hosting a series of bowling events at the local bowling establishment. Events are scheduled for the Fishkill Bowl, Holiday Bowl, Mardi Bob Lanes, and Southern Dutchess Lanes.

Please check our web site for dates.

## CLOSEST to PIN CONTESTS

Our first fund raiser was held on June 11<sup>th</sup> at Casperkill Golf Course on a cold & rainy day. The winner was Don Eckert from Peekskill, measuring 9' 6" from the pin.

The second contest was held at McCann Golf Course on June 26<sup>th</sup>. We had 52 participants, with the winner being Marc Meliti from Cold Spring measuring 13' 4" from the pin.

On July 16<sup>th</sup> our third fundraiser was held at the Dutchess Golf & Country Club. 42 participants competed and John Arborio was the winner with a closest to the pin drive of 5'.

Our last event for the year was at Beekman Country Club with 42 participants with the winner Chris Lovatik from Ossining with a drive measuring 11' 9" from the pin.

Thanks go to volunteers: Joe & Eileen Ennesser, Ron & Barbara Lafko, Ken & Cheryl Rose, Gerry DeFiglio, Don Meyer, Vinny Caserto, Dick Germiller & Bill Ponte for all their help



Committee Chairperson  
Barb Ponte



## SHOOT The DIAMONDS



We had a total of 15 shooters for the contest. Even though it was a small turnout, everything went well and a profit was realized. The coordinator for the event was Jackie Emslie who once again did a fabulous job. The winners were:

17 Under Category - Matt Davis (Poughquag)

18 Over Category - Lee Erickson (Philipstown)

Many thanks to all the volunteers who helped to make it a success.

## KIDS EXPO

Due to unforeseen circumstances, the Sports Museum will **NOT** be hosting a booth at this years Kid's Expo

For more information, please contact:

Jim Doxsey at 845.337.0026

## NEW TELEPHONE

The Sports Museum has a new telephone number.

**845.632.1570**

## WEB SITE

The Sports Museum Web Site now lists all upcoming events including any fundraising event that the Museum will be hosting on our web site. In addition, you can find the complete history of the Museum and a list of Officers and Hall of Fame Inductees since the Museum's inception in 1987. Directions to the Museum are also included on the site. Please visit us at:

<http://www.sportsmuseumdcny.org/>

## COME VISIT

The Sports Museum is located at Carnwath Farms, off Wheeler Road, in the town of Wappinger. We are open from January to November on Saturdays from 11am to 4pm, and Sundays from 1pm until 4pm or by appointment. There is no charge to visit but donations are always appreciated.

The Museum has a large display of exhibits including baseball, softball, football, golf, basketball, table tennis, boating, boxing, tennis, lacrosse and others. There are many old photographs, artifacts and newspaper articles, chronicling those who were instrumental in bringing Dutchess County sports, recognition. Check out the Volunteer Hall of Fame Inductee showcase and see how many of the inductees you know or remember.

The Henry "Moose" Karn Room contains many attractions such as the 1920's Ice Boat and the Melio Bettina gloves, which he wore while winning the Boxing Light Heavyweight Championship in 1939.

The Museum is continually upgrading and adding new artifacts on a weekly basis. Stop in and see what you may have missed on your last visit.

## WAPPINGER COMMUNITY DAY

The Sports Museum will have an information booth present at the Town of Wappinger Community Day. The dates for the community days are Sept 17 & 18 rain dates 24 & 25. Please stop by and talk to a representative of the Museum.

Yes, I will be happy to help support the Sports Museum of Dutchess County.

Please accept my donation \$\_\_\_\_\_.

Please submit to Bill Doxsey – 147 Bower Road – Poughkeepsie, NY – 12603

# SPORTS MUSEUM GOLF TOURNAMENT



Winners in the Golf Tournament were:

Low Score Foursome – Jeff Hickman – John Irvine – Joe Kile – Chuck Molt  
 Men Longest Drive – Brendan Lewis      Men Closest to the Pin – Lance Brooks  
 Women Longest Drive – Kay Ryan      Women Closest to the Pin – Deidre Karn

The Golf Tournament Committee would like to thank all the volunteers who worked the golf tournament. The Sports Museum would also like to acknowledge the many sponsors and contributors who helped to make the recent golf tournament a tremendous success.

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