Hoosier Backgammon Club NEWS LETTER
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EVERY WEDNESDAY - LeClub - Holiday Inn, North (at the Pyramids)
Registration: 7 - 7:30. Play 7:30 - 10

Take your choice of round-robin or match play for beginners, intermediate and advanced players. Awards: \$55 players' pool, \$20 gift certificate, FREEBIE drinks for a variety of reasons, "Bring-your-own-board" DOOR PRIZE. Reservations, please 872-0892.

Challenge "ARISTOTLE" the world champion backgammon computer is the "resident expert" at LeClub thru February. NO CHARGE to let him help you improve yourgame or beat him and he'll buy a drink!

GROUP INSTRUCTION? Yes, if we get ten or more requests. North Willow Apartment Clubhouse, 1840 W. 86th. Saturday afternoon 1 to 4.

HBC MASTER POINT STANDINGS: Thirty-one big points makes Jim Curtis hard to catch. Twenty-Four points puts Lloyd Baatz in 2nd place and 16 points gives Frank Baldwin 3rd. Mark Jones has retired as the resident expert and will be competing again-he had a mortal lock on the title last year. Other Scores: Art Overbay-15. Van Vandivier-14 (he has gone back to law school at Bloomington). Dave Armstrong-12. Dorisan Overbay-10. Butch Meese, Gene Elkovits, Bill Russell-9. Neil Ezell and John O'Toole -8. Pete Drippe, Geri Baatz, Donna Susens, Gino Agresti-7. Nick Nichols-6. Mark Carlson, Bill Hodes, Doug Smith, Teri Ivey, Jim Knauer, Margaret Roberts and Jim Grauman-5. New member, Clint McClelland shook everyone a bit his first time out with three tens and a seven in the advanced match play. This gave him 4 points to tie with Jim O'Hagen, Alan Tavel and Steve Zenobia. Complete list will be on display Wednesday night at LeClub.

Ask for entry forms for the Florida Citrus \$25,000-tournament in Orlando, Feb 19-22; the 5th Annual Bluegrass, Louisville, March 13-15; the 28th Annual Indiana Open, IAC, April 24-26.

SATURDAY, FEB. 21 is a big day for Indianapolis Backgammon players.

What: 1st annual Indianapolis CF Backgammon tournament Where: Sheraton Inn, East 7701 East 42nd

Why: Charity-help fight Cystic Fibrosis 545 to 21 Awards: Minimum \$1,000 in cash and merchandise

\$500 cash to winner

Special awards to high woman player and teenager "Bring-your-own-board" DOOR Prize

Free Sheraton Backgammon Lunch tickets Schedule: Morning 10 a.m.-12:30 -- Registration

Challenge matches with celebrity experts and/or—"Aristotle". Winners get \$3.50 lunch tickets.
\$2 (tax deductible) contribution for each game.

Lunch 11:45 - 1p.m.

Tournament 1 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. \$20 tax-deductible contribution. Round-Robin format. You compete in sections of 16-20 players. Prizes in each section

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