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HORSESHOE PITCHING TOURNAMENT “Shoes ‘n’ Brews Bar”

ALBUQUERQUE—September 4, 2015—So you think you’re pitch perfect? At horseshoe pitching that is! Well, come on over to the New Mexico State Fair and find out...

Qualifying will take place during the first seven days of the fair – September 10-17 – from 12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. daily. Registration is \$40 per team and horseshoes will be provided. Each team is made up of 2 people and the top 50 teams will advance to a Single Elimination Tournament held on the last Saturday of the fair, September 19, where they will be narrowed to the top 25 teams. The final competition will be held on Sunday, September 20. The first place team will receive \$2,500 in cash plus championship buckles, and custom Disc-It grills. The second place team will receive \$1,000; the third place team will receive \$750. The first, second and third place teams will be automatically qualified as a top 50 team in next year’s tournament. The competition will take place at the “Shoes ‘n’ Brews Bar.”

“We have found that people who attend the fair love activities in which they can be engaged and part of the fun, which was the motivation for the new “Shoes ‘n’ Brews” Tournament,” said Dan Mourning, general manager of the New Mexico State Fair. “Participants and spectators alike are going to really enjoy this new lively and spirited competition.”

The Shoes ‘n’ Brews Bar is located on the north end of Main Street directly north of the Manuel Lujan Complex and the Red Barn. For complete information and the link to register, visit the New Mexico State Fair webpage at <http://statefair.exponm.com/p/getconnected/281>