

Hall of Fame Nomination – Richard “Buck” Buchanan

Buck Buchanan was well known for his dedication and support of shuffleboard in all regions of the world where the game is played. In the FSA Central District, Buck held various administrative positions over many years. In 1991 he was elected 1st Vice president. After a very short period Buck moved up to the President’s position when then president, Paul Prescott took on duties of State President. During his time as President, Buck introduced the State Amateur masters category for end of season competition. For a period of 3 years commencing in 1995, Buck was National Delegate. In 1998, he became the District Tournament Director and was responsible for scheduling directors for all tournaments. He served in this role for the next 7 seasons and it was during this time that he introduced a training program for new directors. The result was that Central District had and still has more qualified directors than any other District in Florida. In addition to these latter responsibilities, Buck also served as the State Delegate from 2000 to 2005 and was always supportive of the views and wishes of the district membership.

In addition to his contributions to Central District, Buck also served administratively at the National and international levels. On top of all these duties, he was also recognized as one of the top pro players in North America.

Having served with Buck during some of his tenure in the District, it is an honor and privilege to present Richard “Buck” Buchanan posthumously, for induction into the FSA Central District Hall of Fame under the Special Award Category.

Respectfully presented by,
Clarence Wright and Max Tate, FSA Central District, Past Presidents.