Dear Shufflers,

I just wanted to thank each and every one of you who helped in any small or big way in making the 2023 Shuffleboard Banquet one of the best ever. I have said that it takes a village to raise a child. So many of our "villagers" helped, sometimes without even being asked. Thank you! To the cooks-you were superb. To the entertainers-you were fantastic. To the players-you were so talented. To the pushers-we can't do without you. To the guests-welcome. Each and every one of you made our dinner, day and evening just a little bit better. And to you who sponsored us-a huge thank you.

It is a lot of work to pull an event together which represents so huge an area, but because of the personalities of people, it is possible. I hope that we can all continue to make our "village" a terrific place to be, with people who get along and try to help one another. I can't thank you enough for all that you did to make the 2023 Masters Tournament so effective. I hope we can continue to make our year end tournament and banquet as much fun as it was this year. Congratulations to all the players and thanks to all the helpers. (Mary Jane Neumann, you are so appreciated for all you accomplished).

And to continue our toast-Here's to shuffleboard!!!!!

Gail Howell

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