

John P. Eubank
Knight of Turkey Ridge II
Monroe, Virginia
Inducted 2001

While at local tournaments in Virginia, you will see this Hall of Fame inductee out and about either hanging rings or making sure that the PA and timers are all set up and working properly. Although not a rider at the present time, he is a constant source of encouragement for his son, Jesse and others who ride tournament.

John began jousting at the early age of 13. He comes from a long line of tournament riders, most of which are presently Hall of Fame members. Both his father, Harry Tucker Eubank, Jr. and his grandfather Harry Tucker Eubank were tournament riders. He began riding the horse that belonged to his cousin, Doug Eubank, named Pico. He then moved onto his own horse named Tony, followed by another named Buck. John had to give up riding tournament due to his work schedule.

John became active in tournament once again when his son, Jesse, took up the sport in the mid 1990's. John brings an air of enthusiasm and support to the tournament. He is always present with a cheerful smile and words of encouragement for riders having the "off" day, as well as praise for those getting the job done. When you see John and his family pull in, you know that you can depend on him to assist in any way that he can to make the tournament run smoothly.

John is currently the President of the Amherst Jousting Association and has held this office for the past two years. He has also held other offices in years past. He has actively participated in the fundraising efforts of the club as well as any other tasks that needs to be undertaken. John is an active members of the Pedlar Ruritan Club where he has been an officer, El Bethel Cemetery Association's Treasurer and the is a member of the National Wild Turkey Federation.

The Amherst Jousting Association, as well as the Virginia State Jousting Association, is proud to present John Eubank for induction into the Hall of Fame in the year 2001. It is our hope that he will continue to participate and support the sport of jousting for many years to come.

