



# Booomer's Page



## Qualifier Scores Are In

The scores from last Saturday's 9 Ball Play Till You Win Singles qualifiers have been input and averaged into each participant's permanent record. You may find that a player's skill level has changed even though they did not play last week.

## Last Week To Add Players

Except in extreme situations, week 10 is the last week to add players to your team for all divisions, week 9 for all Thursday divisions. "Extreme situations" will be determined by the league office. We do not allow additions during the last 4 weeks of the session. If you need to add a player to your roster, you must call the league office to get specific instructions on how to do so. Failure to follow those instructions may lead to that person not being added to your team and any matches they may have played being forfeited.

## MAKE UP MATCHES NEED TO BE COMPLETED

All make up matches, including matches from Chinook Winds week, need to be completed by November 21. Thanksgiving matches need to be pre-played if you will not be able to field a team for that week. If you have not made arrangements with the other team to get your make up or pre-plays completed, you need to do so immediately. Failure to complete a make up match may result in your team not being eligible for playoffs or tri-cups no matter what position you hold in the standings. Makeup and pre-play matches need to be turned in when your next week's score sheet are due, even if you have a bye that week, to be considered on time. Be sure and call the league office before you do a make up to get the most current skill levels. Remember, the office is closed all day on Sunday.

## Office Hours Next Week

Merle and I will be leaving for Chinook Winds on Wednesday and will not be back until Monday, November 9. Cindy will be in the office from 10 am to 5 pm, Wednesday-Saturday. The office is closed on Sunday. If you must reach us, you can try the OPAL cell phone 503-381-6725 or John Blue at 503-481-0323.

## Winners

Nancy Lockwood and Jeremy Hill are our first two winners of the season. Each of them will receive an \$8 free play certificate. We will be doing weekly drawings until the end of the year for even more winners. All you have to do is go to [www.poolplayers.com](http://www.poolplayers.com) and pay your 2016 member dues online. It's fast, it's easy and no paperwork. Only those players who pay online are eligible. Pay your 2016 member dues online today!

## Treating Each Other With Respect

The key to having a good time during league is to treat each other, the host location and the bar staff with respect no matter what the situation is. It is not only expected of all of our members, it is required. Captains: If you have a player who cannot control their anger, is loud, obnoxious, rude or otherwise disruptive throughout league play, it is time to cut them loose. If you are the problem, then it is time to step down and let someone else, more level-headed, take over. Nuff said!



## Team Building Challenge

For the last 10 plus years, we have been able to send seven 8 ball teams and six 9 ball teams to The National Team Championships. It is our Spring session team count that determines how many teams that we get to send to Vegas. We would really like to get those numbers up to eight 8 ball teams and seven 9 ball teams for 2016. We need to grow to reach that goal. We are working on creating some new divisions, but that will not be enough to meet our goal. So we are putting this challenge out to you as individual divisions to get your divisions to grow. Below is listed the number of teams that we are challenging you to create by Spring session. Most divisions only need to grow one or two teams over what we had last Spring to meet our goal. This only applies to Open 8 Ball and Open 9 ball teams. Super, Ladies and Masters teams do not help us reach our goal for this challenge. Existing teams moving to a different division **do not** count as growth. Existing teams splitting, creating two teams, or playing an additional night **do** count as growth. Goal numbers are based on having no byes in the division. All teams in the division are expected to complete the entire session. Teams must be registered by no later than week 4 of the session and must complete the entire session. When a division meets their goal (set below), **every team in the division** will receive \$24 (\$48 for double jeopardy) in free play certificates to use as they see fit. Some divisions have already met or exceeded their goal and have received their rewards. All they have to do is maintain or exceed their goal for Spring session for **every team in the division** to receive an additional \$24 (\$48 for double jeopardy) in free play certificates. Exceed the goal that we have set and double your reward. **Again, that is every team in the division.** This is in addition to the incentives that we already have in place. If you need help, we have posters, sign up boxes and additional promotional materials at your disposal. Please contact us at 503-243-6725 or apaboomer@aol.com for more information. Good luck and good recruiting! Spring session registration forms will be out in a couple weeks.

Division	Spring 2015	Spring 2016 goal	Division	Spring 2015	Spring 2016 goal
Northeast	9	10	Midnight	8	10
No Po	9	10	Mid Town	7	8
Sunset	7	8 Completed plus 1	Clark Co	11	12
Downtown	10	12	Skyline DJ	14	16
Outback DJ	5	6	Southeast DJ	14	16
Farside DJ	8	10 Completed	Western 9	6	8
River City 9	11	12	Willamette DJ	14	16
Sunrise DJ	10	12	Gateway DJ	8	10
Southwest	6	8	Northwest DJ	11	12
Central 9	12	14	North Port 9	9	10 Completed plus 3
Mt Hood DJ	14	16	Midwest DJ	14	16
Columbia DJ	12	14	River City APA	12	14
Mt St Helens DJ	14	16	Berry Hill DJ	4	6
Southern DJ	10	12	Northern DJ	7	8
Mid Valley DJ	10	12	Far East DJ	12	14
Wagon Wheel DJ	8	10	Parkrose DJ	12	14



Have a Fun and Safe Halloween! Don't Drink And Drive! Watch Out For All The Little Ghosts and Goblins!

See You All At Chinook!