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# Boomer's Page

## NON-RATED PLAYERS MUST PLAY

All non-rated players, those without a skill level, must play at least once by week 7 or they will be removed from your roster, even if you have a "bye" that week. Double jeopardy teams, the non-rated players must play at least one 8-ball match and one 9-ball match if they are on both rosters. Players that are playing their first session ever must have a skill level based on at least 10 scores this session in order to advance to the regional and/or national level. The only scores that count are Spring session play, Spring session playoffs and Spring session tri-cups. Summer session scores will not count towards the 10. Every year, we have members going into tri-cups needing 5 or 6 scores. This drastically hinders strategy and if your team does well chances are your player will not get the required number of scores in. Don't dilly dally, get the 10 scores in during regular league play. We purposely make the Spring session the longest session to allow you to get your new players qualified.

## \$\$\$ NEXT TO A PLAYER'S NAME

\$\$\$ next to a player's name means that player owes us money. It could be from a returned check or money owed from a previous session. That money needs to be paid or that person will not be allowed to play in playoffs or tri-cups and may not be allowed to return next session. Encourage your players to call the office to make arrangements to get this taken care of, if they have not already done so.

## NEW PLAYERS AND THEIR SKILL LEVELS

As with every session, we have many new members in the league this session. Anyone with a membership number of 21700 or higher is new to the league. Please be aware that these new players will bounce around the whole skill level range until they get 6 or 7 scores in. We don't mind comments about these new players such as "has good cue ball control" or "good ball selection" but calling these players sandbaggers at this stage in the session does not even make sense. I dare to say that 90% of you did not start at the proper skill level or get there within the first few weeks. Give these new players a chance to get their scores in before assuming that they are purposely keeping their skill levels below what they should be. It is very rare that a player goes straight to their true skill level after only a couple of plays.



Aloha Challenge! Our team is packing their bags and getting ready to leave for Hawaii next week to participate in the Aloha Challenge on Feb 18. Because of the short notice that we were given a slot, we could not have a qualifying event to help raise funds for their trip. This is a thrown together at the last minute team and they are paying their own way. Best of luck to Stacy Enriquez, Larry Gee, Karrar Mayweather, Crystal Funderburk, Kevin Hess, Jeromie Underhill, Miguel Madrigal and Jordan Walden. Most of all have a great time! Looking forward to seeing lots of pictures!

# SPORTSMANSHIP AWARDS

The following teams earned the sportsmanship award for their respective divisions. The sportsmanship coins for each team were included in their Spring session folder

**Northeast-ZZ Topless, Death By Rabies, Tiger Fury**  
**Midnight-Powell Hurst Tavern Cues**  
**No Po-NoPo 10 Show**  
**Sunset-Flight Crew**  
**Clark Co-Hot Pockets**  
**Downtown-Chalk And Aw**  
**Skyline 8 and 9-Rackham Asylum**  
**Outback 8 & 9-Pocket Pounders**  
**Southeast 8-All The Almonds, Table Scraps**  
**Southeast 9-Table Scraps**  
**Western 9-Don't Talk To My Balls**  
**River City 9-The Miss Cues**  
**Willamette 8-Twisted Stixx**  
**Willamette 9-Twisted Stixx, Waterlogged**  
**Sunrise 8 & 9-Kamikaze!**  
**Gateway 8 & 9-Sticklerz**  
**Northwest 8 & 9-Stacked & Racked**  
**Central 9-Mark It Zero, Donnie, Broken Racks**  
**North Port 9-Wild Wranglers**  
**Mt Hood 8-Bomb Squad, WP Hoodlums**  
**Mt Hood 9-Bomb Squad**  
**Midwest 8-Chalkblockers**  
**Midwest 9-Why So Hard?, Chalkblockers**  
**Columbia 8-Inappropriate Name**  
**Columbia 9-Shark B8**  
**River City-Chalking Behavior, Who Cares**  
**Mt St Helens 8 & 9-A Family Affair**  
**Berry Hill 8-No Deals, Whatever's Clever**  
**Berry Hill 9-No Deals**  
**Southern 8 & 9-The Banks Open**  
**Northern 8 & 9-Sammy's Slammers**  
**Mid Valley 8-Kitty's Happy Hookers**  
**Mid Valley 9-Kitty's Happy Hookers, 2 Knuckles Deep**  
**Horizon Super 8 & 9-Got Felt**  
**Far East 8 & 9-Less Talk, More Chalk**  
**Wagon Wheel 8-Apotheosis, King's Table, Chalking Dead, Grumpy's Groupies**  
**Wagon Wheel 9-Grumpy's Groupies**  
**Ladies of the East-PMS-Perpetual Motion Squad**  
**Ladies-North-A Family Affair**

**League Of Our Own-Just Having Fun, Hot Pockets**  
**Parkrose 8 & 9-Zazu's Revenge**  
**Westside Doubles-Kx2, Eliminators**  
**M & B 8 Doubles-Quiet On The Set, Borrowed Spouses**  
**Wich-Sling 8 & 9 Doubles-WS 5**  
**Road-Wich 8 Doubles-Breaking Bad**  
**Back Alley 8 & 9 Doubles-Alley Sharks**  
**M & B 9 Doubles-The Way We Are, Empty Pockets**  
**Road-Wich 9 Doubles-Smokers, Thing 1 & Thing 2, Balz On The Wall, Solo-May, Red Rum**

