

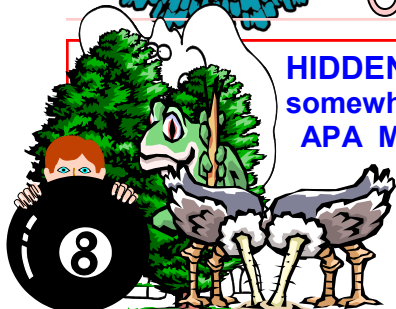


# The OPAL 'GEM' EXPRESS

Original Pool Amateur League: (OPAL) --" A Real 'GEM in YOUR Community!"

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**HIDDEN** (*Except when in parenthesis*) somewhere in this Newsletter are "5" more APA Membership numbers just waiting to be discovered. The Halloween Month is shaping up—Blindness as usual — No one else called in to join "Rhonda" in avoiding the Loser's corner from the Sept. 28th Newsletter so there'll be a topless party of "4" for your viewing pleasure and ridicule this week. From the Oct. 5th Newsletter—Same freakin' story. 1 more week to go guys!!!

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So folks, the reality is that there are 10 numbers out there for the finding... 5 from 10/5/'15 and 5 new ones from this week! Lose or Snooze—your choice to end up in the loser's corner where everyone can laugh at you, and flip you off with the old "L" sign—instead of you enjoying the salvation of being safe, and winning.

**REMEMBER**, You have only until the writing of the 2nd Newsletter following the one your number is in to call the league office with the magic words "Gimme My Shirt" Otherwise, it's off you go to the loser's corner where everyone can see you and laugh, giggle, snort, and snicker because they know there'll be a shirt waiting for them seeing how you must not of wanted yours!

**BE AN OPAL WINNER - FIND YOUR NUMBER**



November 5– 8 at Chinook Winds Casino in Lincoln City is going to be the place to be. Those who will be there will no doubt accumulate many cherished memories from being apart of this great and fun event.

It has proven to be the perfect get-away where you can relax and enjoy that which most of you cherish the most—playing pool while in the casual company of your friends and loved ones—and, of course, the opportunity to "Beat The Merle," and probably a chance to win a prize.

On Thursday we'll kicking off at 9 AM with our combined Skill Level

11 and below, 9-Ball Early Bird Scotch doubles event. Around 4 PM we'll be running a Singles event From 5 to PM we'll be checking in 3 person teams, and at 5 PM we'll be running some fun social events such as the Pool God's tournament, and/or maybe some rocket pool, and games of survivor in addition to the ongoing mini tournaments, and the "Beat The Merle."

Friday at 8:30 AM begins our official Opening Ceremony with the 3-person teams event kicking off with the first flight at 9:00 AM and then alternating the round-robin flights into the evening.

Saturday morning will be the transition of the 3-person team event from round-robin into the 32 double elimination bracket. At 10:30 AM round one of the Weekender Scotch doubles will begin, followed by the Open to anyone, toe to toe, no handicap singles event —the Lincoln City Open. In addition, all along the way there will be countless money paying mini-tournaments being played and conducted **(Continued on Pg 2.)**

## Chinook Winds (Continued)

(Continued from Pg. 1) for all skill levels which will include doubles and singles categories as well and some super fun special event categories as well. A little bit of something for everyone.

Sunday at Approximately 1:30 PM when the 3-person team Semi Final finishes We'll give out the remainder of the door prizes and draw the winners from the "Beat the Merle" contest, the raffle cues and cases, and the \$1,200. dollar check for the grand prize winner whose name is drawn, and who is (1) Physically present, (2) has a picture ID, and (3) has on their person—a current Chinook Winds Winner's Circle Card with that person's name on it. Over the years there has been too many to count that had their name drawn out and were not there, or were present but didn't possess—a free and easy to get—Chinook Wind's winner's circle card.

So, if you've not sent in your entry for Chinook Winds you better do it quickly because the sign up deadline is but only a short time away. It doesn't matter if you're a high or a low skill level—anyone can win.

## Funny's

Submitted By:  
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I WILL NOT LOOK AT HER  
BECAUSE  
SHE IS MY FRIEND



SAID NO MAN EVER!



Great Shot!



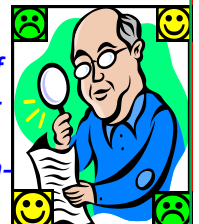
## THE LOSER'S CORNER

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The 4 people listed below are September 28th newsletter losers. If you happen to see any of these people let 'em have it LOUD & CLEAR—your best razzing and ridicule. and don't forget to give 'em the old "L" sign,—AND be sure and thank 'em for leaving a shirt in the box just for you!

- 1—CHANTEL POPE (97209039) who plays for Jake's "Momz Nite Out" in the Clark County APA D.J. division.
- 2—NOVA DAVIS (97218104) who plays for Watertrough's "Really !!!?" in the Downtown D.J. division.
- 3—PAUL MULLENS (97218931) who plays for Wrangler's "Posse" in Wagon Wheel D.J. division.
- 4—ROYCE REID (97220985) who plays for Bink's "Death By Magic" in the Northeast D.J. division.

If you don't want to be caught here for everyone to see, then look carefully to see if your number isn't hidden somewhere. REMEMBER, it is possible for your number to come up at anytime. Therefore, pay Attention to detail, READ THE NEWSLETTER..!



THERE, I FIXED IT!



I've waited all my life  
for this moment

