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HIDDEN (*Except when in parenthesis*) somewhere in this Newsletter are "25" more APA Membership numbers just waiting to be discovered. Halloween is just behind us so we thought rather than have Boomer eat all the leftover treats herself that we'd spread our treat-tricks around to you by hiding a few bunches of extra Halloweenie numbers out there for you to find instead. So get off your butts and go find your hidden number. — Nobody called in from the Oct 24th or the Oct. 31st Newsletter— so there'll be a topless party of "5" for your viewing pleasure and ridicule this week. There's 5 more numbers from Last week still out there plus the Halloweenie "25" from this week now out there to be found ...So get the lead out and go find 'em—surely with that many out in plain view one of 'em has to be yours don't ya think??? !!! (*insert sinister evil laugh here*)

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!**

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November 10– 13 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 10 PM we'll be checking in 3 person teams, and at 5 PM we'll be running some fun social events throughout the event such as the may-be some rocket pool, and games of survivor in addition to the ongoing mini tournaments, and, of course the "Beat The Merle." 97221048 contest.

Friday at 8:30 AM begins our official Opening Ceremony with the 3-person 97204858 teams event kicking off with the first flight at 9:00 AM and then alternating the round-robin flights into the evening.

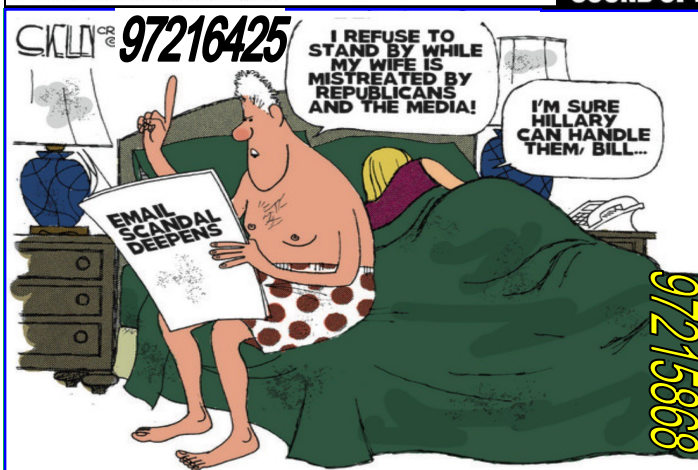
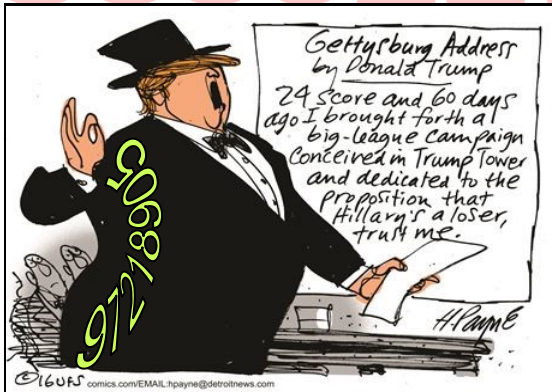
Saturday morning will be the transition of the 3-person team event from round-robin into the 32 double elimination bracket. At 10:30 AM round one of the Weekender Scotch doubles will begin, followed by the Open to anyone, toe to toe, no handicap singles event —the Lincoln City Open. In addition, all 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 events in addition to Saturday's Pool God's tournament as well. There'll be 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 then you've missed the 3 person sign up deadline, but you can still get in the Mini's, The Weekender Scotch, The pool God Tournament, The Lincoln City Open, and the Skill Level Competition, The Beat The Merle, and all the other fun events. Remember, anyone can Win.



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The 5 people listed below are October 17th newsletter losers. If you happen to see any of these people 77760279 let 'em have —your best razzing and ridicule. and don't forget to give 'em the old "L" sign,—while thanking 'em for leaving a shirt in the box just for you!

- 1—TERESA MAGANA (97212711) who plays for Kenton Club's "Motorboaters" in the No-Po division.
- 2—JAMES BROADUS (97217453) who plays for Falco's "Replacements" in the Park Rose D.J. division.
- 3—GREG SHIBATA (97221468) who plays for Coach's "Crooked Cues" in the Midwest D.J. division.
- 4—FOREST EWEN (97221290) who plays for Mouse-trap's "Mousetrap" in the North-Port 9-Ball division.
- 5—CINDY KINGREY (97297023) who plays for McAnulty & Barry's "Main St. Madness" in Willamette D.J. div

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. So, pay 97210147 Attention to 41690279 detail, and READ the 97207981 freakin' NEWSLETTER..!

