

The OPAL 'GEM' EXPRESS

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CIVIL WAR XXI IN 6 WEEKS

April 2nd 3rd the annual APA N-S Civil War XXI will be crossing cues down at Kolby's in Salem, Oregon this year. If you want to play, then start thinking about getting your entry in now before it fills up.

The South has beaten the North five straight years in a row not only denying Merle of his hat rack, but also has pathetically taken a 12 to 8 lead in the series!

We hope that Gawd-Awful Reign of terror comes to a halt this year! 🙏😊

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HIDDEN (*Except when in parenthesis*) somewhere in this Newsletter are "5" more **APA Membership numbers** just waiting to be found. From the February 1ST newsletter nary 'nother single soul called in to safely join "Joel Goodman" in avoiding this week's Loser's Corner—which means—there's going to be a big not going to win a shirt party of "4" Loser" souls on the back page that you'll get to point fingers and laugh at this week. Let 'em have it...

From the February 8th Newsletter, sadly, so far we have not received a single phone call from anyone saying they've found their number. This means that there's Ten (10) numbers still out there to be found. Five from February 8th, and of course, 5 new ones located somewhere within the context of this week's newsletter. If you haven't checked last week's newsletter—ya better grab one—There's one on our Web Site — or find someone who has a computer and check it out because probably one of those numbers is yours! All your friends and teammates probably can't hardly wait to see you end up in the loser's corner so (WWW.PACIFICNW.APALEAGUES.COM) they can laugh their butts off at you while flipping you the old "L" sign. So avoid the disgrace and humility at YOUR expense—go Look!

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 on the newsletter back page where everyone can see you. **BE AN OPAL WINNER-FIND YOUR 97219358 NUMBER!**

133 TO COMPETE IN SINGLES REGIONAL

FEBRUARY 27 & 28 TH

National competition which will be held at the fabulous Westgate Hotel and Casino located in Lost Wages Nevada in April 2016.

Likewise, on **Sunday February 28th** there will be another **77** players showing up who had previously won their way into the regional competition by winning a 9-Ball singles qualifier board in their various Skill Level Tier category. Like 8-Ball they will also be competing for one of five slots to represent us at Nationals. We want to take this opportunity to wish everyone of them all the best of luck, and success, and for them to take in, and enjoy, all the glitter and glamour for which Las Vegas is so well known for..

RODDER'S in Oregon City will be hosting the two day regional singles event.

On **Saturday February 27th** there will be **56** players, who won their 8-Ball singles qualifier board, competing for a total of five 8-Ball tier slots into the

DON'T BE MISSING OUT

Make your plans to attend NOW

Get your entries in EARLY.

**There are just so many slots available
and it will be FIRST come FIRST served**

ENTRY FORMS WILL BE ON OUR WEB PAGE:

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OPAL-APA NW 8-BALL INVITATIONAL

APRIL 14 - 17 2016

Chinook Winds Casino -- Lincoln City, Oregon



Submitted by:
Jim Elphick

Midwife Crisis !!!!!

A young lady in the maternity ward just prior to labor is asked by the midwife if she would like her husband to be present at the birth. "I'm afraid I don't have a husband" she replies. "O.K. Do you have a boyfriend?" asks the Midwife. "No, no boyfriend either." "Do you have a partner then?" "No, I'm not attached, I'll be having my baby on my own." **After the birth**, the midwife again speaks to the young woman, "You have a healthy bouncing baby girl, but I must warn you before you see her that the baby is black."

"Well," replies the girl, "I was very down on my luck, with no money and nowhere to live, and so I accepted a job in a porn film. The lead man was black." "Oh, I'm very sorry," says the midwife, "that's really none of my business and I'm sorry that I have to ask you these awkward questions but I must also tell you that the baby has blonde hair." "Well yes," the girl again replies, "you see the co-star in the movie was this Swedish guy."

"Oh, I'm sorry," the midwife repeats, "that's really none of my business either and I hate to pry further but your baby also has slanted eyes." "Yes," continues the girl, "there was a little Chinese man also in the movie, I really had no choice." At this, the midwife again apologizes, collects the baby and presents her to the girl, who immediately proceeds to give the baby a slap on the butt. The baby starts crying and the mother exclaims, "Thank god for that!" "What do you mean?" says the midwife, who was totally shocked....

"Well," says the girl who appeared extremely relieved, I just had this horrible feeling that she was going to bark."

Submitted By: Dan Bochart.....

**Be careful when you
follow the masses**

...sometimes the "M" is silent!

Submitted By:
Jeff Clohessy

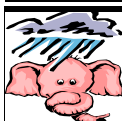


Two men are out ice fishing at their favorite fishing hole just fishing quietly and drinking beer.

Almost silently, so as to not scare the fish away, Bubba says, *"I think I'm going to divorce my wife, —She hasn't spoken to*

me now in over two months."

Earl, thinking over what his friend has just said, reaches down, picks his beer up off of the ice, and takes a deep, slow drink off his beer. Then, after wiping his mouth, thoughtfully turns to his friend Bubba and says *"Bubba, maybe you ought to think it over a bit longer,"* says Earl, *"cause women like that can be really hard to find..."*



THE LOSER'S CORNER



The 4 people listed below are verified February 97211028 1ST 2016 newsletter losers. If you happen to see any of these people let 'em have you're your full ridicule. Give 'em the old "L" sign,—and thank 'em for leaving a shirt in the box just for you!

1—DEVAN KELLEY (97219948) who plays for Coach's **"Originals"** in the **SUNSET D.J.** division.

2—RAY SUMMER (97220487) who plays for Underground's **"Free Ballin'"** in the **Northwest D.J.** division.

3—ROBERT TAYLOR (97221212) who plays for Pub 181's **"Kue Krew"** in the **GATEWAY D.J.** 07721279 division.

4—GARY JACKSON (97211028) who plays a McAnulty & Barry's **"No Pants-No Problem"** in the **Southern DJ** 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. Therefore, pay attention to detail, **READ THE NEWSLETTER..!**

