



HIDDEN (Except when in parenthesis) somewhere in this newsletter are “5” new APA Membership numbers waiting to be found. WT ????. Apparently we get to start out with Summer Session with a bunch of Losers out in the Loser’s corner. No one called in, which means there’s going to be a “Loser’s” part of “5” in this week’s Loser’s Corner.

From the May 23rd newsletter “Mr. Newlywed” Jason Grijalva (97200504) who plays for River Road House’s “Beardies Back” in the Southeast D.J. division found his number and called into the league office with the magic words. Jason may be hard of hearing, but he’s certainly not blind... Sadly though none of his fellow newsletter hidden number companions weren’t sharp enough yet to join him in avoiding the disgrace of the Loser’s Corner...

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 where everyone can see you and laugh, giggle, snort, and snicker, tee hee, ha ha, because they know there’ll be a shirt waiting for them seeing how you either don’t want yours, or maybe you really do prefer drawing negative attention to yourself..

BE AN OPAL WINNER---FIND YOUR NUMBER

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Capt.-Co-Captain Tournament



The first Saturday beginning the new session is usually the OPAL day of appreciation for all those who commanded teams the previous session. This time around, since we had holiday conflicts we moved this event to May 28th. Midway in Oregon City hosted the 23 player turnout. With the \$15 per player entry, and \$55 in added money from Midway and OPAL we had a total payout purse of **\$400** which was paid to the top ‘8’ finishers in the field.

The 32 Board tournament chart was modified single elimination which meant that every player was guaranteed to play at least two times, but beginning the 3rd round in the winners side it then became single elimination. The format was patterned similar to that of the US Amateur in that both 8-Ball and 9-Ball games were usually played. The winner of the lag had first choice of either to break or to name the game. If the lag winner chose to break then the opponent chose what game to play first. If the lag winner chose to name the game then the opponent got to break. Skill level 2 & 3’s had to win 2 games; Skill Level 4 & 5’s had to win 3 games; and Skill level 6 & 7’s had to win a total of four games.

We got started around 12:50 Pm just after everyone was registered, the board drawn, and a brief player’s meeting. We used all of the tables that were made available and the event progressed quickly. The final match ended a just a little bit before 6:00 PM. Everyone played hard and had a great time.

The race to the “bragging rights” was a straight forward journey for both finalists. **Tarek** (SL-7) **Zaher**, Co-Captain of “*Sotally Tober*” who plays out of Midway’s Public House in the Southern D. J. division, went undefeated all the way to the finals. In the first round he wiped out **Linda** (SL-4) **Johnson** 4-Zip. **Tarek** also scored a 2nd round 4-0 win over **Sean** (SL-6) **Walsh**, In round 3 he pulled out still another 4-Zip victory over **Clarice** (SL-3) **Burkhart** which left her in the bridesmaid slot and ended her tournament journey for the day. In the next Round, after fighting his way valiantly back through the loser’s side, **David** (SL-4) **Johnson** got clobbered 4-zip, but got to take home **\$25** 5th place money. In the Semi Final match **Adam** (SL-7) (*Continued on Page 2.*)

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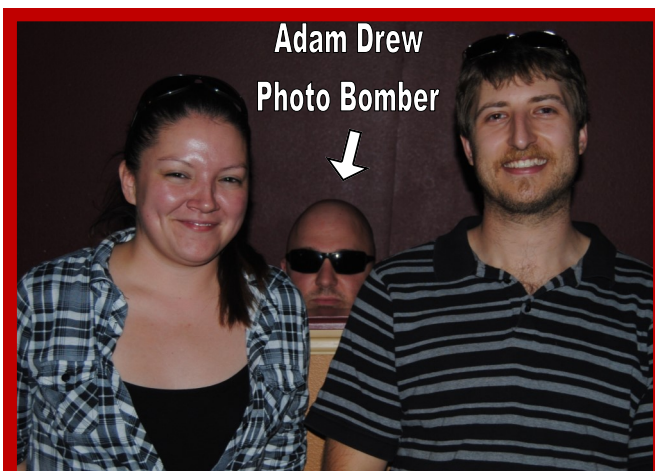


(Continued from Page 1) **Drew** manage to win the 1st game, but then **Tarek** put the pedal to the metal and won the next 4 games straight--3 Games of 9-Ball and one game of 8-Ball. For his efforts though **Adam** received \$50 in 3rd Place money.

Also, going all the way to the finals undefeated was miss **Galeena** (SL-5) **Amyotte** who Co-Captain's "Adam's Angels" who play out of MaGuffy's Pub in the Sunset division. **Galeena**, was a lot more nicer to her opponents then was **Tarek**—at least she allowed some of her opponents win a few games along the way! In Round one, **Galeena** took down the all powerful **Verrell** (SL-6) **Poston** in a double hill thriller 3-3. In round two **Galeena** again found herself at double hill against **Christine** (SL-4) **Bonin** before winning the case game for a 3-2 victory. In the bridesmaid round, **Galeena**, focused hard, and managed to take down undefeated powerhouse opponent **Ricci** (SL-4) **Jean-Bart** 3-Zip to leave her both broke and out of the tournament. Now perched in the money rounds, **Galeena** had to take on silver throated **Dave** (SL-5) **McDowell** who sang his way on out the door with \$25 in his pocket after being trounced 3-Zip. Moving on to the Semi's **Galeena** found herself matched up against **Christine** (SL-4) **Bonin** 97208391 again. This time **Galeena** took her down 3-1 leaving her behind holding \$50 in third place money while **Galeena** headed to the Finals to match up against the ominous **Tarek**.

In The Finals 3/4 race, **Tarek** won the lag, and took the break. **Galeena** named 8-Ball. **Tarek** won games 1, and 2. and then they switched to 9-Ball. **Tarek**. won the first game to put himself on the hill. **Galeena** said "That's enough son," and made her presence known by taking game #4. But, the writing was on the wall, and **Tarek** bore down to take the next game to claim the match and victory 4-1, the top money of \$115, and all the bragging rights to being the 2016 Spring Session Capt & Co-Capt Tournament champion. For 2nd place **Galeena** received \$85 second place money. Furthermore, as an honor, for having won this event previously so many times, **MERLE** gave **Tarek** the "honorary" status of "SL- 8" which means he will have to win an extra 5th game in each match of this event for the future.

Special kudo's to the Midway's Staff & Crew who did a wonderful job as hosts for this event. Also, to **Don** "Coyote" **Walker** for officiating and helping **Merle** with setting up the tournament, and along with **Christine Bonin** do the early round draws for both the upcoming "Triple Play Masters and "Jack 'n Jill" Scotch Doubles Regionals coming up at Rodder's next weekend..



GALEENA 2ND, & TAREK 1ST



THE LOSER'S CORNER

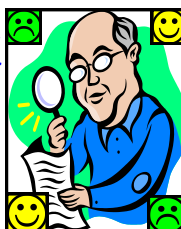


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The 4 people listed below are June 8th newsletter losers. If you happen to see any of these people let 'em have your best razzing. Oh, and be sure to give 'em the old "L" sign,—all the while thanking 'em for leaving a shirt in the box just for you!

- 1—STEVE HERRING (97208859) who plays for Sam's "Hit Squad" in the Central 9-Ball 97213578 division.
- 2—STEPHEN SWANSON (97212255) who plays for Joe Cellar's "Unconscious D" in the Downtown D.J. div.
- 3—SHAWN EDWARDS (97219214) who plays for McAnulty's "Main St. Madness" in Willamette D.J. div/
- 4—MICHAEL DONALDSON (97218402) who plays for Ice House's "Bus Boys" in the River City-9-Ball div.
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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. **RE-MEMBER**, it is possible for your number to come up at anytime. Therefore, pay attention to detail, **READ THE NEWSLETTER..!**



If your cup is only half full, you probably need a different bra.

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WOULDN'T LIFE BE PERFECT
IF SWEATPANTS WERE SEXY,
MONDAYS WERE FUN, JUNK
FOOD DIDN'T MAKE YOU FAT,
GIRLS DIDN'T CAUSE SO
MUCH DRAMA, GUYS
WEREN'T SO CONFUSING,
AND GOODBYES ONLY
MEANT UNTIL TOMORROW