



SW OPEN 2009 - A Great Success!

Held at: American Legion Post 73, Del City, Oklahoma
June 26 - July 5, 2009



June 26- July 5, 2009: The American Legion Post 73 annual "4th of July Tradition" SW Open 2009 was a great success. Players came in from across the U.S. and the RV parking area filled up this year. More players were able to drive in this year with the price of gasoline coming down. Next year permanent showers are one of the planned additions to the RV parking area.

Frank James, AML #73 Commander, did a great job organizing the event and improving the boards and facilities. Frank wishes to thank all the tournament and legion staff and extends a great big thanks to all players who came in to support/participate this year.

Some of the tournament Highlights summarized below:

MISCELLANEOUS - SW OPEN 2009 Highlights & Notables:

1) 22 Unrated Players Registered (Many "thanks" for attending!)
(See "ATTN RATERS" on page 6 for a list of the unrated players)

2) 134 Total Registered Players:

(14 4's; 29 3's; 35 2's; 28 1's; 18 0's; 10 -1's=134 Total)

3) MVP Winners (5 Rated Categories) added this year... winners were:
(each won a custom SW Open 2009 MVP jacket)

MVP Category -1's	David Williams Sr (TX)
MVP Category 0's	Mark Gray (MO)
MVP Category 1's	Rena Fleming (OK)
MVP Category 2's	Gary Mahaffey (TX)
MVP Category 3's/4's	Ken Teague (unrated) (TX)

4) King or Queen of Robins (Most Points Accumulated) Robin Winner: Ken Teague (unrated) (TX) - received a custom shirt for "King of the Robins"! There were over 50 robins played throughout the week with 100% payback to robin winners.

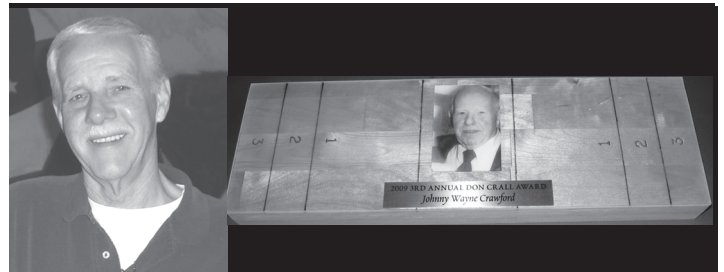
5) Great Raffles, 50/50's, Auction Items throughout the tournament (Tom Tom GPS, Digital Camera, Pampered Chef items and much more....)

6) Six (6) of the Table Shuffleboard Association Directors participated in the SW Open 2009: Mark Gray, TSA VP (MO), Lynda French, TSA CFO (TX), Larry Creakbaum, TSA Dir. (IN), Al Salazar, TSA Dir. (AZ), Jim Payne, TSA Dir. (NE), and Steve Walker, TSA Dir. (OK).

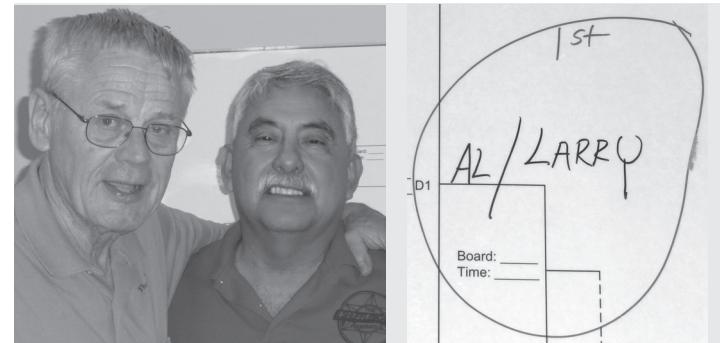
Note1: The AML 73 donated one TSA Membership to a membership drawing; and the TSA, Inc. donated two TSA Memberships to the drawing. The 3 Winners of the TSA Membership drawings were all OK players: Shelly Hays (Del City), Jim Gambill (Cushing), and Jim Hamrick (Wynnewood).

Note2: TSA Membership forms were available at the front desk throughout the tournament and a number of players joined/renewed. Also, one generous donation to the TSA was received from within.

7) Johnny Wayne Crawford received the "3rd Annual Don Crall Memorial Award". Congratulations to Johnny Wayne!



8) Champions of the A/B DRAW (SINGLE ELIMINATION) - 52 Players \$20 entry/\$1K+ Payout (paid 4 places): **Note:** This was an added event that was substituted for one of the robins.



1st Place (L-R): Larry Creakbaum (IN) & Al Salazar (AZ)

9) Frank James, AML #73 Commander, presented "Certificates of Appreciation" from the SW Open 2009 to: Tom & Lynda French (TX), Joyce Gamble (OK), and Glen Tubbs (MO).



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Overall Summary: AB DRAW (EVENTS 1 & 2) (Total: 49 Teams/98 Players)

AB DRAW DIV I (EVENT 1) -1's, 0's, 1's (21 Teams/42 Players)



1ST PLACE: Bobby Williams & Rena Fleming
(w/ Sponsor: Jim Hamrick)



2ND PLACE: David Williams Sr & James Cummings
(w/ Sponsor: Ronnie Gamble)



3RD PLACE: E.T. Jenson & Al Salazar
(w/ Sponsor: Ron Sosovec)



4TH PLACE: Pam Dowell & Billy Mays

AB DRAW DIVII (EVENT 2) 2's, 3's, 4's (28 Teams/56 Players)



1ST PLACE: Stuart McBurnett & Ken Teague
(Both "Unrated" Players)



2ND PLACE: Leigh Williams (center) & Jimmy Galvez (rt) (w/ Sponsor: John Moore (left))



3RD PLACE: Gary Mahaffey & Don Rogers (unrated) (w/ Sponsor: Jim Hamrick)



4TH PLACE: Christine Mahaffey & Larry DeGraffenried (w/ Sponsor: Lynda French)

AB DRAW DIVII (EVENT 2) *(continued from column 2)*



5TH/6TH PLACE (tie): Larry Creakbaum & Carol Audett (w/ Sponsor: Jim Hamrick)



5TH/6TH PLACE (tie): Bob Duer (left) & Jerry Beard (rt)
(w/ Sponsor: Bill Melton (center))

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Overall Summary: 4-PERSON BRING TEAM (EVENTS 3 & 4)
(23 Teams/92 Players)

4-PERSON TEAM DIV I (EVENT 3)
(10 Teams/40 Players) (Add to 1 or more; max. 1 pro/team)



1ST PLACE (Billy Mays Team):
Ken Storck, Ferlin Kearns, Pam Dowell, Billy Mays



2ND PLACE (Jim Payne Team):
Jim Payne, Justin Sparks, Steve Walker, Mark Gray



3RD PLACE (Bobby Williams Team):
Bobby Williams, Brenda Williams,
Rena Fleming, Jack Davis

4-PERSON TEAM DIV II (EVENT 4)
(13 Teams/52 Players) (Add to 9 or more)



1ST PLACE (Tommy McBurnett Team):
Stuart McBurnett (unrated), Bill Nichols,
Melody Baca (unrated), Tommy McBurnett



2ND PLACE (Gerald Wood Team):
Gerald Wood, Pooch Brent, (w/ Sponsor: Mark Gray),
Roland Harkless, John Moore



3RD PLACE (Gary Mahaffey Team):
Jimmy Galvez, Larry DeGraffenried,
Christine Mahaffey, Gary Mahaffey
(w/ Sponsor: Mike Taylor - front center)

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Overall Summary: SINGLES (EVENTS 5, 6 & 7)
(55 Players)

PRO SINGLES (EVENT 5) -1's & 0's (13 Players)



1ST-3RD PLACE (L-R):
Mike Taylor (1ST), David Williams Jr. (2ND), Billy Mays (3RD)

DIV II SINGLES (EVENT 7) 3's & 4's (20 Players)



1ST PLACE: Eric Stanford (unrated)
(w/ Sponsor: Joe Avent - right)



2ND PLACE: Ken Teague (unrated)
(w/ Sponsor: Jack Davis- left)



3RD PLACE: Stan Atteberry
(w/ Sponsor: Jeri Willaims - right)



4TH PLACE: Travis Ward
(w/ Sponsor: Billy Mays - left)

DIV I SINGLES (EVENT 6) 1's & 2's (22 Players)



1ST PLACE: Carlos Capote (left)
(w/ Sponsor: Joe Avent - right)



2ND PLACE: Mark Steelman (left)
(w/ Sponsor: Bill Melton - right)



3RD PLACE: Virgil Jones



4TH PLACE: Rena Fleming (left)
(w/ Sponsor: Larry Creakbaum)

UNRATED PLAYERS - SW OPEN 2009 - ATTN: RATERS

First/Last Name	TempRating	Area/State
Stuart McBurnett	2.00	DAL/TX
Alan R Martin	2.51	OKC/OK
Ken Teague	2.60	Abilene/TX
Cecil Mann	2.75	Breckenridge/TX
Johnny Henderson	2.75	Pauls Valley/OK
John Rodgers	3.00	Breckenridge/TX
Kenny Otts	3.00	Breckenridge/TX
Lynn Roy Farmer	3.00	Breckenridge/TX
Don Rogers	3.00	Edmond/OK
Joe Avent	3.30	Yukon/OK
Shelly Hays	3.50	OKC/OK
John Moore	3.50	Wynnewood/OK
Rocky Hill	3.58	Del City/OK
Melody Baca	3.60	Mesquite/TX
Jerrad Pressen	3.60	Catoosa/OK
Eric Stanford	3.60	Blum/TX
Chris Kircher	3.60	FW/TX
Thomas (TJ) Schwenk	3.60	FW/TX
Carl B Rodman	4.00	Del City/OK
Jim Gambill	4.00	OKC/OK
Mike Brandenburg	4.00	Del City/OK
Randy Farquharson	4.00	OKC/OK

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Overall Summary: 6-PERSON DRAFT TEAM (EVENT 8)
(13 Teams/78 Players) - All Play - 5/9 Dbl Elim - 15 pt games
Note: 1 more player was needed to have made 14 teams/84 Players



1ST PLACE (David WilliamsSr. Team):
Karen Carter, David Williams Sr., Sally Phillips, Joyce Gamble, Rudy Wedgeworth, Jimmy Galvez



2ND PLACE (Bill Melton Team):
Ken Teague, Jack Davis, Christine Mahaffey, Bill Melton, Gary Mahaffey, Gerald Wood



3RD PLACE (David Williams Jr Team):
Steve Soltis, David Williams Jr, Vicki Laws, Rob Weaver, Amanda Williams, Pooch Brent (and Sponsor: Lavern)

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Overall Summary: BRING PARTNER (EVENTS 9, 10, 11)
(31 Teams/62 Players)

BRING PRO DIV (EVENT 9)
-1s & up - no two -1's
(10 Teams/20 Players)



1ST PLACE: Mike Taylor & Larry Laws



2ND PLACE: David Williams Sr & Craig White



3RD PLACE: Doug Paben & David Williams Jr
w/ Sponsor: Larry Creakbaum (right)

BRING DIV I (EVENT 10)
1's & up - add to 3 or more
(13 Teams/26 Players)



1ST PLACE: Travis Ward & Gary Mahaffey
w/ Sponsor: Bill Melton (right)



2ND PLACE:
Steve Soltis (left) & Wayne Steinfels (right)
w/ Sponsor: Ronnie Gamble (center)



3RD PLACE:
Haskell "Hack" James & Ed White

BRING DIV II (Event 11)
2's & up - add to 6 or more
(8 Teams/16 Players)



1ST PLACE:
Della Greener (left) & Amanda Williams (right)
w/ Sponsor: Gerald Wood (center)



2ND PLACE:
Christine Mahaffey & Ken Teague
w/ Sponsor: Vicki Laws (right)