

3rd Annual Jack Steffensen Memorial Tournament

Held September 22-24, 2006

Blue Goose & Red Dog Taverns, Port Orchard, Washington

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Port Orchard, WA: The 3rd annual Jack Steffensen Tournament was held September 22nd through the 24th at The Blue Goose and Red Dog Taverns in Port Orchard, WA. The Blue Goose is a cozy little tavern nestled on the shores of Puget Sound with beautiful scenery abounding and lots of room for RV parking. The Goose is also home to two good boards with lots of character. The Red Dog is up the hill from the Goose. It also has two good boards. Transportation is provided from tavern to tavern for those who need it. Thanks for the rides Mike, everyone really appreciates it. Linda Steffensen would like to thank Dee Hudson, the owner of the taverns, for letting her have the tournament there.

This tournament is definitely one of the best tournaments in Washington with a promise to be even bigger and better next year. *The tournament boasted 27 teams with 12 in the A division and 15 in the B division. The winners were...*



**Div A - 3rd Place (Above L-R):
Mike Waters & Jim Foran**



**Div A - 1st Place (Above L-R):
Dan Hitt & Gordy Smith**



**Div B - 1st Place (Above L-R):
Mario Briones & Joe Paszkowski**



**Div A - 2nd Place (Above L-R):
Dean Mako & Alvin Orcutt**
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**Div B - 2nd Place (Above L-R):
Joe Smith & Judy George**
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**Div B - 3rd Place (Above L-R):
Melody Marine & Patti Preymak**



**Div B - 4th Place (Above L-R):
Michelle Foran & Rob Heidal**

The Friday night draw was won by Elaine Hill (from Canada) and Alvin Orcutt. Second place Friday draw was won by Clark Kenney and Dave Neal. The lagging 4's contest, sponsored by the Sportsmanship Committee, was won by Mario Briones. Mario lagged 3 4's and they were all against Linda Steffensen. Wow, that couldn't have been good for Linda.

The pot luck was delicious with chicken and salad served on Sunday. A big thank you to all of the people who generously donated to the pot luck. We couldn't have done it without you. There were also door prizes. A lovely painting donated by Claire Kenney and won by Gary George and binoculars with a built in digital camera was won by Carolyn Floyd.

As you can see lots of entertaining things going on at this terrific tournament and like I said, more to come next year!

Hope to see you there!!!

Michelle Foran 😊
Tacoma, WA

Miscellaneous Photo Collage



Linda Steffensen



Joan Millar (Canada)



Elaine Hill (Canada)



Sharon Nugent

Tim Nugent



Les Burt

Gary George