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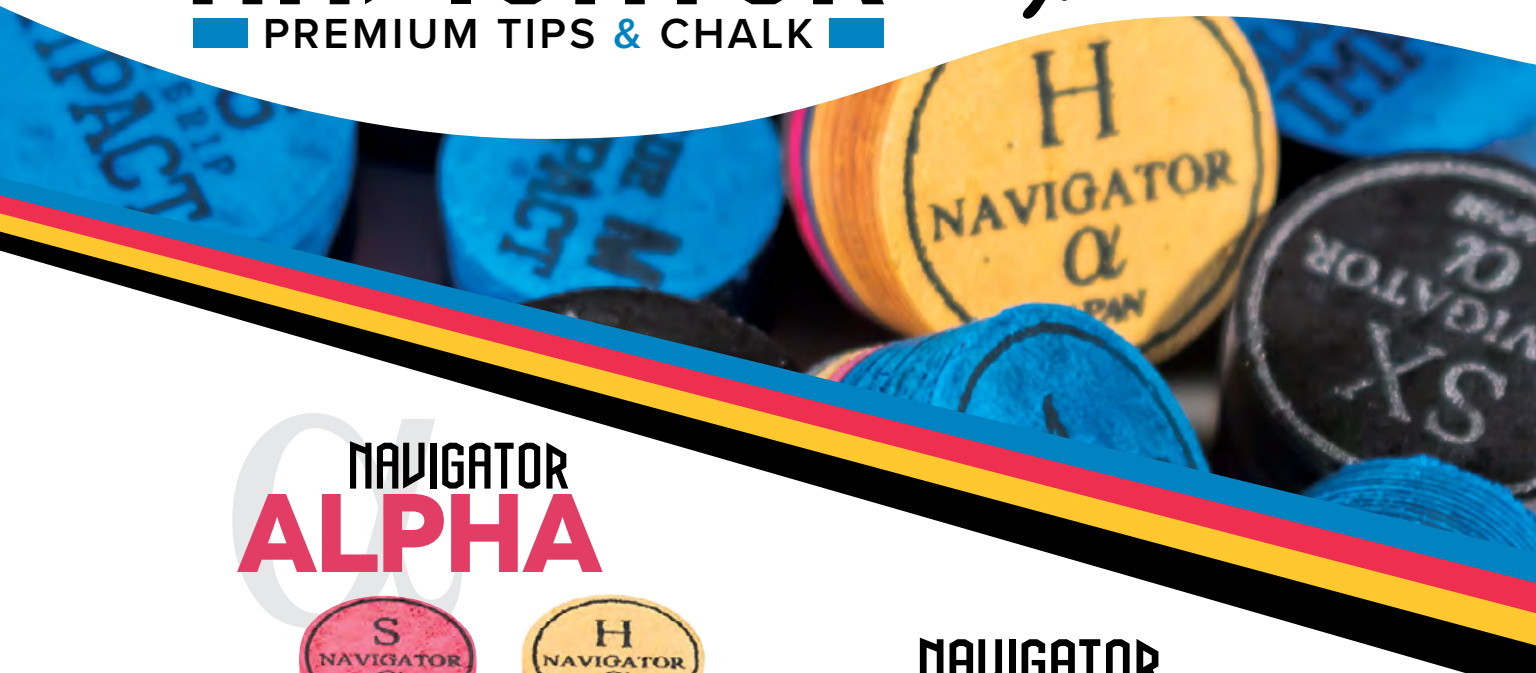
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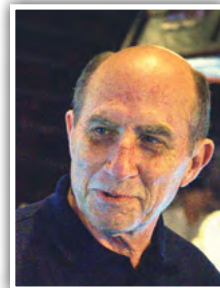
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FROM THE HEAD RAIL

Jerry FORSYTH

When working on the Aramith Masters article this month it came to our attention that events this year have often been won by some very young pro players. For the future prospects of the game of pool this is nothing but great news.



Many of us who have been around this game for far too long have often bemoaned the lack of youth involved in pool. We look around the pool room and everyone in there looks just like us. So we take the view from our miniverse and expand it to the universe. And we are fools to do so.

Even in the desert of American pool we are generating fantastic new talent. I cannot argue that it is coming from a per capita smaller talent pool but it is emerging nonetheless. Billy Thorpe is only twenty and he is ready to take on the world after his amazing performance at the Derby City Classic where he won the One Pocket and came in second to Dennis Orcollo in the Master of the Table all-around. He and other young yanks like Skyler Woodward are coming to the fore at the same time as are Ruslan Chinakhov of Russia and the new kid on the block, Klesti Kaci, the

18-year-old Albanian Wonder. Albania? Really? Did you expect that? The ladies have a gamut of talent coming out of Asia and America has April Larson and Serena Black while Europe offers us Diana Khodjaeva and Kristina Tkach. And all of the young men who represented both the USA and Europe showed immense courage and an abundance of skill. Maxim Dudanets competes successfully against the adult pros. So the talent is coming, and much of it is stunning.

Pool is riddled with a history of young talent that inspired others. Willie Mosconi gave shows as a youngster when he was billed as the "Boy Wonder". Loree Jon Hanson and Wu Jia-Qing have proven to us that talent may emerge enough that World Championships may be won by players who are too young to drive. Keep watching. You never know who will be next to make their debut.



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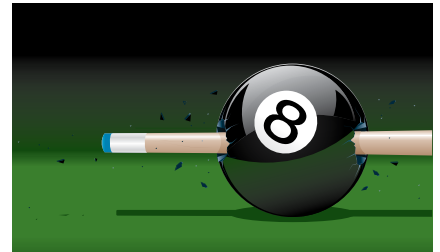
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Common Mental Mistakes

ANTHONY BEELER

Most pool players lose way too many games because of poor mental decisions. They do not know how to systematically approach each shot and control their emotions to maintain confidence.

This article will address three common mental mistakes that pool players make and will also show you how to eliminate them.

1. Don't Analyze your Stroke:

Any thoughts about your stroke during match play are counterproductive to performing well. Whether it is in between shots or during play, trusting in your current ability is far more important than trying to correct some sort of a stroke flaw. Trying to consciously control your body during any action makes the task more difficult. Think about the first time you rode a bicycle (“foot on pedal, now balance...”). Most people lose control of their balance and wreck. After some practice, you learn to trust your natural ability. Thinking about your stroke while attempting to pocket a ball creates tension, which interferes with the free-flow of a good stroke.

It's fine to think about your stroke in between matches or when you're practicing your fundamentals, but during a tournament your mind must remain silent for you to play your best. Stroke thoughts usually creep in during a match when you miss a few shots. After failing a few times, most players think it is necessary to look at all of the parts of their stroke in an effort to correct the problem. A lot of these misses are simply caused by tension, which increases as the player attempts to gain more control.

There's a saying that in pool, “you need to let go of focus in order to gain it”—and I strongly believe that to be the case. Instead of focusing on stroke mechanics, we need to be connected with our objective—shoot at a specific spot on the object ball and then trust our subconscious to do what comes natural. The best stroke thought is to trust the fundamentals you have, but if you need some help, you can always practice your stroke in



between matches. Remember to say, "1...2...3..." – SET, "1...2..." – PAUSE, "1...2...3...4..." – FREEZE.

2. Don't Think About the Score:

Unless you're in a situation where you need to know your score for strategy, it's best to forget about it. Some of the best matches in history have been played when one player didn't concentrate on what his/her score was. You'll find that when you play your best, it's like you don't care about the results and you don't judge it, you're just enjoying playing the game because it's fun. This is the mentality we need to adopt every game. Score is something that is external and completely out of our control. Tying your performance to the match score or ball count can create a roller coaster of emotions. If you can shift your concentration each match from being results-centered to process-centered, you will immediately start to see improvements in your ability to perform.



3. Don't Forget About your Pre-Shot Routine:

Taking the time to master a solid pre-shot routine is an absolute must if you want to become a more consistent

player. It is a positive way to ensure that you choose and commit to the right shot and execute it properly. If you don't have a meticulous pre-shot routine (which should be a habit), you are simply throwing away games. The section in my new book *Unstoppable! Positive Thinking for Pool Players* entitled Developing a Powerful Process is completely dedicated to this subject. If you would like additional instruction on how to successfully implement a powerful pre-shot routine just like the pros, you should enroll at Virtual Billiard Academy.

The complete pre-shot process can be executed in less than a minute. Being able to concentrate on your pre-shot routine also ties in nicely with the section above, which discusses players that concentrate on the score or ball count. Instead of making the score or ball count your primary goal, you should make following your pre-shot routine your #1 goal for every shot.



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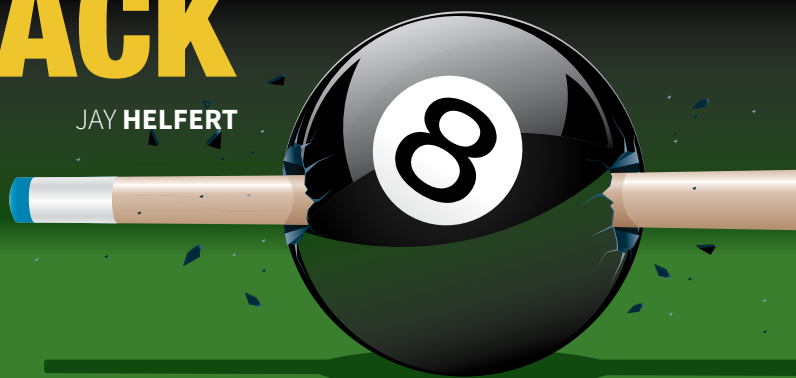


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LOOKING BACK



JAY HELFERT



It's long been debated as to what generation had the best players and my conclusion is that the greatest players of each generation would be champions in any era.

In the 60's and early 70's the dominant players were Luther Lassiter, Joe Balsis, Larry Johnson (Boston Shorty), Irving Crane and Harold Worst. Lassiter would gripe and complain from start to finish and still never get an inch out of line or miss an open ball; Balsis was rock solid at the table and treated pressure like his friend; Crane played methodically, never showing any emotion as he ran over you; the diminutive Johnson played equally well with either hand and the bridge was like his third hand. Then there was Worst, a unique pool specimen. His powerful body was always quiet, his mind calm, his demeanor cool and his presence overwhelming. You knew you were watching greatness every time he was at the table. He was the pro's pro, and the other players would congregate to watch him shoot.

From the 60's to the 80's Ronnie Allen dominated One Pocket with his creative genius, ultra-accurate kicking ability and uncanny accuracy on off-angle and multi ball combinations. To watch him play One Handed Up-In-The-Air was truly something to behold. Time after time you might say he

must have been lucky to have made a uniquely difficult shot, but after a dozen just like it you became convinced this was more than luck. Ed Kelly was his chief rival and even he marveled at what Ronnie could do. Kelly had this sweet as silk stroke and ballet like way of moving around the table. Perhaps the most graceful player of all time.

The 70's and 80's had a strong cast of characters at the top of the game, led by Steve Mizerak. Miz had the most powerful stroke and yet an ability to play soft finesse shots when necessary. He was the Mosconi of his era and all the rest were Caras and Crane. Nipping at his heels and finally surpassing him was Mike Sigel, who, like Lassiter, found reason to question nearly every roll of the cue ball. No matter as he turned everything into a made ball and continued on his merry way. Nick Varner, Buddy Hall and Allen Hopkins would have been the greatest themselves, if not for these two giants who opposed them. This was a stacked generation already and then along came the mercurial Earl Strickland who turned tournament 9-Ball into his own little bar table game.

The cherry on top was the introduction of a foreign society into the long American dominance. Jose Parica and Efren Reyes enlightened us all that we were not alone in the pool firmament. Parica moved the cue ball around like a yo-yo on a string and Efren made jaws drop with his shots from nowhere. Decades later and there remains no let-up in the seemingly endless string of talent to come out of the Philippines, with Dennis Orcollo the present master of the table.

In the 90's Johnny Archer emerged to challenge all comers and Shane Van Boening followed a decade later. But that was about it for American pool, as the game expanded exponentially in Europe and Asia. Wu Chua Ching sent shock waves through the pool world, winning the world title at sixteen and it opened the flood gates for a slew of Taiwanese and Chinese champions. In Europe, Oliver Ortmann and Ralf Souquet broke first ground with Mika Immonen, Darren Appleton and Niels Feijen following in their footsteps.

Because of the strong worldwide appeal that pool enjoys today, it could well be argued that this is the best generation of them all.

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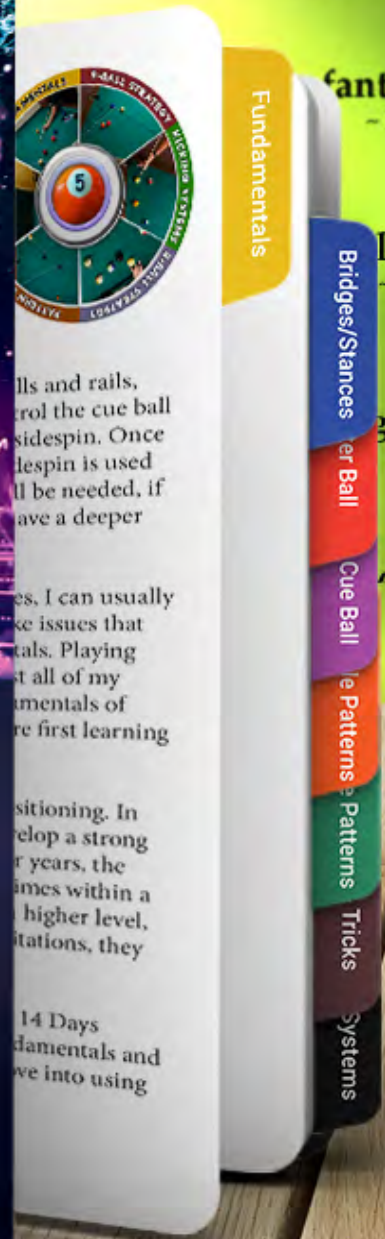
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Shots That Must Be Made



JERRY BRIESATH

Many amateur players that come to my pool school complain that they can't even make a long straight in shot.



What they don't understand is that if there is a lot of distance between the cue ball and the object ball, and also a lot of distance between the object ball and the pocket, it is no easy shot. Teaching the student good mechanics and a better stroke can make the shot more reliable, but it is still difficult.

Amateur players must realize that very few games are won because a player made a difficult shot, but rather most games are lost because players miss easy shots. So now let's talk about shots that you must make to

be a more consistent and competitive player. When the cue ball and object ball are on the same end of the table and the angle is 45-50 degrees or less, the shot must be made. Start keeping track of the easy shots you miss that are in this category because these are the ones that cost you games and matches. If you have trouble with the shots described above, you must practice repeating the shots until you are very confident that you will not miss in the future.

The same applies to playing position. When you are shooting a long diffi-

cult shot, position play is not high on the list. But when you have an easy shot, position must be as important as making the ball. Again, keep track of how many times you shoot an easy shot and don't get the cue ball where you would like. Practice the shot and repeat the shot until you are successful and confident.

Be careful of those players that never miss an easy shot, they are very dangerous.

Don't forget to slowdown that backswing. -- Jerry

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Fred Pankey

MELINDA BAILEY

Fred Pankey is a long-time one-pocket player who hangs out at the local pool room (Rusty's Billiards) in Fort Worth, Texas. When I say "long time" I'm not exaggerating - he's 96 years old! Fred is a funny, great guy with a huge sense of humor in his small, little body.

As a matter of fact, when I called him to ask a few more questions, he asked me, "Do I need to get my teeth in for this?" hahaha. He's very smart, alert, and still shoots pool - even on his birthday on March 14th (see photos). One of the greats we meet in the poolrooms.

Let's get to know him!

Q: Okay, Fred, first of all how does it feel to be 96 years young?

A: "No particular feeling, really. I think back to about when I was 25... I don't run as fast anymore; I've slowed down, and don't play pool like I used to."

Q: Why do you still go to the pool room?

A: "Well, all my friends are in the pool room. I don't have any friends my age or in their 90s like me. My friends in

the pool room are getting older, too (he laughs), but, I associate with them and we've been friends for 20 or more years."

Q: How often do you go?

A: "I go only about once a week now. I can't drive anymore, because I have numbness in my right foot and don't know if my foot is on the gas or break. So, I stopped driving - I don't want to hurt anybody."

Q: Your Dad owned a pool room across from the courthouse in downtown Fort Worth when you were growing up. Tell us about that.

A: "It was called "Pankey and Whitaker" back in 1918. He sold veggies and fruit out front, and ice cream, malts, root beer, and fishing tackle inside. My Dad also rented guns. It was the Depression in the 1920s and a lot of people didn't have guns, so he rented them."

Q: I thought it was a pool room?

A: “Well, it was a big place and had a large area in the back where people played dominoes. Then my Dad added nine 8-foot tables and then only had one section for dominoes. He also had a ticker tape, and 4 slot machines which were illegal (he laughs, admitting this). Also, when Roosevelt was elected, liquor could be sold, so my Dad added that to the counter area.”

Q: So you started playing pool there?

A: “Yes. My Mom was real particular with me and didn’t want me to go, so she didn’t let me until I was 14 years old. Eventually I liked it so much that I would practice before and after school for 2 hours each day, and also practiced when the pool room wasn’t busy. I did this for a couple of years.”

Q: You were in the Army for 4 years. Thank you for your service. What did you do in the Army?

A: “I was a Captain in the Infantry during World War 2. I went to Europe - France and Germany. I should have stayed in, but I was afraid I was going to be sent to the Korean War.”

Q: When did you meet your wife?

A: “Oh, I started to notice her when I was 15 years old. She turned out to be a pretty good looking girl, too! (he

laughs again) My wife was 6 years younger than I was and we were married on Oct 19th in 1946.”

Q: Did you have any kids?

A: “Yes, 4 children. And I stopped playing pool while we raised them.”

Q: You didn’t play at all the whole time?

A: “No. The next time I played pool it was after they were grown. I was 67 years old when I started back up.”

Q: Seriously? 67 years old?

A: (he laughs) “Yes! I didn’t have any time to play because my wife and I focused on raising the kids.”

Q: And you were able to pick up the game pretty easy after all those years?

A: “Well, I had developed a good stroke from 14-16 years old because I practiced so much before and after school.”

Q: What pool players do you remember most from your teens?

A: “Well, UJ Puckett was 8 or 9 years older than me and he would come play at my Dad’s pool room. He played 8am-3pm on the 8 foot tables and Puckett won most of the time. He gambled for several dollars (Fred laughs). I can



remember people playing for a quarter, even a nickel!" (he laughs some more). It was pretty rough in the 30s, though.

Q: It's weird to hear someone say "it was rough in the 30s."

A: "Well, it was!"

Q: Anyone else famous come around?

A: "Oh yeah, Willie Mosconi came to Fort Worth once and that was cool."

Q: Did you just hit balls at the pool room when you started back when you were 67 years old?

A: "Yes, but I also entered some local tournaments. Then my good friend Robbie Shumaker (local player) convinced me to play on a BCA team and we ended up playing Nationals in Denver, Louisville, and Las Vegas. He got me on this team because I played pretty good and so he asked me to play. We had a really good team for a few years."

Q: Did you gamble?

A: "Oh yes (he laughs). I started out \$5 a game one pocket for a few years, then eventually \$20-\$60 a game (and sometimes higher). I got pretty good at the game because I played for hours and hours at a time, numerous days a week, for years and years."

Q: Let's talk about health real quick. You had a double bypass in 1981 and also in 1993.

A: "Yes, the second time they found a leakage on the back of my heart and went back in to fix the leak. They patched it like a tire."

Q: You had a stroke in 2005?

A: "Yes, I woke up one morning and couldn't talk. But I am doing okay nowadays, even at 96."

Q: Tell us about your wife.

A: "We were married for 70 years. She passed away just this past November. The only time she had been in the hospital the last 70 years was when she had our 4 kids, and then when she passed away. She was 89 years old and I miss her a lot."

Q: Did you always enjoy Fort Worth?

A: "Yes, but my wife and I also bought a farm house and she loved it there so we would spend all our weekends

there. That's when I found out she liked to fish, too. I was a lucky guy."

Q: You worked at several companies for decades at a time throughout your lifetime and also owned a few businesses. When did you finally retire?

A: (Fred laughs) "At 75 finally. I worked for a geophysical business for 18 years, then started a company called Continental that was oil exploration that I really liked. I was also a salesman for a construction company that I owned with my son, and then also sales for a structural steel company - I liked that best."

Q: What is your biggest advice about pool?

A: "Well, I was never a good teacher, but I developed a good stroke at 14 because I practiced so much. So I would say practice, practice, practice."

Q: When you think about pool for the last 20-30 years, what do you think of?

A: "I used to enjoy martinis. I played pool for fun and enjoyed drinking. Don't do the drinking anymore."

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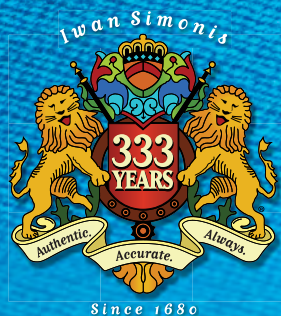
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Goal setting is arguably the best technique an athlete can use to immediately improve his or her performance. Interestingly, although this statement is true, very few athletes actually know how to set *effective* goals.

In other words, far too often athletes set what we call “do your best” type goals that are extremely vague (i.e. “to become a better pool player”) and without any timelines to measure success (re-read the example I just gave – how will you know when you have become “better?”).

Research studies in sport psychology clearly show people who set specific, measurable goals almost always out-perform people who set “do your best” type goals (or people who set no goals at all). By setting and achieving goals, your self-confidence will dramatically improve – and so will your pool game.

Below are tips to help with goal setting for immediate success:

- **Begin by brainstorming** all the goals you want to achieve, and for now don’t worry about how vague the goals might be (we will refine them later). Take out a sheet of paper and start writing down as many things as you want to accomplish and try to do this in just a few minutes.

- **Once you have your list, go back through each goal** and look to see whether it is vague (“win more”) or specific (“make at least one ball on every break”)
- **When writing your goals**, try to develop as many process goals as you can. A process goal is a goal you can control (i.e. starting each match confident and composed), whereas an outcome goal is a goal typically beyond your *complete* control (winning tournaments is great, but ultimately you never control ‘winning’ if the opponent has a shot to win, too). By reaching your process goals, you will ultimately reach more outcome goals (and win more games!)
- **Try to break your goals into three areas:** Physical, technical, and mental. An example of a physical goal can be making sure to get 8 hours of sleep the night before a tournament or to have water on

hand all day in order to stay hydrated. A technical goal might be to practice until you can successfully make 90% of spot shots. A mental goal could be making a point to use a deep breath between each shot.

- **Your goals should always be in writing** and you should have dates attached to each goal so you can monitor your success. It is also wise to develop short-, mid-, and long-term goals. We call this technique developing a “goal ladder,” and it has been found to be a very effective technique.
- **Other tips** include being realistic with your goals, as well as being somewhat flexible if you don’t first succeed.
- **Keep track of all your progress** by keeping a journal. While this may sound kind of funny, you will find that our memories are really not that great – and a journal will actually help you recall some of your better moments. Your journal should include all of your goals, as well as regular entries that allow you to update your progress along the way.

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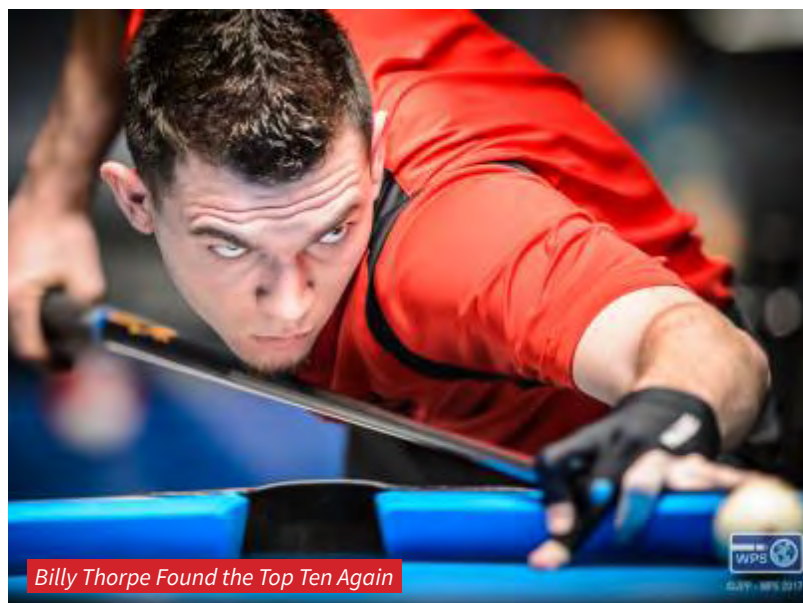
2017 has begun as the year of the hot new young guns. 23-year old Ruslan Chinakhov won the first leg of the World Pool Series, the Molinari Championship, back in January. He also won the 9-Ball Division at the European Championships and then went to Italy at the Dynamic Italian Open and grabbed 2nd place there. He also took home a respectable 6th place in the 9-Ball division at the Derby.

We also can remember the performance of another youngster, Billy Thorpe, as he rode into our headlights with a win at the Derby City One Pocket tourney and a second place there in the Master of the Table honors.

But at this event, the second in the World Pool Series produced by Darren Appleton, we found a new nova who threatens to eclipse even these recent



Ruslan Chinakhov has had a hot start for 2017 but got cooled a bit at Steinway



Billy Thorpe Found the Top Ten Again

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stars. Klenti Kaci made a true statement when he won out over 90 of the most powerful players on the planet and took his first major win.

Kaci had to truly test himself for this win. It was no luck of the draw gift that made this possible. In the last sixteen he had to beat Francisco Sanchez-Ruiz and the in the round of the Great Eight he took out Jeff De Luna of the Philippines. In the semi's he took down none other than Jayson Shaw and then, of course, in the finals he bested Carlos Biado two sets to none.

But much more than the money and even the title, Kaci showcased the kind of uncanny skill and psychological maturity reserved for players with years more experience. His ability to keep total control of the cue ball, keep the game simple, suck up the intense pressure as if it simply didn't exist, and hone in on the finish line like a fine tuned laser was simply breathtaking. This young man, who is still in high school back in his native Albania, has the goods and then some.

Kaci Never Lost Focus



Kaci started the day a heavy underdog in his semi-final match with the man nearly everyone considers the best player on the planet right now, Jayson Shaw. The Scotsman, however, was the one who played with his back against the wall, while Kaci was in total control throughout and never got rattled. While Shaw struggled to get comfortable, Kaci kept cool and won the first set, 6-4. Shaw was more competitive in the second set and the pair played a one rack decider. The Albanian showed more bottle and persevered to win the set, 7-6, to advance to a surprise final.

There he met up with the Philippine's Carlo Biado, who had played solid in his semi-final match against England's Darren Appleton, the man who founded the World Pool Series. The 35-year-old Filipino was the steadier of the



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two, winning the first set 6-3, then the second set 7-5 to advance to the final with a 2 sets to nil victory.

The WPS is the brainchild of Darren Appleton, and he has developed a format and a series of events that have certainly found favor with both the players and the fans. Pretty amazing,

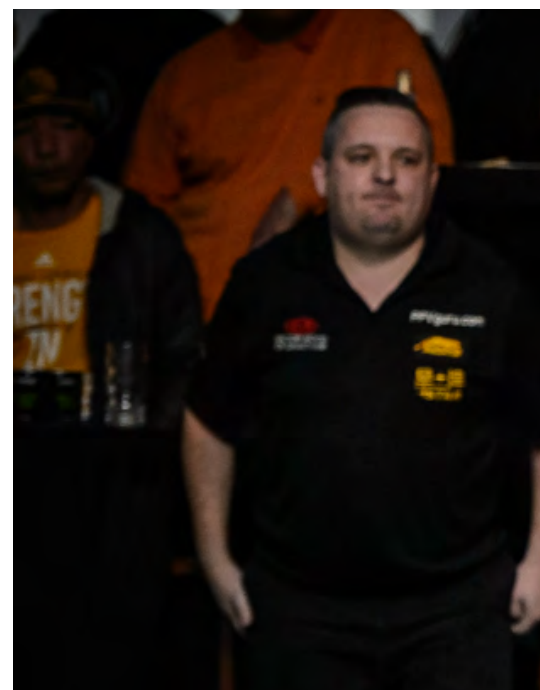
the man has hit a home run his very first time at the plate.

One of the unique new features of the World Pool Series is the implementation of the shootout to decide matches that end up tied with one rack left. The idea is to create excitement for fans, as each player is left with just

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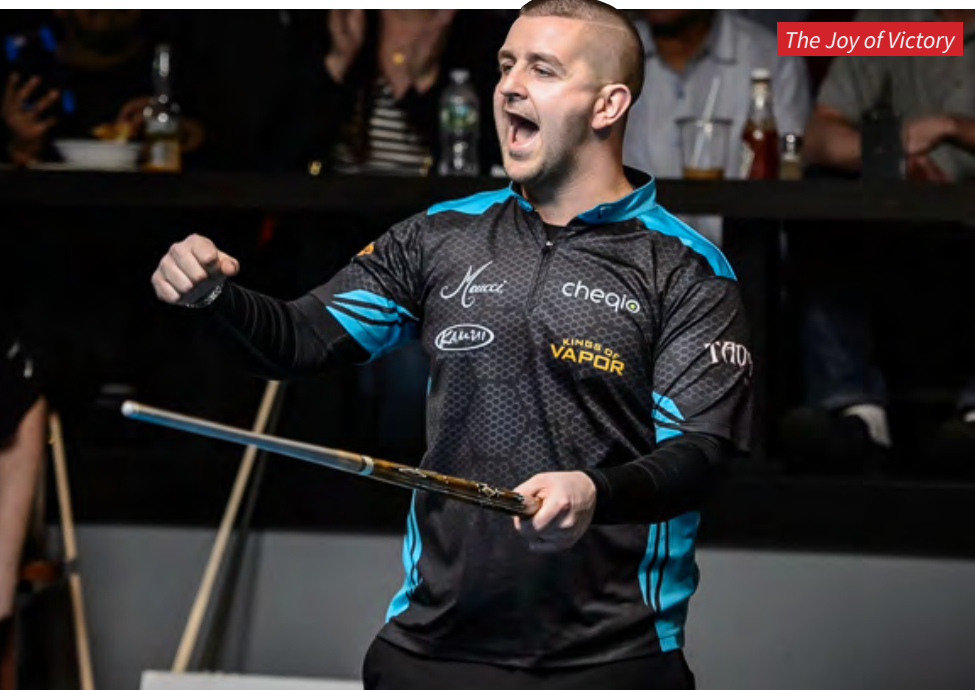
Melling, left, Enjoyed the
Shootout More than did Orcollo



one type of shot to make; 5 tries at a difficult full table cut on the 8-ball. It's the ultimate pressure shot as players are forced to show full bottle and guts to try and advance.

Three of those nerve rattling shootouts featured England's Chris Melling, who seemed attracted to the cliff-hanging drama like a bee to honey. Melling's stroke is normally steadied and honed by years of playing snooker, but several times he cracked under the weight of the moment. He won his first shootout, then lost his second, which sent him over to the loser's side of the double elimination bracket. The third time he found himself staring down the Philippine's Dennis Orcollo, with five cut shots on the 8-ball to decide who would move on to the final 16, and who would exit the tournament. Melling beat the Filipino four shots deep into sudden death to stay alive.

The event never lacked in excitement. The new format bought out the Pit Bull in every player. As here where Jayson Shaw Beat Chris Melling in the



The Joy of Victory

the start of the match Biado seemed intent on righting that wrong in his resume. In the first set, however, Kaci proved to be the more resilient as he raced out to a 4-1 lead in the first set and held off the Filipino at every turn. The Albanian stayed steady and focused, and never trailed capturing set one, 6-4.

Kaci kept up his solid and focused play in the second set. He hardly made mistakes, and kept amazing control of the cue ball in taking a 3-2 lead. Biado caught him and took his first lead of the match at 4-3, but Kaci never wavered and soon was back up at 5-4. Biado had more fire in this set and tied it again. But the Albanian pounced on several errors by the Filipino, kept his game simple and precise, shrugged off any pressure as if it was a mere nuisance, and took the last three racks for an emphatic 7-5 set win, and an unlikely title.

In the second chance Kamui Challenge tournament, the Philippines

Quarter-Finals but had to go all the way to a shootout to do it.

The final match is no stranger to Biado. He has been one of the world's top

players for the last four years and has come tantalizingly close to big victories including several world titles but never cashed in. During the interview prior to



Biado Gave It His All



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Aramith Masters



Florian Kohler, Lee Vann Corteza and Darren Appleton



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Lee Vann Corteza defeated Mika Immonen by shootout to take the \$3000 first prize. Pictured above with Florian Kohler (Venom) on the left and Darren Appleton on the right.

Karl Boyes and Warren Kiamco shared third place while fourth went to Josh Roberts, Elvis Rodriguez, Mark Vidal and Ruslan Chinakhov.

RESULTS:

ARAMITH MASTERS:

- 1) Klinti Kaci \$20,000
- 2) Carlo Biado \$ 8,500
- 3) Darren Appleton, Jayson Shaw \$ 5,250
- 5) D. Grabe, R. Souquet, Jeff De Luna, C. Melling \$ 3,500
- 9) Billy Thorpe, Raj Hundal, Ramil Gallego, Thorsten Hohmann, Francisco Sanchez-Ruiz, Brandon Shuff, Robewrto Gomez, Alexander Kazakis \$2,000
- 17) Mark Gray, Lee Van Cortezza, Shaun Wilkie, Dennis Orcollo, Johann Chua, Karl Boyes, Josh Roberts, Imanan Majid \$ 250

CHEQUIO CHALLENGE:

- 1) Lee Van Cortezza \$3,000
- 2) Mika Immonen
- 3) Karl Boyes, Warren Kiamco

“ **IN THE SECOND CHANCE KAMUI CHALLENGE TOURNAMENT, THE PHILIPPINES LEE VANN CORTEZA DEFEATED MIKA IMMONEN** ”



Kaci Refused to Be Shaken by Anyone



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The second event of the World Pool Series, The Aramith Masters, was held at Steinway Billiards in Astoria, Queens, New York City from April 5-8, 2017. The World Pool Series is sponsored by Aramith, Molinari, Predator, Cheqio, RYO Rack, Iwan Simonis, Kamui, Billiards Digest, Cuescore, Ultimate Team Gear, and High Rock Productions. Photos courtesy JP Parmentier.

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Van Cortezza

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to Maksim Dudanets 100-55 and to Chris Melling 100-13.

Van Cortezza and Melling would emerge from the round-robin phase with 6-1 records, while Hohmann advanced 5-2. Danny Barouty closed out the Group B set of four players to advance with a 4-3 record. The Iceman went undefeated in Group A (the only player to emerge undefeated from the round robin phase), and was joined in the quarterfinals by Carlo Biado (6-1), Bob Madenjian (5-2) and Darren Appleton (4-3).

Van Cortezza and Hohmann emerged from the round robin phase tied for the highest run of balls (101). Immonen, Biado, and Dudanets chalked up runs of 100 balls, while Melling took third place in that category with 99. Moving into the quarterfinals, Hohmann had won his five matches by an average differential of just under 87 balls. Van Cortezza, in his six winning matches, won by just over 63 balls. The closest match of the round robin phase saw Appleton best Michael Yednak by two balls 100-98. There were a few shutouts in the round-robin phase, but Hohmann, in the opening round, chalked up the largest differential, defeating Bob Darigis 100 to -14.

It came within a single match of being a repeat final between Lee Van Cortezza and “The Iceman,” Mika Immonen.

They'd been the finalists at the Kamui Challenge a week earlier (April 5-9) at Steinway Billiards, with Van Cortezza coming out on top, and both had made it to the semifinals of the US Open Straight Pool Championships, which drew 16 entrants to Pool Table Magic in Windsor Locks, CT from April 10-14. The Iceman, though, was bested by Thorsten Hohmann in those semifinals, and though Hohmann, at that point, was the only person to have defeated Van Cortezza in the tournament, he couldn't do it a second time. Van Cortezza took the final 200-149 to claim the title.

The event began with seven, round robin ‘flights,’ broken up into two groups of eight players, the top four of which, determined by match record, would advance to the quarterfinals. Van Cortezza and Hohmann were in the same group (B), which led to their first race-to-100 match in the third round robin flight. Hohmann handed Van Cortezza his only loss 100-21, though he (Hohmann) would end up losing twice in the round robin phase; once,

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The quarterfinals featured two Americans, two Filipinos, two Brits, a German and a Finn. In the extended races-to-150, the two Brits squared off, with Melling eliminating Appleton 150-13 (the largest differential of the quarterfinals). Van Corteza and Madenjian played the tightest match, with Van Corteza winning by 37 balls, 150-113. The Iceman downed Barouty 150-104, while Hohmann joined the semifinalists with a 150-41 victory over Biado.

It was a brand new set of semifinalists who squared off in this year's event. None of the four semifinalists from the 2016 event - Dennis Orcollo (eventual winner) Shane Van Boening (runner-up), Alex Pagulayan, and Warren Kiamco - were present. In their place

“ON FRIDAY NIGHT, THOUGH HOHMANN WOULD FINISH WITH THE TWO HIGHEST RUNS IN THE SINGLE ELIMINATION PHASE OF THE TOURNAMENT, VAN CORTEZA TOOK HOME THE TITLE 200-149.”

stood Mika Immonen, squaring off against Thorsten Hohmann and Lee Van Corteza, facing Chris Melling.

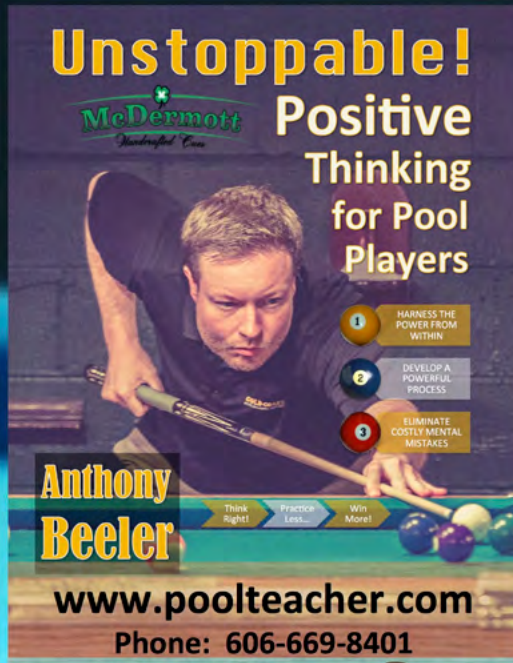
Hohmann downed the Iceman 150-28 (which included a run of 97), as Van Corteza got by Melling 150-89. Together, Van Corteza and Melling hold the Derby City Classic record-run

of 225 balls, chalked up in separate years.

On Friday night, though Hohmann would finish with the two highest runs in the single elimination phase of the tournament, Van Corteza took home the title 200-149.

The author would like to acknowledge the details of this tournament that were found on the Cue Score Web site (<https://cuescore.com/tournament/US+Open+Straight+Pool+Championship/1415586>) as well as facts drawn from commentary by Philip Capelle, who kept fans updated on his Facebook page throughout the tournament.

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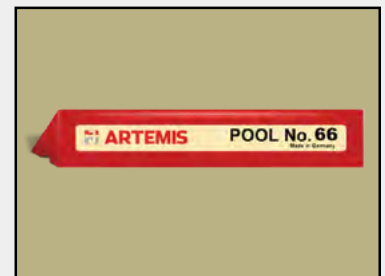
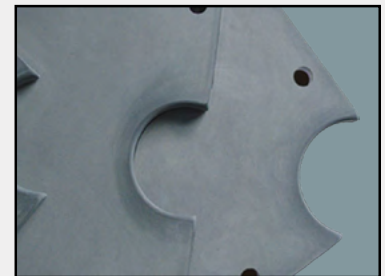
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THE BUZZ SPOTLIGHT

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ADMITTEDLY, THE BILLIARDS MEDIA SPENDS A LOT OF TIME CONTEMPLATING THE MOSCONI CUP, BUT THAT IS BECAUSE THE EVENT HAS GROWN INTO AN INSTITUTION AND IS USED AS A MEASURING TOOL AMONGST PLAYERS.

Billiards Buzz staff member Jerry Forsyth has been a part of the Mosconi Cup broadcast team at Sky Sport since the days of American domination of that event, and the other day we uncovered some old photos of the 2002 event taken by Diana Hoppe in London. 2002 was the event where the great turnaround of fates began as Europe took their second win in the history of the event there and sent a message that the Cup was no longer an American yearly inheritance.

This win was widely regarded at the time as a fluke. After all, the event had seen Team USA win seven of the eight events to date and had beaten Europe 12-1 in a massacre that cut the event short by a day only the year before.



FIGURE 1: Team Europe celebrates their second win in eight years inside York Hall, London.



FIGURE 2: Melanie Archer cheered her husband and his team with unwavering optimism.



FIGURE 3: Even the defeat-despising Earl Strickland helped the long-despairing Euros (Marcus Chamat, Mika Immonen) celebrate their win.

At the post-event party, the American side was jovial and projected the attitude that they knew they were still the best but that Europe had played well and, what the heck, the USA had to lose at some time, right? After all, this is short-race 9-Ball and anything can happen.



FIGURE 5: The legendary Sid Waddell captained the broadcast with his unique wit and vocabulary.

For fact, the USA did win again in 2003, 2004 and 2005, but by 2006 the tide had changed and Europe began their era of domination that continues to this day. We thought you would enjoy seeing these photos again and revisiting a time fifteen years again when we were all a bit younger. and the pro pool landscape centered all around the world on the USA.



FIGURE 4: The referees in 2002 were Nigel Reese and Michaela Tabb

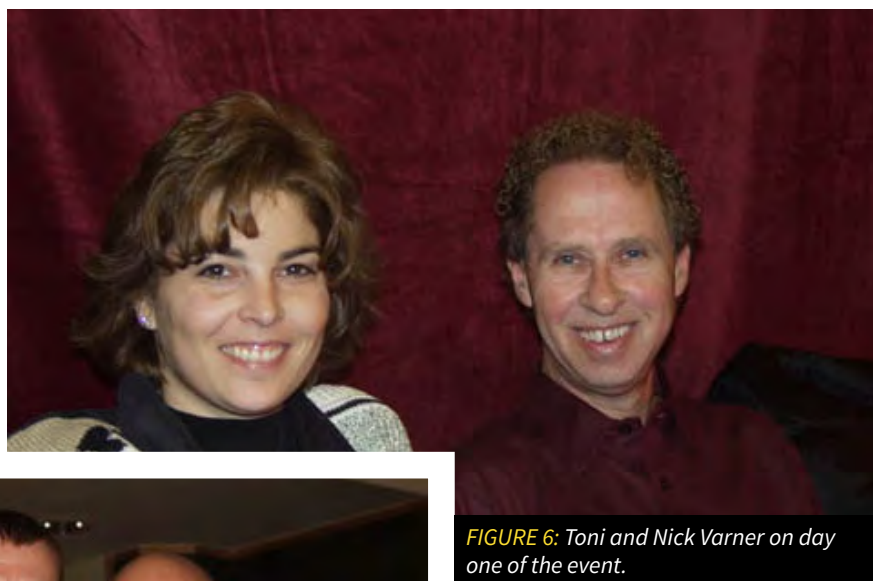


FIGURE 6: Toni and Nick Varner on day one of the event.



FIGURE 7: Steve Davis, Left, celebrates sinking the winning nine ball with broadcast partner Forsyth

The teams in 2002 consisted of Johnny Archer, Nick Varner, Jeremy Jones, Corey Deuel, Earl Strickland and Charlie Williams for the USA and Oliver Ortmann, Mika Immonen, Ralf Souquet, Nick van den Berg, Marcus Chamat and Steve Davis for Team Europe. Steve did double-duty that year as both a player and a commentator for Sky Sport and sank the final nine ball against Earl Strickland after Strickland had missed a tough reverse-cut shot on the six ball that allowed Davis to run out the rack.



2017 MOSCONI CUP

TEAM USA STANDINGS AFTER SEVEN EVENTS

With Three more events played on the USA Mosconi Cup ranking, it's that man again as Shane Van Boening once again tops the list after winning the Pro Players Championship at the Super Billiards Expo.

That's brings the total of events played up to seven as the South Dakota Kid looks to make his 11th appearance in the event.

Despite missing the World Pool Series events in New York for personal reasons, Dennis Hatch stays in the upper echelons as he looks to make his fifth appearance in the Mosconi Cup. This year it's about finishing in the top ten once the 16th and final event has been played out in early September.

That's when USA skipper Johan Ruijsink will be making his picks from the top ten finishing players. To give himself some leeway in this make or break year for Team America, Ruijsink will be selecting four players from the top ten plus another whose final ranking won't be of significance.

There is a new West Coast event added to the roster and that is:

JUNE 23/25

PAC-WEST INVITATIONAL –
Portland, OR

Table: **9 ft** Players: **Max 64**

Added: **\$10,000** Grade: **One**

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Due to a change in the format and scheduling of the World Pool Series events, players who gain points in both the main event and the secondary challenge event will have only the higher points out of two counting towards their ranking.

Ranking after 7 events

1 Shane VAN BOENING	90
2 Dennis HATCH	82
3 Rodney MORRIS	56
4 Billy Thorpe	55
5 Oscar DOMINGUEZ	46
6 Donny MILLS	40
7 Hunter LOMBARDO	39
8 Johnny ARCHER	35
9 Earl STRICKLAND	30
10 Brandon SHUFF	28
11 Josh ROBERTS	27
12 Shaun WILKIE	25
13 Justin HALL	21
T14 Jarrod CLOWERY	18
T14 Jorge RODRIGUEZ	18

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2017 MOSCONI CUP TEAM USA RANKING – NEXT EVENTS

JUNE 23/25

PAC-WEST INVITATIONAL (Carissa Biggs) – Portland, OR

Table: **9 ft** Players: **64**

Added: **\$10,000** Grade: **One**

JULY 12/16

WORLD POOL SERIES EVENT 3 (Darren Appleton) – New York

Table: **9 ft** Players: **128**

Added: **\$16,800** Grade: **One**

JULY 12/16

WORLD POOL SERIES CHALLENGE EVENT (Darren Appleton) – New York

Table: **9 ft** Players: **70 plus**

Added: **\$2,500** Grade: **Three**

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2017 MOSCONI CUP

Souquet consolidates position at the top

Germany's Ralf Souquet tightened his grip at the top of the European 2017 Mosconi Cup rankings with another great performance as he finished in the top four of the recent Portuguese Open in Salgados. With no 'World' events having taken place yet, the 'European' and 'World' rankings are currently one and the same and the Kaiser has opened up a 45 points lead over third spot.

Souquet has already appeared in more Mosconi Cups than any other European player (16) and will look to return to the side for his first appearance since 2013. Nick van den Berg, a winner in Portugal is up to second on 90, 33 points ahead of David Alcaide in third spot.

Unlike previous years there will be only two rankings instead of three. The first will be the 'European Ranking' which includes the five European 'A' and five European 'B' events. The winner of this ranking will gain a spot on the Mosconi Cup side.

The second ranking will be the 'World Ranking' which will comprise all 12 events. The first and second placed players in this ranking will gain spots on the European Mosconi Cup team.

In the event that the winner of the European Ranking also comes first or second in the World Ranking, then the player filling the third position in the World Ranking will gain an automatic spot. The remaining two players will be wildcard picks.

The next ranking event is the Austrian Open which starts on Thursday May 18th.

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2017 EUROPEAN MOSCONI CUP RANKINGS - WORLD AND EUROPEAN LIST (AFTER THREE EVENTS)

1. Ralf Souquet (GER)	102
2. Nick van den Berg (NED)	90
3. David Alcaide (ESP)	57
4. Ruslan Chinakhov (RUS)	54
5. Dennis Grabe (EST)	45
6. Mark Gray (ENG)	44
7. Niels Feijen (NED)	43
8. Wiktor Zielinski (POL)	37
T9. Francisco Sanchez Ruiz (ESP)	31
T9. Joshua Filler (GER)	31
11. Daryl Peach (ENG)	30
T12. Mario He (AUT)	23
T12. Albin Ouschan (AUT)	23
T12. Damianos Giallourakis (GRE)	23
T12. Konstantin Stepanov (RUS)	23
T12. Eklent Kaci (ALB)	23
T12. Sebastian Ludwig (GER)	23
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T12. Marc Bijsterbosch (NED)	23

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- The BCA Pool League (BCAPL) was started in 1978 by the Billiard Congress of America (BCA) as a means to unify independent leagues around the world.
- There are more than 500 BCAPL-sanctioned leagues in more than 8 countries with a total membership over 50,000.
- Mark Griffin, CEO of CueSports International (CSI), purchased the league from the Billiard Congress of America in 2004.
- The league has 500+ sanctioned leagues

across North America and throughout the world.

- The BCAPL is known to attract players of all experience levels, from beginner to advanced. The league features the most formats that are flexible and adapt to local league wishes.
- Most notably the BCAPL hosts what has been called "The Greatest Pool Tournament in the World", the BCAPL National 8-Ball Championships every July in Las Vegas, Nevada. The national event has over 30 divisions including singles, teams, and scotch doubles designed to fit all skill levels.

Upcoming Tournaments

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MAY 6 - MAY 31

Predator Pro-Am Tour 2017 Stop 9

05/06 - 05/07

The Spot
Nanuet, New York
Website: <http://www.predatorproamtour.com/index.asp>

Arizona Women's Billiards Tour 2017 Stop 2

05/06 - 05/07

Skip and Jan's Sports Bar
Gilbert, Arizona
Website: <http://www.awbt.net>

Ride the 9 Tour 2016-2017 Season Finale

05/07 - 05/07

Bo's Billiards
Warwick, RI
Website: <http://www.ridethe9tour.com>

Tri State Tour 2016-2017 Stop

05/07 - 05/07

BQE Billiards
Queens, NY
Website: <http://www.thetristatetour.com/>

Falcon Cues Bonus Points Event

05/13 - 05/14

Dooly's Levis
Levis, Quebec
Website: <http://www.falconcuesquebectour.com/>

Tri State Tour 2016-2017 Stop

05/13 - 05/13

Steinway Billiards
Astoria, NY
Website: <http://www.thetristatetour.com/>

Dynamic Billiard Austrian Open

05/18 - 05/20

Austria
Website: <http://www.eurotouronline.eu/>

JPNEWT Tour 2017 Stop 3

05/20 - 05/21

First Break Cafe
Sterling, VA
Website: <http://www.jpnewt.com/>

NWPA Tour 2017 Stop 3

05/20 - 05/21

Katz Billiards
Forest Grove, Oregon
Website: <http://nwpatour.wordpress.com/>

Tri State Tour 2016-2017 Stop

05/20 - 05/20

Clifton Billiards
Clifton, New Jersey
Website: <http://www.thetristatetour.com/>

Q City 9-Ball Tour Stop

05/20 - 05/20

Gate City Billiards Club
Greensboro, NC

South Carolina State 9-Ball Championship 2017

05/20 - 05/21

Palace Billiards
Greenville, NC
Website: <http://www.facebook.com/smart.tour.3>

BCAPL Wisconsin State Championship

05/25 - 05/29

Chula Vista Resort
Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin
Website: <http://www.playbca.com/>

Ginky Memorial Open Division 2017

05/27 - 05/29

Steinway Billiards
Astoria, NY
Website: <http://www.predatorproamtour.com/index.asp>

West Coast Women's Tour 2017 Stop 1

05/27 - 05/28

Hard Times Billiards
Sacramento, CA
Website: <http://www.twcwt.com/>

Upcoming Tournaments

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MAY 30 - JUNE 31

Rocket City Open

05/30 - 06/04

Good Timez Billiards
Huntsville, Alabama

Joss Tour Stop #16 at Snookers

06/03 - 06/04

Snookers Pool Lounge
Providence, RI
Website: <http://www.joss9balltour.com/>

Tri State Tour 2016-2017 Stop

06/03 - 06/04

Steinway Billiards
Astoria, NY
Website: <http://www.thetristatetour.com/>

Accu-Stats Make It Happen One Pocket Invitational

06/08 - 06/11

Sandcastle Billiards
Edison, NJ
Website: <http://www.accu-stats.com/>

Predator Pro-Am Tour 2017 Stop 11

06/10 - 06/11

Gotham City Billiards
Brooklyn, NY
Website: <http://www.predatorproamtour.com/index.asp>

Tri State Tour 2016-2017 Stop

06/11 - 06/11

CueBar Billiards
Bayside, NY
Website: <http://www.thetristatetour.com/>

World Cup of Pool

06/13 - 06/18

York Hall
London
Website: <http://www.matchroompool.com/page/WorldCupofPool/Home>

OB Cues Ladies Tour 2017 Stop 4

06/17 - 06/18

Click's Billiards
San Antonio, Texas
Website: <http://www.obcuestour.com/>

Predator Pro-Am Tour 2017 Stop 12

06/17 - 06/18

Raxx Pool Room, Sports Bar & Grill
West Hempstead, NY
Website: <http://www.predatorproamtour.com/index.asp>

Tri State Tour 2016-2017 Stop

06/17 - 06/17

Rockaway Billiards
Rockaway, NJ
Website: <http://www.thetristatetour.com/>

West Coast Women's Tour 2017 Stop 2

06/17 - 06/18

Buffalo Billiards
Petaluma, California
Website: <http://www.twcwt.com/>

4th Annual Junior Norris Memorial Shoot Out

06/21 - 06/25

Wichita Falls Tournament Venue
Wichita Falls, Texas

Pac-West Invitational

06/23 - 06/25

Sam's Billiards
Portland, Or

JPNEWT Tour 2017 Stop 4

06/24 - 06/25

Champion Billiards & Sports Caf  
Frederick, MD
Website: <http://www.jpnewt.com/>

NWPA Tour 2017 Stop 4

06/24 - 06/25

Malarkey's Pool & Brew
Tacoma, WA
Website: <http://nwpatour.wordpress.com/>

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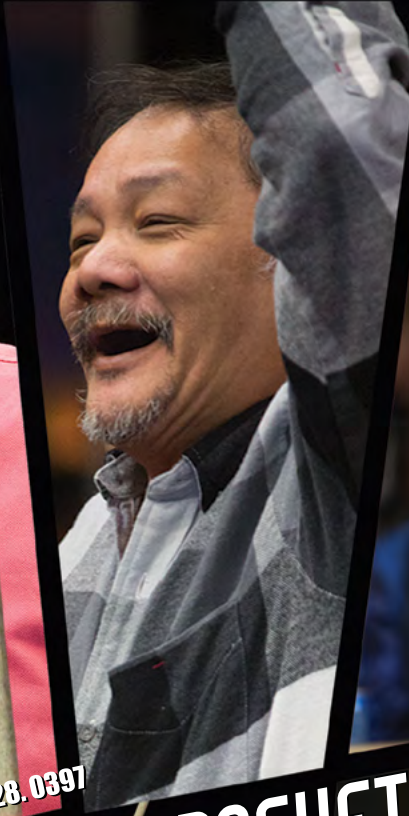


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Tourney Results

03/13 - 03/19

Inaugural Scotty Townsend Memorial One Pocket Division

Arena Billiards

West Monroe, LA

1 Billy Thorpe	\$
	10,000
2 Shane Van Boening	\$6,000
3 Evan Lunda	\$3,000
4 Charlie Bryant	\$2,000

03/13 - 03/19

Inaugural Scotty Townsend Memorial 10-Ball Ring Game

Arena Billiards

West Monroe, LA

1 Dennis Orcollo	\$1,500
2 Warren Kiamco	\$1,000
3 Johann Chua	\$600
4 Josh Roberts	\$300
5 Shane McMinn	\$150
5 Roberto Gomez	\$150

03/13 - 03/19

Inaugural Scotty Townsend Memorial Open 9-Ball

Arena Billiards

West Monroe, LA

1 Dennis Orcollo	\$3,800
2 Skyler Woodward	\$2,200
3 Ramil Gallego	\$1,400
4 Gary Abood	\$1,000
5 Johann Chua	\$650
5 Daniel McKenney	\$650
7 Jeremy Jones	\$300
7 Jeffrey De Luna	\$300
9 Robb Saez	\$150
9 Clint Freeman	\$150
9 Manny Perez	\$150
9 Roberto Gomez	\$150
13 Shane McMinn	\$75
13 Barry Emerson	\$75

13 Anthony Shea	\$75
13 Billy Thorpe	\$75

03/18 - 03/19

Joss Tour 2016 - 2017 Stop 13

King Smiley Billiards

Fort Edward, New York

1 Bruce Nagle	\$1,000
2 Bucky Souvanthong	\$750
3 Steve Lillis	\$550
4 Brent Boemmels	\$400
5 Noah Wells	\$300
5 Nick Brucato	\$300
7 Dave Fernandez	\$150
7 Fred Gokey	\$150

03/18 - 03/19

Falcon Cues Quebec Tour stop #12

Billard Lounge L'Abasie

Trois-Riveres, Quebec

1 Danny Hewitt	\$1,125
2 Jeff Blais	\$850
3 Luc Salvas	\$630
4 Joey Cicero	\$460
5 Michael Bernier	\$320
5 Alain Martel	\$320
7 Martin Daigle	\$200
7 Dany Nguyen	\$200
9 Frederik Belley	\$100
9 Maxime Villeneuve	\$100
9 Eric Cloutier	\$100
9 Yannick Houssonloge	\$100
13 Yves Gaudreault	\$60
13 Dany Normandin	\$60
13 Eric Lottinville	\$60
13 Caron Audet	\$60

03/18 - 03/19

Predator Pro-Am Tour 2017 Stop 6

The Spot

Nanuet, New York

1 Chris Kelly	\$1,800
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2 Xavier Romero	\$1,200
3 Mike Salerno	\$800
4 Elvis Rodriguez	\$540
5 Max Watanabe	\$340
5 Corey Avallone	\$340
7 Amy Yue	\$200
7 Chris Peralta	\$200
9 Jimmy Acosta	\$150
9 Liam Tully	\$150
9 Chickie Romero	\$150
9 Melanie Hardja	\$150
13 Dave Callaghan	\$100
13 Daniel Dagabot	\$100
13 Bob Toomey	\$100
13 Elder Ramos	\$100

03/18 - 03/19

Joss Tour 2016 - 2017 Stop 13 Second Chance

King Smiley Billiards

Fort Edward, New York

1 Frank Sorriento	\$330
2 Dave Lebrun	\$220
3 Mike Verducci	\$150
4 Joshua Scheff	\$100
5 Terry Breault	\$50
5 Mike Shoemaker	\$50

03/18 - 03/19

JPNEWT Tour 2017 Stop 1

Triple 9 Bar & Billiards

Elkridge, MD

1 Meredith Lynch	\$750
2 Caroline Pao	\$400
3 Nicole Monaco	\$300
4 Linda Haywood Shea	\$150
5 Kathleen Lawless	\$80
5 Carol V. Clark	\$80
7 Kathy Friend	\$50
7 Tina Castillo	\$50

03/18 - 03/18

Q City 9-Ball Tour Stop

Breaktime Billiards

Cary, NC

1 Soloman Pope	\$600
2 Jeff Young	\$325
2 Peter Nielsen	\$325
4 Chris Gentile	\$125
5 Christy Norris	\$50
5 Alan Shaw	\$50

03/18 - 03/19

Lone Star Billiards Tour 2017 Stop 3 Open Division

Bogies Billiards & Games

Houston, TX

1 Jacob Watson	\$475
2 Eric Charlton	\$320
3 Aaron Springs	\$190
4 Pete Charles	\$100
5 Richie Richeson	\$60
5 Brian Rosenbaum	\$60
7 Jim McCrary	\$35

03/18 - 03/19

Lone Star Billiards Tour 2017 Stop 3 Amateur Division

Bogies Billiards & Games

Houston, TX

1 Eric Charlton	\$430
2 Pete Charles	\$300
3 Justin Pena	\$180
4 Jacob Watson	\$100
5 Tony Scott	\$60
5 Richard Hernandez	\$60
7 Mike Palowski	\$25
7 L.J. Johnson	\$25

03/18 - 03/18

Gulf Coast Women's Regional Tour 2017 Stop 3

Bogies Billiards & Games

Houston, TX

1 Gail Eaton	\$330
2 Terry Petrosino	\$240
3 Jennifer Yo	\$150
4 Tam Trinh	\$70

5 Joyce Davis	\$45
5 Robyn Petrosino	\$45

03/18 - 03/19

Arizona Women's Billiards Tour 2017 Stop 1

Bullshooters

Phoenix, AZ

1 Rae Evans	\$420
2 Susan Williams	\$300
3 Justine Bishop	\$200
4 Jessica Derezsinski	\$125
5 Sara Miller	\$75
5 Leandrea Gaff	\$75
7 Pat Schultz	\$40
7 Jamie Goodwin	\$40
9 Melissa Doherty	\$25
9 Susan Mello	\$25
9 Sara Sorg	\$25
9 Barbara Lee	\$25

03/24 - 03/26

Andy Mercer Memorial 9-Ball Tournament 2017

Rum Runner

Las Vegas, NV

1 Oscar Dominguez	\$5,000
2 Josh Roberts	\$2,500
3 Ernesto Dominguez	\$1,600
4 Mike Hutcheson	\$1,100
5 Sal Butera	\$850
5 Tinsley Johnson	\$850
7 Kenneth Brisbon	\$600
7 Ramin Bakhtiari	\$600
9 Frank Almanza	\$425
9 Butch Barba	\$425
9 Max Eberle	\$425
9 Mark Estes	\$425
13 Dave Dattilo	\$300
13 Roger Bordley	\$300
13 Don Branson	\$300
13 Fach Garcia	\$300

03/25 - 03/25

Q City 9-Ball Tour Stop

Peninsula Billiards

Newport News, Virginia

1 JT Ringgold	\$450
2 Scott Roberts	\$250
3 Chad Pike	\$125
4 Greg Sabins	\$60

03/25 - 03/26

Omega Billiards Tour 2017 Stop 3

Pockets Billiards

Eules, Texas

1 Rick Stanley	\$1,000
2 Denny Sneed	\$650
3 Tony Sulsar	\$490
4 Mike Voelkering	\$380
5 Robbie Cleland	\$300
5 Phillip Palmer	\$300
7 Donnie Gregory	\$210
7 Corey Anderson	\$210
9 Doug Winnett	\$100
9 Mike Roundtree	\$100
9 Mark Szabo	\$100
9 Dario Gomez	\$100
13 Paul Guernsey	\$75
13 Jimmy Boren	\$75
13 Jeff Georges	\$75
13 Alberto Nieto	\$75
17 Douglas Pitts	\$50
17 Oscar Araujo	\$50
17 Alicia Stanley	\$50
17 Jeff Turney	\$50
17 Curtis Cardwell	\$50
17 Jerry Rea	\$50
17 Jesse Wilcoxson	\$50
17 Amos Bush	\$50

03/26 - 03/26

Tri State Tour 2016-2017 Stop

CueBar Billiards

Bayside, NY

1 Kevin Chong	\$490
2 Esteban Morrell Jr.	\$230
3 Greg Matos	\$140
4 Jim Gutierrez	\$90

03/30 - 04/02

Super Billiards Expo 2017 Women Players Championship

Greater Philadelphia Expo Center
at Oaks
Oaks, PA

1 Loree Jon Hasson	\$5,000
2 Jennifer Barretta	\$2,500
3 Vivian Villarreal	\$1,500
3 Annie Flores	\$1,500
5 Heather Cortez	\$1,000
5 Karen Corr	\$1,000
5 Brittany Bryant	\$1,000
5 Emily Duddy	\$1,000

03/30 - 04/02

Super Billiards Expo 2017 Players Championship

Greater Philadelphia Expo Center
at Oaks
Oaks, PA

1 Shane Van Boening	\$10,000
2 Johann Chua	\$5,000
3 Dennis Hatch	\$3,500
3 Carlo Biado	\$3,500
5 Oscar Dominguez	\$2,500
5 Yu-Hsuan Cheng	\$2,500
5 Jeffrey De Luna	\$2,500
5 Jayson Shaw	\$2,500
9 Lee Vann Corteza	\$2,000
9 Darren Appleton	\$2,000
9 Skyler Woodward	\$2,000
9 Earl Strickland	\$2,000
9 Dennis Orcollo	\$2,000
9 Mika Immonen	\$2,000
9 Hunter Lombardo	\$2,000
9 Sergio Rivas	\$2,000

03/30 - 04/02

Super Billiards Expo 2017 One Pocket Players Championship

Greater Philadelphia Expo Center
at Oaks
Oaks, PA

1 Darren Appleton	\$1,600
2 Derek Schwager	\$1,200
3 Adam Kielar	\$800
3 Vinnie Cimarelli	\$800
5 Phil Wines	\$500

5 Corey Eulas	\$500
5 Eddie Crespo	\$500
5 Jonathan Ailstock	\$500

03/30 - 04/01

Dynamic Billiard Portugal Open

Portugal

1 Nick Van Den Berg	\$4,885
2 David Alcaide	\$3,257
3 Mark Gray	\$1,900
3 Ralf Souquet	\$1,900
5 Wiktor Zielinski	\$1,357
5 Tomasz Kaplan	\$1,357
5 Joshua Filler	\$1,357
5 Marc Bijsterbosch	\$1,357
9 Bruno Sousa	\$1,085
9 Mats B. Schjetne	\$1,085
9 Francisco Sanchez-Ruiz	\$1,085
9 Vitaliy Patsura	\$1,085
9 Sebastian Ludwig	\$1,085
9 Eklent Kaci	\$1,085
9 Roman Hybler	\$1,085
9 Denis Grabe	\$1,085
17 Konrad Piekarski	\$542
17 Ronald Regli	\$542
17 Mateusz Sniogocki	\$542
17 Wojciech Sroczynski	\$542
17 Konstantin Stepanov	\$542
17 Daniel Tangudd	\$542
17 Marco Teutscher	\$542
17 Petri Makkonen	\$542
17 Antonis Kakaris	\$542
17 Radoslaw Babica	\$542
17 Evgeny Buslaev	\$542
17 Marcus Chamat	\$542
17 Henrique Correia	\$542
17 Niels Feijen	\$542
17 Fedor Gorst	\$542
17 Konrad Juszczyzyn	\$542
33 Maximilian Lechner	\$271
33 Daniel Maciol	\$271
33 Andreas Madsen	\$271
33 Albin Ouschan	\$271
33 Manuel Pereira	\$271
33 Wojciech Szewczyk	\$271
33 Thomas Larsson	\$271
33 Sergio Lagunas Moreno	\$271
33 Alexandros Kazakis	\$271
33 Mario He	\$271
33 Mieszko Fortunski	\$271
33 Francisco Diaz-Pizarro	\$271

33 Stephan Cohen	\$271
33 Ruslan Chinahov	\$271
33 George Antonakis	\$271
33 Onur Yildirim	\$271

03/30 - 04/01

Dynamic Billiard Women's Portugal Open

Portugal

1 Jasmin Ouschan	\$868
2 Kristina Tkach	\$651
3 Ina Kaplan	\$434
3 Katarzyna Wesolowska	\$434
5 Oliwia Czuprynska	\$325
5 Marharyta Fefilava	\$325
5 Kateryna Polovinchuk	\$325
5 Claudia Von Rohr	\$325

04/01 - 04/02

Falcon Cues Quebec Tour stop #13

Dooly's Edmunston
Edmunston, Quebec

1 Chris Dempsey	\$1,000
2 Martin Daigle	\$655
3 Danny Hewitt	\$470
4 Jeff Blais	\$340
5 Rejean Ringuette	\$240
5 Serge Therrier	\$240
7 Pat Desbiens	\$180
7 Tom Theriault	\$180

04/01 - 04/02

Q City 9-Ball Tour Stop

Mickey Milligan's Sports Bar
New Bern, NC

1 Billy Carroll	\$650
2 Dave Williams	\$450
3 Ron Canterbury	\$200
4 Mike Rowe	\$100
5 Junior Avery	\$50
5 Danny Farren	\$50

04/05 - 04/09

The Aramith Masters

Steinway Billiards

Astoria, NY

1 Eklent Kaci	\$20,000
2 Carlo Biado	\$8,500
3 Jayson Shaw	\$5,250
3 Darren Appleton	\$5,250
5 Chris Melling	\$3,500
5 Jeffrey De Luna	\$3,500
5 Denis Grabe	\$3,500
5 Ralf Souquet	\$3,500
9 Raj Hundal	\$2,000
9 Billy Thorpe	\$2,000
9 Brandon Shuff	\$2,000
9 Roberto Gomez	\$2,000
9 Ramil Gallego	\$2,000
9 Francisco Sanchez-Ruiz	\$2,000
9 Thorsten Hohmann	\$2,000
9 Alexandros Kazakis	\$2,000
17 Mika Immonen	\$250
17 Warren Kiamco	\$250
17 Tomoo Takano	\$250
17 Rodney Morris	\$250
17 Marc Vidal Claramunt	\$250
17 Naoyuki Oi	\$250
17 Damianos Giallourakis	\$250
17 Mark Gray	\$250
17 Imran Majid	\$250
17 Johann Chua	\$250
17 Shaun Wilkie	\$250
17 Josh Roberts	\$250
17 Lee Vann Corteza	\$250
17 Dennis Orcollo	\$250
17 Karl Boyes	\$250
17 Manny Perez	\$250

04/05 - 04/09

Kamui Challenge

Steinway Billiards

Astoria, NY

1 Lee Vann Corteza	\$4,000
2 Mika Immonen	\$2,000
3 Karl Boyes	\$1,000
3 Warren Kiamco	\$1,000
5 Marc Vidal Claramunt	\$650
5 Elvis Rodriguez	\$650
5 Josh Roberts	\$650
5 Ruslan Chinahov	\$650
9 Toru Kuribayashi	\$450
9 David Alcaide	\$450

9 Rodney Morris	\$450
9 Hunter Lombardo	\$450
9 Johnny Archer	\$450
9 Abdullah Al Shammari	\$450
9 Mark McGauley	\$450
9 Mohaned Gmess Mohand	\$450

04/08 - 04/09

Joss Tour 2016 - 2017 Stop 14

Hippo's Billiards

Utica, NY

1 Bucky Souvanthong	\$1,000
2 Spencer Auigbelle	\$700
3 Jarred Zimmerman	\$550
4 Joe Darigis	\$450
5 Ron Casanzio	\$300
5 Lyn Wechsler	\$300
7 Bruce Nagle	\$150
7 Willie Oney	\$150

04/08 - 04/09

Q City 9-Ball Tour Stop

Legends Billiards

Inman, South Carolina

1 Justin Duncan	\$900
2 Greg Burke	\$600
3 Steven Ellis	\$350
4 Cory Morphew	\$200
5 Roger Jeffcoat	\$100
5 Ronnie Anderson	\$100
7 Stevie McClinton	\$50
7 Dalton Messer	\$50

04/08 - 04/09

BWPPA 2017 Stop 1

Wheelchair Cue Sport Academy

Stoke, Mandeville

1 Tony Southern	\$375
2 Daniel Lee	\$250
3 Danny Luton	\$125
3 Craig Welsh	\$125

04/09 - 04/09

Joss Tour 2016 - 2017 Stop 14

Second Chance

Hippo's Billiards

Utica, NY

1 Dwight Dixon	\$300
2 Hendrik Drost	\$200
3 Jon McConnell	\$140
4 Rohit Aggarwal	\$100
5 Jason Hall	\$50
5 Dave Dreidel	\$50

04/10 - 04/14

US Open Straight Pool Championship 2017

Pool Table Magic

Windsor Locks, CT

1 Lee Vann Corteza	\$6,500
2 Thorsten Hohmann	\$4,000
3 Mika Immonen	\$2,500
4 Chris Melling	\$2,000
5 Dan Barouty	\$500
5 Carlo Biado	\$500
5 Robert Madenjian	\$500
5 Darren Appleton	\$500

04/13 - 04/13

5th Annual Big Tyme Classic One Pocket Event

Big Tyme Billiards

Spring, Texas

1 Joey Gray	\$2,000
2 Danny Smith	\$1,050
3 Tony Chohan	\$550
3 Skyler Woodward	\$550
5 Jeremy Jones	\$300
5 Josh Roberts	\$300
5 Cliff Joyner	\$300
5 Jim McCarry	\$300

04/14 - 04/14

5th Annual Big Tyme Classic Banks Event

Big Tyme Billiards

Spring, Texas

1 Chip Compton	\$1,600
2 Skyler Woodward	\$900
3 Alex Olinger	\$500
3 Justin Hall	\$500
5 Kevin Cheng	\$250
5 Danny Smith	\$250
5 Jamie Farrell	\$250
5 Tony Chohan	\$250

04/14 - 04/16

5th Annual Big Tyme Classic Main Event

Big Tyme Billiards Spring, Texas

1 Billy Thorpe	\$4,000
2 Jeffrey De Luna	\$2,000
3 Skyler Woodward	\$1,400
4 Shane McMinn	\$1,000
5 Jeremy Jones	\$700
5 Eklent Kaci	\$700
7 Charlie Bryant	\$400
7 Sylver Ochoa	\$400
9 Alex Olinger	\$200
9 Kevin Cheng	\$200
9 Manny Chau	\$200
9 Danny Smith	\$200

04/15 - 04/15

Tri State Tour 2016-2017 Stop

Steinway Billiards Astoria, NY

1 Kristina Grim	\$800
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2 Raul Calderon	\$550
3 Thomas Schreiber	\$330
4 Zouraz Ellhai	\$220
5 Sherwin Robinson	\$140
5 Carlos Serrano	\$140
7 Eric Carrasco	\$100
7 Atif Khan	\$100
9 Kapriel Delimelkonoglu	\$80
9 Liam Tully	\$80
9 Tony Ignomirello	\$80
9 Adrian Daniel	\$80

04/15 - 04/16

Q City 9-Ball Tour Stop

The Clubhouse Lynchburg, Virginia

1 Daniel Adams	\$600
2 Trey Frank	\$360
3 Travis Guerra	\$200
4 Shane Wolford	\$100
5 Cameron Lawhorne	\$50
5 Brent Hensley	\$50

04/15 - 04/16

Action Pool Tour 2017 Stop 4 Open Division

Breakers Sky Lounge Herndon, Va

1 Shaun Wilkie	\$1,000
2 Mike Davis	\$600
3 Larry Kressel	\$400
4 Brian Dietzenbach	\$300
5 Matt Krah	\$220
5 Alex Parker	\$220
7 Greg Sabins	\$150
7 Jimmy Varias	\$150
9 Jamey Mellott	\$100
9 Chris Funk	\$100
9 Paul Oh	\$100
9 Tom Zippler	\$100
13 James Hendershot	\$60
13 Sean Millican	\$60
13 Kenny Miller	\$60
13 Mike Slagle	\$60

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04/15 - 04/16

Action Pool Tour 2017 Stop 4 Ladies Division

Breakers Sky Lounge Herndon, Va

1 Nicole King	\$260
2 Tina Pawloski Malm	\$120
3 Deeqa Nur	\$60

04/16 - 04/16

5th Annual Big Tyme Classic Seniors Division

Big Tyme Billiards Spring, Texas

1 Ronnie Wiseman	\$520
2 Jamie Farrell	\$390
3 Cliff Joyner	\$260
4 Manuel Ayala	\$130
5 Mark Avery	\$60
5 Joe Espindola	\$60

04/16 - 04/16

5th Annual Big Tyme Classic Ladies Division

Big Tyme Billiards Spring, Texas

1 Kim Pierce	\$500
2 Robyn Petrosino	\$360
3 Theresa Garland	\$240
4 Alicia Huff	\$120
5 Ricki Lee Casper	\$60
5 Yvonne Asher	\$60

04/22 - 04/23

Predator Pro-Am Tour 2017 Stop 7

Steinway Billiards Astoria, NY

1 Amy Yue	\$1,800
2 Lidio Ramirez	\$1,160
3 Chris Tiru	\$800
4 Max Watanabe	\$500
5 Abel Rosario	\$300

5 Shawn Sookhai	\$300
7 Jia Li	\$200
7 Thomas Schreiber	\$200
9 Matthias Gutzmann	\$140
9 Eric Carrasco	\$140
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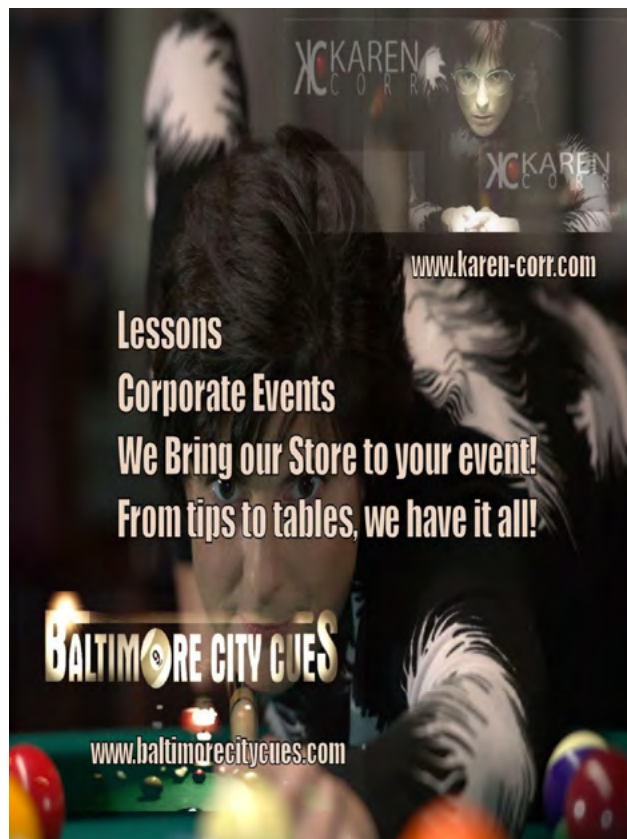
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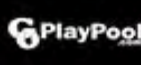


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