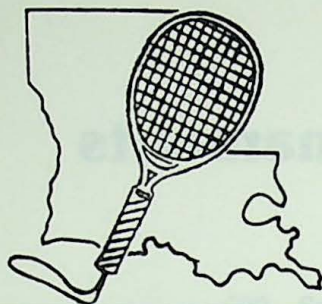




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1983 STATE SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP APPROACHES

The 1983 La. State Single Championships to be held Oct. 7-9 at Wallbanger I and II in Baton Rouge are rapidly approaching us. At this time, the L.R.A. would like to inform all La. Racquetball Players of the requirements for participation in this tournament. (All of the below must be met before, for eligibility to enter the tournament.)

1. played in a sanctioned event since Oct. 15, 1982
2. Current L.R.A. member
3. Application and money must be sent to L.R.A. office prior to the deadline on Sept. 26, 1983
4. Player must have resided in La. at least 30 days prior to Oct. 7, 1983

Any question regarding eligibility for State Singles, or with regards to divisions or memberships renewal should be directed to the L.R.A. office 504-293-8930.

Once again, State Singles promises to be an event which will provide L.R.A. players with superior competition, Hospitality, and an invaluable learning experience, while providing the opportunity to pay tribute to those players who have been essential in the success of the State Racquetball program in 1983. Again, the award presentation banquet will be held at the Sheraton in Baton Rouge and will include cashbar dinner, guest speakers and award presentations. Two of the nations leading racquetball pros will be on hand throughout the weekend to conduct clinics and ready to answer any questions that you may have regarding the game of racquetball.

As anyone in attendance at the 1982 Championships will attest, the event is one which all State players will want to be a part of. By the same token, an event of such importance will be one which will require the support and the active participation from each of you. If you are willing to serve on any of the following committees at the State Tournament, please contact the L.R.A. office (504) 293-8930, or reply by mail to the L.R.A. office, no later than Sept. 1st, 1983.

The different committees will include:

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| 1. Hospitality | 4. Referee |
| 2. Publicity (Ads) | 5. Clean-up |
| 3. Tournament Desk | 6. Door prizes |
| 7. Other _____ (specify) | |

Anyone wishing to nominate a male or female for an award to be given at the awards banquet at the State Singles Championships must submit these nominations to the L.R.A. office by Sept. 1, 1983. The executive Committee and preferred clubs will have the final vote. Awards will be given in the following areas:

1. Most improved male or female player
2. Top Open Player for the year
3. Top junior player for the year
4. Top senior player for the year
5. Top Men and Women Doubles Team for the year
6. Best supporting Club to Racquetball
7. Best supporting player
8. Best supporting owner
9. Mr. & Mrs. Congeniality 82-83
10. Outstanding Organization or Company contributing to the game
11. Promoter of Jr. Programs

LOCAL PLAYERS CAPTURE STATE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP AT RED LERILLE'S

The 1983 Louisiana State Doubles Championship was a great success, drawing over 100 doubles teams from throughout the state. Red Lerille's, the host facility, located in Lafayette, proved to be an ideal central location and, as usual, the hospitality was superb.

The caliber of the tournament was only equaled by the caliber of play, with two of Red Lerille's players, Bill Land and Mark Comeaux, capturing the Men's Open Doubles State Title. Land and Comeaux defeated Mike Almerico and Gene Mann. Billy Holliday and Oscar Concepcion, both of Baton Rouge, finished third.

In the Women's Open Division Finals, Marsha Richards, and Sandra Zulli defeated Chris Mettrailer and Jessica Crist. Valerie Shean and Terry Andrews finished with the position of third place.

The State Open Mixed Doubles title, went to the team of Mike Almerico, and Brenda George who defeated Amy Foster and Steve Ledford. Sandra Zulli and Kerry Compagna finished with the third place.

"SHOW-DOWN" MATCHES AT STATE SENIORS

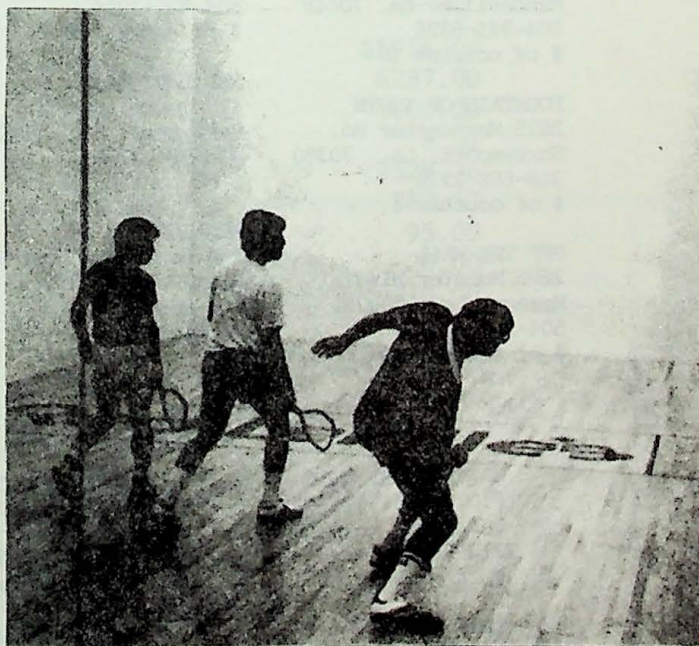
OFF THE WALL RACQUETBALL CLUB in Metairie, La. was the site of the 1983 La. State Seniors Championships held March 25, 26, and 27.

As usual the Competition among the State Seniors players was fierce and it became tougher as the week-end progressed with the majority of the finals matches concluding with tie-breakers.

Among these show-down matches, was the Men's 35+ division final in which Jerry Winsburg of New Orleans defeated Port Allen's David Marshall and Men's 25+ division final in which Bill Land of Lafayette defeated Steve Ledford of Monroe. The third place position in the Men's 35+ division went to Difilippo from Gretna and Frank Gemila of Chalmette walked away with the third position in the Men's 25+.

In Women's Competition, Valerie Shean captured the Women's 35+ title in a very closely fought match against Joan Dipola. The third place position was taken by Perla Castor of Lafayette.

Valerie Shean claimed another first place title, along with her partner, Terry Andrews, by defeating the Lake Charles team of Amy Foster and Cammy Coyne in the Women's Doubles Finals. The third place finishers were Perla Castor and Felipe Diaz of Lafayette.



GENE MANN — Sets up for a shot in the Men's Open Doubles Finals.

Coming Events

Upcoming L.R.A. Sanctioned Tournaments

DATE	TOURNAMENT	CLUB	CITY
August-----			
12-13-14	State Juniors	Renaissance II	Houma
26-27-28	Juniors Clinic		Lafayette
26-27-28	1st Annual Summer Classic	Bon Temps	Covington
September-----			
2-3-4-5	3rd Annual Shrimo & Petroleum Festival	MCHRC	Morgan City
9-10-11	Racquetball One Invitational		New Orleans
16-17-18	2nd Annual Over the Hill Gang Rides Again	River Center	New Orleans
October-----			
7-8-9	State Singles	Wallbanger I & II	Baton Rouge
November-----			
18-19-20	Wild Turkey Classic	Roman Health Club	Lake Charles
December-----			
16-17-18	Holiday Classic	Racquetball One	New Orleans
January-----			
27-28-29	River Center 5th Annual Open	River Center	New Orleans

"Two Bounces"

- Terry Andrews is the new Baton Rouge Women's Racquetball Association (BRWRA) President.
- 1st Father & Son Doubles Winners, the Schwabs of Houma.
- Congratulations to Ron, Patsy, and Dax Jeter for their 7lb. 3oz. baby boy, Hudson "Hud" Martin Jeter.
- Contraband Court Club in Lake Charles is under new ownership and is now called the Swedish Spa Resort & Racquet Club.
- Louisiana Racquetball & Health Club in Kenner, La. is now a Y.M.C.A. facility.
- Jerry Rodasti has moved to L.A. Good Luck Jerry!!
- Cherie Ray Clarke, of Lake Charles, is the proud mother of a 9lb. baby girl, Erin Ray Clarke.

Preferred Club Directory

BON TEMPS RACQUETBALL & HEALTH CLUB
100 Bon Temps Rt.
Mandeville, La. 70448
504-845-8826
of courts: 10

FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH
2015 Meriwether Rd.
Shreveport, La. 70380
318-688-2912
of courts: 4

OFF THE WALL
2605 Munster Blvd.
Meraux, La. 70075
504-277-8414
of courts: 10

RACQUETBALL ONE
1300 1 Shell Sq. Ann.
New Orleans, La. 70190
504-522-2956
of courts: 6

RED LERILLE'S
117 Doucet Rd.
Lafayette, La. 70503
318-984-7738
of courts: 12

RENAISSANCE II
106 Southdown West Blvd.
Houma, La. 70360
504-868-8473
of courts: 4

ROMAN HEALTH RESORT, FITNESS & RACQUETBALL CLUB
323 Lake Street
Lake Charles, La. 70605
318-478-8510
of courts: 4

SWEDISH SPA
10 Southgate Ln.
Lake Charles, La. 70601
318-433-9600
of courts: 6

THE COURTYARD
5616 Jackson St.
Alexandria, La. 71301
318-487-4141
of courts: 4

WALLBANGER I.
10473 Old Hammond
Baton Rouge, La. 70815
504-923-2793
of courts: 12

WALLBANGER II
7069 Perkins Rd.
Baton Rouge, La. 70808
504-769-1420
of courts: 12

Associate Club Listing

CAJUN COURT CLUB
P.O. Box 31537
Lafayette, La. 70503
318-981-0104
of courts: 7

CLUB CHAMALE'
#90 Chamale' Cove West
Slidell, La. 70458
504-649-2500
of courts: 4

COVINGTON COURT CLUB
Rt. 3 Box 713
Covington, La. 70433
504-893-4800
of courts: 6

FOXY'S HEALTH & RACQUET CLUB
4343 Rhoda Dr.
Baton Rouge, La. 70816
504-292-6030
of courts: 8

MORGAN CITY HEALTH & RACQUET CLUB
P.O. Box 1962
Morgan City, La. 70380
504-385-4048
of courts: 4

RIVER CENTER TENNIS CLUB
600 S. Front Blvd.
New Orleans, La. 70139
504-568-9118
of courts: 8

L.R.A. Expenses and Revenue
Jan. - June 1983

<u>EXPENSES</u>	<u>COST</u>
400 Secretary, Director	\$2949.88
413 Auto and Travel	1393.76
424 Contract Labor	590.73
450 Misc.	387.12
455 Utilities and Water	271.23
456 Printing	1924.58
457 Rent	553.87
458 Office Supplies	876.55
461 Professional Development	495.00
481 Telephone	1916.79
501 Tourney T-shirts	180.34
504 Refunds to players	135.00
505 Payments to Clubs	2798.00
509 Computer Expense	840.00
510 Picture Expense	90.83
511 Prize money	35.00
512 Banquets and Meetings	49.64
518 Taxes	1659.76

TOTAL: \$23,448.08

<u>EXPENSES</u>	<u>COST</u>
100 Entry Fees	\$5916.00
110 Memberships (players)	6287.00
120 Memberships (clubs)	3600.00
140 Donation	8.31
150 Sanction Fees	2529.76
160 Ads	267.57
170 Misc. Sales	95.00
180 Error Deposits	-20.00
200 N.S.F. (checks)	-110.00

TOTAL: \$18,573.64

Starting Balance: \$13,792.41
 Revenue: 18,573.64

 TOTAL: \$32,366.05

Expenses: -23,448.08

Ending Balance: \$ 8,917.97



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B.N.T. #1, A.D.A.
JANUARY 14, 15, 16, 1982

Women's Open
1. Roseanne Lee, Slidell
2. Marsha Richards, Baton Rouge
3. Joan McPhail, Baton Rouge
4. Ricky Grimmer, Baton Rouge
Consolation: Terri Andrews, Baton Rouge

Women's B
1. Sandy Richardson, Kenner
2. Lorry Perry, Baton Rouge
3. Faye Fendler, Baton Rouge
4. Judy Steele, Baton Rouge
Consolation: Donna Sanders, Lake Charles

Women's C
1. Betty Smith, Baton Rouge
2. Anna Politz, Baton Rouge
3. Laura Thorne, New Orleans
4. Hal Sumner, Baton Rouge
Consolation: Folia Hesel, Ruston

Women's D
1. Mary Toulreux, Baton Rouge
2. Chris Barron, Baton Rouge
3. Bonnie Stewart, Lake Charles
Consolation: Suzanne Naliffred, Baton Rouge

Women's Doubles A
1. Lee/Slidell, Slidell/Miss.
2. Andrews/McPhail, Baton Rouge
3. Dipolala/Royce, Baton Rouge
4. Politz/Stoll, Baton Rouge

Women's Doubles B
1. Koppa/Grimes, Cl. Jettre
2. Jeter/Murphy, Baton Rouge
3. Chismell/Moreland, B.R.
4. Smith/Hilder, Baton Rouge
Consolation: Faget/Rogers, B.R.

Women's Doubles C
1. Morris/Lester, New Orleans
2. Stephens/Koper, Baton Rouge
3. Franks/Fedor, New Orleans
Consolation: Habel/Cornell, New Orleans



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RIVERCENTER 4TH FLOOR, JANUARY OPEN
JANUARY 28, 29, 30, 1983

Men's Open
1. Bill Farrel, Gretna
2. Art Beauchamp, Lafayette
3. Rick Gonzales, New Orleans
4. Jimmy Hane, Baton Rouge
Consolation: Joe Hero, New Orleans

Men's A
1. Richard Broadwell, Harahan
2. Larry Mercier, Gretna
3. Stephen Banks, Alexandria
4. Dan Orr, Gretna
Consolation: Neil Woodall, Laplace

Men's B
1. Ricky Relf, New Orleans
2. Joe Smith, New Orleans
3. Keith Balke, Baton Rouge
4. Bill Baily, Gretna
Consolation: Ken Counts, Metairie

Men's C
1. Tim Bodeker, Houston
2. Doug Foster, New Orleans
3. Jay Paternostro, New Orleans
4. Bobby Guillot, Metairie
Consolation: Mike Vinherd, New Orleans

Men's D
1. Bruce Dobson, Baton Rouge
2. Amy Foster, L.C.
3. Greg Koehler, Kenner
4. Mike Boudreaux, Gretna
Consolation: Jerry Anderson, Kenner

Women's Open A
1. Roseanne Lee, Slidell
2. Marsha Richards, Baton Rouge
3. Joan McPhail, Baton Rouge
4. Ricky Grimmer, Baton Rouge
Consolation: Terri Andrews, Baton Rouge

Women's B
1. Sandy Richardson, Kenner
2. Lorry Perry, Baton Rouge
3. Faye Fendler, Baton Rouge
4. Judy Steele, Baton Rouge
Consolation: Donna Sanders, Lake Charles

Women's C
1. Betty Smith, Baton Rouge
2. Anna Politz, Baton Rouge
3. Laura Thorne, New Orleans
4. Hal Sumner, Baton Rouge
Consolation: Folia Hesel, Ruston

Women's D
1. Mary Toulreux, Baton Rouge
2. Chris Barron, Baton Rouge
3. Bonnie Stewart, Lake Charles
Consolation: Suzanne Naliffred, Baton Rouge



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L.A.A./WALLACER COURT CLASSIC RESULTS
APRIL 15-16-17, 1983

MEN'S OPEN
1st Bill Land, Laf.
2nd Mike Americo, Monroe
3rd Mark Comeaux, B.R.
Con. Orr Faget, B.R.

MEN'S A
1st Terry Campagna, B.R.
2nd Jack Cromer, B.R.
3rd Gordon Stuts, B.R.
Con. Chuck Moreland, B.R.

MEN'S B
1st Carl Schlager
2nd Tracy Rounte, N. Iberia
3rd Bill Redard, B.R.
Con. Keith Balke, B.R.

MEN'S C
1st Steve Sanchez, B.R.
2nd Dan Prior, Ruston
3rd Donald Schwab, Jr., Houma
Con. Bruce Dobson, B.R.

MEN'S D
1st Craig Borden, B.R.
2nd Bob Wirt, B.R.
3rd Chad Leblanc, Eunice
Con. Steve Lowry, Laf.

MEN'S OPEN DOUBLES
1st Bill Land, Ron Jeter, B.R.
2nd Jess Stewart/Paul George, L.C.
3rd Jimmy Hane/Chuck Moreland, B.R.

MEN'S B DOUBLES
1st Donald Schwab/Dan Schwab, Houma
2nd Don Hebert/Tim Taylor, B.R.
3rd Jerry Lindig/Jerry Passon, B.R.

MEN'S A
1st Chris Metralier, B.R.
2nd Amy Foster, L.C.
3rd Terri Andrews, B.R.
Con. Valerie Shean, B.R.

MEN'S B
1st Melissa Hall, Mandeville
2nd Debbie Spica, B.R.
3rd Terri Reeves, B.R.
Con. Faye Spradley

MEN'S C/D
1st Bonnie Muller, B.R.
2nd Edie Patel, Ruston
3rd Mel Bauman, B.R.
Con. Ray Jackson, B.R.

MEN'S A DOUBLES
1st Valerie Shean/Terri Andrews, B.R.
2nd Cammie Coyne/Amy Foster, L.C.
3rd Carol Williams/Brandi George, L.C.



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LITE BEER GONGHO RACQUETBALL TOURNAMENT
APRIL 29, 30, MAY 1, 1983

MEN'S OPEN
1st Bill Land, Laf.
2nd Mike Americo, N.O.
3rd Byron Williams, Monroe
Cons. Gene Mann, Laf.

MEN'S A
1st Jack Cromer, B.R.
2nd Carl Schlager, Alex.
3rd Chris Guadagno, M.C.
Cons. Ron Jeter, B.R.

MEN'S B
1st Tim Taylor, B.R.
2nd Charles DeBartolo, N.O.
3rd James Bayhi, B.R.
Cons. Alvin Miles, B.R.

MEN'S C
1st Mike Lee, B.R.
2nd Bob Wirt, B.R.
3rd Barry Mathieu, Houma
Cons. Brian Mathieu, Houma

MEN'S D
1st Kurt Stranberg, B.R.
2nd Matt Housak, Houma
3rd Robbie Dixon, Houma
Cons. Jim Roberts, Houma

MIXED DOUBLES
1st Metralier/Mann, B.R.
2nd Lee/Guadagno, Slidell/M.C.
3rd George/Houston, Houma

WOMEN'S OPEN/A
1st Roseanne Lee, Slidell
2nd Chris Metralier, B.R.
3rd Tanny Landry, M.C.
Cons. Margaret Ledouff, M.C.

WOMEN'S B/C
1st Donna Sanders, L.C.
2nd Alice Boudreaux, M.C.
3rd Laura Hane, B.R.
Cons. Helen Dupp, B.R.

WOMEN'S D
1st Beverly Clark, Houma
2nd Lona Rosett, Houma
3rd Carla Dehart, M.C.
Cons. Faye Talbot



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L.A.A./CONTRABAND COURT CLASSIC
MAY 6, 7, 8, 1983

MEN'S OPEN
1st Bill Land, Laf.
2nd Steve Ledford, Monroe
3rd Byron Williams, Monroe
4th Gene Mann, Laf.
Cons. Mike Americo, N.O.

MEN'S A
1st Robby Gain, Ruston
2nd Ron Jeter, B.R.
3rd Darrell Ney, L.C.
4th Wayne George, L.C.
Cons. Don Ellerman, B.R.

MEN'S B
1st John Moore, L.C.
2nd Scott Hollinger, B.R.
3rd Jimmy Foster, L.C.
4th James Bayhi, B.R.
Cons. Keith Leblanc, Laf.

MEN'S C
1st Bob Wirt, B.R.
2nd Jimmy Jewell, Alex.
3rd Dan Prior, Ruston
4th Vince Castille, L.C.
Cons. Elroy Ray, Oakdale

MEN'S D
1st Vince Wachowich, Alex.
2nd Thomas Turner, L.C.
3rd Kelly Farnsworth, Laf.
4th Kim Comeaux, L.C.
Cons. Terry Harlow, L.C.

WOMEN'S A
1st Chris Metralier, B.R.
2nd Amy Foster, L.C.
3rd Jackie Gish, Ruston
4th Cammy Coyne, L.C.
Cons. Valerie Shean, B.R.

WOMEN'S B
1st Debbie Spica, B.R.
2nd Chris Bourgeois, L.C.
3rd Edie Patel, Ruston
4th Betty McCord, B.R.
Cons. Brenda George, L.C.

WOMEN'S C
1st Margaret Sanders, L.C.
2nd Lynn Farnsworth, Laf.
3rd Kim Payne, L.C.
4th Odette St. Roman, L.C.
Cons. Sarah Kennedy, L.C.

MIXED DOUBLES A
1st Chris Metralier/Cone Mann, B.R.
2nd Carol Williams/Paul George, L.C.
3rd Amy Foster/Wayne George, L.C.
4th Valerie Shean/Ron Jeter, B.R.



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L.A.A./SPRINT JUNIOR

MEN'S OPEN
1st Mark Comeaux, B.R.
2nd Jimmy Hane, B.R.
3rd Byron Williams, Monroe
4th Burke Landry, B.R.
Cons. Terry Campagna, M.O.

MEN'S A
1st Ron Jeter, B.R.
2nd Alan Thomas, Texas
3rd Charles DeBartolo, N.O.
4th Bob Sitton, B.R.
Cons. Jack Grimmer, B.R.

MEN'S B
1st Jim Bayhi, B.R.
2nd Steve Riddle, B.R.
3rd Scott Hollinger, B.R.
4th Keith Balke, B.R.
Cons. Don Schwab, Jr., Houma

MEN'S C
1st Steve Sanchez, B.R.
2nd Bob Wirt, B.R.
3rd Charles DeBartolo, N.O.
4th Bret Toller, M.C.
Cons. Rick Stottle, B.R.

MEN'S D
1st Richard Powell, B.R.
2nd Tony Bull, B.R.
3rd Chris Purvis, B.R.
Cons. Ed Smith, B.R.

WOMEN'S A DOUBLES
1st Marsha Richards/Dan Schwab, B.R.
2nd Kristan Swartz/Joan B.R.
3rd Mary Hill/Faye Spradley

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McDonald House Classic, Club Channel
February 18, 1983

Men's Open

1. Art Beauchamp, Lafayette
2. Ricky Gonzalez, Chalmette
3. Guy Faget, Baton Rouge
4. Jimmy Hasey, Greenwell Springs

Men's A

1. Willie Fernandez, Chalmette
2. Tony Carter, Baton Rouge
3. Perry Campana, Chalmette
4. Les Calvin, Kenner

Men's B

1. Brian Dalcie, Port Allen
2. Carlos Francois, New Orleans
3. Charlie DeBartolo, New Orleans
4. Frank Reda, Slidell

Men's C

1. Terry Ellis, New Iberia
2. Edie Veradith, Biloxi
3. Dick Brasher, Alexandria
4. Bruce Dobson, Baton Rouge

Men's D

1. Larry Tidwell, New Iberia
2. Willie Bergeron, Houma
3. Pat Landry, New Iberia
4. Lee Tidmore, Slidell

Seniors 35+ A & Men's

1. Don Ellerman, Baton Rouge
2. Jeff Hinde, Metairie
3. Scott Chan, Baton Rouge
4. Duke Besse, New Orleans

Seniors 35+ B & Men's

1. Don Robert, Baton Rouge
2. Claude Patrick, Alexandria
3. Dick Brasher, Alexandria
4. Dick Scallon, Alexandria

Women's A

1. Elaine Lee, Slidell
2. Terri Andrews, Baton Rouge
3. Lou Reynolds, Baton Rouge
4. Kerry McGinnis, Covington

Women's B

1. Joanne Blackwell, Slidell
2. Ruth McLean, Slidell
3. Cassie Rustmeyer, Slidell
4. Sandy Ellerman, Baton Rouge

Women's C

1. Susan Andrews, Baton Rouge
2. Calvin Richardson, Kenner
3. Bease/Fernandez, Chalmette
4. McNamee/Faget, Covington/Baton Rouge

Mixed Doubles

1. Phuan/Andrews, Baton Rouge
2. Calvin/Richardson, Kenner
3. Bease/Fernandez, Chalmette
4. McNamee/Faget, Covington/Baton Rouge



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N.O.M.R.A.
2nd ANNUAL FEBRUARY SHOOT-OUT

Women's A

1. Terry Andrews, Baton Rouge
2. Judy Lynch, Alexandria
3. Sandra Tull, Chalmette
4. Amy Foster, Lake Charles

Women's B

1. Karen Saunders, New Orleans
2. Joanne Fox, New Orleans
3. Patti Higgins, Chalmette
4. Sharon Lester, New Orleans

Women's C

1. Bonnie Schmitt, Violet
2. Mel Baumann, Baton Rouge
3. Becky Smith, Baton Rouge
4. Kay Jackson, New Orleans

Women's D

1. Joan Childers, Metairie
2. Annette Blusa, New Orleans
3. Linda Frats, Metairie
4. Nancy Harris, New Orleans

Mixed Doubles A

1. Gillie/Campbell, Baton Rouge
2. Ellerman/Annett, Baton Rouge
3. Andrews/Chan, Baton Rouge
4. Foster/George, Lake Charles

Men's 35+

1. Randy Hyatt, Lake Charles
2. John Munoz, New Orleans
3. Jay Atherton, New Orleans
4. Paul Bruno, New Orleans

Men's 35+ A

1. Don Ellerman, Baton Rouge
2. Jeff Hinde, Kenner
3. Scott Chan, Baton Rouge
4. Cyril Senter, Kenner

Men's 35+ B

1. Richard Childers, New Orleans
2. Ken Counts, Metairie
3. Donald Robert, Baton Rouge
4. Ray Shepherd, Metairie

Men's 35+ C

1. Joe Almerich, New Orleans
2. Eichman/Tedrick, Slidell
3. Leathers/George, Chal./L.C.
4. Bruno/Atherton, New Orleans

Men's 35+ D

1. Breeser/Lester, New Orleans
2. Lester/Tedor, New Orleans
3. Childers/Malpine, New Orleans
4. Fecht/Huber, New Orleans

Mixed Doubles B

1. Taylor/Wittler, New Orleans
2. Norrick/Atherton, Metairie
3. Saunders/Guilory, New Orleans
4. Johnson/Walker, New Orleans



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L.R.A. STATE SENIORS
MARCH 25, 26, 27, 1983

Men's 35+

1. Bill Land, Lafayette
2. Steve Ledford, Ruston
3. Frank Gomez, Chalmette
4. Billy Holliday, Baton Rouge

Men's 35+ A

1. Cliff Teal, Chalmette
2. Rick Cunningham, West Monroe
3. Paul Bruno, New Orleans
4. Tommy Coyne, Lake Charles

Men's 35+ B

1. Jerry Wineberg, New Orleans
2. David Marshall, Port Allen
3. Bill Dillipello, Gretna
4. Doug Moreau, Baton Rouge

Men's 35+ C

1. Donald Robert, Baton Rouge
2. Charles DeBartolo, Metairie
3. Jack Beas III, Alexandria
4. Reggie Knight, Kenner

Men's 35+ D

1. Kelly Smith, Kenner
2. Sam Coker, Matchitoches
3. Eugene Ferris, Mandeville
4. Don Gunther, Metairie

Women's 35+ 30+

1. Elaine Lee, Slidell
2. Terri Andrews, Baton Rouge
3. Amy Foster, Lake Charles
4. Becky Gromer, Baton Rouge

Women's 35+

1. Valerie Olson, Baton Rouge
2. Joan Dipolala, Baton Rouge
3. Paula Castor, Lafayette
4. Alice Roudreau, Metairie

Women's 35+ A

1. Sharon Andrews, Baton Rouge
2. Foster/Coyne, Lake Charles
3. Castor/Dier, Lafayette
4. Bease/Schultz, New Orleans

Women's 35+ B

1. Jeter/Land, Baton Rouge/Laf.
2. Holliday/Concepcion, Baton Rouge/Coville
3. Gomez/Fee, Chalmette/Metairie
4. Moreau/Marshall, Port Allen/Baton Rouge

Women's 35+ C

1. Jeter/Land, Baton Rouge/Laf.
2. Holliday/Concepcion, Baton Rouge/Coville
3. Gomez/Fee, Chalmette/Metairie
4. Moreau/Marshall, Port Allen/Baton Rouge

Women's 35+ D

1. Kelly Smith, Kenner
2. Sam Coker, Matchitoches
3. Eugene Ferris, Mandeville
4. Don Gunther, Metairie

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Women's A

- 1st Sandra Tull, B.R.
- 2nd Jessica Crist, B.R.
- 3rd Chris Mettraler, B.R.
- 4th Amy Foster, L.C.

Women's B

- 1st Debbie Spica, B.R.
- 2nd Becky Smith, B.R.
- 3rd Laura Haney, G.S.
- 4th Debbie Gatto, B.R.

Women's C

- 1st Helen Dupuy, Brusly
- 2nd Pam Cooper, B.R.
- 3rd Kay Jackson, B.R.
- 4th Jackie Binstert, B.R.

Women's D

- 1st Harvite Fontenot, D.S.
- 2nd Patey Concepcion, Carville
- 3rd Niki Crawford, B.R.
- 4th Winnie Bush, Met.

Men's A

- 1st Rick Chiquelin/Bob Soule, B.R.
- 2nd Oscar Concepcion/Jack Moore, Carville, Baton Rouge
- 3rd Ron Jeter/Mack Comeaux, B.R.
- 4th Jack Cromer/Ron Choiniere, B.R.

Men's B

- 1st Scott Hollinger/Charles Mettraler, B.R.
- 2nd Don Schwab/Dan Schwab Jr., Houma
- 3rd Bob Wirt/Warren Annette, B.R.
- 4th Keith Balke/Danny Boulreux, B.R.



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L.R.A. / STATE DOUBLES
June 24, 25, 26, 1983

Men's Open Doubles

- 1st Bill Land, Laf.
- 2nd Mark Comeaux, Laf.
- 3rd Mike Almerich, Laf.
- 4th Gene Mann, Laf.

Men's B Doubles

- 1st Curt Jackson, Laf.
- 2nd Charlie Bernard, Laf.
- 3rd Mexican Knight, Kenner
- 4th Sal Tranchina Jr., Kenner

Men's C Doubles

- 1st John Moore, L.C.
- 2nd Jimmy Fossiller, L.C.
- 3rd Bruce Dobson, B.R.
- 4th James Payne, B.R.

Men's D Doubles

- 1st Jerry Lindsay, B.R.
- 2nd Terry Pearson, B.R.
- 3rd Don Ellerman, B.R.
- 4th Robert Schmitt, B.R.

Men's 35+ Doubles

- 1st Ron Jeter, B.R.
- 2nd Bob Soule, B.R.
- 3rd Duke Beas, N.O.
- 4th Joe Beas, N.O.

Men's 35+ A Doubles

- 1st Jerry Lindsay, B.R.
- 2nd Scott Shean, B.R.
- 3rd Don Ellerman, B.R.
- 4th Robert Schmitt, B.R.

Women's Open Doubles

- 1st Marsha Richards, B.R.
- 2nd Sandra Tull, B.R.
- 3rd Christina Mettraler, B.R.
- 4th Jessica Crist, B.R.

Women's B Doubles

- 1st Sharon Ledor, Kenner
- 2nd Sandy Richardson, Kenner
- 3rd Suzanne Coker, B.R.
- 4th Debbie Spica, B.R.

Women's C Doubles

- 1st Sharon Ledor, Kenner
- 2nd Sandy Richardson, Kenner
- 3rd Suzanne Coker, B.R.
- 4th Debbie Spica, B.R.

Women's D Doubles

- 1st Sharon Ledor, Kenner
- 2nd Sandy Richardson, Kenner
- 3rd Suzanne Coker, B.R.
- 4th Debbie Spica, B.R.

Open Mixed Doubles

- 1st Brenda George, L.C.
- 2nd Mike Almerich, N.O.
- 3rd Amy Foster, L.C.
- 4th Steve Ledford, Metairie

Open Mixed A Doubles

- 1st Brenda George, L.C.
- 2nd Mike Almerich, N.O.
- 3rd Amy Foster, L.C.
- 4th Steve Ledford, Metairie



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Netter's Institutional
Lafayette July 22-23, '83

Women's A

- 1st Tami Landry, M.C.
- 2nd Marsha Richards, B.R.
- 3rd Ada Silar, Laf.
- 4th Amy Foster, L.C.

Women's B

- 1st Karen Foley, N.O.
- 2nd Becky Smith, B.R.
- 3rd Pat Morris, Laf.
- 4th Suzanne Coker, B.R.

Women's C

- 1st Frances Hufford, B.R.
- 2nd Dalene Melanson, Laf.
- 3rd Debbie Smith, B.R.
- 4th Kay Jackson, B.R.

Women's D

- 1st Anne Vallure, Houma
- 2nd Anne Vallure, Houma
- 3rd Anne Vallure, Houma
- 4th Anne Vallure, Houma

Men's A

- 1st Ron Jeter, B.R.
- 2nd Bob Soule, B.R.
- 3rd Duke Beas, N.O.
- 4th Joe Beas, N.O.

Men's B

- 1st Jerry Lindsay, B.R.
- 2nd Scott Shean, B.R.
- 3rd Don Ellerman, B.R.
- 4th Robert Schmitt, B.R.

Men's C

- 1st Ron Jeter, B.R.
- 2nd Bob Soule, B.R.
- 3rd Duke Beas, N.O.
- 4th Joe Beas, N.O.

Men's D

- 1st Jerry Lindsay, B.R.
- 2nd Scott Shean, B.R.
- 3rd Don Ellerman, B.R.
- 4th Robert Schmitt, B.R.



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OPEN

1. BILL LAND, SHREV.
2. MIKE ALMERICO, NORCO
3. *LANCE LACOUR, CHAL.
4. BYRON WILLIAMS, MON.
5. ANDY HODGES, SHREV.
6. BILL PARODI, GREINA
7. GUY FAGET, B.R.
8. ART BEAUCHAMP, LAF.
9. GENE MANN, LAF.
10. TROY PALISI, B.R.

WOMENS A

1. AMY FOSTER, L.C.
2. CHRIS METRAILER, B.R.
3. ROMAINE LEE, SLID.
4. TERRI ANDREWS, B.R.
5. *TAMMY LANDRY, M.C.
6. JUDY LYNCH, ALEX.
7. JOAN DIPOLA, B.R.
8. VALERIE SHEAN, B.R.
9. SANDRA ZULLI, CHAL.
10. MARSHA RICHARDS, B.R.

MENS A

1. TONY CARTER, B.R.
2. JERRY RODASU, L.C.
3. MICHAEL WOODRUFF, SHREV.
4. DANNY ORY, GREINA
5. WAYNE GEORGE, L.C.
6. JACK GROMER, B.R.
7. BILL DEFILIPPO, N.O.
8. DON GUTIERREZ, ALEX.
9. KIEL KOGER, B.R.
10. BILL SAVARD, B.R.

WOMENS B

1. KELLY EHRET, GREINA
2. DEBBIE GATTO, B.R.
3. BETTY MCCORD, B.R.
4. LAURA HANEY, B.R.
5. LORRY PERRY, ALEX.
6. JOHNNIE FOX, N.O.
7. SUZANNE CORKERN
8. KAREN SANDERS, MET.
9. TINY RICHARD, B.R.
10. SHARON LESTER, KENNER

MENS B

1. JIMMY FUSELIER, L.C.
2. CHARLES METRAILER, B.R.
3. JOSH SEIDENBERG, L.C.
4. SCOTT HULINGER, B.R.
5. EUGENE ENGLISH, JR., B.R.
6. JOHN MOORE, L.C.
7. REGGIE KNIGHT, N.O.
8. SCOTT EHRET, GREINA
9. RON HIDALGO, MET.
10. EARL MALUS, ARABIA

WOMENS C

1. KAY JACKSON, B.R.
2. DEBBIE TROSCLAIR, HOUMA
3. PAM COOPER, B.R.
4. EDIE MEZIE, RUSTON
5. LUCY SCHEFFY, B.R.
6. TERRI REEVES, B.R.
7. DAWN GERRETS, GREINA
8. LAURA SHANE, N.O.
9. DONNA HARWICK, ALEX.
10. ASHLEY EICHER, B.R.

MENS C

1. RAYMOND SHEPERD, MET.
2. RICK VEREEN, ALEX.
3. LOUIS SCHARFF, N.O.
4. JOHN COOK, JR., MON.
5. JOHN TENNANT, B.R.
6. ROBERT DIGROLAND, B.R.
7. MICHAEL LESTER, KENNER
8. JAY PATEROSTED, MET.
9. MIKE FUSELIER, L.C.
10. RANDY HIMEL, RES.

WOMENS D

1. ANNETTE HLUZA, N.O.
2. LINDA PRATS, KENNER
3. EILEEN GOLDRING, KENNER
4. ROSITA CORNELIUS, MET.
5. NANCY HARRING, N.O.
6. LYNN DAVE, N.O.
7. SUE GANT, N.O.
8. JENNIFER LYNCH, ALEX.
9. PATSY CONCEPCION, B.R.
- 10.. RINDA REISS, KENNER

B MIXED DOUBLES

1. *FOX/MCALPINE, N.O.
2. LEBOUF/CROCHET, M.C.
3. STONE/LANDRY, B.R.
4. MCCORD/HILLINGER, B.R.
5. CONCEPCION/BAYHI, B.R.
6. SACCO/KEIL, B.R.
7. CRADEUR/COCINGTON, L.C.
8. BOURGEOIS/FUSELIER, L.C.
9. BEHLAR/MORRIS, N.O.
10. MOHUNDRO/RICHARD, B.R.

MENS 25+

1. *BILL LAND, LAF.
2. STEVE LEDFORD, MON.
3. FRANK GOMILLA, CHAL.
4. BILLY HOLLIDAY, B.R.
5. GUY FAGET, B.R.
6. PAUL GEORGE, L.C.
7. STEVE LABRET, N.O.
8. GENE MANN, LAF.
9. TIM HANNAN, VIOLET
10. CLAY BRAXTON, HOUMA

WOMENS 25+ - 35+

1. *ROMAINE LEE, SLID,
2. TERRI ANDREWS, B.R.
3. AMY FOSTER, L.C.
4. BECKY GROMER, B.R.
5. CAMMY COYNE, L.C.
6. SUSAN SCHULTZ, N.O.
7. JULIA BALL, N.O.
8. JOHNNIE FOX, N.O.
9. CANDY ZEARS, CHAL.
10. SUE GANT, N.O.

MENS 30+ A

1. *CLIFF ZEARS, CHAL.
2. RICK CUNNINGHAM, W. MON.
3. PAUL BRUNO, N.O.
4. TOMMY COYNE, L.C.
5. OSCAR CONCEPCION, CARV.
6. BOB STANTON, B.R.
7. ART THIGPEN, W. MON.
8. DEAN EICHMAN, MAN.
9. LES CALVIN, KENNER
10. JIM NICHOLSON, NAT.



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MENS 35+ B

1. *DONALD HEBERT, B.R.
2. CHARLES DEBARTOLO, N.O.
3. JACK BEAM III, ALEX.
4. REGGIE KNIGHT, KENNER
5. BILL BEDARD, B.R.
6. ALAN YEDOR, GREINA
7. RICHARD CHILDERS, MET.
8. KEN COUNTS, MET.
9. DANNY ROWZIE, LEAS.
10. DAVE MORITZ, SLID.

WOMENS 35+

1. *VALERIE SHEAN, B.R.
2. JOAN DIPOLA, B.R.
3. PERLA CASTRO, LAF.
4. ALICE BOUDREAUX, M.C.
5. CHERYL HENTZE, N.O.
6. SANDY ELLERMAN B.R.
7. LINDA FERRIS, MAND.
8. FELIPA DIAZ, LAF.

MENS MASTERS 40+

1. *WALLY SMITH, N.O.
2. SAM COKER, NATCH.
3. EUGENE FERRIS, MAND.
4. DON GUNTHER, N.O.
5. RICHARD BOULT, LAF.
6. BEN BARRON, NATCH.
7. ED RYAN, B.R.
8. RONALD CHANDLER, GREINA
9. JOE CARLANLONIO, GREINA

MENS OPEN SENIOR DOUBLES

1. JETER/LAND, B.R./LAF.
2. HOLLIDAY/CONCEPCION, B.R.
3. GOMILA/KEE, CHAL./MER.
4. MOREAU/MARSCHALL, P.A./B.R.
5. GEORGE/COYNE, L.C.

WOMENS SENIOR DOUBLES

1. *SHEAN/ANDREWS, B.R.
2. COYNE/FOSTER, L.C.
3. CASTOR/DIAZ, LAF.
4. BESSE/SCHULTZ, N.O.
5. DIPOLA/BOUDREAUX, BR./MC.

AS OF JULY 1983 MOVED TO A HIGHER DIVISION

MEN

- A to OPEN
1. Ron Jeter
 2. Kerry Campagna
- B to A
1. James Bayhi
 2. Charles DeBartolo
 3. Carl Shlager
 4. Tim Taylor
 5. Brian Daigle
 6. Keith Balke
 7. Troy Boutte
 8. Neil Koger

C to B

1. Bob Wirt
2. Steven Sanchez
3. Drew Siegel
4. Terry Etie
5. Dan Prior

D to C

1. Wade Garcia
2. Larry Tidwell
3. David Flannagan
4. Bruce Dobson
5. Alan Yedor
6. James Thompson
7. Robert McCurley
8. Vicente Wiscovitch
9. Willie Bergeron
10. Gregory Williams

WOMEN

B to A

1. Debbie Spica
2. Faye Spradley
3. Donna Sanders
4. Sandy Richardson

C to B

1. Bonnie Schmitz
2. Becky Smith
3. Mary (Mel) Baumann
4. Bonnie Buller

D to C

1. Jean Childers

WOMENS B DOUBLES

1. *LESTER/RICHARDSON, N.O.
2. SPICA/CORKERN, B.R.
3. MORGAN/MORNA, DUSON
4. EICHER/VANPORTFLIET, B.R.
5. JACKSON/WARFORD, N.O.
6. SACCO/WALKER, N.O.
7. LATOLAIS/ROY, LAF.
8. FOX/NOVICH, N.O.
9. BONFANTI/HIGGINS, B.R.
10. BUHLAR/PRATS, N.O.

OPEN MIXED DOUBLES

1. *GEORGE/ALMERICO, L.C./N.O.
2. FOSTER/LEDFOED, L.C./MON.
3. ESTORAGE/COMEAX, LAF.
4. SHEAN/JETER, B.R.
5. CAMPAGNA/ZULLI, CHAL.
6. MCCLONE/FAGET, N.O./B.R.
7. METRAILER/MANN, B.R./LAF.
8. WATTS/BRUNO, N.O.
9. COYNE/GEORGE, L.C.
10. DIPOLA/ROGERS, B.R.

MENS 35+ A

1. *JERRY WINSBERG, N.O.
2. DAVID MARCHALL, B.R.
3. BILL DIDILIPPO, GREINA
4. DOUG MOREAU, B.R.
5. DON ELLERMAN, B.R.
6. WALLACE HARDY, W. MON.
7. JEFF KINDAL, MET.
8. SCOTT SHEAN, B.R.
9. A.N. HARRIS, N.O.
10. BILL SAVARD, B.R.

MENS 35+ DOUBLES

1. JETER/SOULE', B.R.
2. BESSE/HERO, N.O.
3. LINDIG/PESSON, B.R.
4. SHEAN/ELLERMAN, B.R.
5. DOUCET/GROMER, B.R.

* denotes State Champions

* Any appeals must be done one month prior to the state singles tournament.

MENS D

1. RONNIE J. RAY, LAF.
2. A.D. DEVILLE, JR., ALEX.
3. STEVE KEISLING, LAF.
4. MICHAEL BULLEX, L.C.
5. VINCE CASTILLE, L.C.
6. HOWARD CHOI, MET.
7. GREG MANUEL, LAF.
8. JERRY KILBY, HOUMA
9. DONNIE JARREAU, B.R.
10. GARY GUNNER, B.R.

MENS A DOUBLES

1. *COMEAX/LAND, LAF.
2. ALMERICO/MANN, N.O./LAF.
3. CONCEPCION/HOLLIDAY, B.R.
4. ROGERS/FAGET, B.R.
5. HANEY/KADI, B.R.
6. JETER/LEDFOED, B.R./MON.
7. CHIQUELIN/SOULE', B.R.
8. PALISI/PHELPS, B.R./HOUMA
9. GEORGE/ THOMPSON, L.C.
10. CARTER/HUTCHINSON, B.R.

WOMENS A DOUBLES

1. *CRIST/METRAILER, B.R.
2. ANDREWS/SHEAN, B.R.
3. RICHARDS/ZULLI, B.R./CHAL.
4. FOSTER/COYNE, L.C.
5. LANDRY/LEBOUEF, M.C.
6. ESTORAGE/JAMISON, LAF.
7. SILAR/SWIGART, LAF./B.R.
8. MCGLONE/WATTS, N.O.
9. DIPOLA/WALLACE, B.R.
10. BESSE/LYNCH, N.O./ALEX.

MENS B DOUBLES

1. *BEDARD/JACKSON, LAF.
2. KNIGHT/TRANCHINA, N.O.
3. FUSELIER/MOORE, L.C.
4. BAYHI/DOBSON, B.R.
5. BERGERON/MUNDZ, N.O.
6. COVINGTON/NOE, L.C.
7. LINDIG/PESSON, B.R.
8. MORRIS/LESTER, N.O.
9. MORRIS/URBAN, SHREV.
10. METRAILER/HULLINGER, B.R.

RENEE HEBERT WINS NATIONAL TITLE

Renee Hebert, racquetball pro and manager of the Kenner Y.M.C.A., achieved a long time goal this Spring by winning the National Singles Championship in the 40+ age division at the AARA National Singles Championship in Houston, Texas, on Memorial Day Weekend.

Renee defeated Barb Smith 21-19, 21-8 to capture the National Title. She also faired well in the 35+ division losing to the top seeded player in that division.

To quote Renee: " It was wonderful because I've been trying to win a national title for nine years and I finally did it!! "

Renee Hebert proves that with a lot of hard work and determination, dreams can come true!!!

CONGRATULATIONS RENE!!

1st JUNIORS GRAND PRIX, A SUCCESS!

The 1983 Junior Grand Prix Tour has to be one of the most successful ventures in L.R.A. history. Not only did the Grand Prix draw in over 190 Juniors, but it also has encouraged clubs throughout the state to become involved with the Juniors Program.

The LRA has PENN tp thank for making the tour possible through its generous sponsorship.

The Juniors in the State now can have the confidence that there is an active state program which involves not only competition, but also instruction and guidance from people who are concerned about their futures in racquetball.

The LRA wishes to thank the following for making the first LRA/PENN Junior Grand Prix a success:

Red Lerille's, Lafayette; The Courtyard, Alexa.; Morgan City Health & Racquetball Club; The Rivercenter, New Orleans; and Foxy's, Baton Rouge

We look forward to the State Juniors Championships to be held at Renaissance II in Houma , August 12, 13, & 14.

BRWRA News

The Baton Rouge Women's Racquetball Association, hosted a Las Vegas Night to raise money for the March of Dimes in conjunction with the March of Dimes benefit tournament held at the Wallbanger I in Baton Rouge on July 8-10. The evening consisted of various Casino style games from which winnings could be used to bid on gifts which were auctioned at the conclusion of the evening.

Carolyn Mohundro was responsible for the organization of the donated gifts and for the auction. Many lovely prizes were donated by local merchants as well as by several Wallbanger members including Lucien Palisi, Bill Savard, and Harold Harris.

Snacks were provided by other members of the BRWRA and Happy Hour drinks were available.

BRWRA President, Terry Andrews, and the other members of the Association are to be commended for the excellent job they did. THANKS!!!