

## Passing Shots

### Norm Blum Publisher



**THE ULTIMATE SPECIAL REQUEST** -- His son had a little league game between noon and 3 p.m. The father had to be at a banquet on Friday evening so therefore he and his son couldn't play Friday. And if the team won on Saturday, they had a 10 a.m. game Sunday morning and since he had to drive him to the ball park, he couldn't make it then either. It would have been easier if he listed the hours he and his son could play in the tournament.

**BITING CHAMP** -- I don't quite understand this one no matter how many times it is explained. A player, upset after losing in mixed doubles, bit his female opponent in the leg. Honest, we even have a picture to prove it.

**PLAYER OF THE MONTH** -- For the first time, we've selected a player of the month who was our recipient last month. Bradenton's Allan Engle is on his way to becoming an open player. Engle won the Men's A singles and 12 and under division at Port Richey last month. What was even more impressive was what Allan did with the money he earned from raffing. Instead of pocketing it, he gave it to the general fund of the PowerRacquetball Plus Junior team.

**POTPOURRI** --- AMF Head Product manager Mark Wentura has changed uniforms. He's now the product manager at Ektelon...There's nothing like going to the mail box first thing in the morning and reading a scathing letter attacking everything but your heritage. One reader ripped us to shreds and some of the points were constructive. Maybe she'll become a fan in the next few months...Our next big project is getting a women's pro tournament in Florida this December. We will do it...The winner-take-all format isn't popular among open players. "I don't care how much money is being offered, I won't play in them," says Florida open champ Tim Hansen. Hate to break the news to you Tim, but when a \$1,000 is offered, there will be some interest. Personally, I think it adds a little more drama...AMF Head will move its offices from Princeton, N.J. to Boulder, CO...Have to wonder how much strain an arm can take. Cliff Swain has such a devastating serve he already has some elbow problems and was seen applying DMSO....

The former Ektelon National Sales Manager is now pushing the RAM ball which is endorsed by Marty Hogan...Critics of the oversized racquet predicted Mike Yellen would be back to a regular sized racquet by now. Yellen is still using the Toron and in five tournaments has won two, reached the finals in two and lost in the quarters of another. Try and top that.

Early odds on the AARA National Doubles Championships this October in Jacksonville. Men's Open -- the new tandem-Sergio Gonzalez and Tim Hansen. Women's Open -- We have to go with the hometown favorites -- Mary Lyons/Susan Morgan. Remember, you read it here...Sergio Gonzalez was the big winner at the Captain Crunch Classic in Alabama. Sergio crushed Andy Roberts in the final to claim the \$1300 first place prize. "He looked like the old Sergio. He's tired of losing," said Hansen, who lost to Sergio in the quarters...We Goofed Dept. Oscar Gonzalez won the 18 & under division not Scott Richbourg... Orange Park's Claudia McCarthy finished second in the Captain Crunch Tournament. She'll be making the transition from amateur to pro in the not too distant future...Media folks weren't exactly bombarded with press releases at the recent state singles championships. The AARA should use us for that service...Report Card on the state singles championships -- Overall grade -- (Please turn to page 3)

## Schmidt heads list

# The candidates

Special to the Journal

Editor's note -- The American Amateur Racquetball Association is holding its annual elections. All AARA members will be receiving a ballot which must be mailed in by May 1.

The Florida Racquet Journal is reprinting three of the candidates' statements and urge your support.

**JUDI SCHMIDT**  
(Sarasota, FL)

During 17 years of participation in racquetball, I have contributed to its growth and development at local, state and regional levels to the best of my ability both independently and as a representative of the AARA on a national level because I believe strongly in the philosophies, ideals and objectives of the AARA and I am willing to work diligently through the coming years to see that our sport achieves the international status it deserves.

As a women first, and athlete/coach secondly, I am convinced of the need for recreation and athletics in the formation of a well-rounded individual. Therefore, I have been a spokesperson in the southeast for female and junior involvement in racquetball. I would like to be more involved in the development of policies and programs which will attract women and children to the overall benefits to be derived from racquetball experiences.

I will bring to the National Board the same dedication, hard work and energy that I have devoted to the growth of racquetball in Florida and the Southeast region since 1969.

**ALLEN SEITLEMEN**  
New York

Why would I want to be on the board of directors? While this question could generate some very complex rationales, it is very simple for me to answer: I've played racquetball for over 16 years and I love the game.

I loved the sport so much that I gladly dedicated my efforts to help improve and promote it. I quickly found that the more time and effort I put into the sport, both as a player and as an administrator, the more I enjoyed and loved racquetball.

Racquetball has undoubtedly become a major facet in my life, for the opportunity to serve as a member of the Board of Directors, National Vice President, and as the U.S. Olympic Committee delegate is a major concern of mine since there still is a great deal of work left to accomplish in order to make our Association even better.

If elected, I bring to the Board a combination of interest, abilities and experience that is ideally suited to helping our Association grow and develop. If you like the way

the AARA has been developing over the past few years, a vote for me will help to ensure the continuation of this trend (based on my track record as an integral part of the administration of the Association for the past eight years).

In addition to my racquetball expertise, my education background (Master's degree in public administration), and my work as a Director of Planning provide me with an excellent basis to serve as an officer of the AARA.

If elected, I pledge to continue to work hard, if not harder for the betterment of the AARA, to aid in the growth of the sport, and to work on having racquetball accepted as an Olympic sport.

**JOHN FOUST**  
Colorado

It is my belief that in the history of racquetball, no one organization has done more to solidify our sport for the future than the AARA. I want to continue the work I have done on a state and regional level at a national level. I would never claim to be a genius or know all there is about racquetball, but I do think I have a good feel for the sport and I'm concerned about its future, especially for amateurs.

Another area of special concern for me is the involvement of dis-

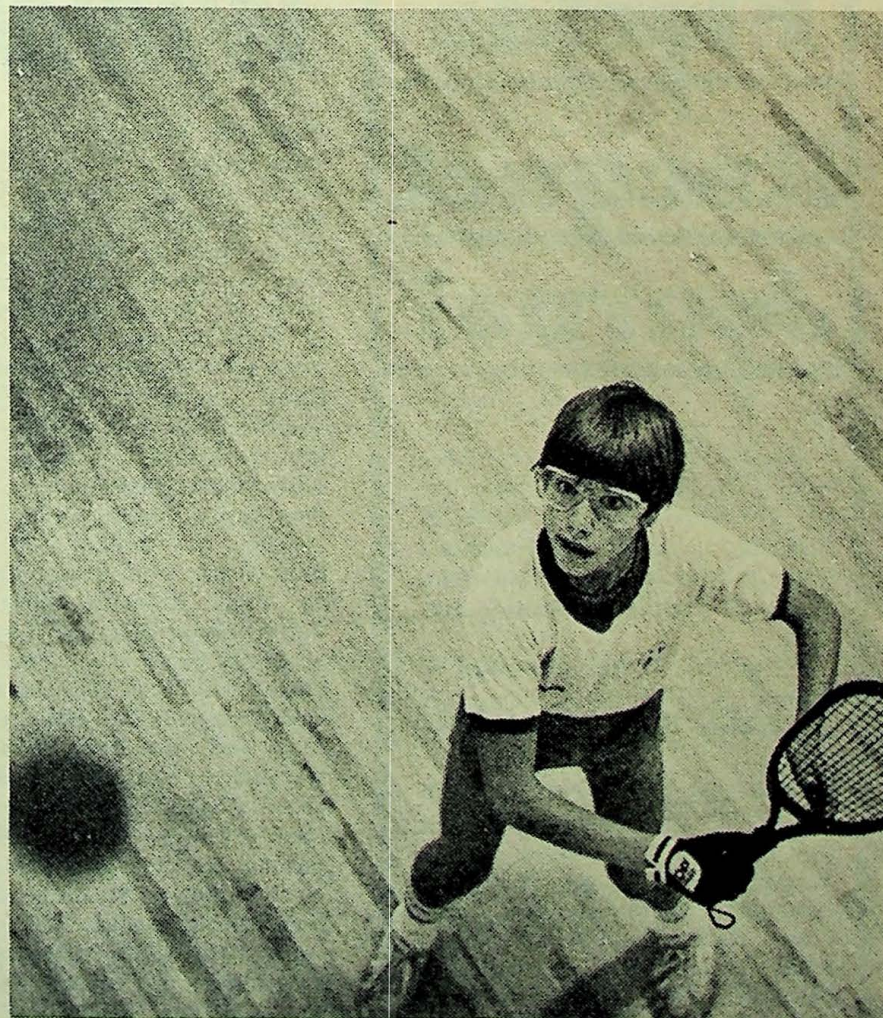
abled people in our sport. Racquetball lends itself exceptionally well to the disabled. As a disabled athlete I would like to spearhead the AARA disabled program with proper representation on the board.

My primary goal in becoming involved on a national level is to continue the work being done by the current board in achieving class A status with the U.S.O.C. I think it would be an accomplishment that could be shared by all if, one day, racquetball is part of the Olympics and amateurs are vying for a gold medal. I will work hard to help attain those goals.



Judi Schmidt

## Player Of The Month



Bradenton's Allan Engle  
1st Place-Men's A, 12 & under  
Port Richey

# Where To Play

## AUBURNDALE

Auburndale Racquetball — 202 Wiley Dr. (813) 967-7265 and/or (813) 967-6443. Eight outdoor 4-wall courts. 8 a.m.-11 Public courts. Non-resident, \$3 during day-time. \$5 after 5.

## BOCA RATON

The Olympiad — 21069 Military Trail. (305) 368-6441. 11 racquetball courts. 2 squash courts. Nautilus, whirlpool, sauna, Pool. Restaurant. \$5.25 guest fee for out of towners.

## BOCA RATON,

Boca Pointe Fitness & Racquet Club — 22971 Via De Sonrisa del Norte (305) 394-3000. Private club. 6 racquetball courts, 2 International squash courts, 6 tennis courts, aerobics & fitness area. Outdoor pool, sauna, co-ed whirlpools. Pro shop. Restaurant, lounge. \$5 guest fee with a member

## BRADENTON

Westside Power Racquetball — 6500 Manatee Ave. West (813) 792-7383. 6 courts. Pro shop, snack bar. Guests welcome. Best junior program in the nation. Out of towners can always find a game.

## CORAL SPRINGS

Quadrangle Athletic Club — 2160 University Drive. (305) 753-8900. 9 courts. Guest fee \$5. Pro shop, cafe, nursery. Nautilus, free weights, whirlpool, sauna. 7 a.m. — 11 p.m. weekdays, 9 a.m.-6 p.m. weekends.

## FORT WALTON BEACH

Fort Walton Beach Athletic Club — 125 Miracle Strip Parkway SW (904) 244-4040. 10 racquetball courts, Restaurant,

## HOLLYWOOD

South Florida Racquet & Sports Club — 5555 Ravenswood Rd. (305) 987-6410. No guess fee for NCAA members. \$3 for others. \$2 guest fee for basketball and volleyball. Whirlpools, saunas, free baby sitting in nursery. Video games, pool table.

## JACKSONVILLE

Beaches Wellness Center — 450 Atlantic Blvd. (904) 241-5252. 6 courts. Nautilus, aerobics, modern lockerroom, nursery and snack bar. Head Pro — Susan Morgan.

## Jacksonville Wellness & Sports Center —

6651 Crestline Dr. (904) 724-6994. 9 courts. Best courts in North Florida. Nautilus, aerobics, snack bar. Nominal guest fee. We cater to out-of-towners.

Racquet Power— 3390 Kori Rd. (904) 268-8888. 12 racquetball courts. Guests welcome. Host of the 1986 AARA SE Regional Singles and AARA National Doubles. Head pro. Mary Lyons. Fully stocked pro shop.

## KISSIMMEE

Moonbeam International Health, Racquetball & Social Club — 2311 North Main St. (305) 933-0101. Orlando/305-827-6231. Within 10 minutes of Disney. 7 a.m.-9 p.m. M,W,F. 9-9 Thurs, Fri., Weekends 9-6 Sat., 12-3 Sunday. Six courts. Nautilus, Lifecycles, pro shop, restaurant, night club. Guest fees \$5-\$8 per visit.

## LANTANA

American Lifestyle — 1111 Hypoluxo Rd. (305) 586-4420. 9 courts. Lounge. Active Racquetball club. Right off I-95. We welcome guests. \$5 guest fee.

## MELBOURNE

The Club at Riverside — 4100 N. Riverside Dr. (305) 777-6737. 12 racquetball courts, one squash court. Nautilus, Aerobics, outstanding restaurant. Host of Florida Racquet Journal tournaments.

## MIAMI

Miami Court Club and Fitness Center — 9395 Bird Rd. (305) 226-4014. Nine racquetball courts. Nautilus Fitness Center, separate locker rooms with shower, steam, sauna and whirlpool. \$7.10 court time 6 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. weekdays, 9-9 weekends, guest fee \$4.95 each. Racquet & shoe rental available.

## MIAMI LAKES

Miami Lakes Athletic Club — 15150 Bull Run Road. (305) 391-5100. 9 racquetball courts, 9 tennis courts. Gym. Nautilus, lounge and restaurant. \$10 guest fee. Unlimited court time.

Bally Health & Racquet Club — 4650 S. Semoran (2 miles south of Curry Ford Rd) (305) 277-1144. 3 racquetball courts, 75-foot lap swimming pool. \$500,000 in fitness equipment. Nursery. Advanced free weights. Full service club. 10-10 Mon-Fri. Saturday, Sunday 10-5.

## ORANGE PARK

Park Avenue Racquet Club — 714 Park (904) 269-8000. 6 racquetball courts. 8 lighted clay tennis courts. Nautilus. 32 weekly aerobic classes. Restaurant, lounge.. Monday-Friday (7 a.m.-11 p.m.) 8-8 Sat., 10-8 Sunday.

## ORMOND BEACH

Omega 40 — 1 S. Old Kings Rd. (904) 672-4044. 10 courts. 24 pieces of Nautilus, swimming pool, whirlpool and sauna. Bar & lounge. \$3 guest fee, \$5 non-prime, \$7 prime.

## PALM BEACH GARDENS

PGA National Sports Center — 600 Avenue of the Champions (305) 686-4420. 6 Nautilus, swimming pool, whirlpool and sauna, Bar & lounge. \$3 guest fee; \$5 non-prime, \$7 prime.

## PENSACOLA

Pensacourt Sports Center — 3001 Langley Ave. (904) 478-1400. 6 racquetball courts, 6 rubico and lighted tennis courts. Guest Fees — IRSA Members \$6, out-of-town guests \$10. Complete use of facility. Mon-Fri 6-10. Weekends 9-5.

## PORT CHARLOTTE

Charlotte Racquet Club — Loveland Blvd. (813) 629-2223. 4 indoor racquetball courts, 6 tennis courts. Universal room. \$3 guest fee. Plans for expansion.

## ST. AUGUSTINE

Anastasia Athletic Club — (904) 824-0458. 1090 Anastasia Blvd. 5 air-conditioned courts featuring Ellis Pearson Glass Wall.

Co-ed Nautilus & weight room. Dry sauna, steam room, individual whirlpool. Pro Snack bar. Natural foods, beer & wine. Guest fee-\$5 per visit, plus court fee. 6:30-10 M,W,F. 8-10 Tues,Thurs., 9-8 weekends. "Out-of-Towner" 7-day guest card \$42.

## SARASOTA

Sarasota YMCA — 1075 S. Euclid Ave. (813) 967-0770. 8 courts. \$2 guest fee. \$5 non-prime, \$7 prime. Co-ed whirlpool. Visitors & guests welcome. 7-11 daily. Massage therapist on duty 9-5 weekdays.

Sarasota Bath & Racquet Club — 2170 Robinhood Rd. (813) 921-6675. 10 air-conditioned racquetball courts, 2 exhibition courts. Nautilus, Jr. Olympic Pool, nursery, lounge, snack bar. \$6 guest fee. \$6 non-prime, \$8 prime. Racquetball Director Judi Schmidt, Head Pro — Charlie Nichols.

## STUART

Mid Court Racquetball Center — 20 NE Dixie Highway. Rt. 707 (305) 692-9488. 8 courts. \$2.50 guest fee. Guests welcome. New Nautilus Center, aerobic studio.

## TAMPA

Tampa Bay Courthouse — 7815 N. Dale Mabry (813) 932-5231. 10 courts, 2 side-wall exhibition courts. \$10 guest fee covers court time. Nautilus, free weights, fully equipped lockerroom. Pro shop, large restaurant, nursery. 6-midnight weekdays, 7-9 weekends.

## WINTER PARK

Bally Health & Racquet Club — 1700 N. Semoran (Highway 436, 1 mile north Aloma Avenue). (305) 678-1118. ball courts. 75-foot lap swimming pool. \$500,000 in fitness equipment. Nursery. Indoor track. Advanced free weights. Full service club. 10-10 Monday-Friday. 10-5 Saturday, Sunday.

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Adam Weitzel, Dori Newman/ Mary  
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Gockenbach, Libby Laney/ Corye Gow-  
ing. Maggie Reynolds/ Karen Chisling.  
Open — Stacey Fletcher/ Mary Jo Rutter,  
Agatha Falso/ Eileen Erlich, Melanie  
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Fred Hernandez, Bob DeRobertis/ Fred  
White, Jack Ross /Mike Winslow. 19 —  
Tim Hansen/ Kurt Nystrom, John Had-  
away/ Doug Weissman, Fred White/  
Tom Jobe. C — Vinny Santaniello/ Dan  
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worthy, Fred Carter/ Elliott Bonner. B  
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Jay Rand, Fred Stallworth/Frank Pic-  
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Ross, Doug Weissman/John Hadaway,  
Dan Shortley/Jim Watson.

## Regionals in Jacksonville

JACKSONVILLE — The 1986 AARA Southeastern Regional Racquetball Championships are set for April 17-20 at Racquetpower Health & Fitness Center in Jacksonville.

Entries must be postmarked by midnight April 12. Phone entries will taken with a VISA or Mastercard. Call (904) 268-8888.

The tournament entry blank is on page four.

The tournament is sponsored by Diversified Products, Penn Racquetball, Miller Lite, Frozfruit and the Florida Racquet Journal.

In order to be eligible to play in the adult nationals, a player must play in the regionals.

More than 20 divisions are being offered at this tournament.

Players will receive an attractive golf shirt and excellent hospitality is being offered for what promises to be an outstanding regional event.

Chuck Prince  
diabetes  
tournament  
May 2-4  
The Quad  
Coral Springs

## NO SHOW!

A COMPLETE SET OF RESULTS FROM THE STATE TOURNAMENTS WERE SET TO RUN THIS MONTH. HOWEVER, WE REGRET TO INFORM YOU THE AARA FAILED TO TURN THE RESULTS IN.

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B. Julie Pinnell did her usual first class job at tournament control despite the fact that matches were scheduled for 45 minutes because of the huge turnout. Biggest disappointments were the souvenir shirt (looked like a billboard) and the glass mug award which didn't have the division engraved... I made the mistake which doctors warn about and I'm still paying for it. I made it to the club two minutes before my scheduled court time, didn't stretch out and hurt my ankle. ..The best thing

about the junior program in Bradenton is that other clubs are beginning to take notice. Parents see the Bradenton group and then approach management of getting a similar program started...Can you imagine taking 26 kids to a tournament? It takes over a hour to get a Burger King order...No, a million times no, we aren't responsible for putting the rankings together. We merely reprint what is given to us...Have you noticed all those people who were playing with their new racquets from Christmas have lost some of

their enthusiasm...Shop Talk Dept. -- The starters of International Racquetball -- Jason Holloman and Drew Stoddard went to National Racquetball when the two publications merged, but when the company was sold, they found themselves out of the magazine business...First issue of National Racquetball under new owners wasn't too strong, but it promises to get better. The new owner is a winner and if there is potential for a strong publication he will get it done..

Florida Racquet Journal

## Spring Fever Classic The Club at Riverside Melbourne May 9-11

### \$5000 in door prizes!

### Win a Windjammer cruise

SITE: The Club at Riverside 4100 North Riverside Drive Melbourne

CLUB PHONE NUMBER: (305) 777-6737

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR: AARA President Fred White

ENTRY FEE: \$25 1st event, \$10 2nd event, \$5 3rd event (must be doubles). Family Discount: 15 percent off the total entry fee. Frequent Racquetball Player Program. Enter 5 Florida Racquet Journal Tournaments and the sixth one is free.

DATES: May 9-11

ENTRY DEADLINE: Tuesday, May 6 at 7 p.m. Phone entries with valid VISA or Mastercard only. No refunds after the draw has been completed. Play may start as early as 4 p.m. on Friday.

STARTING TIMES: Call (305) 777-6737 after 6 p.m. on Thursday, May 8. Please don't call the club before 6.

HOSPITALITY: Friday night dinner, Saturday lunch, Saturday dinner. Coffee and donuts Saturday and Sunday mornings. Beer at times throughout tournament weekend. Energy drink throughout tournament.

SOUVENIRS: Each player will receive a memorable souvenir from the tournament.

SPECIAL DOOR PRIZE BONANZA!! -- More than \$5,000 in door prizes will be offered at this tournament. Enter before May 1 and triple your chances of winning a door prize. We'll put your name in the hat three times when you enter early. We'll have door prizes ranging from racquetball equipment to the grand prize -- a Windjammer Barefoot Cruise!

FACILITY: The Club at Riverside is one of the nicest clubs in the Southeast. 11 racquetball courts, 1 squash court and a fully equipped lockerroom. The lounge overlooks the main court and you'll get to see some of the top racquetball players in the as many big-name players prepare for the national championships in Houston, TX. Memorial Day Weekend.

AWARDS: Tired of plaques and trophies? A new acrylic award has been designed for this tournament. 1st-3rd with those divisions having eight or more and 1st and 2nd in doubles competition.

REFEREE FEES:

An additional fee of \$5 per singles match and \$2.50 for doubles will be charged for a referee service. You will be paid \$5 for each match you referee.

RULES: AARA Sanctioned (no consolation rounds). Two games to 15, tiebreaker to 11. AARA Membership required. \$10 annually. May be purchased at tournament site.

LODGING: Holiday Inn Riverview. Special Tournament Rates. (305) 723-3661.

#### ENTRY BLANK-11

Division must have at least six entrants. Please list an alternative division in case your division is cancelled. Tournament director has the right to reclassify any player.

#### MEN'S SINGLES

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# 1986 AARA Southeastern Regional Championships

**DATE:**

April 17, 18, 19 & 20.  
All players must be prepared to play as early as 6:00 p.m. Thursday, April 17th.

**SITE:**

Racquetpower Health & Fitness Center  
3390 Kori Road  
Jacksonville, Fla 32217  
(904) 268-8888

**ENTRY FEES:**

1st Event \$25.00  
2nd Event \$15.00

**REFEREE FEES:**

An additional fee of \$5.00 per event will be charged for referee service. You will be paid \$5.00 for each match you referee. This be included with your entry.

April 17—20, 1986



Racquet Power Health & Fitness Center  
Jacksonville, Florida

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Your support of this program further helps racquetball to become an Olympic sport.

**SPONSORS**



**ENTRY DEADLINE:**

Entries must be postmarked by **MIDNIGHT SATURDAY, APRIL 12th, 1986**. Phone-in entries will be accepted **ONLY** if you have a **VALID VISA** or **MASTERCARD**. Absolutely no refunds will be made once the draw has been completed.

**RULES:**

**AARA** Sanctioned. **AARA** Rules will apply. **AARA** Membership is required for participation. You may purchase a membership at the tournament for \$10.00.

Consolation matches will be offered in all Championship divisions.

Tournament Directors reserve the right to reclassify or deny entry to any participant.

Eyeguards are required for all juniors and strongly recommended for adults.

**STARTING TIMES**

Starting times will be available beginning at 6 p.m. Tuesday, April 15th.

**AWARDS:**

Awards will be presented to the top four place finishers in all divisions having at least 8 entrants and to the top two place winners in those divisions having less than 8 entrants.

**ACCOMMODATIONS:**

Ramada Inn  
1-295 and State Road 13  
3130 Hartley Road  
Jacksonville, Fla. 32217  
(904) 268-8080

\$39.00 1-4 persons/room

**BALL:**



**SOUVENIRS:**

A high quality tournament shirt for all participants.

Drawings will be held throughout the weekend for doorprizes.

**HOSPITALITY:**

Coffee, juice, fruit, donuts and bagels each morning. Lunch Friday and Saturday. Dinner Friday and Saturday evening.

Beer will be served at times during the tournament.

**TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS:**

Van Dubolsky & Mary Lyons



## ENTRY FORM

**NOTE:** There must be six (6) entrants in a division in order to run the division. Less than six entrants may be moved into the next qualifying bracket.

**NOTE:** In order to be eligible to play in the adult nationals, a player must play in an adult regional.

PLEASE ENTER ME INTO THE EVENT(S) CHECKED BELOW:

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Florida Racquet Journal

# Spring Classic

## May 30-June 1

### featuring world champ Mike Yellen Sarasota Bath & Racquet Club

CLUB PHONE NUMBER: (813) 921-6675.

TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS: Al Caballero

ENTRY FEE: \$25 1st event, \$10 2nd event, \$5 3rd event (must be doubles). Family Discount: 15 percent off the total entry fee. Frequent Racquetball Player Program. Enter 5 Florida Racquet Journal Tournaments and the sixth one is free.

DATES: May 30-June 1.

ENTRY DEADLINE: Monday, May 26 at 8 p.m. Phone entries with valid VISA or Mastercard only. No refunds after the draw has been completed. Play may start as early as 4 p.m. on Friday.

STARTING TIMES: Call (813) 921-6675 after 6 p.m. on May 29.

SOUVENIRS: Each player will receive an Ektelon hat and tournament t-shirt.

HOSPITALITY: Friday night dinner, Saturday lunch, Saturday dinner. Coffee and donuts, Saturday & Sunday mornings. Beer served at times during tournament. Gatorade throughout tournament.

SPECIAL EXHIBITION: Mike Yellen, the world's No. 1 ranked player the last three years and on his way to a fourth title, will be at the club Saturday evening. Yellen will play an exhibition against the top players in the area. Mike will also bring along Ektelon's oversized Toron Racquet and give you a chance to experience racquetball's hottest item. Yellen, one of the most personable players on the pro tour, will answer your questions and if you want a picture with Mike, don't be shy!

FACILITY: The Sarasota Bath & Racquet Club is one of the most modern clubs in the nation. 10 courts, tennis courts swimming pool and an outdoor basketball court are among the many amenities.

REFEREE FEES: An additional fee of \$5 per singles and \$2.50 for doubles will be charged for a referee service. You will be paid \$5 for each match you referee.

ENTRY FEE: \$25 1st event, \$10 2nd event, \$5 3rd event. Family Discount: 15 percent off the total entry fee. Juniors: \$15 1st event, \$8 2nd event, \$5 3rd event (must be doubles). No refunds after the draw has been posted. Frequent Racquetball Player Program: Enter 5 Florida Racquet Journal Tournaments and the sixth one is free.

RULES: AARA rules apply. Two games to 15, tiebreaker to 11. No consolation round.

TOURNAMENT BALL: Ektelon Speedflite

# Capitol Racquet & Fitness Center May 30-June 1 Tallahassee

CLUB PHONE NUMBER: (904) 386-2711

TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS: Susan Morgan

ENTRY FEES: \$25 1st event, \$10 2nd event, \$5 3rd event (must be doubles). Juniors: \$15 1st event, \$8 2nd event, \$5 3rd event (must be doubles). Family Discount: 15 per cent off total entry fee. Frequent Racquetball Player Program. Enter 5 Florida Racquet Journal Tournaments and the sixth one is free.

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FACILITY: The Capitol Fitness Center has eight racquetball courts and a nice atmosphere. An ideal location for a Yellen exhibition!

REFEREE FEES:

An additional fee of \$5 per singles division and \$2.50 for doubles will be charged for a referee service. You will be paid \$5 for each match you referee.

RULES: AARA sanctioned (no consolation rounds). Two games to 15, tiebreaker to 11. AARA Membership required. \$10 annually. May be purchased at tournament site.

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Division must have at least six entrants. Please list an alternative division in case your division is cancelled. Tournament director has the right to reclassify any player.

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- B
- C
- D
- Beginner
- 19+
- 25+
- 30+
- 30+B
- 35+
- 40+
- 45+
- 50+
- Juniors
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- 10 & under
- 12 & under
- 40+B
- 14 & under
- 16 & under
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- 30+
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- Juniors
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- 16 & under
- 14 & under
- 10 & under
- 12 & under

#### DOUBLES

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- Men's A
- Men's B
- Men's C
- Men's 30+
- Men's 40+
- Mixed Open
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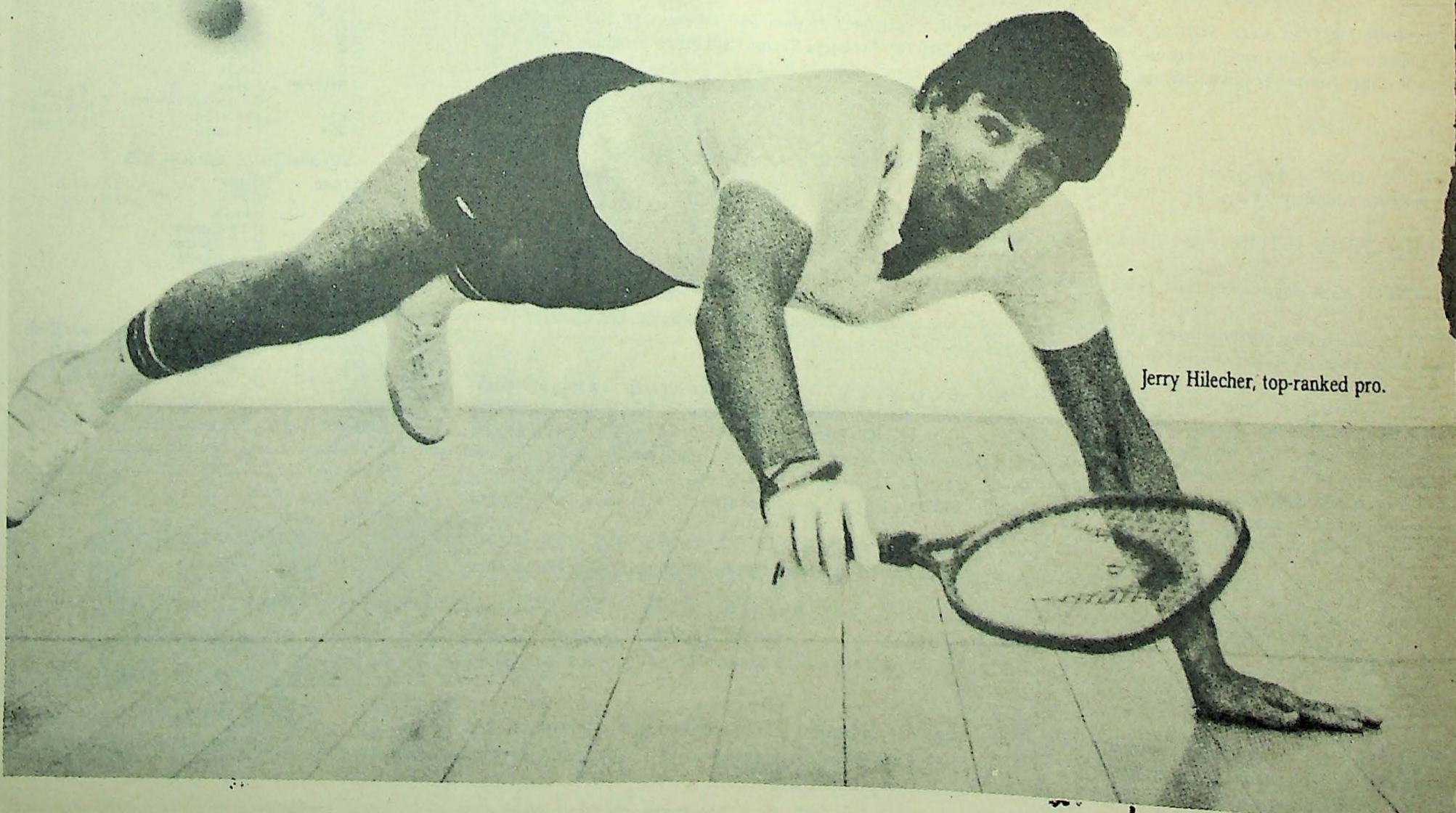
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Jerry Hilecher, top-ranked pro.

## Swain takes \$1,000 first place prize

ST. AUGUSTINE — Cliff Swain, the world's fifth-ranked player, defeated Cory Brysman in the final of a special invitation at the Anastasia Athletic Club.

Swain, 19, only needed four games to dispose of Brysman, ranked 16th on the tour, to claim the \$1,000 first place prize. Brysman, who recently returned to North Miami after spending several years in California, received \$500 for his efforts.

The invitation was in conjunction with an in-house tournament at the club.

Swain didn't lose a game until the final. He defeated St. Augustine club pro and manager Dan Murray in the first round and then faced Ormond Beach standout Rich Hull in the semifinals. Hull, who had taken Swain to five games in a recent exhibition, upset Florida state champ Tim Hansen in a thrilling 11-9 tiebreaker to reach the semi finals against Swain.

This time Hull was no match for Swain.

Brysman reached the final with wins over Sarasota standout Charlie Nichols and Atlanta's Mike Ray.

His triumph over Ray was the fourth straight time he defeated him in a tie-breaker.

In the final, Swain's devastating serve was on target, keeping Brysman on the defensive. "I was n't playing well and he was," Brysman said.

The tournament marked the first time players of that caliber had competed in St. Augustine.

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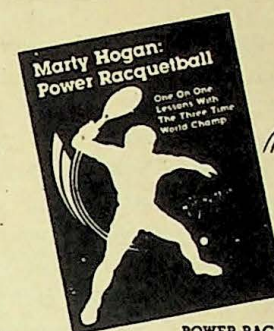
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## Yellen to barnstorm Florida May 30-June 1 Sarasota, Tallahassee, Fort Lauderdale



### Calendar

(The following clubs are advertising their upcoming tournaments).

April 4-6 — The Olympiad-Fort Myers (Florida Racquet Journal Tourney)

April 4-6 — Racquetball West — Davie

April 11-13 — Scandanavian Courtrooms — Fort Lauderdale

April 17-20 — SE AARA Regionals — Racquet Power—Jacksonville

May 2-4 — The Quadrangle — Coral Springs

May 9-11 — The Club at Riverside — Melbourne (FRJ Tourney)

May 9-11 — AARA Junior Regionals — The Club — Orlando.

May 16-18 — Pensyville Racquetball Club  
Hopkinsville, Kentucky

May 23-27 — AARA National Singles — Houston.

May 23-25 — Lakeland YMCA

May 30-31 — Sarasota Bath & Racquet Club  
Capitol Fitness — Tallahassee  
South Florida Racquet & Sports Club - Fort Lauderdale

(All three May 30-June 1 are being promoted by the Florida Racquet Journal. Mike Yellen, the world's No. 1 player the last three years, will be putting on a special exhibition and clinic. Mike will bring Ektelon's Toron oversized racquet to each tournament site and each player will receive an Ektelon souvenir in addition to a tournament shirt! Mike will be in Tallahassee on Friday, at Sarasota on Saturday and finish his tour of the state in Fort Lauderdale on Sunday.

# Racquetball observations

(Leftover notes...)

Respect Update Part IV -- I was beginning to get the big head. The word humble wasn't in my vocabulary. I finally achieved athletic respect with two second place finishes in the 30+ B division and a first place title in the Mixed B doubles competition. My wife reluctantly put up with my cockiness, knowing that eventually I would come back to reality. It happened too quickly. In a recent week I played the challenge court two nights and was clin- nated immediately and at a recent tournament I entered three divisions and lost in the first round all three times. Ouch!

**MEDIA PERCEPTION** -- Part of my role in promoting tournaments is obtaining media coverage for the club. I've reached the following conclusions: Sportscasters are by far the weakest interviewers. Some typical questions: How is racquetball different from tennis? Is it played indoors or outdoors? What kind of ball is used? One would think a sportscaster would do just a little more homework.

Sports reporters have a much better grasp of the situation. They ask intelligent questions and while they are limited in the amount of space their bosses allocate, the stories turn out quite well.

I recently had the opportunity to be on a sports talk show. Steve Strandemo was a special guest and Jay Solomon had a great interview. The callers weren't exactly Rhodes Scholars. One caller wanted to lose 10 pounds a day and wanted to know if he

could sweat it off playing racquetball.

Yet another caller complained that he wore a glove, but his racquet still slipped. My job was to promote Strandemo's appearance at the tournament and plug the club whenever I could. I told both callers they could come by the club and the manager would be eager to answer all of their questions.

Overall, being on the talk show was a lot of fun.

**THE ULTIMATE SOLUTION?** -- Across the nation, a new system has been implemented at racquetball tournaments. Players are charged \$5 for each event they enter and are paid back the \$5 after they ref a match. The early feedback has been positive. With the other system "Winners Ref" a person could literally spend the entire day at the club if he or she advanced in both divisions. Spending the whole day at the club isn't exactly a get away weekend which is one of the reasons people enter a tournament. Having losers ref rubbed salt into the wound which isn't the frame of mind a promoter wants a person to leave with. While our tournaments always ran on time, the \$5 ref

## Sideout

By Norm Blum  
Publisher

fee makes things run even better. You don't have to wait 10-15 minutes before the ref, who just finished playing, is done with his "quick" shower. Let us know how you feel about this issue.

**SLEEPING IN** -- We'd like to thank the clubs that have allowed the Power Plus Junior team to use their aerobics room for overnight lodging. The group is well behaved and there are several adults who act as chaperones.

**KENTUCKY, HERE WE COME** -- Our company is making a bold move. Our first out of state tournament is scheduled for May 16-18 in Hopkinsville, a small town about 50 miles from Nashville, Tenn. We should more than double the number of AARA members. There are only 60 in the entire state!


**TWO FOR ONE** -- We're beginning to spot a trend. Spas, which had offered those unbelievable two for one offers are beginning to flounder. They rely on a numbers game and hope the membership doesn't use the facility. It isn't working. They aren't generating the sales for such a promotion. Most of the owners have been around three years which enables them to

keep their \$50,000 performance bond. This enables them to bail out of town with a healthy profit.

**JOIN IRSA** -- One of the best things a club can do is join the International Racquet Sports Association. Club owners have the opportunity to exchange ideas and improve their club. For more information, call Dean Kachel at the Quadrangle at (305) 753-8900. Dean is on the National IRSA board and can give you some concrete details on the benefits of the association.

**IF I WERE IN CHARGE** -- Until I received the AARA mailing list from Kentucky, I didn't realize how few members there are in the entire nation. There are between 30,000 and 40,000 members in the nation. Florida has more than 2,000 and some states, like Kentucky barely have any. The AARA needs to outline a program which will make clubs get involved. I'm a big believer in stealing successful ideas and applying them to your project. I once belonged to a bowling league and part of the requirements was I had to belong to something called the World Bowling Council. I didn't receive anything thing for it, but none of the bowlers questioned it. The AARA needs to spend a few days picking the brains of the bowling association. There are about eight to 12 million racquetball players in the nation and the AARA has to have a percentage of those players in its association.

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# Briefs

SKOKIE, IL — About 100,000 Floridians play racquetball to relieve stress and improve cardiovascular fitness.

But before taking a swing at the ball, they should take aim at basic nutrition.

A concise summary of nutrition information to help players in racquet sports plan their diets and avoid dieting pitfalls is now available as part of "Eat To Compete," a series of free pamphlets on sports nutrition from the NutraSweet Group, a division of G.D. Searle & CO.

Produced under the guidance of Syracuse University sports nutritionist, Dr. Sarah H. Short, and endorsed by the Amateur Athletic Union (AAU), the series offers

how to eat "right" for running, swimming, biking, hiking, weight training, skiing and skiing, in addition to racquetball.

For example, in racquetball did you know that? Thirst is not a good indicator of dehydration? The body needs about one cup of fluid for every 30 minutes spent exercising? Protein is not a major source of energy in exercise?

Carbohydrates should be 55-60 percent of the total calories in your diet?

The Eat to Compete brochure for racquet sports explains all of this and much more. It is available, free of charge, by writing: Racquet Sports, Eat to Compete, c/o AAU, 3400 W. 86th Street, Indianapolis, Indiana 46268. Please enclosed a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

At the end of a long run or a hard workout, nothing feels better than a hot shower. But the shower or the towels at the gym may be the source of fungal infections like athlete's foot or jock itch. Even the benches may transmit "body ringworm" or tinea corporis. And some of those healthy, gleaming bodies may pass on yeast infections like tinea versicolor — a series of brown or white lesions on the body, especially the back.

Keeping clear of these skin infections can be tough. The best prevention is to dry thoroughly in between the toes and the warm-fold areas of the body like the groin and underarms. Over-the-counter anti-fungal powders and sprays may also help.

A new once-a-day prescription anti-

fungal cream has been approved by the Food and Drug Administration for topical treatment of infections like tinea versicolor and jock itch. NIZORAL Cream is particularly useful in treating infections which do not respond to over the counter products. Dr. Paul Hazen, Associate Clinical Professor at Case Western Reserve University, points out that NIZORAL Cream is not only effective, but convenient for both physician and patient. "It only has to be applied once a day and that makes it easier and cheaper to use. Current recommendations for all other topical antifungals are that they be applied twice which makes it inconvenient," he added.

Today, fungal infections of the skin are not serious enough to cramp your drive for personal fitness. However, they can be irritating and uncomfortable if left untreated. Fortunately, relief is in sight.

## FINALLY, WE'RE GIVING A KILLER DISEASE SOME OF ITS OWN MEDICINE.

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Carnitine replacement therapy is one of the most encouraging developments in MDA's fight against 40 neuromuscular diseases. And for one of those dread diseases, it could be the beginning of the end.

### MDA

Muscular Dystrophy Association  
Jerry Lewis, National Chairman

### Florida Racquet Journal

# Spring Classic

## South Florida Racquet & Sports Club

### May 30-June 1

## Featuring World champ Mike Yellen

SITE: South Florida Racquet & Sports Club-Fort Lauderdale-5555 Ravenswood

CLUB PHONE NUMBER (305) 987-6410

TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS: Libby Laney, Fred White

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FACILITY: The South Florida Racquet & Sports Club is one of our favorite facilities. Headed by Seymour Gladstone, The Florida Racquet Journal's Manager of The Year the last two years, you won't find a more accommodating and friendly staff. The Journal will make a special presentation to Seymour during the tournament.

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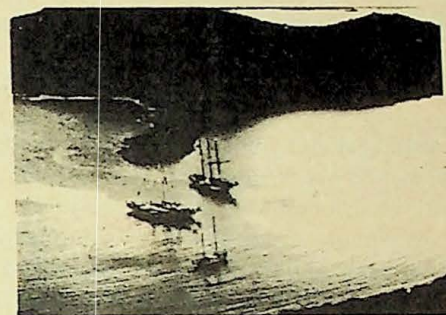
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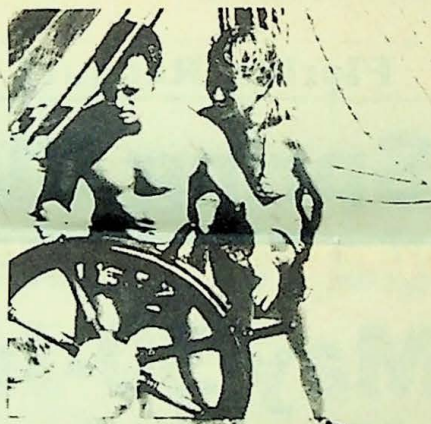
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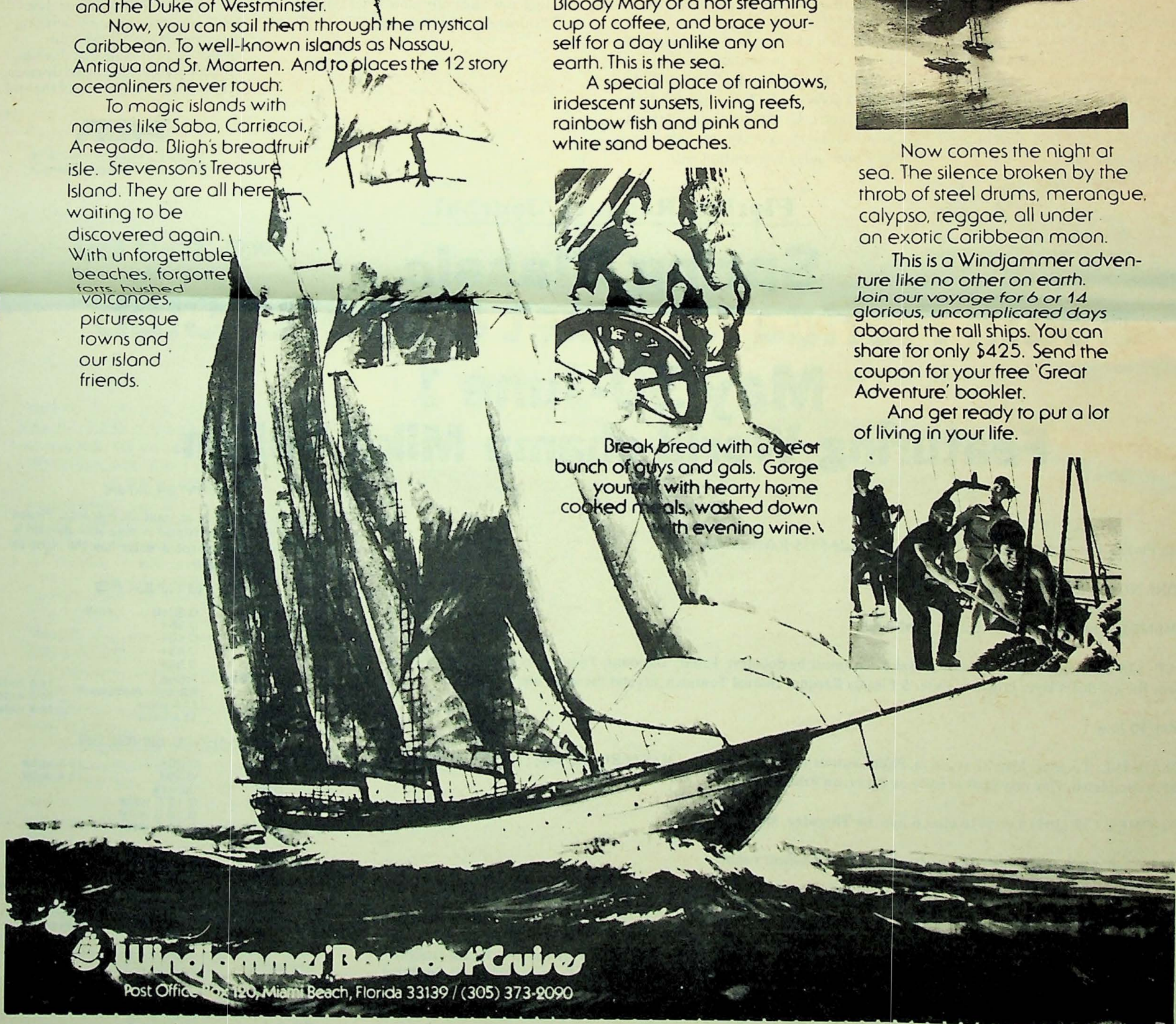
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# AARA State Singles Rankings

Report: BOYS SINGLES 8-  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	FRIEDMAN, JODY	350
2	D'ANNELY, GEORGE	175
3	XYNIDIS, JOHN	115
4	HERSCHKOWITZ, KEVIN	70
4	LANEY, BRIAN	70
4	LEKANSON, DAVID	70
4	NEWMAN, SCOTT	70
8	GEISMER, MATTHEW	50

Report: BOYS SINGLES 10-  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	SMITH, RYAN	475
2	XYNIDIS, JOHN	400
3	CYZZ, CRAIG	385
4	BEUBIEN, J.P.	195
5	ENGLE, ALLEN	115
6	ISENHOWER, MATTHEW	70
7	FRIEDMAN, JODY	60
7	RANDLE, GARY	60

Report: BOYS SINGLES 12-  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	ENGEL, ALAN	570
2	XYNIDIS, NICKY	390
3	CYZZ, CRAIG	145
4	CONWAY, CHRIS	130
4	LYONS, RICHARD	130
6	SHIER, ANDY	120
7	DOUGHERTY, SHAWN	110
8	JACKSON, KEVIN	100
9	BORGES, JASON	80

Report: BOYS SINGLES 14-  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	WALDRON, ROBBY	850
2	WAGONER, JASON	390
3	RANKIN, BRIAN	300
4	GREENBERG, ROSS	270
5	LORELLO, JAMES	175
6	ALTMAN, MIKE	155
7	TORNABENE, TRENT	150
7	VANARSALL, JOHN	150
9	SMITH, JIM	115
10	METCALF, AARON	110

Report: BOYS SINGLES 16-  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	RICHBOURG, SCOTT	820
2	LORELLO, JAMES	375
3	GONZALEZ, OSCAR	180
4	SUAREZ, LINO	165
5	RANKIN, BRIAN	160
6	KULP, ROB	105
7	FANNING, JIM	100
8	WAGGONER, JASON	95
9	SWANNER, DANNY	90
10	TOURNABENE, TRENT	85

Report: BOYS SINGLES 18-  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	GONZALEZ, OSCAR	265
2	NICHOLS, CHARLIE	175
3	KULP, ROB	165
4	ROSS, JOHN	130
5	RICHBOURG, SCOTT	110
6	CAMPBELL, MITCH	100
6	RANKIN, BRIAN	100
8	SUAREZ, LINO	80
9	CARTER, MIKE	75
10	BINNIX, ROBBIE	60

Report: GIRLS SINGLES 8-  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	CROUSE, ASHLEY	350
2	DERR, DEBRA	275
3	THOMPSON, JENNIFER	215
4	CROUSE, JOCELYN	200
5	XYNIDIS, CHRISTY	175
6	QUINLAN, JULIE	60

Report: GIRLS SINGLES 10-  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	ENGEL, BRIT	500
2	SIMONETTA, AMY	100
3	DESORMEY, SHERRY	60
3	NICKS, CARRIE	60
4	DELLANINI, MIA	45

Report: GIRLS SINGLES 12-  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	SIMONETTA, AMY	340
2	ENGEL, BRIT	290
3	SPECTOR, HANNAH	200
4	RAINWATER, AMBER	105
5	O'TOOLE, ROBIN	60
6	KATZ, WENDY	40
6	LANEY, JO ANN	40
8	O'DAY, KATIE	35

Report: GIRLS SINGLES 14-  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	SIMONETTE, AMY	425
2	COX, SUSAN	270
3	SPECTOR, HANNA	190
4	ROBERTSON, DEIRDRE	165
5	ENGEL, BRIT	45
6	USSACH, WENDY	40
7	YARNS, VICKI	35
8	HAMILTON, ERIN	10
8	NEWMAN, ANDY	10

Report: GIRLS SINGLES 16-  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	MCCARTHY, CLAUDIA	775
2	YARNS, VICKY	250
3	CONROY, DANA	70
3	ODDY, LESLIE	70
5	COX, SUSAN	60
5	SIMONETTE, AMY	60
7	SCHNEBELT, JEANNY	50
8	SPECTOR, HANNAH	45

Report: GIRLS SINGLES 18-  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	FRIEDMAN, MARLA	295
2	MCCARTHY, CLAUDIA	200
3	ATHERLY, CHERYL	160
4	MCBRIDE, ROBIN	140
5	YARNS, VIKI	115
6	STANLEY, KELLY	45
7	WEINHRENNER, BETH	40
8	CRAMER, KIM	30
8	SCHNEBELT, JEANNA	30
10	CONROY, DANA	20

Report: MENS SINGLES 19-  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	HANSEN, TIM	455
2	HUBER, BRENT	300
3	WINTER, CURTIS	240
4	SCHNEIDER, JOHN	235
5	BOWMAN, JEFF	205
5	PHILLIPS, BRIAN	205
7	ALVARDO, JIM	160
8	GONZALEZ, SERGIO	150
9	HULL, RICH	100
9	ROSS, JOHN	100

Report: MENS SINGLES 25+  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	CABALLERO, AL	360
2	PFABLER, RANDY	265
3	MORRISON, MARK	220
4	MOLLENBERG, GEORGE	160
5	DRISCOLL, BOB	150
5	TURNER, RICK	150
7	O'DELL, RICK	145
8	KRISTJANSEN, JEFF	135
9	MACEWAN, TOM	110
10	BAILER, TED	105

Report: MENS SINGLES 30+  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	SIMON, BILL	580
2	OWEN, GENE	435
3	TAYLOR, TODD	305
4	DRISCOLL, BOB	300
5	WING, STAN	275
6	JANIEK, MIKE	250
7	MARONEY, TOM	175
8	DEROBERTTIS, BOB	170
9	TURK, DAN	120
10	LAYTON, MITT	110

Report: MENS SINGLES 35+  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	LAYTON, MITT	385
2	DUBOLSKY, VAN	340
3	CHAPMAN, STEVE	305
4	MARSOCCI, LEO	200
5	WHITE, FRED	165
6	RADIN, LARRY	155
7	OWEN, GENE	150
7	SHERBINSKY, FRED	150
9	PRIMA, DAN	110
10	SANTIAGO, WILL	105

Report: MENS SINGLES 40+  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	RILEY, BOB	525
2	WINSLOW, MIKE	480
3	RUMSEY, THOMAS	465
4	VLOCK, ED	420
5	ROSS, JACK	380
6	WHITE, FRED	325
7	LEON, JEFF	305
8	SHAAK, GRAIG	265
9	RAINWATER, JULIAN	260
10	CONTI, TONY	230

Report: MENS SINGLES 45+  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	VLOCK, ED	585
2	RUMSEY, TOM	405
3	BILTZ, LOU	395
4	MCCAULEY, JIM	245
5	BLAESS, FRED	210
6	WHITE, FRED	190
7	ROSS, JACK	150
8	SHUMER, FRANK	150
9	FULLERTON, BARRY	110
10	MURGUIA, TONY	100

Report: MENS SINGLES 50+  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	WOODINGTON, DON	390
2	ROBERTS, MAL	205
3	HARPER, ROBERT	200
4	FLORES, VIC	190
5	NUZNOFF, KEN	150
6	HORNE, SAM	120
7	MARCUS, SONNY	100
8	VANN, TOM	95
9	DAVID, DENNIS	60
9	HATCHER, JOHN	60
11	GOWING, GEORGE	50

Report: MENS SINGLES 55+  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	HARPER, ROBERT	210
2	ROBERTS, MALCOLM	135
3	MORGAN, RICHARD	120
4	ZETROUER, TOM	60
5	MARLOWE, BOB	55
5	SANS, NICK	55
7	BURQUEST, WES	50
8	GORMAN, PAUL	45
9	MEEKS, BRYANT	30
10	FISHFIND, RON	20

Report: MENS SINGLES 65+  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	SANS, NICK	100
2	WALDRON, RAY	60
3	ABERNETHY, N.	45

Report: MENS SINGLES 60+  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	ZETROUER, TOM	130
2	SANS, NICK	120
3	ROBERTS, MAL	100
4	WALDRON, RAMON	65
5	SENA, CARLOS	45
6	GAGNON, DONALD	40
7	SLEETH, RON	20
7	WEISBACH, BEN	20

Report: MENS SINGLES "A"  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	RICHHART, MARK	265
2	OULLETTE, TIM	250
3	RANKIN, BRIAN	203
4	SMITH, BRYAN	160
5	RUMSEY, TOM	150
6	BAILER, TED	140
6	MCCARTHY, ROBERT	140
6	MORRIS, JOHN	140
9	SCIMECA, SAL	135
10	ALVAREZ, RICKY	130

Report: MENS SINGLES "B"  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	EILAND, TIM	285
2	COOKS, GEORGE	170
3	MOODY, JOEY	165
3	PEYTON, MIKE	165
5	GREENBERG, ROSS	150
5	SANCHEZ, JOSE	150
5	WOLF, MICHAEL	150
8	BRYSMAN, TERRIN	140
9	CROUSE, DOUG	127
10	CONSOLI, SCOTT	125

Report: MENS SINGLES "C"  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	BOYLE, JOE	160
2	BUCK, FRED	150
3	VAN ARSDALL, JOHN	140
4	COVINGTON, ERIC	125
5	CYRUS, JOHN	110
6	CHEWNING, JOEY	90
6	SCHLEGAL, PHILLIP	90
8	CAETANO, JORGE	80
8	SAKOFF, HALE	80
10	WEBB, TERRELL	75

Report: MENS SINGLES "D"  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	SEGAL, DAVE	150
2	MOSS, STEVE	130
3	SANTANIELLO, VINCENT	125
4	BIONDI, VIN	120
5	THOMPSON, JIM	105
6	POOLE, STEVE	75
7	BIRD, GERALD	60
8	BRINKLEY, LARRY	60
8	CELLA, ROBERT	60
10	DELCASTILLO, CLARK	60

Report: MENS SINGLES OPEN  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	HANSEN, TIM	664
2	NICHOLS, CHARLIE	515
3	GONZALEZ, SERGIO	400
4	GONZALEZ, OSCAR	395
5	MORRISON, MARK	350
5	RICHBOURG, SCOTT	235
7	GANLEY, VINNIE	210
8	LORELLO, JAMES	175
9	CAMPBELL, MITCH	165
10	FLUHARTY, TERRI	155

Report: WOMENS SINGLES 19+  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	CURTIS, JAN	775
2	BROWNING, ANGIE	250
3	BASCH, LORI	220
3	JOHNSON, CHRISTY	125
4	DIAMOND, LINDA	110
5	PAEZ, VICKI	110
6	FREIDMAN, MARLA	100
7	ALOY, BETH	90
7	COLLINS, CHRIS	80
10	SPROUT, LYNETTE	70

Report: WOMENS SINGLES 25+  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	JANAES, BIBI	180
2	SIMMONS, BARB	170
3	LYONS, MARY	100
4	COLLINS, CHRIS	70
4	SMITH, BARB	70
6	CARTER, CINDY	60
6	BULLARD, DIANNE	50
7	FISH, RENEE	50
7	MURRY, MARY JO	50
10	BARTLETTE, RUTH	45

Report: WOMENS SINGLES 30+  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	PINNEL, JULIA	500
2	EHRlich, EILEEN	405
3	MURRY, MARY JO	250
4	MORGAN, SUSAN	200
5	FISH, RENEE	195
6	DERRICK, LINDA	175
7	TROXELL, GAIL	165
8	MILLER, MARILYN	155
9	SOTELLO, SUE	145
10	MOJER, LINDA	100

Report: WOMENS SINGLES 35+  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	MURRAY, MARY JO	490
2	FALSO, AGATHA	305
3	LANEY, LIBBY	163
4	DERRICK, LINDA	100

Report: WOMENS SINGLES 40+  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
4	EHRlich, EILEEN	100
6	WILLIAMSON, JULIA	65
7	SCHMIDT, JUDI	55
8	BLITZ, ROSE	45
8	LEE, CHERYL	45
10	KENYON, JO	35

Report: WOMENS SINGLES 45+  
Selection: RANKING is not equal to 0

RANKING	NAME OF PLAYER	TOTAL
1	FALSO, AGATHA	425
2	SCHMIDT, JUDI	155
3	SPEIGAL, GRETCHEN	110
4	MENUTT, MARY	90
5	KENYON, JO	75



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