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Montanans rub elbows with world's best players

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SALT LAKE CITY — The Montana presence was definitely positive at the 22nd annual Ektelon-U.S. National Doubles Racquetball Championships at the Sports Mall here Oct. 24-28.

Some 500 players represented 40 states at the five-day tournament. Montana entered 40 players — 25 of the 250 teams — and placed six of those teams.

Helen Shields of Missoula led the way, as the state's five-time women's Open singles champion reached the finals of the women's 25-30 age division.

Partnered with Cindy Tilsbury of Plymouth, Minn., Shields settled for the silver medal in a 15-3, 15-9 showdown against top-seeded Lisa Hejlem and Kari McDonough of Carmichael, Calif.

Shields also made the semifinal round in the mixed Open paired with Jeff Evans of Eugene, Ore. They fell 15-12, 15-9 to the top seed and eventual winners Michelle Gilman of Ontario, Ore., and Tim Hansen of Palm Beach, Fla.

Shields and Evans did come back to place fourth in the 14-team bracket which saw Butte's Ronnie Roesti and Lisa Phillips claim the consolation medal.

Butte also placed Jolee Ferriter and Stephany Daunenbauer third in the round robin women's 19-25 bracket.

Montana's longest playing MRA member and national veteran, Don Goddard of Glasgow took third place in the round robin men's 65 play.

An all-Billings consolation match developed in the mixed 25-30 when Tim Hergett, now of Colorado, took the court with Chris Martin to defeat Steve Pinnow and Suze Eades in a tie-breaker.

Montana medaled in six of a possible eight trophy matches. For probably 35 of its team members, it was their first national tournament.

Competing against and watching some of the best players in the world can be frustrating, yet fun.

And to watch things go bad for even the top-level players in the tournament brings the game back to perspective.

The men's Open final went 6-15, 15-10, 11-6 for 20-year-old, 135-pound Jimmy



Photo by RITA HAMILTON

SUPER REF Janet Church of Helena takes charge at the national doubles tournament in Salt Lake City.

Floyd of Michigan and the 30-year-old, 212-pound Hansen.

But near match-point, an appealed call favored Floyd and Hansen — the No. 4 seeds — when Floyd and Texan Mike Guidry argued nose-to-nose. Floyd agreed to replay, which sent Hansen into Floyd's face.

The referee restored order before a packed house and a cable television crew. Seconds later, Floyd was being hoisted in victory celebration by Hansen.

Ironically, Hansen held up the mixed open semifinals with Shields and Evans for more than 1½ hours. It took that long for the dehydrated Hansen to complete a random U.S. Olympic drug testing procedure.

The event served as a qualifier for the U.S. National Racquetball Team and the 1991 U.S. Olympic Festival. In mid-August, the U.S. won the World Cup and six gold medals in Caracas, Venezuela.

Not only the caliber, but the challenge of doubles play made the tournament even more interesting.

Pro-Ams offer top competition



Dan West

MRA
President

BILLINGS — Despite the excellent fall weather, the 1990-91 racquetball season is off to another successful start.

Even though some of the tournaments have drawn a few less participants, the quality of competition has been very good.

As winter approaches and more of us find our racquets, expect the tournaments to grow in numbers and also expect the competition to get tougher.

If you want to see some great racquet-

ball, check out the Pro-Ams in Missoula, Billings and Kalispell. You'll see people like Sherman Greenfeld, a former Canadian national champion from Winnipeg; Jack Newman, a nationally ranked pro from Chicago; and two of the Northwest's top pros, Jeff Evans of Oregon and Derrick Robinson from the Tri-Cities.

Also, I think that when you see some of our guys give these pros a tough time, you'll realize that Montana plays high caliber racquetball in spite of our small population.

In closing, I'd like to thank Helen Shields and especially Mark Rule for putting together the bus trip to the national doubles in Salt Lake City. By all accounts, it was a huge success.

Now if I can just figure out where I put those racquets, I'll see you at some tournaments down the road.

Ness can't quite win three events

HAVRE — Daryl Ness battled for nearly 3½ hours on the afternoon of Oct. 14 in a bid to win three champions at the annual First Bank-Bud Light Fall Classic here at the Sagebrush Athletic Club.

But the legs finally gave out on the Havre southpaw in the men's Open singles final against Havre High senior Clay Morse, 15-12, 15-9.

Earlier, Ness teamed with Ron Brenna of Havre to knock off top-seeded Steve Pinnow and Kelly Hoover of Billings, 9-15, 15-11, 11-3 in the men's Open doubles championship.

The sharp-shooting of Havre's Karen Jacobson then helped Ness claim a 15-3, 15-14 mixed doubles title over Brenna and Rita Hamilton of Havre.

Finally, Ness took the court alone against Morse who came from behind to win both matches. Ness opened a 6-0 lead in the first game and was up 9-6 in the second.

MEN SINGLES OPEN

Championship: Clay Morse (Havre) def. Daryl Ness (Hav) 15-12, 15-9. Consolation: Dave Schmidt (Glendive) def. Ron Brenna (Hav) 15-10, 15-5.

B

Championship: Gary Baltrusch (Hav) def. Max Erickson (Hav) 15-8, 8-15, 11-9. Consolation: Tim Barber (Great Falls) def. Jack Judd (Hav) 15-10, 15-12.

C

Championship: Alan Rachell (GF) def. Jim Brenna (Billings) 15-8, 15-3. Consolation: Jim Ness (Kalispell) def. Rod Johnson (Hav) 15-12, 15-4.

DOUBLES OPEN

Championship: R. Brenna D. Ness (Hav) def. Steve Pinnow Kelly Hoover (Blgs) 9-15, 15-11, 11-3. Consolation: Margie Morse-Debbie Morse (Hav) def. Greg Baltrusch Ed Schoenen (Hav) 15-12, 15-6.

B-C

Championship: M. Erickson (Hav)-T. Barber (GF) def. Bob Crowe (Hav)-Matt Thompson (GF) 15-10, 15-1.



Photo by RITA HAMILTON

GARY BALTRUSCH of Havre takes a shot off the back wall.

Consolation: Frank English-Michael Morrison (GF) def. John Brown Rod Johnson (Hav) 15-10, 15-12.

WOMEN SINGLES OPEN

Championship: Karen Jacobson (Hav) def. Rita Hamilton (Hav) 15-9, 15-14. Consolation: Jenny Morse (Hav) def. Pam Booth (Hav) 15-3, 15-9.

B-C

Championship: Kathy Ake (Kalispell) def. Vicki Ness (Hav) 11-15, 15-13, 11-8. Consolation: Marge Wilson (Hays) def. Shari Baltrusch (Hav) 12-15, 15-6, 11-9.

DOUBLES B-C

Championship: Kelly Veis (Wolf Point)-Baltrusch (Hav) def. Ness (Hav)-Ake (Kal) 15-11, 15-10. Consolation: Booth-Karen Scheuerman (Hav) def. Karley Myers-Ciel Evans (Hav) 15-4, 15-6.

MIXED DOUBLES

Championship: D. Ness-Jacobson (Hav) def. R. Brenna-Hamilton (Hav) 15-3, 15-14. Consolation: Byron Purkett-Booth (Hav) def. Greg Baltrusch-S. Baltrusch 11-14, 15-12, 11-1.

Doubles titles split at regional

HELENA — There were no multiple winners in a regional doubles tournament Sept. 14-16 hosted at the Crossroads Fitness Center here.

John Kennis and Matt Parriman of Helena came out on top against Russ Noonan and Rob Starz of Helena in the men's Open championship.

The women's Open titlists were Helen Shields and Teresa Burke of Missoula.

Here are the regional doubles tournament results. No scores were reported.

MEN OPEN

1. John Kennis-Matt Parriman (Helena), 2. Russ Noonan-Rob Stars (Helena), 3. Ronnie Roesti-Robbie Gunderson (Butte), Consolation: Steve Pinnow-Kelly Hoover (Billings).

A

1. Roesti-Gunderson (Butte), 2. Pinnow-Hoover (Blgs), 3. Gordon Tripp-Buck Tripp (Hel), Consolation: Tom Thompson Jeff Monaco (Great Falls).

PLUS-35

1. Mike Dalton-Russ Noonan (Hel), 2. Thompson-Dave Kuglin (GF), 3. Pat DiFronzo-Steve Doran (Butte), Consolation: Dave Tracy (Hel)-Shigeo Banks (GF).

WOMEN OPEN

1. Helen Shields-Teresa Burke (Missoula), 2. Chris Martin (Blgs)-Carlie Ridgeley (GF), 3. Mary Allman (Blgs)-Michelle Draggoo (Kalispell), Consolation: Gae Wheeler (Msls)-Janet Church (Hel).

A

1. Diane McKinley-Lynn Windmuller (Kal), 2. Church (Hel)-Wheeler (Msls), 3. Lynn Haastick-Marie Hawkins (Butte), Consolation: Jodi DiFronzo-Lisa Phillips (Butte).

MIXED OPEN

1. Monaco-Ridgeley (GF), 2. Kennis-Church (Hel), 3. Pinnow Martin (Blgs), Consolation: Gunderson-DiFronzo (Butte).

PLUS-35

1. Tony DiFronzo-Hawkins (Butte), 2. Allaman (Blgs)-Banks (GF), 3. Haastick Mike Clements (Butte), Consolation: Dave Tracy (Hel)-Karla Vandessell (Hel).

National doubles highlights 1990-91 season start

HAVRE — With some last-minute scrambling to secure extra funds for the charter bus, a group of about 40 Montana Racquetball Association members journeyed to Salt Lake City in late-October for the national doubles tournament.

That trip undoubtedly will be the highlight of the 1990 season for all who made it.

And many will go back.

The 1991 national finals will be conducted in Phoenix Oct. 23-27.

Portions of the men's and women's Open finals were broadcast via cable television throughout the month of November.

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With the Christmas holiday fast-approaching, racquetball players could probably make a long list of gift ideas for themselves.

I've been toying with the idea of a new racquet, but haven't quite decided which one.

Ektelon allowed the Sagebrush Athletic Club here a week-long use of its newest demo racquets. The oversized Mirada and its mid-sized counterpart are definitely sweet racquets.



Rita Balock-Hamilton

Center Court
Editor

A line of Head racquets are also due at Sagebrush soon, which I'm waiting to try.

It's amazing the power difference a racquet can make even without changing your swing.

As far as control, that may take a bit longer.

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This issue of Center Court didn't quite meet the early-November deadline I'd set for it.

Returning from Salt Lake, I met the close of prep football, girls' basketball and cross country seasons head-on, as well as the start of winter sports coverage for Northern Montana College.

When I telephoned MRA president Dan West to talk about the November Center Court, I was surprised to learn that the MRA bank account is low.

Funds have dipped for two primary reasons:

- The MRA contributed additional money toward the national doubles bus.
- And because fall tournament directors have neglected to forward fees to the MRA.

West was missing fees from at least four of the first six tournaments of the 1990-91 year!

West requested a cost estimate for the current Center Court before I received the go-ahead to have it published.

Some 400 issues are mailed to MRA members and another 200 are distributed via clubs.

The cost for printing, labeling and mailing Center Court — \$135 — is what the MRA pays. It does cost more when we have an additional two pages.

But the MRA doesn't pay for the typesetting, photography work and paste-up that go into Center Court. Those are my contributions and also big cost-savers.

I didn't like being told the MRA can't afford Center Court because it can't collect tournament fees, which I help pay.

MRA rankings

Here are the Montana Racquetball Association rankings. Current through the Nov. 2-4 Bozeman tournament. Players with 150 points or more must play a higher division. State champions must also move up.

SINGLES MEN OPEN

1. John Kennis, Butte	290
2. Mike Richter, Missoula	160
3. Dan Hugelen, Missoula	150
4. Mike George, Great Falls	125
5. Clay Morse, Havre	80
Lloyd Marsh, Billings	80
7. Dan West, Billings	70
8. Rick Rios, Bozeman	55
9. Ronnie Roesti, Butte	45
Lance Reithmeier, Havre	45

A

1. Tom Thompson, Great Falls	150
2. Carl Rose, Billings	100
Dennis Jupka, Great Falls	100
4. Ron Frize, Miles City	95
5. Ron Brenna, Havre	75
6. Wayne Surratt, Great Falls	50
Bob Miller, Great Falls	50
8. Kent Coe, Helena	30
Dave Kuglin, Great Falls	30
Bob McNeely, Billings	30
Larry Nickel, Helena	30

B

1. Buck Tripp, Helena	150
2. T. McGuire, Great Falls	100
3. B. Barefield, Missoula	75
4. Gary Baltrusch, Havre	50
John Braun, Billings	50
A. Clark, Anaconda	50
S. Doran, Butte	50
L. Morrison, Billings	50
R. Weaver, Cut Bank	50
10. Mike Schrapps, Butte	40

C

1. Mike Schrapps, Butte	150
2. Matt Thompson, Great Falls	100
S. Fisher, Bozeman	100
4. Max Erickson, Havre	75
5. Mike Clements, Butte	50
D. Lofthouse, Helena	50
A. Roachell	50
B. VanBerger	50
9. Jim Brenna, Billings	30
T. Chamberlain, Great Falls	30
Curt Kunugi, Miles City	30
Mark Talbott, Great Falls	30

MASTERS

1. Jeff Pallister, Great Falls	200
2. Tim Keating, Billings	180
3. Bob Baldwin, Bozeman	105
4. Dick Strauser, Billings	50
5. Joe Luckman, Great Falls	40

6. Bud Talbott, Great Falls	30
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SENIOR A

1. Mike Richter, Missoula	180
2. Rick Rios, Bozeman	100
3. Dan West, Billings	95
4. C. Granlee, Billings	70
Dennis Jupka, Great Falls	70
6. Rick Lehr, Great Falls	55
7. Mike Dalton, Helena	30
Dave Kuglin, Great Falls	30
A. Wuest, Colstrip	30

SENIOR B

1. Bruce Gerlach, Bozeman	150
2. Larry Nickel, Helena	125
3. Mike Cavaness, Bozeman	100
4. D. Gollehon, Miles City	75
5. M. Pitman, Great Falls	50
Fred Wood, Lewistown	50
7. Tim Barber, Great Falls	30
Tom Hirst, Helena	30
G. Rice, Billings	30
Ray White, Lewistown	30

SENIOR C

1. Max Erickson, Havre	150
2. Curt Kunugi, Miles City	130
3. J. Platt, Bozeman	75
4. J. Hoffman, Hamilton	50
G. Hovland, Bozeman	50
6. John Cey, Livingston	25
Duane Delger, Billings	25
R. LeCourre, Butte	25
E. Raeche, Bozeman	25

WOMEN OPEN

1. Helen Shields, Missoula	150
Karen Jacobson, Havre	150
3. Kim Koski, Bozeman	125
4. Michelle Koch, Billings	80
5. Nancy Rios, Bozeman	70
6. Cindy Thompson, Billings	45
7. Rita Hamilton, Havre	40
8. Karen Erlebenbush, Miles City	30
Linda Richter, Missoula	30
M. Hawkins, Butte	30

A

1. Connie Ryals, Billings	150
2. Charlene Dalbec, Great Falls	100
3. K. Robertson, Bozeman	75
4. Mary Bianco, Great Falls	50
5. Ann e Shea, Butte	25
Crystal McLean, Billings	25
B. Murphy, Bozeman	25
8. Mary Allaman, Billings	20

B

1. Jolee Ferriter, Butte	150
2. Sharon Rosling, Helena	110
3. Kelly Veis, Wolf Point	100
4. C. Surratt, Great Falls	80

5. A. Pilgeram, Bozeman	75
6. Tina Sandborgh, Bozeman	50
Jodi DiFronzo, Butte	50
Kathy Ake, Kalispell	50
D. Johnson, Miles City	50
10. Keri Routzahn, Butte	40

C

1. Mary Ann Schrapps, Butte	150
2. Keri Routzahn, Butte	100
3. Vi Schurman, E. Helena	75
4. Sharon Hotchkiss, Cut Bank	50
5. J. Hill, Bozeman	50
6. L. Fisher, Bozeman	50
7. Stephanie Daunenbauer, Butte	25
D. Monical, Livingston	25
C. Surratt, Great Falls	25
10. M. Van Remorkl, Helena	20

SENIOR A

1. Mary Allaman, Billings	50
L. Randash, Baker	50
3. Mary Bianco, Great Falls	30
4. L. Hopfauf, Glendive	20
L. Randash, Baker	20

DOUBLES MEN OPEN

1. John Kennis, Butte	250
2. Matt Parriman, Helena	150
Mark Heydon, Missoula	150
Dan Hugelen, Missoula	150
Mike George, Great Falls	150
6. Robbie Gunderson, Butte	80
7. Alan Mader, Billings	75
8. Russ Noonan, Helena	65
Steve Pinnow, Billings	65
10. Kelly Hoover, Billings	60
Ronnie Roesti, Butte	60

A

1. Tom Hagan, Glendive	175
2. Darren Refz, Helena	150
Rob Starz, Helena	150
4. Jeff Monaco, Great Falls	110
Tom Thompson, Great Falls	110
6. Buck Tripp, Helena	85
7. Dennis Wolff, Billings	75
8. Dave Kuglin, Great Falls	70
Gordon Tripp, Helena	70
10. Ron Frize, Miles City	55

B

1. Buck Tripp, Helena	150
Gordon Tripp, Helena	150
3. Roger Rowsey, Bozeman	105
4. Butch Albertson, Havre	100
Ken Myers, Havre	100
6. J. Halberg, Bozeman	80
7. Tim Barber, Great Falls	75
8. Bob Baldwin, Bozeman	50
Gary Baltrusch, Havre	50
Bruce Gerlach, Bozeman	50
Max Erickson, Havre	50
Steve Strand, Havre	60

WOMEN OPEN

1. Berte Heath, Billings	150
Shari Muller, Billings	150
Helen Shields, Missoula	150
4. Sid Whitsett, Missoula	100
Teresa Burke, Missoula	100
6. Carlisle Ridgeley, Great Falls	80
7. Debbie Morse, Havre	75
Karen Jacobson, Havre	75
9. Bonnie Talbott, Great Falls	60
10. Michelle Koch, Billings	50

A

1. Connie Ryals, Billings	150
Crystal McLean, Billings	150
3. L. Parriman, Helena	100
Thomas, Helena	100
5. Kelly Veis, Wolf Point	80
6. Diane Johnson, Butte	75
K. Corette, Missoula	75
8. Mary Allaman, Billings	50
Shari Baltrusch, Havre	50
Janet Church, Helena	50
Karen Erlebenbush, Miles City	50
Rita Hamilton, Havre	50
Stephanie Joyce, Miles City	50
D. McKinley, Kalispell	50
Annie Shea, Butte	50
Lynn Winomuller, Kalispell	50

B

1. Joyce Schmautz, Kalispell	150
Reading, Kalispell	150
3. Matz, Cut Bank	100
Davis, Cut Bank	100
5. Mary Ann Schrapps, Butte	75
L. Haarstick, Butte	75
7. Cindy Otter, Helena	50
aa. Helena	50

Richter doubles in Bozeman play

BOZEMAN — The draw was down at the annual fall racquetball tournament at Universal Sports and Courts here, but that was expected considering it followed the national doubles championship tournament less than a week later.

Mike Richter of Missoula walked away with the men's Open singles title over John Kennis of Butte.

Richter also teamed with Mike George of Great Falls to win the men's Open doubles championship.

Michelle Koch of Billings couldn't quite pull off a women's Open sweep, as she bowed to Kim Koski of Bozeman in the singles finale.

Koch and Chris Martin of Billings did, however, win the doubles title.

Here are the Bozeman tournament results. No scores were reported.

MEN SINGLES OPEN

1. Mike Richter (Missoula), 2. John Kennis (Butte), 3. Mike George (Great Falls), 4. Rick Rios (Bozeman).

B

1. Brad Boiswert, 2. Pat DiFronzo (Butte), 3. Jerry

Reisig, 4. James Hogg.

C

1. Brad Von Bergen, 2. Doug McSpadain, 3. Shane Stenerud, 4. Aaron DiBeradinis.

SENIOR A

1. Dave Kuglin (Great Falls), 2. Denton Buss (Wyoming), 3. Jerry Reisig, 4. Bruce Gerlach (Bozeman).
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SENIOR B

1. Fred Wood (Lewistown), 2. Ray White (Lewistown), 3. Lance Sina, 4. Dave Zimmerman.

DOUBLES OPEN

1. Mike George-Mike Richter, 2. Chris Peters Will Headlund, 3. Robbie Gunderson-Ronnie Roesti (Butte), 4. Barefield-Kuglin.

B

1. Tom Hagen John Bruan (Billings), 2. Bruce Gerlach-Terry Gustafson, 3. Tim Barber (Great Falls)-Larry Nickel (Helena), 4. Ray White-Fred Wood (Lewistown).
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WOMEN SINGLES OPEN

1. Kim Koski (Bozeman), 2. Michelle Koch (Billings), 3. Nancy Rios (Bozeman), 4. Chris Martin (Billings).

B

1. Tina Sandborgh (Bozeman), 2. Keri Routzahn (Butte), 3. Lynn Hopfauf (Glendive), 4. Jodi DiFronzo (Butte).
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C

1. Joannan Hill, 2. Tina Versland, 3. LeAnne West (Billings), 4. Terri Carpenter.

DOUBLES

1. Koch-Martin (Billings), 2. Bowers-Bowers, 3. Ryals-Perrine (Billings), 4. DiFronzo-Routzahn (Butte).

George turns table on Kennis

GREAT FALLS — John Kennis of Butte got the best of Mike George of Great Falls in the men's Open singles championship at the Autumn Shootout at Universal Sports and Courts here Oct. 28-30.

But George and Mike Richter of Missoula turned the table on Kennis and Roger Rowsey of Helena in the Open doubles final.

Siv Smithson of Lethbridge, Alberta, was the only double-winner in the 110-player sanctioned tournament.

Smithson defeated Linda Richter of Missoula in the women's Open title match and paired with Mary Bianco of Great Falls to win the round robin women's doubles.

Here are the results of the Autumn Shootout. Scores were not reported.

MEN SINGLES OPEN

1. John Kennis (Butte), 2. Mike George (Great Falls), 3. Bob Daku (Lethbridge, Alberta), Consolation: Jeff Monaco (GF).

A

1. Bob Miller (GF), 2. Wayne Surratt (GF), 3. Larry Nickel (Helena), Consolation: Mark Kohoutek (GF).

B

1. Andy Clark (Anaconda), 2. Kent Coe (Hel), 3. Mike Schrapps (Butte), Consolation: Matt Thompson (GF).

C

1. Mike Clements (Butte), 2. Todd Chamberlin (GF), 3.

Frank English (GF), Consolation: P.J. Cook (GF)

SENIOR A

1. Dennis Jupka (GF), 2. Rick Lehr (GF), 3. Jan Hangen (GF), Consolation: Larry Beck (GF).

SENIOR B

1. Nickel (Hel), 2. Terry Barber (GF), 3. Max Erickson (Hav), Consolation: Ross Hannon (Lethbridge).

MASTERS

1. Jeff Pallister (GF), 2. Bud Talbott (GF), 3. Ian Thumblert (Leth), Consolation: John Burian (GF).

DOUBLES

OPEN

1. George (GF)-Mike Richter (Msla), 2. Roger Rowsey (Hel)-Kennis (Butte), 3. Thompson-Monaco (GF), Consolation: John Braun-Steve Pinnow (Blgs).

A-B

1. Larry Beck-John Thomas (GF), 2. Dave Olson-Gary Levinsky (Kalispell), 3. Mike Clements (Butte)-Richard Brant (Blgs), Consolation: Andy Clark-Joe Mehrens (Ana).

SENIOR

1. Lehr-Gary Hooks (GF), 2. Will Weaver-Hangen (GF), 3. Hannon-Thumblert (Leth), Consolation: Mike Schrapps-Messick (Butte).

WOMEN

SINGLES

OPEN

1. Siv Smithson (Leth), 2. Linda Richter (Msla), 3. Carla Chrisman (Conrad), Consolation: Lynn Windmuller (Kal).

B-C

1. Diane Johnson (Butte), 2. Carol Surratt (GF), 3. Janet Fritz (GF), Consolation: Lynn Haarstick (Butte).

DOUBLES

1. Smithson (Leth)-Mary Bianco (GF), 2. Jan Shelton-Bonnie Talbott (GF), 3. Carlie Ridgeley-Charlene Dalbec (GF).

JUNIORS

1. Ryan Fritz (GF), 2. Rayn Happe, 3. Scott Thumblert (Leth), 4. Mandy Jupka (GF), 5. Reid Thompson (GF).

Kennis sweeps

HELENA — John Kennis of Helena started the 1990-91 racquetball season with a sweep at the Hot August Nights play

Here are the August Nights results. No scores were reported:

MEN SINGLES OPEN

1. John Kennis (Helena), 2. Clay Morse (Havre), Consolation: Rob Starz (Hel).

A

1. Dennis Jupka (Great Falls), 2. Dave Kuglin (GF), Consolation: Buck Tripp (Hel).

B

1. S. Doran (Butte), 2. G. Geifer (Shelby), Consolation: B. Cey (Livingston).

C

1. Dean Loffthouse (Hel), 2. Mark Talbott (GF), Consolation: Milt Popovich (Hel).

SENIOR A

1. M. Dalton (Hel), 2. Jupka (GF), 3. R. Talbott (GF).

SENIOR B

1. M. Pitman, 2. T. Hirst (Hel), Consolation: L. Gazelka (Augusta).

DOUBLES

OPEN

1. Kennis (Hel)-George (GF), 2. Morse-Lance Reithmeier (Hav), Consolation: Russ Noonan-Starz (Hel).

A-B

1. Gordon Tripp-Buck Tripp (Hel), 2. Doran-Moreni (Ana), Consolation: Rowsey (Hel) A. Clark (Ana).

WOMEN

OPEN

1. M. Hawkins (Butte), 2. Bonnie Talbott (GF), 3. Jolee Ferriter (Butte).

B

1. C. Surratt (GF), 2. Mary Ann Schrapps (Butte), Consolation: Sharon Rosling (Hel).

C

1. L. Fisher (Bozeman), 2. M. Van Remorkl, 3. K. Hawe (Hel).

DOUBLES

1. Carlie Ridgeley-Talbott (GF), 2. Ferriter-Hawkins (Butte), 3. Jodi DiFronzo-Lisa Phillips (Butte).



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MRA calendar

JANUARY

11-13 — Racquetball, at Elks Club in Kalispell.

25-27 — Pro-Am, at Billings Athletic Club.

FEBRUARY

8-10 — Winterinternals, at YMCA Family Fitness Center in Butte.

22-24 — State doubles, at Crossroads Fitness Center in Helena.

MARCH

8-10, Pro-Am, at Kalispell Athletic Club.
15-17, Shamrock Shootout, at Civic Center in Cut Bank.

APRIL

5-7, State singles, at Universal Sports and Courts in Bozeman.

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