


# Minnesota

# RACQUETBALL



## Minnesotans at U.S. National Singles

*By Kelly Kirk*

Before going into any detail, let's congratulate the sixteen Minnesota players who competed: Jon Calder, Peggy Clark, Bruce Erickson, Hart Johnson, Kelly Kirk, Ansula Liu, Mike Locker, Becky Shirk, Dana Sibell (#1 seed in the 19+), Todd Stead, Cindy Tilbury, and Dave Werschay. Then there were those in the chronologically gifted (over 50): Les Dittrich, Norm Goldetsky, Cap Hiles, and Kathy Mueller (#1 seed in the 50+). All of those listed above were deserving of coverage, but this court reporter was in awe of the caliber of talent on display in Houston — thereby straying from one's assignment. Former Minnesotan Rob French and long-time partner Brad McCunniff became our adoptees for the weekend, as there was

no Team Iowa to speak of. Our North Dakota neighbor, Steve Carlson, was also to be seen out and about, although a baby due soon will keep him closer to home for a while. For those of you "old-timers" who remember Amy Kilbane: she's now a successful collegiate player in Ohio and a national competitor in the 19+.

On Tuesday evening Nationals kicked off with a trade show held in the Hyatt Regency. The covers were off as players got a preview of "bigger and badder" racquets to come from E-Force, Ektelon, HEAD, Richcraft, and Spaulding. There were, of course, shoes and gloves and T-shirts, but nothing as radical as the new racquets which will be undating us this fall.

On Wednesday, the first surge of 700 plus players began tumbling through the turnstiles of Houston's YMCA. Once admitted, a player is expected to negotiate what can only be described as a maze of courts: upstairs, downstairs, in the basement, in far corners, some with no glass, others with side wall glass, or back wall glass, or only a hole for viewing (these courts have not heard of the greenhouse effect, very much an Arctic air blast), or maybe an entire gallery section ready for fifty people. Each court truly had its own testy personality. Between the noise and the microphones, the AARA runs an efficient tourney — although to spectators it might have appeared in total disarray.

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# From the "Pres"

*by Peggy Clark*

This issue of Minnesota Racquetball differs from the usual quality product fashioned at Marta Groess' hands. Marta has been on a leave of absence due to an illness in the family. Yours truly got as far as typing the newsletter information, but my desktop publishing skills are virtually non-existent, and my time has been severely limited this summer to become an accomplished layout editor via the cut-and-paste method. Lois Anderson, the MJR editor, has taken the layout and printing job over from me, and I know that she will get this edition to the printer and into your hands long before I could have dreamed possible.

Some of the information in this newsletter, although dated, may prove of interest to you. The next newsletter, including the fall tournament schedule and the State Doubles entry, is almost complete in the writing phase. That first class edition and this bulk mail edition will probably race each other to your door.

When Marta returns, we'll get back on schedule, so look for new columns and writers. As always, we're looking for articles and pictures from the membership and clubs. If you write an article about a tournament, and give us a picture, you can almost guarantee publication.

Two of our Board members had new additions to their families over the summer. Dee and Bev Lichy have a new baby girl, and Mike and Patty Kennedy have a boy. Hence, the MSRA Board is in need of a new Secretary/Administrative Assistant and a Rules Commissioner. Please call me (612) 377-5779 if you're interested in either of these positions. And get those racquets out of the mothballs and start practicing, as the tournament season is almost here.

## Twin City RB League

Are you looking for players from throughout the Metro area to play in league competition? John Reigstad at King's Court Roseville has just the ticket for you. All levels of play can be participated, and you can arrange your matches at the club and time of your convenience. The first league session is composed primarily of players from the North Metro area. Rumor has it that the Southside is looking a similar venture. Call John at King's Court Roseville (633-0744) for further information. When space permits, we will try to publish results in future issues of Minnesota Racquetball.

# Special Thank You's

*from Peggy Clark, President MSRA*

Without all of the support for our state tournament from MANY volunteers, we could not have such a fine event. Please remember that these people help promote, organize and sponsor your sport:

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If I forgot to mention you by name, please know that I appreciate your contribution.

Many special thanks to outgoing or resigning Board Members: Dan Zeller, Darcy Chastain, Dan Roman, Helen Peterson, and Mike Beugen. Many thanks for all your help in recent times. All incumbent Board members were re-elected, and new Board members who were elected are Elaine Foell, Kelly Kirk, and Pete Peterson. Anyone still interested in joining the Board may contact Peggy Clark or any Board member. Our Board is structured to accommodate as many people as wish to be active.

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## **TEAM MINNESOTA BAKE SALE**

Team Minnesota juniors held a bake sale during the State Singles Tournament to raise money to purchase "uniforms" for the upcoming Junior Olympics. One year the "uniform" was a hot pick shirt (this was before hot pink was "hot") and last year it was a shirt and very wild, bright Zubaz-type pants with the Team Minnesota logo printed on the back in a strategic location that anyone viewing a match from behind was sure to see. This year our uniform will be ... OOPS ... that's always a secret until the night before the tournament.

We raised \$642 at the Bake Sale!!!! Thanks to everyone who donated baked goods, the kids, who worked to sell the times, Elaine Foell who spent most of the weekend supervising the kids, and most of all, everyone who bought and ate the baked goods or donated money.

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# Minnesota Junior Racquetball

by Lois Anderson

Junior players in Minnesota are preparing for the upcoming 1991 Junior Olympic Racquetball Championships to be held at the Burnsville Northwest Club on June 22-26. Last fall, the MSRA saw the need to attract new junior players and to create "Clinics" where the kids could meet and play other junior racquetball players. To get the word out about the clinics and other junior information, we developed the Minnesota Junior Racquetball newsletter.

The first MJR newsletter was mailed to junior players in March. The eight page newsletter gave juniors important information about junior racquetball, upcoming tournaments and introduced our NEW monthly Junior Clinics (see below). The second newsletter was sent out in April, the next one will go out in September. If you would like to be put on the mailing list, call Lois Anderson (612) 421-8608.

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## CLINICS HUGE SUCCESS!!!

With our first newsletter we introduced our monthly Junior Clinics. Our first clinic was held Saturday, March 23rd. We optimistically set a "Limit of 25" for the clinic, hoping for at least 15. To our surprise, we received registrations from 35 juniors. About half were new players. A snowstorm kept about 12 kids from Virginia and Duluth from attending, but we still had 26 participants.

The kids were divided into groups according to their playing ability.

Each of the seven instructors took a group and worked with them on DRILLS, some SKILL GAMES (can you hit a pile of three pop cans in the front corner of the court or a balloon taped on the wall??) and then the kids were allowed some free PLAYING TIME. Everyone had a great time!!

Our second clinic, held Sunday, April 14th, was even BIGGER and BETTER. We had 40 kids!!! We again did DRILLS, had a fun RELAY, did SKILL GAMES and had free PLAYING TIME. At the end of the clinic, Troy Stallings gave each of the kids a Pro Kennex/Marty Hogan hat, which ended the day on a high note.

A special thanks to all of our instructors who volunteered their afternoons to make these clinics fun for all:

March: Hart Johnson, Todd Stead, Mike Dittrich, Dave Zabinski, Dana Sibell, Brett Stinson, and Peggy Clark

April: Hart Johnson, Todd Stead, Mike Dittrich, Brett Beugen, Aimee Melville, Troy Stallings, Terri Straka, Sandy Gross, and Peggy Clark.

Special THANKS to Elaine Foell....without her help our clinics would not have run so smoothly.

Thanks also to:

... Peggy Clark for arranging the times and dates with the Northwest Club

... and the NORTHWEST CLUBS for letting us have the clinics at the Highway 100 Club.

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## CONTRIBUTORS

In conjunction with the clinics above, we sent letters to various companies and people asking for donations of basic racquetball equipment for the "new" kids at the clinics. We have been very pleased with the response to date. We'd like to thank the following people/companies for their contributions:

Mike Weum - Ektelon

10 pair of eyeguards

Doug Smith - Tacki-Mac

25 Tacki-Mac Grips

Gary Stevenson & Troy Stallings

- Pro Kennex

40 hats for the April Clinic

13 racquets with small grips

15 additional hats

20 T-shirts

If you can make a contribution of product, time, or money, please call Lois Anderson (612) 421-8608, Hart Johnson (612) 699-6427, or Elaine Foell (612) 636-1844.

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Editors Note: This year 48 kids participated in the Junior Olympics and Junior Team Minnesota placed 2nd, being narrowly defeated by California. Although this article refers in large part to "We" of the MSRA, Lois Anderson deserves the lion's share of the credit for organizing the newsletters, clinics and junior activities this year. As a result of her efforts, she was named JUNIOR REGIONAL (REGION 11) and was asked to be on the NATIONAL JUNIOR COUNCIL. Congratulations, Lois!

# The "COURT REPORTER"

by Kelly Kirk

## Assignment: 1991 Minnesota State Singles Racquetball Championships, April 25-28, 1991

Rumor is that the MSRA may consider limiting the size of the State Tourney and, with 425 participants competing in 640 events, one can understand why the tourney is close to becoming unwieldy.

For the first time ever, ninety matches were started on Thursday evening, but even so, that was not enough to avoid 7:30 a.m. starts on Saturday.

A new strategy for keeping the juniors busy and trouble free was employed — once they finished serving pizzas under Greg Hayenga's supervision, they found themselves assisting with the bake sale whose proceeds of \$650 went to the Junior's Program. Elaine Foell and Lois Anderson devoted many hours to this project and their regard probably turned up on Monday morning's scale. This was not on your informational sheet, but seedings for 1992 will be determined on what baked goods you donated.

Friday's matches can be fast and fierce, and Mike Gorman narrowly escaped early elimination from Richard Newgren in the 45+ division with scores of 15-10, 15-14. But that is what the majority of us live for — looking for THE upset.

Saturday's tournament desk was awash in reported scores (even Patti Erger had to take a break). Players know that the sure place to find aspirin, Advil, Motrin, etc., is the tournament desk. Hey! Isn't dispensing medicine without a license illegal?

As to the downs and ups of competition, Carol Kupka's future has to be brighter: three times she landed on the dreaded #8 with its sidewall & backwall glass ... and that's no place one wants to meet Paula Vallie! But for every miserable experience, there was a Jane Peters who managed an upset or two? — before capturing fourth place in the 30+ with a smile on her face. Then there's Steve

Jin who always walks like a winner; not until Monday morning's paper would this reporter discover Jin lost to Paul Katzfey in the semis of A.

After a long winter absence with a back problem, Kim Fortman found herself playing a steamrolling Cynthia Putnam on Sunday for third place in the 25+. Putnam never paused, 15-7, 15-5.

Womens A was a rumble! Any of the remaining four could have taken first place: the semis were hard fought matches between Desiree Dahline prevailing over Cindi Ramm; Anne Thies besting Lisa Heilman. For the final it was Thies vs. Dahline. Thies got the early jump on Dahline 15-7, but Dahline fought back in the second 15-8 with a mix of ceiling and pass shots. But this year really belonged to Dahline's serve that once started, couldn't be stopped. Dahline ended the tiebreaker with an ace (11-8) that any Open player would be proud to have. And that is where Dahline will find herself next year at State — in the Open. Dahline's lucky blue shorts have carried her a long way, but is highly doubtful they will survive one more trip through the wash ... so until she finds another "lucky" replacement, we should be safe.

Although Carol Kriegler might not count this among her fondest memories, she again met and again lost to Dana Sibell in the Womens Open finals. Sibell, rolling on defensive service returns by Kriegler, took the match 15-4, 15-2. Each game, on her very first service, Kriegler forgot to check the receiver. Now that Dana's psychological advantage is in print, that ploy won't work next year!

Another footnote from our hardworking friend, Cort Larson, Director of Promotions at Northwest Clubs: Dana gave up **only 27 points the entire tournament**, 15 of which were credited to another Carol - Stomberg. Cort was the driving force behind getting the results in the newspapers!

Despite Mike Locker's absence from recent sanctioned tourneys (the hockey rink lured him away), he performed up to our usual high expectations in the Mens Open finals. Todd Stead (who has done well all year) found himself on the receiving end of excellent serves as Locker stormed to another State title with scores of 15-2, 15-9.

A special congrats to Sam Erdman who captured a second place in the Mens 25+. All his hard work and tournament appearances this year seem to have helped him to the next plateau of racquetball play. Only the efforts of a certain Hart Johnson (15-9, 15-14) prevented Erdman from stealing a title.

Sportsmanship awards went to Scott Petersen, Terri Straka, and Brandon Hartinger. Players of the year were Todd Stead, Dana Sibell, and Sadie Gross. Contragulations to all of you, and thanks for the fine examples you set for other players.

NOTE: This edition's editor apologizes for the lack of pictures. Pictures DO exist, and will be published in the next Minnesota Racquetball, by our regular editor, Marta Gross, currently on leave of absence.

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# Minnesotans at U.S. National Singles (Continued)

Wednesday evening was boys' night only. And Jon Calder made the best of his first round match in A, only to wind up forfeiting his second round match because of a badly sprained knee. On the disabled list, Jon discovered taxi service to cover the four blocks from the Hyatt to the YMCA. Meanwhile, Ansula Liu was once again at the ping-pong table where, she would like everyone to know, she is the undisputed champion. But why, Ms. Liu, were you listed as being from Washington?

Thursday morning Otto Dietrich (no relation to Les or Mike, they remind us often) gave us a clinic regarding the officiating of racquetball. Get a group of avid racquetball players together, pick any rule (I don't care how simple it may appear to be) and the conversation/discussion/debate/argument becomes quite spirited. Of interest, Dietrich and Jim Hiser have authored a book — Officiating Racquetball, — which is available through the AARA office.

It was not picture perfect, it was not pretty, but Dana Sibell did win her first round match against Amy Anair of Arizona (15-1, 15-11). The longer the second game went, the higher the ball sailed. Maybe it will suffice to say that both players worked the 10 second clock and both know how to take a towel and search for imaginary sweat drops.

Friday lowlights: Becky Shirk started the domino effect in the Womens 30 division which befell the Minnesota competitors. Clark, Kirk, and Tilbury all lost their second rounds. Next year, Les Dittrich promises to cheer up all early losers with his fluorescent Eagles Nest hats.

Despite Dana Sibell's late Friday night antics on the dance floor, she was functioning and awake in her racquetball attire on Saturday. This was the day where crowds began to thin a little and the premier stringers, John and Linda

Boudman of Pennsylvania, actually had time to pause between racquets.

Kathy Mueller lost her opening match in the 50+ to a sure-to-be Wisconsin nemesis, Nancy Butts. Nancy has also joined the Minnesota adoptee ranks, as LaCrosse really does belong to Minnesota, does it not? Kathy was far from down and out, however, as she would play on Monday for the 55+ championship. Anyone seeking highlights of the Nationals, contact Kathy. She had her video camera filming all weekend.

Saturday afternoon, Les Dittrich was on his way to a romp against Jim Trammell: 15-7 game one. Trammell slowly awakened by dragging out the 10 second counts and forcefully pushing Les into the back corners with high Z's to his forehand, coming out ahead 15-6. With mulish determination, Les took the tiebreaker 11-7.

Saturday evening's banquet was long on talk from our AARA President Keith Calkins (Olympics! Olympics?) and other big shots and short on good food. Just what exactly was that dessert, anyway? But one did get to see players one usually only reads about: the dynamic duo of Fran Davis and Stu Hastings, Michelle Gilman, Andy Roberts, and Ed Remen, to name only a few. And the AARA did present a check of \$6,000 to the Houston YMCA. The traditional slide show returned from the expert hands of Jim Hiser, only to be concluded with a proposal of marriage from Jim to Deb for all the world to see. We wish Jim much happiness.

Sunday 7:30 a.m.: The start of bleary consolation matches. By the time these sleepy people had completed their matches, the championship rounds of quarters and semi's in many divisions were beginning. Funny how those puffed up refs, so visible on other days, shy away from those matches counting down to the finals.

Monday: Kathy Mueller, after a slow start, never quit shooting the ball to defeat Floridian Jo Kenyon in two for the 55+ championship. And darn! Dana lost in the 19+ finals to the number two seed Cheryl Gudinas of Illinois, but by all accounts it was a good clean match.

Conclusion: Those at Nationals may believe Minnesotans spend our lives chopping wood and living in log cabins, but we showed them that we can swing something other than an axe!

P.S. Look for the premier summer issue of "Killshot", a magazine devoting coverage to professionals as well as a dose of playing instruction.

## DEE-cisions

*By Dee Lichty, MSRA  
Rules Commissioner*

Of all the things I like to do at the State Tournament each year, reffing the finals of the Mens Open is one of my favorites. Probably sounds kind of funny to most of you, because I get the distinct impression that most racquetball players, "Hate to Ref!". Well, I do enjoy it. . . because I appreciate the skills that other players have. I appreciate their efforts on the court, their gestures of sportsmanship, their keen will to win, their heartbreak when they lose.

I sat down to try to think about the "Hate to Ref" concept and here's what I come up with:

1) Arguments: Competitive racquetball, or for that matter, any competitive sport, will from time to time generate an argu-

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# RANKINGS

After State Singles - 1991



## Mens 19

Brett Stinson  
Scott Daugaard  
Dave Werschay

## Mens 25

Hart Johnson  
Sam Erdman  
Dan Fitzgerald  
Tim Tompkins  
Ed Graddy

## Mens 25B

Gary Haag  
Bill Eiden  
Grant Anderson

## Mens 30

Greg Hayenga  
Mike Dittrich  
Scott Petersen  
Rick Edstrom  
Dave Rantala

## Mens 30B

Jim Rokser  
Clarence Witschen  
Mike Buechner

## Mens 35

Troy Stallings  
Pat Page  
Dave Gross  
Terry Daniels (tie)  
Steve Kolar (tie)  
Mens 35B  
Bruce Johnson  
Bruce Charno (tie)  
Boogs Berquist (tie)  
Mike Dunn (tie)  
John Siple

## Mens 40

Gary Peterson  
Glen Withrow  
Phil Marcus  
Ted Lockett  
Harral Chastain

## Mens 40B

Lorne Turner  
Terry McNellis  
Brian Sand

## Mens 45

Harral Chastain  
Steve Prokopiuk  
Mike Gorman  
Lew Hooser  
Marv Loper

## Mens 45B

Ronald Johnson  
Dennis Garvin (tie)  
Laird Tesch (tie)

## Mens 50

Les Dittrich  
Dick Carpenter  
Lee Rients

## Mens 55

Norm Goldetsky  
Bob Kleinschmidt  
Royal Slack

## Mens 60

Max Fallek  
Bob McNamara  
Bob Englund

## Mens 75

Stephen Ordos

## Mens Open

Todd Stead  
Mike Locker  
Brett Stinson  
Mike Dittrich  
Scott Daugaard

## Mens A

Tim Glynn  
Andy Gross  
Mark McCoy  
George Selke  
Paul Katzfey

## Mens B

Gary Haag  
David Voigt (tie)  
Brian Pearson (tie)  
Bruce Johnson  
Paul Grabianowski

## Mens C

Jim Unterberger  
David Nelson  
David Uppman  
Bruce Clyne  
David Tanner

## Mens D

Jon Hofer  
Terry Ness  
Scott Nistler

## Mens Novice

Randy Volkmuth  
Chad Hahne  
Jason Jansen

## Juniors 12 & Under

Jason Jansen  
Troy Heurung  
Joe Siple

## Juniors 15 & Under

Jason Jansen  
Jason Krantz

## Juniors Combined

Ed Reed (tie)  
Casey Voigt (tie)  
Sadie Gross (tie)  
Josh Tamminen (tie)

## Boys 8 Multi Bounce

Jim Rodberg

## Boys 8 & Under

Jim Rodberg

## Boys 10 & Under

Jason Jansen  
Dan Lichty  
Chris Dehmer

## Boys 12 & Under

Troy Heurung  
Jason Jansen  
Mike Jerabek (tie)  
Joe Siple (tie)

## Boys 14 & Under

Casey Voigt  
Brian Pearson  
Jason Krantz

## Boys 16 & Under

Andy Gross  
Dan Newquist  
John Softich

## Boys 18 & Under

Justin Knutson  
Brett Beugen

## Girls 8 Multi Bounce

Jackie Cherne

## Girls 12 & Under

Jamie Trachsel  
Meadow Krantz

## Girls 14 & Under

Jill Trachsel  
Aimee Chastain

## Girls 16 & Under

Andrea Beugen  
Michelle Anderson

## Girls 18 & Under

Shelly Mick

## Womens 19

Lori Southwick  
Angie Probst  
Tina Lamb

## Womens 25

Kelli Peifer  
cindy Putnam  
Paula Vallie

## Womens 25B

Pam Benson-Eggerichs  
Pam Reimer

## Womens 30

Ansula Liu  
Carol Stomberg (tie)  
Kelly Kirk (tie)

## Womens 30B

Karen Eiden  
Sandy Dahl  
Patty Harms

## Womens 35

Darcy Chastain  
Becky Shirk  
Connie Gebhart (tie)  
Peggy Eck (tie)

## Womens 40

Elaine Hedden  
Sandy Gross  
Carol Pedersen

## Womens 45

Lisa Vacek

## Womens 50

Mary Willerscheidt

## Womens 55

Kathleen Mueller

## Womens Open

Carol Kreigler  
Ansula Liu  
Dana Sibell  
Kelly Whalen  
Margaret Hill

## Womens A

Jane Peters  
Gina Storrs  
Cindi Ramm  
Lisa Heilman  
Lori Davis

## Womens B

Karen Eiden  
Michelle McCoy  
Christine Merten  
Patty Harms  
Shelly Mick

## Womens C

Kristi Beeman  
Kim Oakland  
Rose Markham  
Sue Anne Nielson  
Sharon Larsen



# Sanctioned Tournament Results

## *TOURNEY: 1st National Bank Shootout*

CLUB: Country Courts  
ADDRESS: 1135 East Spruce  
Fairmont, MN 56031  
DATES: February 8-10, 1991

MOPEN Stead, Todd 1ST  
MOPEN Fitzgerald, Dan 2ND  
MOPEN Erdman, Sam 3RD  
MOPEN Martin, Paul 4TH

MA Hebert, Doug 1ST  
MA Vagteveen, Kevin 2ND  
MA LeClerc, Dick SEMI  
MA Schmidt, Ray SEMI

MB Uppmann, Dave 1ST  
MB Mino, Kendall 2ND  
MB Olsen, Dean SEMI  
MB Hackett, Gene SEMI

MC Reinarts, Mark 1ST  
MC Gethmann, Reed 2ND  
MC Heurung, Troy SEMI  
MC Hemish, Gregg SEMI

MNOV Kouri, Bryan 1ST  
MNOV Donais, Al 2ND

WA Roforth, Deb 1ST  
WA Peters, Jane 2ND  
WA Southwick, Lori SEMI  
WA Simmerer, Sheri SEMI

MOD Hayenga/Golden 1ST  
MOD Prins/T. Aulwes 2ND  
MAD S. & R. Schaffer SEMI  
MAD LeBrun/G. Anderson SEMI

MBD Uppman/Stugelmeyer 1ST  
MBD Hemish/D. Olsen 2ND  
MBD T.Heurung/J.Krantz SEMI  
MBD R.Webster/Schoettler SEMI

XAD Dan & Patty Fitzgerald 1ST

## *TOURNEY: Hall of Fame 1991*

CLUB: Greenway Athletic Club  
ADDRESS: 1300 Nicollet Avenue  
Minneapolis, MN 55403  
DATES: January 11-13, 1991

MOPEN Stead, Todd 1ST  
MOPEN Ferris, Dan 2ND  
MOPEN Dittrich, Mike SEMI  
MOPEN Beugen, Brett SEMI

MA Wesely, Tom 1ST  
MA Grimmer, Ray 2ND  
MA Kempenich, Randy SEMI  
MA Katzfey, Paul SEMI

MB Collins, Steve 1ST  
MB Eiden, Bill 2ND  
MB Simmons, Chuck SEMI  
MB Bugbee, Tom SEMI

MC Kirch, Mike 1ST  
MC Bidwell, Richard 2ND  
MC Tanner, David SEMI

M30 Clinch, Tony 1ST  
M30 Van Eendenburg, J. 2ND  
M30 Gross, Dave SEMI  
M30 Fox, Greg SEMI

M50 Carpenter, Dick 1ST  
M50 Zabinski, Dave 2ND  
M50 Dittrich, Les SEMI  
M50 Hagen, Art SEMI

M55 McNamara, Bob 1ST  
M55 Goldetsky, Norm 2ND

WOPEN Kreigler, Carol 1ST  
WOPEN Whalen, Kelly 2ND  
WOPEN Gebhart, Connie SEMI  
WOPEN Liu, Ansula SEMI

WA Davis, Lori 1ST  
WA Kupka, Carol 2ND  
WA Gross, Sadie SEMI  
WA Maes, Patti SEMI

WC Smith, Barb 1ST  
WC Dennis, Tammy 2ND

## *TOURNEY: Northeast Snowflake Tournament*

CLUB: Northeast Racquet Club  
ADDRESS: 5160 Central Ave. NE  
Columbia Hgts, MN 55421  
DATES: January 18-20, 1991

MOPEN Stead, Todd 1ST  
MOPEN Fredenberg, Brian 2ND  
MOPEN Stallings, Troy SEMI  
MOPEN Edstrom, Rick SEMI

MA Haines, David 1ST  
MA Bailey, Dan 2ND  
MA Davenport, Tom SEMI  
MA Steen, Doug SEMI

MB Collins, Steve 1ST  
MB McKee, Mike 2ND  
MB Moore, Bruce SEMI  
MB Schlucter, Wayne SEMI

MC Kirkwold, Rod 1ST  
MC Nagle, Steve 2ND  
MC Hall, Dale SEMI  
MC Bizal, Vince SEMI

M30 Ferris, Dan 1ST  
M30 Stallings, Troy 2ND  
M30 Henk, Randy SEMI  
M30 Chastain, Herral SEMI

M40 Walker, Kern 1ST  
M40 Hooser, Lew 2ND  
M40 Pedersen, Terry SEMI  
M40 Young, Mike SEMI

WOPEN Sibell, Dana 1ST  
WOPEN Gebhart, Connie 2ND  
WOPEN Liu, Ansula SEMI  
WOPEN Hill, Margaret SEMI

WA Davis, Lori 1ST  
WA Varner, Deb 2ND  
WA Schweikert, Jackie SEMI  
WA Heilman, Lisa SEMI

WB Kullas, Dianne 1ST  
WB Tanis, Laura 2ND  
WB Harnus, Patty SEMI  
WB Carlson, Kris SEMI

WC Larsen, Sharon 1ST  
WC Melville, Bonnie 2ND

JUNIORS Voigt, Casey 1ST  
JUNIORS Reed, Ed 2ND  
JUNIORS Dehmer, Chris SEMI  
JUNIORS Anderson, Justin SEMI

MOD Stead/B. Beugen 1ST  
MOD Fredenburg/Moschkau 2ND  
MOD Tompkins/Haines SEMI

MAD Bishop/D.Bailey 1ST  
MAD M.Mai/Davenport 2ND  
MAD Korbol/S. Nelson SEMI  
MAD Riviere/Louiselle SEMI

MBD Bernier/Townsley 1ST  
MBD Wensman/Schlucter 2ND  
MBD Melville/S. Larsen SEMI  
MBD Beaudette/Beaudette SEMI

MCD Mueller/Kirkwold 1ST  
MCD Bizal/Nagle 2ND

WOD Vallie/Probst 1ST  
WOD Dalager/Stomberg 2ND  
WOD Gebhart/Chastain SEMI  
WOD Hill/Liu SEMI

WAD Zieminski/Kupka 1ST  
WAD Olive/Voigt 2ND  
WAD Heilman/Varner SEMI

XAD Davis/Spiczka 1ST  
XAD YeeLitt/Peterson 2ND  
XAD H. & C. Corporaal SEMI  
XAD C. & G. Selke SEMI

XBD Hoagland/Kullas 1ST  
XBD Harms/Hodges 2ND  
XBD Maloney/Lumley SEMI  
XBD F. & K. Kunze SEMI

# Sanctioned Tournament Results

**TOURNEY:** Minnesota State  
Singles 1991

**ADDRESS:** 14600 Burnhaven Drive  
Burnsville, MN 55337

**DATES:** April 25-28, 1991

**WOPEN** Locker, Mike 1ST  
**WOPEN** Stead, Todd 2ND  
**WOPEN** Stinson, Brett 3RD  
**WOPEN** Daugaard, Scott 4TH

**MA** Gross, Andy 1ST  
**MA** Katzfey, Paul 2ND  
**MA** Haines, David 3RD  
**MA** Jin, Steve 4TH

**MB** Pearson, Brian 1ST  
**MB** Charno, Bruce 2ND  
**MB** Hooser, Lew 3RD  
**MB** Tusa, Ed 4TH

**MC** Uppman, David 1ST  
**MC** Unterberger, Jim 2ND  
**MC** Jore, Jeff 3RD  
**MC** Risse, John 4TH

**MD** Hofer, Jon 1ST  
**MD** Ness, Terry 2ND  
**MD** Bucher, Con 3RD  
**MD** Svihel, Calvin 4TH

**MNOV** Volkmuth, Randy 1ST  
**MNOV** Hahne, Chad 2ND

**M19** Werschay, Dave 1ST  
**M19** Locker, Mike 2ND  
**M19** Daugaard, Scott 3RD  
**M19** Stinson, Brett 4TH

**M25** Johnson, Hart 1ST  
**M25** Erdman, Sam 2ND  
**M25** Tompkins, Tim 3RD  
**M25** Crowson, Bill 4TH

**M25B** Eiden, Bill 1ST  
**M25B** Anderson, Grant 2ND  
**M25B** Sand, Jon 3RD  
**M25B** Nyberg, Doug 4TH

**M30** Hayenga, Greg 1ST  
**M30** Edstrom, Rick 2ND  
**M30** Rantala, DAve 3RD  
**M30** Hart, Dave 4TH

**M30B** Rokser, Jim 1ST  
**M30B** Witschen, Clarence 2ND  
**M30B** Buechner, Mike 3RD  
**M30B** Moore, Bruce 4TH

**M35** Stallings, Troy 1ST  
**M35** Page, Pat 2ND  
**M35** Kolar, Steve 3RD  
**M35** Daniels, Terry 4TH

**M35B** Charno, Bruce 1ST  
**M35B** Patterson, Earl 2ND  
**M35B** Umerski, Bernie 3RD  
**M35B** Moore, Bruce 4TH

**M40** Peterson, Gary 1ST  
**M40** Withrow, Glen 2ND  
**M40** Marcus, Phil 3RD  
**M40** Thovson, Kevin 4TH

**M40B** Turner, Lorne 1ST  
**M40B** McNellis, Terry 2ND  
**M40B** Maruska, Don 3RD  
**M40B** Sand, Brian 4TH

**M45** Chastain, Harral 1ST  
**M45** Gorman, Mike 2ND  
**M45** Prokopiuk, Steve 3RD  
**M45** Loper, Marv 4TH

**M45B** Tesch, Laird 1ST  
**M45B** Johnson, Ronald 2ND  
**M45B** Kohmetscher, Tom 3RD  
**M45B** Leskinen, Larry 4TH

**M50** Rients, Lee 1ST  
**M50** Hall, Bill 2ND  
**M50** Blair, Marv 3RD  
**M50** McNamara, Bob 4TH

**M55** Kleinschmidt, R. 1ST  
**M55** Slack, Royal 2ND  
**M55** Goldetsky, Norm 3RD  
**M55** Siemers, Ron 4TH

**M60** McNamara, Bob 1ST  
**M60** Fallek, Max 2ND  
**M60** Brandrup, John 3RD  
**M60** Hiles, Harold (Cap) 4TH

**WOPEN** Sibell, Dana 1ST  
**WOPEN** Kreigler, Carol 2ND  
**WOPEN** Vallie, Paula 3RD  
**WOPEN** Probst, Angie 4TH

**WA** Dahline, Desiree 1ST  
**WA** Theis, Anne 2ND  
**WA** Heilman, Lisa 3RD  
**WA** Ramm, Cindi 4TH

**WB** Merten, Chris 1ST  
**WB** Hays, Linda 2ND  
**WB** Mick, Shelly 3RD  
**WB** Eiden, Karen 4TH

**WC** Markham, Rose 1ST  
**WC** Nielson, Sue Anne 2ND  
**WC** Rodberg, Carrie 3RD  
**WC** Roskoski, Carol 4TH

**W19** Probst, Angie 1ST  
**W19** Lamb, Tina 2ND

**W25** Vallie, Paula 1ST  
**W25** Whalen, Kelly 2ND  
**W25** Putnam, Cindy 3RD  
**W25** Fortman, Kim 4TH

**W25B** Benson-Eggerichs, P. 1ST  
**W25B** Reimer, Pam 2ND

**W30** Stomberg, Carol 1ST  
**W30** Kirk, Kelly 2ND

**W30** Liu, Ansula 3RD  
**W30** Peters, Jane 4TH

**W30B** Eiden, Karen 1ST  
**W30B** McCoy, Michelle 2ND  
**W30B** Dahl, Sandy 3RD  
**W30B** Harms, Patty 4TH

**W35** Shirk, Becky 1ST  
**W35** Eck, Peggy 2ND  
**W35** Stoeke, Ardis 3RD  
**W35** Theis, Anne 4TH

**W35B** Selke, Cheri 1ST  
**W35B** Wandzel, Nancy 2ND

**W40** Gross, Sandy 1ST  
**W40** Pedersen, Carol 2ND  
**W40** Kieffer, Sue 3RD  
**W40** Vacek, Lise-Lotte 4TH

**W40B** Selke, Cheri 1ST  
**W40B** Tekautz, Judy 2ND  
**W40B** Arradondo, Martha 3RD  
**W40B** Weinert, Val 4TH

**W45** Vacek, Lise-Lotte 1ST

**W50** Willerscheidt, Mary 1ST

**B08M** Rodberg, Jim 1ST  
**B08** Rodberg, Jim 1ST

**B10** Jansen, Jason 1ST  
**B10** Dehmer, Chris 2ND  
**B10** Lichty, Dan SEMI  
**B10** Rodberg, John SEMI

**B12** Heurung, Troy 1ST  
**B12** Jansen, Jason 2ND  
**B12** Siple, Joe SEMI  
**B12** Jerabek, Mike SEMI

**B14** Pearson, Brian 1ST  
**B14** Krantz, Jason 2ND  
**B14** Carey, Rob SEMI  
**B14** Voigt, Casey SEMI

**B16** Gross, Andy 1ST  
**B16** Newquist, Dan 2ND  
**B16** Anderson, Scott SEMI  
**B16** Softich, John SEMI

**B18** Knutson, Justin 1ST  
**B18** Beugen, Brett 2ND

**G08M** Cherne, Kelly 1ST

**G12** Trachsel, Jamie 1ST  
**G12** Krantz, Meadow 2ND

**G14** Trachsel, Jill 1ST  
**G14** Chastain, Aimee 2ND

**G16** Beugen, Andrea 1ST  
**G16** Anderson, Michelle 2ND

**G18** Mick, Shelly 1ST

# Sanctioned Tournament Results

## *TOURNEY: Camp Confidence*

### *Racquetball Tournament*

CLUB: Ultimate Health & Racquet Club  
 ADDRESS: 960 Highland Scenic Drive  
 Baxter, MN 56401  
 DATES: March 8-10, 1991

MOPEN	Kolar, Steve	1ST
MOPEN	Lavoi, Tim	2ND
MA	Gross, Dave	1ST
MA	Berquist, Ron (Boogs)	2ND
MA	Gardiner, Gary	SEMI
MA	Hooser, Lew	SEMI
MB	Boevers, Barry	1ST
MB	Zelah, Howard	2ND
MB	Mogenson, Pete	SEMI
MB	Smith, Tom	SEMI
MC	Twigg, Joe	1ST
MC	Blotski, Scott	2ND
MC	Skilling, Dwight	SEMI
MC	Kittleson, Tom	SEMI
M35B	Berquist, Ron (Boogs)	1ST
M35B	Twigg, Joe	2ND
M35B	Jones, Dave	SEMI
WOPEN	Whalen, Kelly	1ST
WOPEN	Putnam, Cindy	2ND
WOPEN	Liu, Ansula	3RD
WOPEN	Hill, Margaret	4TH
WA	Gross, Sadie	1ST
WA	Kieffer, Sue	2ND
WA	Ahrens, Pat	SEMI
WA	Benson-Eggerichs, P.	SEMI
WC	Smith, Sheila	1ST
WC	Sperry, Annette	2ND
MOD	Landsburg/Garding	1ST
MOD	D. Sibell/Dave Loew	2ND
MAD	T. Thelen/B. Kinzel	1ST
MAD	Gardiner/Mike Pikula	2ND
MBD	M. Prince/J. Fornshell	1ST
MBD	Tom Hall/Bob Kinzel	2ND
MBD	H. Hefti/G. McMullen	SEMI
MBD	Tom Smith/C. Jones	SEMI
WOD	M. Hill/ A. Liu	1ST
WOD	Kelly Whalen/T. Lamb	2ND
XAD	Dave & Sadie Gross	1ST
XAD	Hal Hefti/S. Mezzenga	2ND
XAD	B. Kinzel/Sue Kieffer	3RD

## *TOURNEY: 7th Annual Snowflake Pro-Am Racquetball Tournament*

CLUB: Lake Country Health & Racquet Club  
 ADDRESS: 1356 - 3rd Avenue SW  
 Forest Lake, MN 55025  
 DATES: February 15-17, 1991

MOPEN	Tompkins, Tim	1ST
MOPEN	Edstrom, Rick	2ND
MA	Nickelson, Jeff	1ST
MA	Spiczka, Larry	2ND
MA	Granberg, Aaron	SEMI
MA	Beauduy, Craig	SEMI
MB	Homsey, Sean	1ST
MB	Conrad, Tyler	2ND
MB	Oaing, Shawn	SEMI
MB	Wangerin, Rusty	SEMI
MC	Lovett, Joe	1ST
MC	Schmid, Bob	2ND
MC	Stephenson, Jon	SEMI
MC	Sommer, Dick	SEMI
M35A	Gross, Dave	1ST
M35A	Lockett, Ted	2ND
M35B	Berquist, Ron (Boogs)	1ST
M35B	Dehmer, Rodney	2ND
M35B	Calkins, Rick	SEMI
M35B	Weinert, Jim	SEMI
WOPEN	Sibell, Dana	1ST
WOPEN	Stomberg, Carol	2ND
WOPEN	Whalen, Kelly	3RD
WOPEN	Hill, Margaret	4TH
WA	Lund, Cindy	1ST
WA	Gross, Sadie	2ND
WA	Coffing, Tammy Jo	SEMI
WA	Trachsel, Jill	SEMI
WB	Harms, Patty	1ST
WB	Johnson, Winifred	2ND
WB	Anderson, Michelle	SEMI
MAD	D. Bailey/D. Riviere	1ST
MAD	C. Hanson/ Nickelson	2ND
MAD	C. Beauduy/Rick Vietz	SEMI
MAD	Jim Stone/Bredenbeck	SEMI
MBD	B. Eiden/Pete Peterson	1ST
MBD	M.Lanning/W. Ouse	2ND
MBD	Calkins/Schweitzer	SEMI
MBD	John Risse/Craig Spry	SEMI
WOD	D. Sibell/C. Kriegler	1ST
WOD	Dalager/Stomberg	2ND
WOD	K. Whalen/Zieminski	SEMI
WOD	M.Hill/A.Liu	SEMI
WAD	Jamie & Jill Trachsel	1ST
WAD	Amy Genin/C. Lund	2ND
WAD	J. Cullen/Patty Harms	SEMI
WAD	T. Coffing/Deb Varner	SEMI
XAD	M. Young/Jane Peters	1ST
XAD	Zieminski/Schrankler	2ND
XBD	Cullen/Mark Karels	1ST
XBD	P. Harms/Mel Reed	2ND

## *TOURNEY: Wilson Minnesota Racquetball Doubles Championships*

CLUB: Roseville Racquet Club  
 ADDRESS: 2400 West Country Road D  
 Roseville, MN 55112  
 DATES: February 22-24, 1991

MOD	HJohnson/Todd Stead	1ST
MOD	R. French/McCunniff	2ND
MOD	B.Stinson/B. Hartinger	3RD
MOD	Lindquist/Brandvold	4TH
MAD	B. Beeman/M. McCoy	1ST
MAD	Stilwell/Ted Wong	2ND
MAD	Greenberg/Scott Saffe	3RD
MAD	P. Storrs/Phil Gerlach	4TH
MBD	K. Voigt/Don Maruska	1ST
MBD	Jeff Spetz/Joe Hall	2ND
MBD	Jon Sand/Jim Bailey	3RD
MBD	J. Hallas/ Vandervoort	4TH
MCD	O. Kipper/Jay Jackson	1ST
MCD	Beimborn/Wollenberg	2ND
MCD	Vince Bizal/Tim Bauer	3RD
MCD	Dick Sommer/Ed Reed	4TH
M35D	L. Nielson/G. Peterson	1ST
M35D	D. Ring/Jim McCarthy	2ND
M35D	T. Daniels/Steve Kolar	3RD
M35D	K. Dutton/L. Kinney	4TH
WOD	C. Stomberg/ Dalager	1ST
WOD	M. Schutz/L. Cardwell	2ND
WOD	Kim & Kelly Whalen	3RD
WOD	M. Hill/Ansula Liu	4TH
WAD	G. Storrs/T. Naughton	1ST
WAD	M. Kiestler/Lori Davis	2ND
WAD	S. Campbell/K. Hillier	3RD
WAD	N. Bennett/T. Peterson	4TH
WBD	V. Thiesse/M. McCoy	1ST
WBD	P. Harms/M. Junker	2ND
WBD	Schulenberg/M. Perry	3RD
WBD	Laura & Cheryl Tanis	4TH
XOD	M. Hill/B. Hartinger	1ST
XOD	S. Warfield/B. Stinson	2ND
XOD	C. Gebhart/Dave Hart	3RD
XOD	C. Tilbury/R. Selleck	4TH
XAD	L. Davis/L. Spiczka	1ST
XAD	J. Halverson/C. Loisel	2ND
XAD	P. Gerlach/T. Naughton	3RD
XAD	J. Price/Brad Fisher	4TH
XBD	K. Madden/J. Aulwes	1ST
XBD	Kelly & Jim Hillier	2ND
XBD	B. Remme/G. Sturm	3RD
XBD	Kari & Fred Kunze	4TH
XCD	Vachuska/ Stansfield	1ST
XCD	Tom&Penny Janowicz	2ND

# Sanctioned Tournament Results

## *TOURNEY: 8th Annual Suburban Tourney for UCP*

CLUB: Suburban Racquetball/Swim Club  
ADDRESS: Route 4, St Cloud, MN 56301  
DATES: March 15-17, 1991

MOPEN Hayenga, Greg 1ST  
MOPEN Peterson, Gary 2ND  
MOPEN Dittrich, Mike 3RD  
MOPEN Weinert, Chris 4TH

MA Grimmer, Ray 1ST  
MA Riviere, Dave 2ND  
MA Carlson, Mike SEMI  
MA Kociemba, John SEMI

MB Schlenner, Jim 1ST  
MB Patterson, Earl 2ND  
MB Witschen, Clarence SEMI  
MB Frich, Doug SEMI

MC Krantz, Jason 1ST  
MC Woseth, Paul 2ND  
MC Loch, Harold SEMI  
MC Meyer, Lloyd SEMI

MD Nistler, Scott 1ST  
MD Johannes, Bruce 2ND  
MD Oleen, Craig SEMI  
MD Hofer, Jim SEMI

IM45 Johnson, Greg 1ST  
IM45 Hooser, Lew 2ND  
IM45 Miller, Jim SEMI

WOPEN Whalen, Kelly 1ST  
WOPEN Chastain, Darcy 2ND  
WOPEN Clark, Peggy 3RD  
WOPEN Lamb, Tina 4TH

WA Kupka, Carol 1ST  
WA Anderson, Lois 2ND  
WA Moore, Danetta SEMI  
WA Groess, Lori SEMI

WB Thomes, Diane 1ST  
WB Erger, Patti 2ND  
WB Kullas, Dianne SEMI  
WB Markham, Rose SEMI

WC Oakland, Kim 1ST  
WC Krantz, Meadow 2ND  
WC Gardner, Lucinda SEMI

JJ12 Heurung, Troy 1ST  
JJ12 Jansen, Jason 2ND  
JJ12 Konz, Tony SEMI  
JJ12 Krantz, Meadow SEMI

JJ15 Jansen, Jason 1ST  
JJ15 Krantz, Jason 2ND  
JJ15 Nistler, Scott SEMI  
JJ15 Hofer, Jon SEMI

MOD Tompkins/Hayenga 1ST  
MOD Greg Fox/Gardner 2ND  
MOD Peterson/Doug Prins SEMI  
MOD Lavoie/D. Thompson SEMI

MAD D.Bailey/Dave Riviere 1ST  
MAD J. & E. Kociemba 2ND  
MAD Carlson/Thompson SEMI  
MAD Wensman/Schluchter SEMI

MBD Markham/Jeff Jore 1ST  
MBD Patterson/Chris Grams 2ND  
MBD Wallace/Dennis Lucas SEMI  
MBD Sovell/Kendall Mino SEMI

WOD Fortman/M. Hill 1ST  
WOD L. Davis/Cindy Tilbury 2ND  
WOD Kelly Whalen/T. Lamb SEMI  
WOD P. Clark/D. Chastain SEMI

XBD Hoagland/Kullas 1ST  
XBD T & Penny Janowicz 2ND  
XBD S.Larsen/N. Kollodge SEMI  
XBD D. Lumley/KOakland SEMI

## *TOURNEY: 1991 AARA/Region II Championships*

CLUB: Arena Racquet, Swim & Health  
ADDRESS: 600 - 1st Avenue North  
Minneapolis, MN 55402  
DATES: April 5-7, 1991

MOPEN Stead, Todd 1ST  
MOPEN Stinson, Brett 2ND  
MOPEN Daugaard, Scott 3RD  
MOPEN Dittrich, Mike 4TH

MA Glynn, Tim 1ST  
MA McElhany, Michael 2ND  
MA McCoy, Mark SEMI  
MA Johnson, Michael SEMI

MB Haag, Gary 1ST  
MB Voigt, David 2ND  
MB Grabianowski, Paul SEMI  
MB Johnson, Bruce SEMI

MC Nelson, David 1ST  
MC Unterberger, James 2ND  
MC Miller, David SEMI  
MC Tanner, David SEMI

M19 Stinson, Brett 1ST  
M19 Daugaard, Scott 2ND  
M19 Golden, Tom 3RD  
M19 Brenny, Matt 4TH

M25 Johnson, Hart 1ST  
M25 Fitzgerald, Dan 2ND  
M25 Erdman, Sam 3RD  
M25 Carlson, Steve 4TH

M25B Haag, Gary 1ST  
M25B Richards, Steve 2ND  
M25B Karels, Mark SEMI  
M25B Bailey, Jim SEMI

M30 Hayenga, Greg 1ST  
M30 Dittrich, Mike 2ND  
M30 Petersen, Scott 3RD  
M30 Stahl, Greg 4TH

M35 Stallings, Troy 1ST  
M35 Page, Pat 2ND  
M35 Landgraf, Steve 3RD  
M35 Daniels, Terry 4TH

M35B Johnson, Bruce 1ST  
M35B Dunn, Mike 2ND  
M35B Joachim, Ray SEMI  
M35B Braegelmann, Charlie SEMI

M40 Upkes, Tony 1ST  
M40 Lone, Roger 2ND  
M40 Chastain, Harral 3RD  
M40 Peterson, Gary 4TH

M45 Howell, Michael 1ST  
M45 Olsen, Craig 2ND  
M45 Prokopiuk, Steve 3RD  
M45 Chastain, Harral 4TH

M45B Johnson, Ronald 1ST  
M45B Garvin, Dennis 2ND  
M45B Tinsley, John SEMI

M50 Dittrich, Les 1ST  
M50 Carpenter, Dick 2ND  
M50 Olson, Denis 3RD  
M50 Davis, Charles 4TH

M55 Friesth, Barney 1ST  
M55 Gordon, Ray 2ND  
M55 Goldetsky, Norman 3RD  
M55 Schumacher, Lyle 4TH

M60 Fallek, Max 1ST  
M60 Gordon, Ray 2ND  
M60 Englund, Bob 3RD  
M60 Friesth, Barney 4TH

M75 Ordos, Stephen 1ST

WOPEN Moore, Linda 1ST  
WOPEN Kriegler, Carol 2ND  
WOPEN Liu, Ansula 3RD  
WOPEN Hill, Margaret 4TH

WA Storrs, Gina 1ST  
WA Ramm, Cindi 2ND  
WA Heilman, Lisa SEMI  
WA Huenecke, Linda SEMI

WB Eiden, Karen 1ST  
WB McCoy, Michelle 2ND  
WB Hich, Jacqueline SEMI  
WB McDougall, Ruth SEMI

WC Beeman, Kristi 1ST  
WC Oakland, Kim 2ND  
WC Kuchar, Kim CONS

W25 Peifer, Kelli 1ST  
W25 Putnam, Cindy 2ND  
W25 Simmerer, Sheri 3RD  
W25 Kupka, Carol 4TH

W25B Thiesse, Vicki Jo 1ST  
W25B Reimer, Pam 2ND

# Sanctioned Tournament Results

W30	Moore, Linda	1ST	B10	Thompson, Dan	1ST	B18B	Garza, Jake	SEMI
W30	Liu, Ansula	2ND	B10	Jansen, Jason	2ND	BAD	J. House/Brett Beugen	1ST
W30	Straka, Terri	3RD	B10	Mettenbrink, Travis	3RD	BAD	A. Gross/S. Anderson	2ND
W30	Hill, Margaret	4TH	B10	James, Brandon	4TH	BAD	Malsam/McKibben	SEMI
W35	Chastain, Darcy	1ST	B10B	Anderson, Justin	1ST	BAD	J. Knutson/T. Peterson	SEMI
W35	Gebhart, Connie	2ND	B10B	James, Brandon	2ND	BBD	Rob Carey/B. Pearson	1ST
W35	Clark, Peggy	3RD	B12	Thompson, Dan	1ST	BBD	CAnderson/DNewquist	2ND
W35	Shirk, Becky	4TH	B12	Heurung, Troy	2ND	BBD	J.Jansen/T. Heurung	SEMI
W40	Hedden, Elaine	1ST	B12	Hahne, Chad	3RD	BBD	Wangerin/Wojciechowski	SEMI
W40	Butts, Nancy Kay	2ND	B12	Davenport, Paul	4TH	BBD	J. Rodberg/C. Hahne	QTR
W45	Butts, Nancy Kay	1ST	B14	Pearson, Brian	1ST	G12	Maginn, Colleen	1ST
W50	Butts, Nancy Kay	1ST	B14	Criger, Todd	2ND	G12	Krantz, Meadow	2ND
W50	Kovar, Annabelle	2ND	B14	Granberg, Aaron	3RD	G12	Straka, Amy	3RD
W55	Mueller, Kathleen	1ST	B14	McCabe, Justin	4TH	G12	Thompson, Katie	4TH
			B14B	Maginn, Joe	1ST	G14	Trachsel, Jill	1ST
			B14B	Thorson, Scott	2ND	G14	Gross, Sadie	2ND
			B16	Gross, Andy	1ST	G16	Beugen, Andrea	1ST
			B16	Granberg, Aaron	2ND	G16	Peterson, Dawn	2ND
			B16	Newquist, Dan	3RD	G16	Jerdec, Amy	3RD
			B16	McKibben, Troy	4TH	G16	Perrault, Vallana	4TH
			B18	Knutson, Justin	1ST	G18	Peterson, Dawn	1ST
			B18	Beugen, Brett	2ND	G18	Beugen, Andrea	2ND
			B18	House, Jason	3RD	GD	S. Gross/J. Trachsel	1ST
			B18	Marsch, Joel	4TH	GD	M. Anderson/N.Hahne	2ND
B08M	Rodberg, Jim	1ST	B18B	Behr, Allen	1ST	GD	Thompson/ Maginn	SEMI
B08M	Lunak, Joshua	2ND	B18B	Tamminen, Josh	2ND	GD	A. Straka/A. Chastain	SEMI
B08	Rodberg, Jim	1ST	B18B	Homsey, Sean	SEMI			
B08	Lunak, Joshua	2ND						

## TOURNEY: Region 11 Junior Championships

CLUB: Northgate Racquet Club  
 ADDRESS: 2901 Pennington Court NW  
 Rochester, MN 55901  
 DATES: May 10-12, 1991

# Referee Certification Update

MSRA Board member Mike Dittrich and advisor Scott Petersen volunteered to spearhead the certification effort at State Singles. In an attempt to "de-mystify" the test and to encourage people to take the test, they had tests available and corrected the tests on site, so students had a chance to find out where they went wrong. Out of the 42 who took the test, only 4 passed, demonstrating that you REALLY SHOULD READ THE RULEBOOK before you take the test. Minnesota's list of certified referees includes:

Andrea Beugen  
 Brett Beugen  
 Jonas Beugen  
 Mike Dittrich  
 Thomas Donnay  
 Terry Feldt  
 Ed Graddy  
 Skip Hambright

Greg Hayenga  
 Harold Hiles  
 Mike Hiles  
 Hart Johnson  
 Kelly Kirk  
 Ed Klinger  
 Sharon Kostohryz  
 John LaFond  
 Dick LeClerc  
 Bev Lichty  
 Dee Lichty  
 Patrick Murphy  
 Gary Peterson  
 Kim Peterson  
 Richard Pilon  
 John Reigstad  
 Cheri Selke  
 George Selke  
 Becky Shirk  
 Todd Stead  
 Cindy Tilbury  
 Jim Tomlinson

We'd like to thank everyone who participated, and we'll be trying to offer the test at all the sanctioned tournaments

starting in the fall. Our objective is to be sure people who play the game know the rules, and that referees know how to apply them consistently and fairly.

Because we need so many people to ensure the smooth running of the state tournaments, at future state tournaments, we will accept tests taken on site, and will mail your results back to you. There is a \$8 fee for referee certification: \$5 is sent to the AARA office to order your pin, and \$3 is used to defray administrative costs. You must also hold a current AARA/MSRA competitive license or membership. If anyone has a particular interest in referee certification, the MSRA Board is looking for people to help with this program.

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ment between the players. Most people are so intimidated when a disagreement occurs that they don't know what or how to say it. Here's my advice: Make your call and then be a listener! Surely there will be some discussion going on between the players on the court. After all, it is their match, not yours! If they question your call, just repeat your call. A brief explanation is all that's necessary. For example, "The shot skipped." "Good shot, side out." If the players agree to play the rally over, fine, otherwise call the score and ask them to "Play racquetball."

2)Hinders: Since there are two (or more) players on the court in competitive racquetball, hinders will occur. A referee must only identify for the players that there is a difference between an Avoidable Hinder and the Unavoidable Hinder. First, I want the players to play the game safely. If I see a player who "intentionally" crowds their opponent, stands in front of their shot, or fails to make every effort to watch out and give

their opponent a fair shot, I will call an avoidable. Again, a brief explanation is all that's necessary. For example, "You are crowding your opponent, avoidable hinder, point." "Let's play a hinder, the ball took a weird bounce."

3)Body contact: Since good positioning often determines whether a player can return the next shot, actual contact between players will occur. A referee must only identify whether a hinder should be called. Try looking at it this way: if the shot made caused the contact to occur, it should be called a hinder. But if the player's poor position caused the contact to occur, it should not be called. A brief explanation is all that's necessary. "The ball came right back next to you, hinder ball." or "You were out of position, no hinder, side out."

4) What you see is what you get! A good referee will only call what they actually see. It is nearly impossible to see a double bounce, especially when the

player is between you and the ball! A serve is good unless you "see it" short. Skip balls, although they aren't technically seen, are heard and seen to "come up" and lost momentum when they hit the front wall. Once again, a brief explanation is all that's necessary. "I did not see the ball bounce twice, so I thought it was a good get, point." or "The ball came up, skip ball, side out."

Ultimately, as a referee you can make a match between two very competitive players a pleasure for everyone. Avoid arguments by avoiding long discussions between players or referee. Call hinders with the safety and intent of the players in mind. Players who take themselves out of position only create hinders that should not be called. Only call what you actually see. Try not to assume or guess about a shot. Last, don't be afraid to say, "Great shot." "Good hustle," or "Super rally." A good referee can appreciate the skill and efforts of other players, good sportsmanship, and their will to win the game!



## COMPETITIVE LICENSE APPLICATION

- New Membership  
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Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Business Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

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1st Added Family Mbr...\$13     1st Added Family Mbr...\$23    Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Each Add'l Family Mbr...\$7     Each Add'l Family Mbr...\$12    Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

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# Upcoming Tournaments

Aug 16-18

## **Summer Sizzler**

Northeast Racquet Club  
5160 Central Avenue Northeast  
Columbia Heights, MN 55121  
(612) 572-0330  
contact: Dave Hart

Sept 13-15

## **Pete Peterson Classic III**

Northeast Racquet Club  
5160 Central Avenue Northeast  
Columbia Heights, MN 55121  
(612) 572-0330  
contact: Dave Hart

Sept 21-22

## ***PARI Instructional Clinic***

Crosstown Racquet, Swim & Health  
Club  
6233 Baker Road  
Eden Prairie, MN 55344  
Instructor, Connie Martin  
contact: Peggy Clark  
(612) 377-5779

Sept 27-29

***OPEN***

Oct 4-6

## ***Minnesota State Doubles Championships***

Highway 100 Racquet, Swim &  
Health Club  
4001 Lake Breeze Avenue  
Brooklyn Center, MN 55429  
contact: Peggy Clark (612) 377-5779

Oct 11-13

## ***ACRA: Wildcat Invitia- tional***

Northwestern Univ  
Chicago, IL  
contact: Brian Stuertz  
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