



IN THE DITCH



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DON WALL BY A NOSE IN LITTLE ROCK!

We have had some exciting tournaments since SASBA S. Central started in 2000, but none more scintillating than last weekend at Millenium Bowl in N. Little Rock, AR. Through 7 games of the finals, Phil Thompson, DeWayne Thompson, Jimmy Young, Craig Slocum and Doug Hayes had exchanged the lead. With 3 games to go, Don Wall was in 8th place...but only 124 pins out of 1st. A 248 and 258 got him to 4th for the position round. Hayes led by 8 over Slocum who was 35 in front of Young and 51 ahead of 69-yr. old Don Wall.

Hayes and Slocum couldn't double the first 5 frames while Jimmy started with the front six. Don doubled, then left a baby split and picked it up. Hayes got a double and Slocum turkeyed, then left a washout. Young left two 10-pins and Don started striking again...tripping the 4 into the 9 in the 7th. Young struck, then hung another 10 pin. Doug couldn't hit the left lane...Craig got another double. Entering the 9th and 10th, any of the four could still win. Doug left another 10-pin in the 9th, as did Young. Don

got up and calmly struck out in the 9th and 10th for 278...shutting out Young and Hayes. Craig could still beat him with two in the 10th. He pulled it high...leaving the 4-7. Doug struck out to recapture 2nd, but Don had captured his 2nd SASBA title. You had to be there to appreciate the tension and excitement. He did all his striking with a ball he had purchased from A.D. Byrd years ago. Sometimes those balls rolling around in the trunk can come in handy, huh? Maury Newman finished with a rush to grab 5th.

Thanks to Shane Gillmore and staff for being wonderful hosts.

Rick Stine nailed down the "Dog of the Week" award with a fine 133, then got a SASBA century award bouncing back with a 279. He also filled in by running the Calcutta. Thanks Rick. The Lawdog beat Zapp.

Our next tournament is a member/guest doubles in Tupelo, MS. Entry fee is \$350 per team and is limited to the first 44 paid teams. Call if you need a partner.

2005 dues are due now!

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Sweeper Winners

1. Leon Aragon
2. Phil Ballard
3. Gary Woodard

NOTE:

The Member/Guest Doubles scheduled for Bartlett has been changed to Imperial Lanes in Memphis.

**BUSINESS MEETING SATURDAY— Tupelo at 8:30 am
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February 5-6, 2005

**RebeLanes
621 Robert E. Lee Drive
Tupelo, MS 38802
ph: 662-842-1132**

**Friday Sweepers: 12:30-2:00-3:30
Finals to Follow**

**Member Guest Doubles
8 Games Qualifying
Baker Finals**

Hosted by: Kevin Hartigan

March 5-6, 2005

**Timber Lodge Lanes
267 Highway 425 North
Monticello, AR 71655
ph: 870-367-5393**

**Friday Sweepers: 12:30-2:00-3:30
Finals to follow**

Pro-am Friday at 7:00

Hosted by: Phil Thompson

HOST HOTEL

**Ramada Inn
854 N. Gloster
Tupelo, MS 38804
Ph: 662-844-4111
\$49 Single \$54 Double
Includes Hot Full Hot Breakfast
Mention SASBA**

Host Hotel

**Super 8
306 Highway 425 North
Monticello, AR 71655
Ph: 870-367-6271
\$41 single \$45 King \$48 Double**

Tournament Entry Form

ENTRY FEE— \$160 Monticello \$350 per team in Tupelo

MAIL ENTRIES TO: JIM KING, 2293 E. Common St. Apt #40, NEW BRAUNFELS, TX 78130 (PHONE 1-800-682-2198)

MEMBER _____

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FINAL STANDINGS - Millenium Bowl, Little Rock, AR

<u>BOWLER</u>	<u>HOMETOWN</u>	<u>Earnings</u>	<u>P/M</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>
1. DON WALL (SS)	TUPELO, MS	\$1,000.00	786	7	1
2. DOUG HAYES	CLARKSVILLE, TN	\$750.00	785	7	1
3. JIMMY YOUNG	PASADENA, TX	\$600.00	741	3	5
4. CRAIG SLOCUM	KANSAS CITY, MO	\$550.00	739	5	3
5. MAURY NEWMAN	HOUSTON, TX	\$500.00	729	7	1
6. PHIL THOMPSON	MONTICELLO, AR	\$450.00	728	4	4
7. DEWAYNE THOMPSON	FT. SMITH, AR	\$400.00	685	2	6
8. PHIL BALLARD	PRATTVILLE, AL	\$350.00	668	4	4
9. JIM ENSMINGER	N. RICHLAND HILLS, TX	\$300.00	593	4	4
ROGER WEST (SS)	BRENTWOOD, TN	\$275.00	563	5	3
11. RON BLOODWORTH (SS)	YUKON, OK	\$260.00	543	5	3
12. GARY WOODARD (SS)	FT. POLK, LA	\$245.00	488	3	5
13. LEON ARAGON (SS)	EULESS, TX	\$230.00	405	2	6
14. VICTOR NORTON	OKLAHOMA CITY, OK	\$220.00	382	2	6
15. DARRELL MILLER	BOWLING GREEN , KY	\$210.00	368	3	5
16. JIM LEE	ROGERSVILLE, TN	\$200.00	261	1	7
<u>OTHER CASHERS</u>					
17 BERNIE CARLISLE (SS)	EVANSVILLE, IN	\$180.00	218		
<u>HIGH SUPER SENIORS NON-CASH)</u>					
LEO MARKWARDT	PALESTINE, TX	\$160.00	214		
RONNIE DIAMOND	FT. WORTH, TX	\$160.00	213		
FRED BARNES	HOUSTON, TX	\$160.00	208		
DON HOLLAND	FT. WORTH, TX	\$160.00	208		
<u>HIGH SUNDAY BLOCK (NON-CASH)</u>					
JACK VAN ARSDALL	HOT SPRINGS VILLAGE, AR	120	962		
MARSHALL MEDLIN	DALLAS, TX	100	921		

2005 EBONITE/SASBA SENIOR TOUR
Millenium Bowl - Little Rock, AR
Jan 15-16, 2005

Final Qualifying Standings

1. PHIL THOMPSON	462	28. MARSHALL MEDLIN (SS)	150
2. JIMMY YOUNG	459	29. BOB PRATT	149
3. DEWAYNE THOMPSON	404	30. ROY SEAGRAVES (SS)	148
4. JIM ENSMINGER	379	31. DAVE ZAPPITELLI	142
5. VICTOR NORTON	374	32. MARK HUCKELBERRY	141
6. CRAIG SLOCUM	364	33. SAM MONTGOMERY	134
7. GARY WOODARD	300	34. CHARLIE HUFFORD (SS)	126
8. MAURY NEWMAN	290	35. DEAN BIRMINGHAM (SS)	125
9. ROGER WEST (SS)	280	36. PAT BROWNFIELD	125
10. RON BLOODWORTH (SS)	278	37. RICK RAMSEY	123
11. PHIL BALLARD	275	38. JOHN MONTGOMERY (SS)	109
12. DON WALL (SS)	266	39. MIKE BALAZIC	108
13. DOUG HAYES	264	40. DOC WILLIAMS (SS)	104
14. DARRELL MILLER	255	41. BEN EDWARDS (SS)	100
15. LEON ARAGON (SS)	225	42. GORDON STUNTZ	96
16. JIM LEE	223	43. TIM YOUNG (SS)	60
17. BERNIE CARLISLE (SS)	218	44. SAM HOWELL	30
18. LEO MARKWARDT (SS)	214	45. WILLIAM STEFKA (SS)	12
19. RONNIE DIAMOND (SS)	213	46. STEVE THOMPSON (SS)	8
20. RALPH PRIDMORE	209	47. ROGER HORNSBY (SS)	-14
21. FRED BARNES (SS)	208	48 M.J. JANEK	-49
22. DON HOLLAND (SS)	208	49. ED KILCULLEN (SS)	-78
23. RICK STINE (SS)	200	50. JESSIE BURNETTE	-101
24. JIM KRUSE	190	51. CHARLES FOSDYCK	-114
25. JACK VAN ARSDALL	180	52. KEN MELTON (SS)	-143
26. RALPH SIEBE	156		
27. HORACE CHILDRESS	153		