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STRICKLAND SWEEPS OHIO OPEN



D A Y T O N - Earl Strickland, seemingly unaware of the tight pocketed Gold Grows, posted a 7-0 record at the Ohio State Open and collected \$6,000 for his efforts. In races to 11, Earl defeated Clarence Bell (6), DiLiberto (5), Schumacher (2), Howard (5), Gulyassy (8), Williams (7), and Hall (8).

OHIO STATE OPEN

DAYTON, OHIO

MARCH 20-24, 1985

FINAL STANDINGS

#	NAME	AVG.	PRIZE	#	NAME	AVG.
1.	Earl Strickland	(.883)	\$6,000		Mark Buchko	(.739)
2.	Buddy Hall	(.856)	3,000		Larry York	(.721)
3.	Bob Williams	(.838)	2,000			
4.	Jimmy Hodges	(.818)	1,500	33rd-48th		
5th-6th					Andy Stanley	(.786)
	Wade Crane	(.832)	1,000		Gary Lutman	(.773)
	Mike Gulyassy	(.823)	1,000		Ray Martin	(.769)
7th-8th					Ken McCoy	(.764)
	Rick Garrison	(.779)	750		Howard Vickery	(.760)
	Mike Massey	(.776)	750		Larry Garacitano	(.756)
9th-12th					Dave Favor	(.745)
	David Howard	(.855)	450		Tony Mougey	(.742)
	Mike Sigel	(.851)	450		Mike Grooms	(.736)
	Jay Swanson	(.830)	450		Dennis Jackson	(.728)
	Toby Sweet	(.794)	450		Greg Plessinger	(.714)
13th-16th					Eddy Burton	(.714)
	Kim Davenport	(.835)	300		Phil Fasciano	(.705)
	Bob Johnson	(.777)	300		Rick Dumser	(.700)
	Clarence Bell	(.761)	300		Randy Walker	(.658)
	Tony Coleman	(.756)	300		Al Tennyson	(.616)
17th-24th				49th-64th		
	Dave Bollman	(.845)	250		Joey Spaeth	(.725)
	Danny DiLiberto	(.818)	250		Steve Edwards	(.715)
	Gary Spaeth	(.789)	250		Eddie Carver	(.706)
	Paul Campbell	(.779)	250		Larry Long	(.703)
	Don Steele	(.751)	250		Louie Roberts	(.699)
	Wally Schmidt	(.739)	250		Lynn Pendergraft	(.689)
	Mike Blackwell	(.728)	250		Paul Baker	(.677)
	Pat Schumacher	(.716)	250		Wolfgang Smailus	(.674)
25th-32nd					Bob Opsahl	(.660)
	Jim Mataya	(.814)			Leon'd Bludworth	(.645)
	Mark Maryo	(.812)			Dr. GV Bergeson	(.619)
	Grady Mathews	(.798)			Clifton Babcock	(.618)
	Bob Hunter	(.789)			Martin Remlinger	(.612)
	Romero Flores	(.768)			Mike Arrowood	(.602)
	Rich Geiler	(.741)			Henry Moody	(.554)
					Frank Potter	(.477)

ACCU-FACT

There were 12 "wire" matches and 3 shutouts.

Strickland made the most balls on one break (five including the 9-ball).

Buddy Hall ran the most complete racks from the break in succession (four). He also ran the most balls (37).

"THE PEARL" WINS HIS FIRST OF '85

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The field as expected was filled with champions. It is usually difficult to fill the field at a major tournament, but the Ohio State Open cut off at 64 and had a waiting list. Joe Burns added \$5,000 to the purse and enlisted Joe Kerr as tournament director. An Accu-Stats' crew of ten "sweat the matches" and gathered statistics for five days.

The tournament room contained six Gold Crowns with bleachers on three sides of the room. The playing conditions were excellent but the Gold Crowns were unforgiving. Apparently, no one told Earl Strickland. He played with the style and grace that makes a veteran stare in awe. It seemed that he was neither afraid of anyone nor any situation. He outclassed the entire field, played with the most confidence, and it soon became apparent that any loss by Earl would be considered a major upset. Earl eventually won the tournament undefeated.

As with all tourneys, there were upsets, wire matches, and shutouts. There were new names in the money and some improved players who almost won their first major. Let's look at some notable matches:

The biggest upset of the tournament was Larry York over Kim Davenport. In the race to 11, Kim was leading 10-5 only to lose 10-11.

A come-from-behind match was Bobby Johnson losing 6-10 to Ken McCoy and then won five straight to win the set. McCoy missed an easy shot at 10-10 to lose it.

Rick Garrison surprised a few veterans by defeating Vickery, Hall, and Sigel!

Buddy Hall scored the highest Total Performance Average of .973 against Dr. G.R. Bergeson.

At 10-10 Pat Schumacher made the 9-ball on the break against Bob Hunter.

The longest rack was between Jimmy Hodges and Bobby Johnson. An assortment of safeties and kicks kept this rack going for 19 turns at the table before Hodges won.

One of the longest racks was between Toby Sweet and Wally Schmidt. After nine turns by Schmidt and eight by Sweet, Sweet won via the three scratch rule. Only two balls were pocketed during the entire rack!

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SCORES & ACCU-STATS AVERAGES

#	Name	Score	Avg.	#	Name	Score	Avg.	#	Name	Score	Avg.
1)	G. Mathews	11	(.838)	21)	M. Sigel	11	(.881)	41)	C. Bell	11	(.677)
	L. Bludworth	4	(.636)		L. Long	6	(.638)		J. Spaeth	9	(.688)
2)	B. Johnson	11	(.788)	22)	J. Swanson	11	(.909)	42)	G. Plessinger	11	(.741)
	K. McCoy	10	(.783)		L. Garacitano	2	(.676)		L. Roberts	5	(.648)
3)	R. Martin	11	(.849)	23)	D. Howard	11	(.867)	43)	M. Garacitano	11	(.783)
	T. Mougey	8	(.760)		M. Buchko	6	(.733)		L. Long	6	(.747)
4)	J. Hodges	11	(.794)	24)	J. Mataya	11	(.876)	44)	M. Buchko	11	(.779)
	W. Smailus	5	(.714)		F. Potter	0	(.375)		F. Potter	4	(.516)
5)	D. Steele	11	(.805)	25)	D. Bollman	11	(.863)	45)	P. Fasciano	11	(.686)
	M. Remlinger	3	(.597)		E. Carver	3	(.650)		E. Carver	10	(.742)
6)	M. Maryo	11	(.848)	26)	R. Geiler	11	(.769)	46)	R. Dumser	11	(.707)
	D. Jackson	4	(.644)		P. Fasciano	8	(.713)		B. Opsahl	10	(.682)
7)	B. Williams	11	(.775)	27)	M. Gulyassy	11	(.819)	47)	K. Davenport	11	(.901)
	G. Lutman	8	(.770)		R. Dumser	6	(.656)		H. Moody	1	(.462)
8)	G. Spaeth	11	(.832)	28)	P. Campbell	11	(.810)	48)	R. Walker	11	(.811)
	L. Pendergraft	5	(.644)		B. Opsahl	1	(.600)		S. Edwards	6	(.756)
9)	M. Grooms	11	(.788)	29)	L. York	11	(.792)	49)	B. Johnson	11	(.838)
	E. Burton	9	(.729)		K. Davenport	10	(.841)		G. Mathews	4	(.739)
10)	T. Coleman	11	(.773)	30)	M. Blackwell	11	(.838)	50)	J. Hodges	11	(.802)
	P. Baker	9	(.702)		H. Moody	3	(.604)		R. Martin	7	(.768)
11)	R. Garrison	11	(.753)	31)	M. Massey	11	(.756)	51)	D. Steele	11	(.802)
	H. Vickery	6	(.663)		S. Edwards	9	(.682)		M. Maryo	7	(.747)
12)	B. Hall	11	(.973)	32)	T. Sweet	11	(.800)	52)	B. Williams	11	(.897)
	GV Bergeson	1	(.629)		R. Walker	4	(.569)		G. Spaeth	5	(.780)
13)	R. Flores	11	(.802)	33)	K. McCoy	11	(.824)	53)	T. Coleman	11	(.818)
	M. Arrowood	2	(.542)		L. Bludworth	5	(.653)		M. Grooms	5	(.776)
14)	W. Crane	11	(.894)	34)	T. Mougey	11	(.833)	54)	R. Garrison	11	(.800)
	A. Stanley	5	(.788)		W. Smailus	4	(.618)		B. Hall	9	(.824)
15)	W. Schmidt	11	(.724)	35)	D. Jackson	11	(.821)	55)	W. Crane	11	(.817)
	D. Favor	6	(.722)		M. Remlinger	2	(.629)		R. Flores	8	(.737)
16)	A. Tennyson	11	(.641)	36)	G. Lutman	11	(.829)	56)	W. Schmidt	11	(.771)
	C. Babcock	7	(.581)		L. Pendergraft	5	(.716)		A. Tennyson	6	(.663)
17)	E. Strickland	11	(.908)	37)	E. Burton	11	(.822)	57)	E. Strickland	11	(.890)
	C. Bell	6	(.804)		P. Baker	2	(.633)		D. DiLiberto	5	(.750)
18)	D. DiLiberto	11	(.853)	38)	H. Vickery	11	(.865)	58)	P. Schumacher	11	(.727)
	J. Spaeth	6	(.774)		GV Bergeson	4	(.613)		B. Hunter	10	(.764)
19)	P. Schumacher	11	(.733)	39)	A. Stanley	11	(.795)	59)	J. Swanson	11	(.845)
	G. Plessinger	8	(.667)		M. Arrowood	6	(.656)		M. Sigel	9	(.810)
20)	B. Hunter	11	(.882)	40)	D. Favor	11	(.712)	60)	D. Howard	11	(.847)
	L. Roberts	5	(.788)		C. Babcock	10	(.660)		J. Mataya	6	(.825)

SCORES & AVERAGES

Ohio

#	Name	Score	Avg.	#	Name	Score	Avg.	#	Name	Score	Avg.
61)	D. Bollman	11	(.867)	83)	M. Sigel	11	(.870)	105)	T. Sweet	11	(.810)
	R. Geiler	10	(.831)		J. Mataya	2	(.667)		T. Coleman	6	(.635)
62)	M. Gulyassy	11	(.920)	84)	D. DiLiberto	11	(.824)	106)	M. Sigel	11	(.867)
	P. Campbell	4	(.746)		B. Hunter	9	(.676)		B. Johnson	5	(.790)
63)	M. Blackwell	11	(.767)	85)	C. Bell	11	(.849)	107)	B. Hall	11	(.889)
	L. York	6	(.640)		R. Flores	6	(.679)		C. Bell	2	(.615)
64)	M. Massey	11	(.800)	86)	B. Hall	11	(.816)	108)	J. Swanson	11	(.820)
	T. Sweet	9	(.759)		M. Buchko	6	(.736)		K. Davenport	8	(.791)
65)	T. Sweet	11	(.808)	87)	G. Spaeth	11	(.728)	109)	B. Williams	11	(.808)
	K. McCoy	7	(.685)		M. Maryo	10	(.769)		J. Hodges	8	(.796)
66)	L. York	11	(.721)	88)	K. Davenport	11	(.854)	110)	W. Crane	11	(.788)
	T. Mougey	7	(.621)		G. Mathews	5	(.738)		R. Garrison	10	(.786)
67)	P. Campbell	11	(.764)	89)	J. Hodges	11	(.776)	111)	E. Strickland	11	(.965)
	D. Jackson	5	(.685)		B. Johnson	8	(.696)		D. Howard	5	(.860)
68)	R. Geiler	11	(.674)	90)	B. Williams	11	(.898)	112)	M. Gulyassy	11	(.789)
	G. Lutman	8	(.724)		D. Steele	0	(.393)		M. Massey	6	(.730)
69)	J. Mataya	11	(.808)	91)	R. Garrison	11	(.851)	113)	J. Hodges	11	(.893)
	E. Burton	3	(.529)		T. Coleman	9	(.768)		T. Sweet	1	(.610)
70)	M. Sigel	11	(.865)	92)	W. Crane	11	(.919)	114)	R. Garrison	11	(.826)
	H. Vickery	3	(.711)		W. Schmidt	2	(.683)		M. Sigel	10	(.832)
71)	B. Hunter	11	(.861)	93)	E. Strickland	11	(.828)	115)	B. Hall	11	(.929)
	A. Stanley	6	(.767)		P. Schumacher	2	(.556)		D. Howard	0	(.667)
72)	D. DiLiberto	11	(.855)	94)	D. Howard	11	(.887)	116)	M. Massey	11	(.817)
	D. Favor	7	(.838)		J. Swanson	8	(.803)		J. Swanson	8	(.765)
73)	C. Bell	11	(.779)	95)	M. Gulyassy	11	(.854)	117)	J. Hodges	11	(.868)
	A. Tennyson	1	(.508)		D. Bollman	7	(.761)		R. Garrison	2	(.579)
74)	R. Flores	11	(.811)	96)	M. Massey	11	(.767)	118)	B. Hall	11	(.826)
	G. Plessinger	8	(.747)		M. Blackwell	4	(.613)		M. Massey	7	(.797)
75)	B. Hall	11	(.817)	97)	T. Sweet	11	(.816)	119)	B. Williams	11	(.848)
	L. Garacitano	8	(.762)		W. Schmidt	7	(.741)		W. Crane	7	(.778)
76)	M. Buchko	11	(.704)	98)	T. Coleman	11	(.746)	120)	E. Strickland	11	(.850)
	M. Grooms	8	(.661)		P. Campbell	10	(.746)		M. Gulyassy	8	(.753)
77)	G. Spaeth	11	(.817)	99)	M. Sigel	11	(.837)	121)	J. Hodges	11	(.835)
	P. Fasciano	6	(.727)		D. Steele	9	(.753)		W. Crane	8	(.805)
78)	M. Maryo	11	(.874)	100)	B. Johnson	11	(.783)	122)	B. Hall	11	(.837)
	R. Dumser	6	(.733)		D. DiLiberto	9	(.777)		M. Gulyassy	6	(.791)
79)	K. Davenport	11	(.775)	101)	C. Bell	11	(.782)	123)	B. Hall	11	(.869)
	R. Martin	8	(.673)		M. Blackwell	5	(.600)		J. Hodges	5	(.800)
80)	G. Mathews	11	(.822)	102)	B. Hall	11	(.850)	124)	E. Strickland	11	(.925)
	R. Walker	3	(.543)		D. Bollman	8	(.871)		B. Williams	7	(.846)
81)	T. Sweet	11	(.851)	103)	J. Swanson	11	(.835)	125)	B. Hall	11	(.907)
	L. York	4	(.729)		G. Spaeth	10	(.798)		B. Williams	7	(.810)
82)	P. Campbell	11	(.825)	104)	K. Davenport	11	(.865)	126)	E. Strickland	11	(.832)
	R. Geiler	7	(.671)		P. Schumacher	6	(.747)		B. Hall	8	(.787)

TOTAL PERFORMANCE AVERAGE

OHIO OPEN RANKING

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If you reviewed any of the scores on the previous pages, you probably noticed a number in parentheses to the right of each score. It was called the Accu-Stats Average. It is actually another name for Total Performance Average. Those numbers reflect the player's ability for a single session. What follows are the overall tournament averages for each contestant.

1. EARL STRICKLAND .883	22. BOB JOHNSON .777	43. PAT SCHUMACHER .716
2. BUDDY HALL .856	23. MIKE MASSEY .776	44. STEVE EDWARDS .715
3. DAVID HOWARD .855	24. GARY LUTMAN .773	45. GREG PLESSINGER .714
4. MIKE SIGEL .851	25. RAY MARTIN .769	46. EDDY BURTON .714
5. DAVE BOLLMAN .845	26. ROMERO FLORES .768	47. EDDIE CARVER .706
6. BOB WILLIAMS .838	27. KEN MCCOY .764	48. PHIL FASCIANO .705
7. KIM DAVENPORT .835	28. CLARENCE BELL .761	49. LARRY LONG .703
8. WADE CRANE .832	29. HOWARD VICKERY .760	50. RICK DUMSER .700
9. JAY SWANSON .830	30. LARRY GARACITANO .756	51. LOUIE ROBERTS .699
10. MIKE GULYASSY .823	31. TONY COLEMAN .756	52. LYNN PENDERGRAFT .689
11. DANNY DILIBERTO .818	32. DON STEELE .751	53. PAUL BAKER .677
12. JIMMY HODGES .818	33. DAVE FAVOR .745	54. WOLFGANG SMAILUS .674
13. JIM MATAYA .814	34. TONY MOUGEY .742	55. BOB OPSAHL .660
14. MARK MARYO .812	35. RICH GEILER .741	56. RANDY WALKER .658
15. GRADY MATHEWS .798	36. WALLY SCHMIDT .739	57. LEON'D BLUDWORTH .645
16. TOBY SWEET .794	37. MARK BUCHKO .739	58. GR BERGESON .619
17. BOB HUNTER .789	38. MIKE GROOMS .736	59. CLIFTON BABCOCK .618
18. GARY SPAETH .789	39. DENNIS JACKSON .728	60. AL TENNYSON .616
19. ANDY STANLEY .786	40. MIKE BLACKWELL .728	61. MARTIN REMLINGER .612
20. PAUL CAMPBELL .779	41. JOEY SPAETH .725	62. MIKE ARROWOOD .602
21. RICK GARRISON .779	42. LARRY YORK .721	63. HENRY MOODY .554
		64. FRANK POTTER .477

How is the TPA calculated?

The TPA formula is total balls pocketed divided by (total balls pocketed plus errors). After scoring a match the total of misses, scratches on the break, bad kicks, bad safeties, and bad position are added to the total balls pocketed. This figure divides into the total balls pocketed. For instance, a player pockets 60 balls and makes 15 errors. Divide 75 into 60 to compute the average of .800.

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FLOW C

Below is a 64 player double elimination flow chart. Due to space limitations a slightly different technique was used to fit the entire chart. The bold center line separates the winner's bracket from the loser's bracket. The names bordering the center line are



Earl Strickland
1st



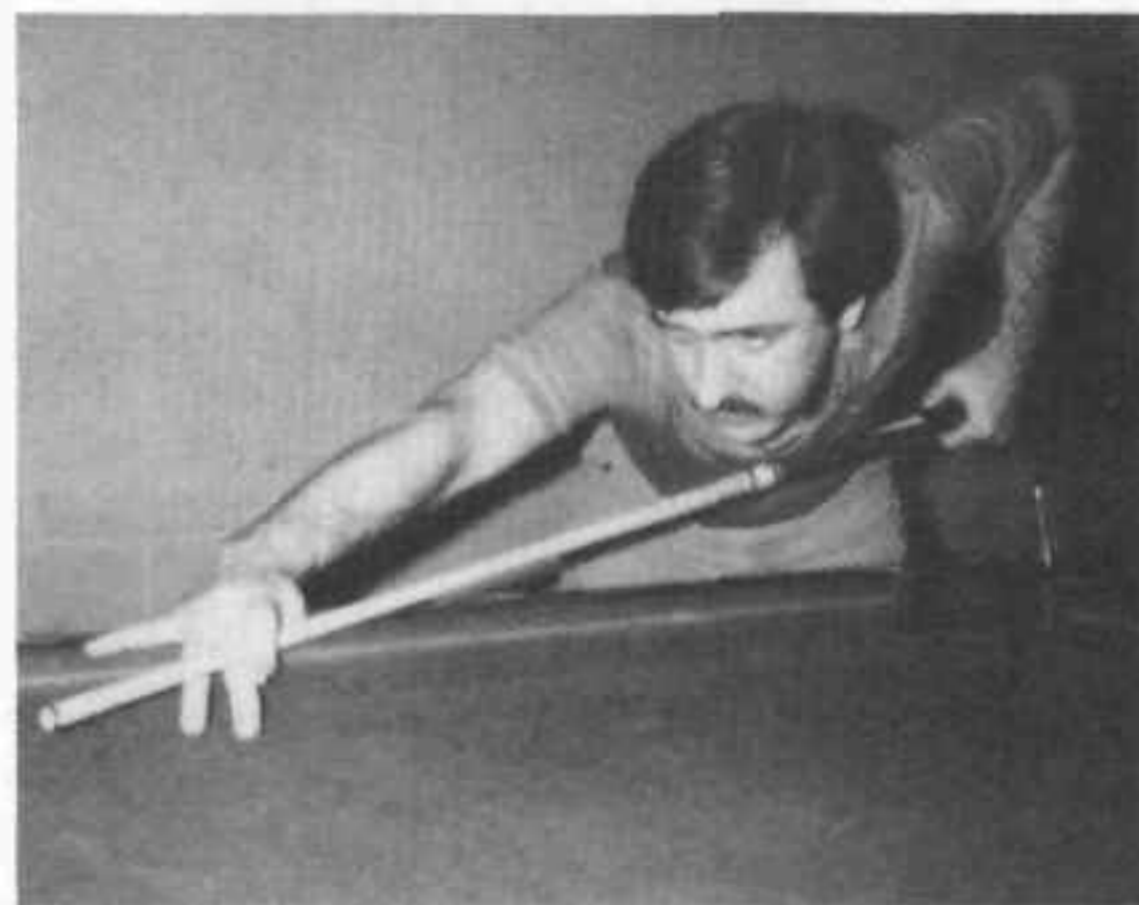
Buddy Hall
2nd

V CHART

the results of the first round of play. For example, Mathews defeated Bludworth. This technique reduced the standard chart's height in half while still displaying the results of the first round.



Bob Williams
3rd



Jimmy Hodges
4th

PERFORMANCE BESTS

Ohio

"Performance Bests" credits players for achievements in many statistical categories. Too often a player's performance is overlooked by not finishing "in the money". As you will see, there are many "stars" that are proficient in a variety of skills.

TOTAL PERFORMANCE

Earl Strickland was in a class by himself as he won the TPA category by 27 points. After 118 games, Earl finished with a tournament average of .883.

BREAK PERFORMANCE

Larry Garacitano made a ball on the break without scratching 14 of 20 times for a BPA of .700

SAFETY PERFORMANCE

Jim Mataya's opponents failed to pocket a ball after 20 of his 21 safeties giving Mataya a SPA of .952.

LEAST MISSES

Strickland missed only 5.9 shots for every 100 balls pocketed.

LEAST POSITION ERRORS

David Howard pocketed 318 balls while position play forced him to leave the table only 11 times.

RUN OUT OPPORTUNITIES

Earl Strickland had 113 opportunities to run out and successfully did just that 76 times for 67.3%.

RUN OUTS AFTER GOOD BREAK

David Howard made a ball on the break 21 times, and then ran out 12 times for 57.1%.

9-BALL ON THE BREAK

Mike Gulyassy made the 9-ball on the break 5 times of his 55 breaks for 9.1%. (The average was 3.5%.)

LEAST SCRATCHES ON BREAK

Danny DiLiberto never scratched on any of his 47 break shots.

KICK PERFORMANCE

Mike Grooms successfully kicked 19 of 19 attempts.

RUN OUTS FROM BREAK

David Howard ran out 32.4% of the time from the break.

DAVID HOWARD

"The Giant Killer"

Possessor of the most powerful 9-Ball break on the Pro tour, David Howard is always considered a threat to win any tournament he enters. In 1982 he won 6 tournaments, including his U.S. Open 9-Ball title. He is from Jacksonville, FL and is a member of the Meucci Advisory Staff.



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PERFORMANCE RANKINGS

TOTAL PERFORMANCE

The Total Performance Average is computed as follows: Divide total balls made by (total balls made plus errors). See page 15 for the five possible errors.

#	NAME	GAMES	BALLS		TPA
			MADE	ERRORS	
1.	Earl Strickland	118	598	79	.883
2.	Buddy Hall	199	1008	169	.856
3.	David Howard	80	318	54	.855
4.	Mike Sigel	121	532	93	.851
5.	Dave Bollman	72	295	54	.845
6.	Bob Williams	119	519	100	.838
7.	Kim Davenport	104	487	96	.835
8.	Wade Crane	106	464	94	.832
9.	Jay Swanson	111	468	96	.830
10.	Mike Gulyassy	103	442	95	.823

BREAK PERFORMANCE

(MINIMUM BREAKS = 20)

#	NAME	GAMES	BREAK BALL MADE		BPA
			SHOTS	W/O SCR.	
1.	Larry Garacitano	49	20	14	.700
2.	Mike Grooms	55	24	15	.625
3.	Tony Coleman	94	50	31	.620
4.	Buddy Hall	199	120	74	.617
5.	Mike Gulyassy	103	55	33	.600
6.	Bob Hunter	74	40	24	.600
7.	Jim Mataya	55	30	18	.600
8.	Romero Flores	68	37	22	.595
9.	Rick Dumser	55	24	14	.583
10.	Mark Maryo	71	38	22	.579

MISSES

(PER 100 BALLS POCKETED)

A miss occurs when a player's primary concern is to pocket a ball but fails to do so.

#	NAME	BALLS MADE	SHOTS MISSED	AVG
1.	Earl Strickland	598	35	5.9
2.	Kim Davenport	487	35	7.2
3.	Mike Sigel	532	39	7.3
4.	Buddy Hall	1008	74	7.3
5.	Dave Bollman	295	25	8.5
6.	Bob Williams	519	44	8.5
7.	David Howard	318	28	8.8
8.	Jay Swanson	468	45	9.6
9.	Wade Crane	464	45	9.7
10.	Mike Gulyassy	442	45	10.2

KICK PERFORMANCE

(MINIMUM KICKS = 15)

A kick is a shot in which a player attempts to hit a ball that cannot be "seen" and requires either a rail first, masse' or jump shot to complete.

#	NAME	GAMES	KICKS	GOOD	KPA
1.	Mike Grooms	55	19	19	1.000
2.	Mike Sigel	121	29	28	.966
3.	Joey Spaeth	37	16	15	.938
4.	Earl Strickland	118	31	29	.935
5.	Ken McCoy	55	15	14	.933
6.	Dave Bollman	72	15	14	.933
7.	Clarence Bell	95	36	33	.917
8.	Danny DiLiberto	91	24	22	.917
9.	Bob Williams	119	35	32	.914
10.	Mike Blackwell	62	19	17	.895

RUN OUT OPPORTUNITIES

#	NAME	OPPOR-TUNITIES	RUN OUTS	PCT.
1.	Earl Strickland	113	76	67.3
2.	Mike Sigel	109	69	63.3
3.	Buddy Hall	201	123	61.2
4.	Bob Williams	108	66	61.1
5.	Jay Swanson	98	57	58.2
6.	Wade Crane	98	57	58.2
7.	Jimmy Hodges	129	75	58.1
8.	David Howard	61	35	57.4
9.	Kim Davenport	108	61	56.5
10.	Mike Gulyassy	94	53	56.4

POSITION ERRORS

(PER 100 BALLS POCKETED)

A position error occurs when inadequate position causes a player to leave the table.

#	NAME	BALLS MADE	POSITION ERRORS	AVG
1.	David Howard	318	11	3.5
2.	Earl Strickland	598	27	4.5
3.	Wade Crane	464	24	5.2
4.	Buddy Hall	1008	55	5.5
5.	Bob Williams	519	29	5.6
6.	Mike Sigel	532	30	5.6
7.	Dave Bollman	295	17	5.8
8.	Jay Swanson	468	27	5.8
9.	Kim Davenport	487	29	6.0
10.	Mark Maryo	328	20	6.1

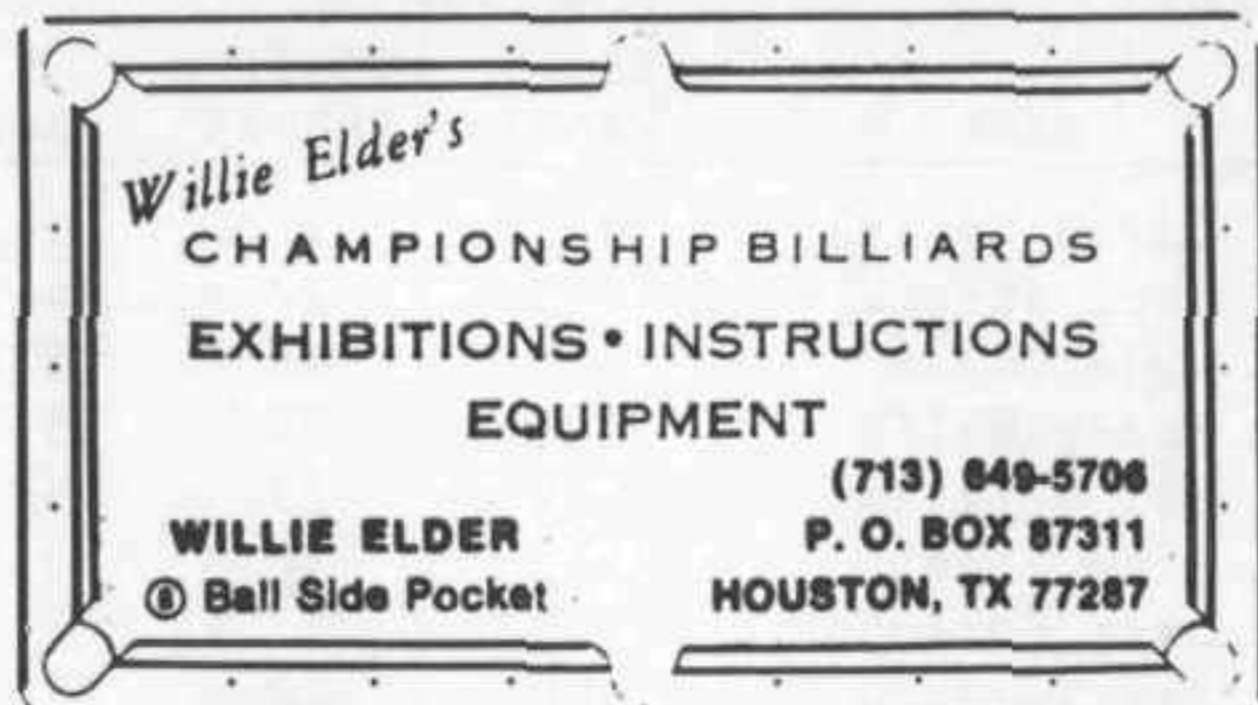
YEAR TO DATE SESSIONS WON~LOST

(MINIMUM SESSIONS = 5)

#	NAME	WON	LOST	PCT	#	NAME	WON	LOST	PCT
1.	Morales, Caesar	7	- 0	1.000	25.	Aporff, Harry	3	- 2	.600
2.	Strickland, Earl	16	- 2	.889	26.	Brinson, Charlie	3	- 2	.600
3.	Hall, Buddy	17	- 4	.810	27.	Campbell, Paul	3	- 2	.600
4.	Davenport, Kim	12	- 4	.750	28.	Coleman, Tony	3	- 2	.600
5.	Williams, Bob	12	- 4	.750	29.	Dennis, Buddy	3	- 2	.600
6.	Hodges, Jimmy	6	- 2	.750	30.	Harris, Jr.	3	- 2	.600
7.	Rhodes, Dave	6	- 2	.750	31.	Hensen, David	3	- 2	.600
8.	Crane, Wade	11	- 4	.733	32.	Hill, Larry	3	- 2	.600
9.	Gulyassy, Mike	10	- 4	.714	33.	Hubbart, Larry	3	- 2	.600
10.	Medina, Danny	5	- 2	.714	34.	Johnson, Bob	3	- 2	.600
11.	Reid, Jimmy	5	- 2	.714	35.	King, Wilson	3	- 2	.600
12.	Sweet, Toby	5	- 2	.714	36.	LaBlanc, Robert	3	- 2	.600
13.	Weaver, Dick	5	- 2	.714	37.	Lane, Dick	3	- 2	.600
14.	Sigel, Mike	9	- 4	.692	38.	Nelson, Larry	3	- 2	.600
15.	Bell, Clarence	4	- 2	.667	39.	Sell, Blaine	3	- 2	.600
16.	Chapman, Coyt	4	- 2	.667	40.	Spaeth, Gary	3	- 2	.600
17.	Garrison, Rick	4	- 2	.667	41.	Varner, Dick	3	- 2	.600
18.	Lemke, Louie	4	- 2	.667	42.	Flores, Romero	5	- 4	.556
19.	Rempe, Jim	4	- 2	.667	43.	Mathews, Grady	5	- 4	.556
20.	Massey, Mike	7	- 4	.636	44.	Swanson, Jay	5	- 4	.556
21.	DiLiberto, Danny	6	- 4	.600	45.	Bollman, Dave	3	- 4	.429
22.	Howard, David	6	- 4	.600	46.	Mataya, Jim	3	- 4	.429
23.	Hunter, Bob	6	- 4	.600	47.	Fasciano, Phil	2	- 4	.333
24.	Martin, Ray	6	- 4	.600	48.	Vickery, Howard	2	- 4	.333

SESSIONS DECIDED BY ONE GAME

Name	Won	Lost	Pct.	Name	Won	Lost	Pct.
Rhodes, David	4	0	1.000	Garrison, Rick	1	1	.500
Aporff, Harry	2	0	1.000	Reid, Jim	1	1	.500
Weaver, Dick	2	0	1.000	Spaeth, Gary	1	1	.500
Davenport, Kim	2	1	.667	Swanson, Jay	1	1	.500
Strickland, Earl	2	1	.667	Bollman, Dave	1	2	.333
Flores, Romero	1	1	.500	King, Jimmy	0	2	.000



IT'S TRUE

The pressure was so intense during the Buddy Hall - Mike Sigel match that after Buddy pushed out giving Mike the option of taking the shot or forcing Buddy to shoot again, Mike asked, "What if I don't want the option?"

SECRET - Buddy Hall is switching to Joss Cues (East, that is.)

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With the score 8-4, Earl Strickland was still shooting 1.000 against David Howard. He then missed an easy shot and eventually won 10-5 with a .965 TPA.

Buddy Hall beat David Howard 11-0 in thirty-five minutes while running four racks and shooting a .929 TPA.

Mike Gulyassy takes a 5-0 lead against Strickland. Strickland wins the next nine racks and wins the set 11-8.

WHAT'S NEXT?

The next Accu-Stats issue will feature the 4th Annual Clyde Childress 9-Ball Tournament. Monroe Brock hosted the \$10,000 added event at the Mavarick Club in Richmond, Kentucky. This tournament was only two weeks behind the Ohio State Open. You will receive that issue two weeks after this one.

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YEAR TO DATE PERFORMANCE RANKINGS

(MINIMUM GAMES = 50)

TOTAL PERFORMANCE

#	NAME	GAMES	BALLS		TPA
			MADE	ERRORS	
1.	Caesar Morales	98	492	57	.896
2.	Earl Strickland	294	1401	200	.875
3.	Buddy Hall	347	1667	264	.863
4.	Mike Sigel	208	956	154	.861
5.	Wade Crane	256	1157	192	.858
6.	Jimmy Reid	113	451	79	.851
7.	Bob Williams	251	1151	203	.850
8.	Dick Lane	79	328	59	.848
9.	Kim Davenport	255	1082	197	.846
10.	Mike Gulyassy	233	1050	192	.845

KICK PERFORMANCE

#	NAME	GAMES	KICKS	GOOD	KPA
1.	Mike Grooms	55	19	19	1.000
2.	Sammy Jones	66	9	9	1.000
3.	Jim Rempe	93	26	25	.962
4.	Caesar Morales	98	26	25	.962
5.	Mike Sigel	208	51	48	.941
6.	Ken McCoy	55	15	14	.933
7.	Calrence Bell	95	36	33	.917
8.	Scott LeClair	51	12	11	.917
9.	Larry Hubbart	82	22	20	.909
10.	Ray Martin	168	63	57	.905

BREAK PERFORMANCE

#	NAME	GAMES	BREAK BALL MADE		
			SHOTS	W/O SCR.	BPA
1.	Tom Brown	72	38	27	.711
2.	Paul Brienza	60	35	23	.657
3.	David Hensen	72	37	24	.649
4.	David Howard	150	77	49	.636
5.	Mike Grooms	55	24	15	.625
6.	Tony Coleman	94	50	31	.620
7.	Charlie Jones	58	30	18	.600
8.	Rick Dumser	55	24	14	.583
9.	Willie Munson	64	31	18	.581
10.	Mark Maryo	71	38	22	.579

RUN OUT OPPORTUNITIES

#	NAME	OPPOR- TUNITIES	RUN OUTS	PCT.
1.	Caesar Morales	86	61	70.9
2.	Earl Strickland	259	175	67.6
3.	Wade Crane	220	142	64.5
4.	Bob Williams	230	147	63.9
5.	Dick Lane	68	43	63.2
6.	Mike Sigel	189	119	63.0
7.	Buddy Hall	329	207	62.9
8.	Bob Hunter	147	91	61.9
9.	Kim Davenport	236	144	61.0
10.	Jimmy Reid	101	61	60.4

MISSES (PER 100 BALLS POCKETED)

#	NAME	BALLS MADE	SHOTS MISSED	AVG
1.	Caesar Morales	492	28	5.7
2.	Earl Strickland	1401	85	6.1
3.	Kim Davenport	1082	73	6.7
4.	Dick Lane	328	23	7.0
5.	Buddy Hall	1667	119	7.1
6.	Mike Sigel	956	70	7.3
7.	Nick Varner	347	27	7.8
8.	Bob Williams	1151	93	8.1
9.	Mike Gulyassy	1050	87	8.3
10.	Wade Crane	1157	96	8.3

POSITION ERRORS (PER 100 BALLS POCKETED)

#	NAME	BALLS MADE	POSITION ERRORS	AVG
1.	Caesar Morales	492	15	3.0
2.	Jimmy Reid	451	17	3.8
3.	Wade Crane	1157	48	4.1
4.	Earl Strickland	1401	66	4.7
5.	Buddy Hall	1667	81	4.9
6.	Dick Lane	328	16	4.9
7.	Bob Williams	1151	57	5.0
8.	Mike Sigel	956	49	5.1
9.	Kim Davenport	1082	60	5.5
10.	David Howard	646	36	5.6

ACCU-FACT

The 9-ball went on the break 3.5% of the time while the cue ball scratched on the break 11%.

The 9-ball was made on the break twice in a row by Flores and Gulyassy.

DEFINITIONS

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ABBREVIATIONS

BPA - Break Performance Average
KPA - Kick Performance Average
SPA - Safety Performance Average
TPA - Total Performance Average

TERMS & EXPRESSIONS

ACCU-STATS AVERAGE - Same as TPA or TOTAL PERFORMANCE AVERAGE
BALLS MADE - Total balls pocketed
BREAK - The 9-ball break shot
ERROR - Any miss, scratch on the break, bad kick, bad safety, or bad position (see ERROR category)
GAME - One completed 9-ball rack
GOOD BREAK - A break shot in which a ball is made without scratching
GOOD KICK - A kick which results in a "good hit" (even if the cue ball scratches afterwards)
GOOD SAFETY - A safety after which the opponent fails to pocket a ball (excluding kick-ins)
KICK - A shot in which a player attempts to hit a ball that cannot be "seen" and requires either a rail first, masse' or jump shot to complete
MAKEABLE SHOT - A shot that is as easy or easier than a spot shot
OPPORTUNITY - Exists when a player makes an attempt to run out by pocketing at least one ball or approaching the table with a makeable shot
POINTS - Number of balls pocketed
POSITION ERROR - Same as BAD POSITION
RUN OUT - Occurs any time the 9-ball is pocketed
SAFETY - A shot in which a player's primary concern is defense
SESSION - A race to a specified number of games
SHOTS MISSED - See MISS
SNOOKERED - A condition that exists when a player is unable to "see" the lowest ball on the table

ERRORS

MISS - Occurs when a player's primary concern is to pocket a ball that can be "seen", but fails to do so and is forced to leave the table
SCRATCH ON THE BREAK - Occurs when a player scratches on the break, regardless of whether a ball is pocketed or not

BAD KICK - Occurs when a player attempts, but fails to make a good hit after being snookered
BAD SAFETY - Occurs when a player's opponent pockets a ball immediately after a safety (excluding kick-ins)
BAD POSITION - Occurs when inadequate position causes a player to leave the table (excluding immediately after the break shot)

STATISTICAL RANKINGS

BREAK PERFORMANCE AVERAGE - Reflects a player's ability to make a ball on the break without scratching
KICK PERFORMANCE AVERAGE - Reflects a player's ability to make a good hit when snookered
RUN OUT OPPORTUNITIES - Reflects a player's ability to run out the rack after pocketing at least one ball or approaching the table with a makeable shot
SAFETY PERFORMANCE AVERAGE - Reflects a player's ability to play a safety which prevents his opponent from pocketing a ball
TOTAL PERFORMANCE AVERAGE - A player's "batting average", considered are balls pocketed and errors

CALCULATIONS

BREAK PERFORMANCE AVERAGE OR BPA:
Good breaks/Total breaks
KICK PERFORMANCE AVERAGE OR KPA:
Good kicks/Total kicks
MISSES PER 100 BALLS POCKETED:
(Misses x 100)/Balls pocketed
POSITION ERRORS PER 100 BALLS POCKETED:
(Position errors x 100)/Balls Pocketed
RUN OUT OPPORTUNITIES:
Run outs/Opportunities
RUN OUTS FROM THE BREAK:
Run outs from break/Breaks
SAFETY PERFORMANCE AVERAGE OR SPA:
Good safeties/Total safeties
SCRATCH ON THE BREAK:
(Scratches on break x 100)/Breaks
TOTAL PERFORMANCE AVERAGE OR TPA:
Balls pocketed/(Balls pocketed + Errors)

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CRANE, WADE	2	2	7500.00	11 - 4	2	5-6
HALL, BUDDY	2	2	4500.00	17 - 4	7-8	2
WILLIAMS, BOB	2	2	3900.00	12 - 4	5-6	3
GULYASSY, MIKE	2	2	3500.00	10 - 4	4	5-6
REID, JIMMY	1	1	1900.00	5 - 2	5-6	.
DAVENPORT, KIM	2	2	1800.00	12 - 4	7-8	13-16
HODGES, JIMMY	1	1	1500.00	6 - 2	.	4
DILIBERTO, DANNY	2	2	1450.00	6 - 4	9-12	17-24
MASSEY, MIKE	2	2	1250.00	7 - 4	25-32	7-8
REMPE, JIM	1	1	1200.00	4 - 2	9-12	.
LEMKE, LOUIE	1	1	1200.00	4 - 2	9-12	.
HENSEN, DAVID	1	1	1200.00	3 - 2	9-12	.
HUNTER, BOB	2	1	1000.00	6 - 4	13-16	25-32
RHODES, DAVE	1	1	1000.00	6 - 2	13-16	.
WEAVER, DICK	1	1	1000.00	5 - 2	13-16	.
SELL, BLAINE	1	1	1000.00	3 - 2	13-16	.
SIGEL, MIKE	2	2	950.00	9 - 4	25-32	9-12
HOWARD, DAVID	2	2	950.00	6 - 4	25-32	9-12
GARRISON, RICK	1	1	750.00	4 - 2	.	7-8
MEDINA, DANNY	1	1	700.00	5 - 2	17-24	.
VARNER, NICK	1	1	700.00	3 - 2	17-24	.
MARTIN, RAY	2	1	700.00	6 - 4	17-24	33-48
HUBBART, LARRY	1	1	700.00	3 - 2	17-24	.
HILL, LARRY	1	1	700.00	3 - 2	17-24	.
DENNIS, BUDDY	1	1	700.00	3 - 2	17-24	.
CHAPMAN, COYT	1	1	700.00	4 - 2	17-24	.
SMITH, STEVE	1	1	700.00	2 - 2	17-24	.
LANE, DICK	1	1	500.00	3 - 2	25-32	.
MATHEWS, GRADY	2	1	500.00	5 - 4	25-32	25-32
BRINSON, CHARLIE	1	1	500.00	3 - 2	25-32	.
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