



Editorial:

Here we go, here we go, here we go... WA Elite Finals are under way and that signifies the start of the Elite East/West Clash Journey. The Vic's are getting close and I can feel the interstate rivalry kicking in. Go hard Leaguies & good Luck!

August was a month of parties, with WA & SA presentations Congrats to all Leaguies that took trophies home.

I managed to leave the West and call in on the Vic's and join the Sa's for their farewell Presentation. Great to see everyone again and say cheerio to all the Sa's. Hopefully we see SA back with a formidable Elite League next year. A big thanks to all the Sa Premier & Empire crew that have been a part of the leagues over the past three years, take care & see you all around the traps.

September is choc-a-block full of finals, new seasons and Challenge matches, check out the following pages for all the dates. In particular the Summer Elite Cash Comp seasons are now open for Team submission, there are only very limited vacancies so see Lea in Melb & me in Wa to get your team in ASAP.

In Closing I'd like to wish the WA Leaguies all the best for their upcoming Gossies Challenge, they are defending their title for the 5th Time!

Play Hard, Party Hard & do it the best you can, Cheers til next issue.

Happy Potting
Kez



Winter Elite 2008

Victoria 14 teams Winter Season
Sunday 30/3/08 to 12/10/08

and Thursday 3/4/08 to 16/10/08
Mandurah WA 10 Teams Winter
Season

Sunday 30/3/08 to 19/10/08
and Thursday 3/4/08 to 23/10/08

East West Clash in Manduarh WA
14/11/08

Meet Jake

Nickname? "Head" or "Solid"
Age? 17yrs old – 18 in a couple of weeks!!

Where are you from? Ballarat
How old were you when you first picked up a cue? 11yrs at the time.

What made you choose 8ball? Started playing with my Mum and Dad and it all took off from there.

Do you play any other cue sports? Hadn't other than a few games but I am starting to play 9ball now.

What was the first event you won? League "A" Grade Final

The best shot? Definitely this year at the "Berri Open" against South Australia's "Russel Youlten."

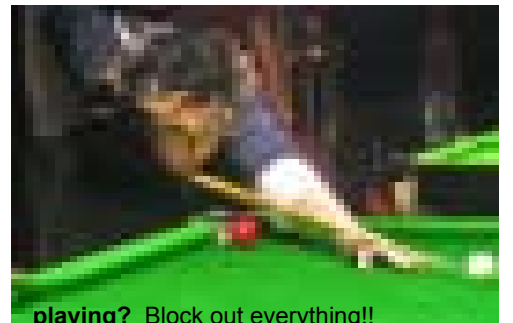
How many wins under your belt now? U15 State titles, 1 major (Berri 2007), 1 Runner up (Johnnie Walker 2007) and a couple of quarters.

Favourite tournament? Naturally, Anzac Tournament played right here at The Pool Room.

Hardest opponent played to date? Jamie Steven, 4yrs ago

Remembering a time you thought you might be in trouble in a game, what do you do or think of to get your game back on track? Just focus. Take every opportunity you can and try to make the most of it.

How do you keep so focused when



playing? Block out everything!!

Does the loud crowd help or hinder? Definitely helps. The more support the better!!

Do you have a ritual before you play? I listen to music. Anything that has a good beat to it.

What's your worst fear at a tournament? Loosing!! lol

Any tips for up coming juniors? Get as much practice as you can. Try and play as many top level players as you can.

How about tips for all players? Pot out or I will!!

Biggest achievement? Winning the "Berri" tournament at 17yrs old.

Next challenge? To win this years "Ballarat Open." Home ground.

Best memory so far in your pool career?

Thanks so much Jake. You sure are one everyone should look out for, now and in the future. You're a pleasure to talk to and a delight to watch in action. Keep it up kido!!

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Summer Elite In WA

Start Date Thursday
27/9/07 to 27/3/08
12 Teams of 3 Players
over a 22 Week Season
\$3850.00 Cash Prize Money
1st Teams: \$1800.00
2nd Teams: \$900.00
3rd Teams: \$300.00
1st Singles: \$450.00
2nd Singles: \$250.00
3rd Singles: \$100.00

Register your
Interest with Kerry Now
Only 4 team Spots left!

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Summer Elite In VIC

Start Date Thursday
8/11/07 to 27/3/08
8 Teams of 3 Players
over a 16 Week Season
\$2000.00 Cash Prize Money
1st Teams: \$1050.00
2nd Teams: \$450.00
1st Singles: \$300.00
2nd Singles: \$150.00
3rd Singles: \$50.00

Register your
Interest with Lea Now!
Limited team Vacancies.

VIC Update with Leanne



The end of the year is drawing nearer and nearer and the excitement for the end of Elite is just around the corner. A lot closer for WA as they are about to begin their finals. Good luck to all teams, bring forth your best!! We'll be ready and waiting for you soon! I know everyone has their minds and hearts set on a great end to your teams Elite season, but don't forget there's Summer Gold League starting after the end of Winter Elite. 3 people per team, see fliers or me for more information and get your teams in fast before you miss out.

There have been a lot of finals of late and no I hadn't forgotten you, just wanted to make sure you were all seen. Please take note of all the finalist, congratulations to all Champions in all leagues. Better luck next time to those that only just missed out. You're all champs for how far you have come in your own games.

Just a staff update, we've had to say Goodbye to Mel and Tracey (thanks again girls, it was a pleasure) and please say Hello to our new faces, Rebecca, Colin and Kyle. These people will be there various hours with me, so please make them feel welcome when you see them round the floor.

Make sure you've had a read of the front story "Jake." He's one of our own Premier Elite players and he's someone to look out for. Only 17yrs old but don't let that fool you. Welcome aboard Jake, glad to have you a part of the team.

Well, make sure you get your entry in for this years "Ballarat" tournament coming up this October the 13th & 14th. Also see me for details.

New Showroom stock opening soon!! Stay tuned for opening specials and deals.

Till next month kiddies, be good, play hard and enjoy your night. Lea

UNDER THE TABLE WITH ANGE



Well it's that time again. We had a few Birthdays last month and a few more coming up. So to all have a great day and get Shit Faced!

Do you hear that? No it's not the bar calling, it is the Pitter, Patter of Little Feet. No not me, I have done my bit for society. Congrats go out to Tracey and Wayne (Elite) and also to ex players Renee and Harvey (Wednesday) who are both knocked up, not the guys but the girls! Both due March some time, so best wishes to you all.

So to all of you I am organising a Baby Shower (details to come), and yes you guys are allowed to come, because it will be at The Pool Room.

I have learnt a new word which one of the bar staff is called "Toothsome." Definition is pleasant to eat. Would all of you get your mind out of the gutter cause we are in a drought and need the water to run down the drains, and with so many of us in the gutter the water can not get through!

The Pool Room's fancy dress has been brought forward a week to the 22nd of September due to the Grand Final being played on the last Saturday in September (Go Tigers!). Cheers for now, Ange.



2007 Elite Teams



Introducing.....



Team 9 - Dilligaf

We are the team of Dilligaf, our team really sucks. We can't play pool at all, but who gives a f@#k. We wear canary yellow, the colour really sucks, but after quite a few drinks, 'Do I Look Like I Give A F@#k (DILLIGAF). Team players are Aaron Twomey, Shawn Curry, Dave Parker, Melissa Ellis, Brad Hocking, Daniel Lancaster and Russel Deslandes.

Team 10 - System of our Balls

"System of our balls" is a funky group of guys with balls to take on any challenge from any team. No feat big or small is too great to over come the skill of our players. The only thing that will over come our team is boobs. The only other thing that will over come our team are nipples coz the nipple makes the boob and the boobs come in pairs. System of our balls consist of Snake, Steklo, Steky, Peeka, Boong and the funny guy, Nick. Nick has a split personality. He not only is a pool player but he is a magician and he can play better drunk than we can write! Signed by us "The Boys."



Team 11 - FARQ2



I'd like to introduce the third generation of FARQ2 family. We have a few old heads from last years winning side, Nathan 'Hammer' Harris, Marc 'The Train' Robertson, myself Brett 'Daff' Daphne and Jamey 'Rookie' Suede. Due to team balance and the salary cap we had to recruit a few. The Hill boys, Bradd and Graeme, have joined the side due to my inabilities with organisation and producing team write ups on time so I have pasted the reigns to Bradd. Suzie, Marc's better half joins us and then to Adam Arnold who we forgive for his Stamford beginnings and we hope to mold him into a better man with large amounts of alcohol. Oh and finally Jake 'Head' McCartney, watch this kid play... awesome. Well good luck to the Once Were Warriors boys, I look forward to sending you a postcard from Auckland.

Team 12 - Nothing Flash

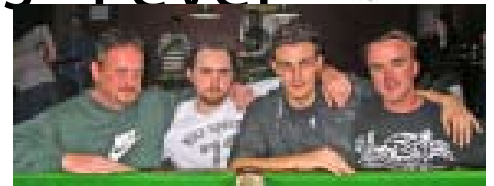
"Nothing Flash" our team is a prime example of a group of random people who want to play pool bonding together to make a team. With only 5 permanent all who had never met before playing Premier Elite, we're all just here to have fun! Jeanette Edwards, Amy Fletcher, Adam Manders, Andrew Sykes and Mark Zapier.



Vic Finals Fever



Above: Friday Black Teams Champs "Cameron & Daniel" with Runners Up "Chris & Peter." (L) Friday Black Singles Champ "Daniel Cole" with Runner Up "Peter Peterson"



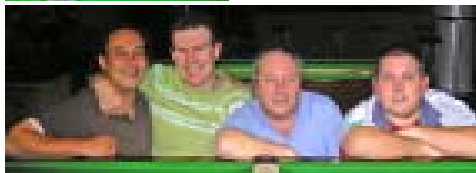
Above: Friday Green Teams Champs "Matt & Craig" with Runners Up "FcUK Yeh!" (L) Friday Green Singles Champ "Craig Harris" with Runner Up "Jason King"



Above: Wednesday Green Team Champs "John & John" with Runners Up "Geoff & Chris"



(R) Wednesday Pink Team Champs "Tony & Lea"



(R) Wednesday Red Singles Champ "Brett Morgan" with Runner Up "Daniel Cole"



(R) Wednesday Pink Singles Champ "Dave Armstrong" with Runner Up "Tony Buckley"



WA Update

Hi Leaguies, September is going to Rock!!! I can hardly keep up with all the activity, especially the excitement surrounding the Elite Finals! By the end of this month we will have a WA team to represent us in the East West Clash against the Mighty Vics. Our winning team will be traveling to Melbourne in November to take on the East's best, good luck players!

The next three months are the traditional money giveaway months, starting with the \$5,500.00 Cash the Elite teams are playing for as well as the trip away, then we have the Miss Q's Classic in November, our biggest money knockout of the year, so hit the practice tables boys & girls 'cause the focus is off social & on our best this quarter! Entry forms & details for the Miss Q's Classic will be available from the bar so check it out and be sure to pencil the first Weekend in November into your Diary.

A big welcome to all our new members, with the Monday & Tuesday Blue Leagues new seasons under way I hope our newbies get heaps enjoyment & new friends out of their seasons, good luck to you all.

Tuesday Purple & Sunday Green have just gone into Finals, so go hard Leaguies may the best team & player win. With that comes some new League Seasons as well as the three player Summer Elite Cash Comp. Anyone who would like to enter a team or knows any friends that would be interested in any of the following days please see me or Damien: Sunday Social – September 16th, Tuesday Social – September 25th, Wednesday Social – September 26th and Thursday - Summer Elite September 27th.

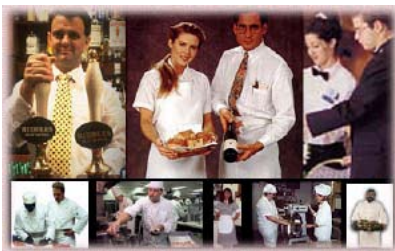
The Gossies are Back! That's right its Challenge time again and the are on our home turf this time. We have dominated the Gossie Challenges lately and definitely want to continue along that vein. We will be defending our title for the fifth consecutive time this Challenge. If you have never played in a Challenge match before you have to have a go, it's an awesome day of socializing and plying pool against new people for another Pool Room, so check it out and have a crack. The qualifying Knockout is On Sunday September 16th with the Challenge match the following weekend on Sunday 23rd. Check out the details on Pg 4.

More congratulations need to go out this month, this time to our very own Damien Baldy Bull Dog Baldock, he launched his Hospitality Industry Night last month and it went off, good work Damo! If you are in Hospitality, check it out on Monday Nights.

And last but certainly not least I would like to formally welcome the newest member of the Miss Q's Crew, 'BOB', he's that dude from Melbourne without arms & legs that people keep beating up on! Don't worry that why he's here, Bob has been helping frustrated Pool Players in the Premier Leagues in Melb for almost 8 years now and seeing they keep winning Elite I figured it must be working so I've stolen him for our Miss Q's most frustrated players. Feel free to say G'day and slap him around the ears :-). Cheers til next month – Kez.

**Elite Teams Grand Final -
Thursday September 13th,
7pm. Come check out some
Spectacular Match Play!**

Miss Q's Hospitality Industry Night



Our Hospitality Industry night Kicked off in August, enabling fellow Hospitality workers who don't generally have weekends or too many nights off, to let their hair down, party and be waited on by the fabulous Miss Q's staff. It has been a huge success with people from all types of hotels, bars, pubs and clubs choosing to spend their night away from work with us. The Brighton staff got right behind the concept and their group is growing every week.

If you work in hospitality, I would like to invite you and your work mates to join us on Monday nights from 7pm for cheap drinks & Pool. Hope to see you all here or catch me at the bar if you have any questions. Damien.

Miss Q's W.A Elite Team Profiles



Team 8: Go & Get Phucked – Captain: Shayne Old. **Players:** Ronnie Old, Ash Cotgrave, Gary Kalbus, Dale Seaman, Josh Howlett, Matt Jones & Substitute Kenny (Michael) Wilkins.

Shayne: Nickname 'Ice Cold', I've enjoyed being Team Captain, the team was great to play with, team name explanation, just ask! Hehehe...

Dale: I came, I played, I conquered!!

Josh: I like to agree with Dale's previous statement, but he already said it! I love coming down to Miss Q's, playing with some great people, playing great games, while being a general socialite and having lots of fun!

Gary: I came, I played, I enjoyed!

Ash: Me to!

Ronnie: It was enjoyable playing with my lunatic team. We enjoy ourselves muchly.

Matt: Came into the season late, I enjoy playing at Miss Q's the company and Pool are great.

Kenny: It was great fun playing Thursday nights at Miss Q's its great competition and a great team to play with.

More Miss Q's W.A Elite Team profiles



Team 10: Bastinardo – Captain: Kerry Buckley. **Players:** Jonus Butao, Charles Williams, Hannu Tuoma, John Belcher, Ahtoo (Aaron) Stewart Substitutes, Christain Black & Martin Taylor.

El Captain of Bastinardo, is Kerry. Playing around the social leagues at Miss Q's for a few years now, Kerry has finally decided to test himself against the best, he is a social butterfly & his snookers have saved him from many a loss he is a player that never quits! He is keen to see how this Rookie team come together when it counts.

With a name meaning – to beat something with a stick- Bastinardo is a rookie side, untried & untested with nothing to lose and everything to prove.

With an impressive track record in Peel Pool Association, Hannu & John have come to test their mettle against the giants of Premier Elite, with a great mind for the game and extensive skills these two are the strategists of the game. Just one look at the match faces of these two, as they plan their path to victory, shows them to be players to watch out for in the Finals.

The two jokers of the side Jonus & Charlie can always be found with a smile on their faces, but don't underestimate them! With extremely flexible games, these boys have shown themselves as contenders.

New to the state & new to competition pool, Ahtoo is ready for anything. Without the finesse of the more experienced players Ahtoo has a raw skill for the game that has surprised many a player. Ahtoo seems to develop new shots weekly and is definitely not someone to be underestimated.



Learn to Play Pool

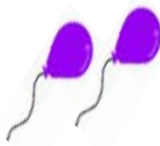
Sunday Coaching & Training
from 12pm only \$13.50
includes all day play to 6pm.
All Ages Welcome.

Ⓟ Rules	Ⓟ Ball Control
Ⓟ Etiquette	Ⓟ Match Play
Ⓟ Technique	Ⓟ Strategy

Premier Miss Q's Leagues Mid-Year Presentation Party Happy Snaps in WA



Congratulations to all Blue Green & Purple League Champions



Sat Aug 4th was party night in the West, with League Champs & Runners up collecting their trophies and celebrating their wins with the rest of the Leagues. Spirits were high and many spirits were consumed with everyone enjoying their complimentary Drink Cards. Azza was the most popular man in the House on the night, with his Pot the Lot Comp. It was a \$1 to have a go and after 71 attempts Alfie Dmytryk took the pot of \$71.00 with a run of 9 balls in a row! Congrats everyone.

Premier Empire Leagues Mid-Year Presentation Party Happy Snaps in SA



Congratulations to all Blue, Green & Black, League Champs



Sat Aug 11th was Sa's Party night, this was Premiers Final Social presentation in Adelaide, Congrats & thanks to Damo, Mandy, Ace, Lyn & all the SA Leagues for being a part of Premier over the last three years. I hope to see Empire field an Elite side in '08, so hopefully this was not the very last ever Premier party. A most enjoyable evening was had by all & I'd like to wish everyone all the very best for the future.



Gossies Challenge



The Gossies have thown down the Gauntlet & the Duel Dates have been set in Stone.

Miss Q's Leagues come one come all, your skill is required to defend our Challenge Champion Status!

Team Qualifying Knockout Comp, Date: Sunday September 16th at 2pm. \$20 entry includes all day Play & Challenge Match Play. Top 15 Men & 5 Ladies will make the Challenge Team. Challenge Match Date: Sunday September 23rd at Miss Q's

Miss Q's
Classic
Saturday
& Sunday



November 3rd & 4th.
Ladies Comp & Mens
Comp, Round Robin day 1 &
Knockout day 2. \$50 entry all
Entry Fees make up the Prize
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