

**Olympia Open II**  
**January 1-4, 2009**  
**Olympia Resort, Hotel & Spa, Oconomowoc, WI**

214 avid pool competitors, from as far away as Colorado and Texas, rushed the two 9-Ball and four 8-Ball divisions with their eyes set on the \$10,400 added, \$27,000 plus prize fund.

The events were divided into Upper and Lower and "A" and "B" divisions so that lesser skilled players had a shot at their own cash.

Iowa's Chad Valmont and Jesse Bowman, respectively, secured the top end of the 9 and 8-Ball fields. Rico Torres captured the lower division 9-Ball and Shannon Lupton, the "B" division 8-Ball.

Kudos to Chris DeLaGarza for her impressive accomplishment of not only winning the Women's 8-Ball, but conquering the 70 player strong "A" division 8-Ball.

Expectations ran high for BCAPL player representative Shane Van Boening who only got a 3rd and a 4th. But, lets face it, Chad Vilmont, Jason Kirkwood, Chris Bartrum, and Jesse Bowman have very respectable pro tour resumés.

Jesse deserves special credit for his 1st place finish in the Upper 8-Ball and 2nd in the Upper 9-Ball.

Event organizer Dean Roeseler of Dr. Pool Promotions thanks Olympia Resort, Hotel & Spa; Bud Light Lime; Monster Energy Drink; Schwarzhog Liqueur; and the BCA Pool League for their contributions.

Vendors Jacoby Cue and Cue Repair, Jackson Custom Cue and Wild Eyes Creations offered their wares and services to the competitors and their guests.

The success of this event assures that there will be an Olympia Open III, though BCAPL members can compete in the upcoming WIBCA State Championships at the same location -- The Olympia Resort, Hotel & Spa, January 21-25, 2009. For more information, contact the WisconsinBCA or Upcoming Events on [playbca.com](http://playbca.com).

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See you there.

**RESULTS and Payouts**

1	Chad Vilmont	\$1,200	
2	Jesse Bowman	\$1,000	
3	Shane Van Boening		\$800
4	Josh Burbal	\$600	
5	Dan Ratajczyk	\$400	
5	Richie Richeson	\$400	
7	Tony Gong	\$250	
7	Jason Kirkwood	\$250	
9	Mat Strong	\$175	
9	Jason Klatt	\$175	
9	Scott Cohen	\$175	
9	Kenny Williams	\$175	
13	Jason Jick	\$100	
13	Demi Jelatis	\$100	
13	Eric Czarnecki	\$100	
13	Mark Jennison	\$100	

"\$6,000"

Lower Division 9 Ball  
78 Players + \$1000 Added

1	Rico Torres	\$800	
2	Jason Blom	\$600	
3	Anthony Allen	\$500	
4	Jesse McDermott		\$400
5	Al Denny	\$300	
5	Tim Volkman	\$300	
7	Les Underwood	\$200	
7	Roy Skenandore	\$200	
9	Zach Marquardt	\$125	
9	Chris Bonde	\$125	
9	Todd Reeves	\$125	
9	Patrick Trautman	\$125	
13	Howie Newbauer		\$80
13	Mike Doll	\$80	
13	Bob Krouze	\$80	
13	Maynard Herbert	\$80	

"\$4,120"

Upper Division 8 Ball  
53 Players + \$4000 Added

1	Jesse Bowman	\$2,500	
2	Chris Bartrum	\$1,205	
3	Jason Kirkwood	\$1,000	
4	Shane Van Boening		\$800
5	Tony Gong	\$600	
5	Arlo Wahlsman	\$600	
7	Chad Elston	\$400	
7	Demi Jelatis	\$400	
9	Richie Richeson	\$250	
9	Chad Vilmont	\$250	
9	Mike Messer	\$250	
9	Tim Ruenger	\$250	

"\$8,505"

Women's Division 8 Ball  
15 Players + \$400 Added

1	Chris DeLaGarza		\$400
2	Kelly Birmingham		\$300
3	Renee Havel	\$200	
4	Dawn Copus	\$100	

"\$1,000"

""A"" Division 8 Ball  
70 Players + \$1500 Added

1	Craig Fowler	\$950	
2	Todd Reeves	\$700	
3	Rodney Surprise	\$600	
4	James Crivello	\$400	
5	Matt VanKampen	\$300	
5	Greg Chavera	\$300	
7	Jesse McDermott		\$200
7	Tony Loeper	\$200	
9	Mike Doll	\$150	

9	Joel Lamp	\$150
9	Keith Carroll	\$150
9	Howie Neubauer	\$150
13	Mike Vold	\$100
13	Mark Sherry	\$100
13	John Gonzales	\$100
13	Les Underwood	\$100

"\$4,650"

""B"" Division 8 Ball"

61 Players + \$1000 Added

1	Shannon Lupton	\$600
2	Troy Coates	\$455
3	Randy Fenner	\$350
4	Bob Collins	\$250
5	Rick Ambrosius	\$200
5	Clayton Johnson	\$200
7	Scott Loose	\$150
7	Tom Egly	\$150
9	Christine Holl	\$125
9	Tom Gassen	\$125
9	Shaun Peterson	\$125
9	Daniel Gassen	\$125
13	Keith King	\$70
13	Mark Brandt	\$70
13	Jeff Koch	\$70
13	Jim Hartl	\$70

"\$3,135"