

DIABLO VALLEY POOL LEAGUE

The Diablo Valley Pool League joined The Farrington's Bar staff on March 21st for another Women's 8 Ball tournament, the leagues third this season, which had an excellent turnout of 25 players. We had the pleasure of having our friends from Emeryville attend the event, including the now Pro player Eleanor Callado, who actually ended up winning the event.

The league had set up bounty of \$30 per head on our top local guns, Shawn Modelo and Leslie Armstrong, who had won the previous two events. Congratulations to Leilani, one of our new players this year who showed signs of excellency by taking veteran Leslie Armstrong out of the event, without realizing the significance of her win. Her and El took the first bounty for \$30 dollars. The second bounty went to champ Eleanor Callado who met up on the fight for the catbird seat with ace Shawn Modello, beating her and sending her to the loser side, and again meeting her at the end of the event meeting her again to win the event.

It was an afternoon of fun; we saw some of the old faces like Tiffany Walker who has been out of the scene for a while. We witnessed some great defense from players who shocked themselves and at the same time showed that their confidence and skills continue to build.

Our women are in the final stretch in preparation to the upcoming National 8-ball amateur tournament coming up this May in Las Vegas, Nevada at the Riviera. The league has held three women's tournaments thus far and will hold their last one in April, before traveling to the Nationals. The league is encouraging all women to participate for the practice, the challenge, the prize money and the glory of the bounty.

Congratulations to all the participants for coming out to measure up with some of the best from Emeryville and Concord, it shows that we are on the right path of mastering the game of pool.

FINAL STANDINGS /\$\$\$\$\$

1) Eleanor Callado	\$100
2) Shawn Modelo	\$70
3) Jess Quinata	\$45
4) Cary Wolcott	\$15

Eleanor Callado and Shawn Modelo



Shawn Modelo #2, Cary Wolcott # 4, Jess Quinata # 3 and Eleanor Callado # 1.



Bounty Hunters



Eleanor Callado and Lelani Ching



3 sets of twins participating in the event (The Dominguez, the Mendoza's and the Callado's)

