

Durango and More!

The 35th Durango Championships were held at the Durango Sports Club in Colorado, February 14-16. Close to 60 participants vied for titles in twelve categories for men and women. This event began in 1980 as the *Western Slope Racquetball Tournament*, after Albuquerque's Roy Solomon built the club. Players this year represented: Albuquerque, Gallup, Farmington, Denver, Cortez, Pagosa Springs, and Durango. Many thanks to the friendly staff of the Durango Sports Club and the hospitality provided by Zia Taqueria and Bread.

Results follow:

- Mens Open (10) Ken Cheshire def Todd Ormonde 13-15, 15-9, 11-7
3rd B.J. Jones 4th Fred Johnson 1/4s Sam Olivas,
David Miley, Chris Smith, Perry Timme
9th (tie) Kyle Bland & Rick Kefauver
- Mens Elite (6) David Miley def Chris Smith 6-15, 15-14, 11-1
3rd Perry Timme 4th Kyle Bland 5th (tie) Rick Kefauver &
Sam Olivas
- Mens A (17) Jason Anderson & Cory Imel (results not in)
3rd (tie) Mike Morales & B.J. Jones 1/4s Vincent Garcia,
Michael Justice, Kyle Bland, Michael Harter 9th (tie) George Ford,
Mark Mastalski, Dave Harbur, Lars Schneider, Sam Olivas,
Shane Kairala, Scott Brandstetter 16th Windsor Wilhelmsen
Note: 1 no show
- Mens B (9) Lars Schneider def Michael Justice 15-1, 15-14
3rd Mark Mastalski & Shane Kairala 1/4s Sam Olivas,
Scott Brandstetter, Dave Harbur, George Ford 9th Windsor Wilhelmsen
- Men C (14) Victor Rodriguez def Rachel Kefauver 14-15, 15-7, 11-6
3rd Fraser Houston & Luke Alder 1/4s Tim Blasiman,
Dave Steele, Malcolm Justice, Boomer Anderson 9th Jeff Cook,
Ramon Herrera, Windor Wilhelmsen, Matt Reiser, Shelley Herrera,
Dante Clah
- Mens D (10) Jeff Cook def Shelley Herrera 15-7, 9-15, 11-1
3rd Ramon Herrera 4th Dave Steele 1/4s Malcolm Justice,
Boomer Anderson, Cristina Rodriguez, Dante Clah 9th (tie)
Windsor Wilhelmsen & Matt Reiser
- Womens C (5) Renee Bakel def Emily Rolando 15-7, 15-6
3rd Lois Dacus 4th Pam Garcia 5th Leslie Santee
- Open Dbls. (4) Tim Cohen & Gary Mazaroff def
Todd Ormonde & Chris Smith 15-12, 15-10
3rd Ken Cheshire & Fred Johnson 4th David Miley & Perry Timme
- A Doubles (11) Jason Anderson & Cory Imel def
B.J. Jones & Lars Schnieder 6-15, 15-12, 11-7
3rd Michael Justice & Steve Mueller 4th Mike Morales & Gary Rasmussen
- B Doubles (6) Mark Mastalski & Shan Wells def
Jeff Cook & Dave Steele 15-3, 15-4
3rd Patty Greene & Rachel Kefauver 4th Morris Coyle & Kerry Drulis
- Mixed Dbls. (9) Patty Greene & David Miley def
Emily Rolando & Luke Alder 15-3, 15-7
3rd Emily Rolando & Mike Morales 4th Rozanna Lopez & Nolan Crowell