

MEN'S 1-WALL PRO DOUBLES HANDBALL TOUR

SMALL-BALL POINTS RACE 2002

YEAR #2

The justification of any sports (whether auto racing or tennis) must initially establish a system to rank/rate their competitors based on individual performances. For decades, the handball establishment has renege its responsibilities in creating a ranking system that promote the sport and add legitimacy to tournament draws. The purpose of the "Points Race 2002" is not to glorify any individual but instead, reward those competitors who strive for excellence and in many regards have dedicated their entire lives to playing the "perfect game", handball. Although this system is in its infancy, it is a beginning and worthwhile endeavor.

2002 TOURNAMENTS

NON-MAJOR TOURNAMENTS

- H.E.S. Pro Doubles February 17, 2002 - HESPD 02
- Butterhup Pro Doubles May 20, 2002 - BPD 02
- Pedro Garcia Classic July 21, 2002 - PGC 02

MAJOR TOURNAMENTS

- ICHA Mayor's Cup July 13-14, 2002 - MC 02
- One-Wall USHA Nationals August 01-04, 2002 - USHAN 02

2002 POINTS SYSTEM

➤ **POINTS - ACHIEVEMENT**

NON-MAJOR TOURNAMENT POINTS

- Quarterfinalist - 10 points
- Semifinalist - 20 points
- Finalist - 30 points
- Champion - 40 points

MAJOR TOURNAMENT POINTS

- Quarterfinalist - 15 points
- Semifinalist - 30 points
- Finalist - 45 points
- Champion - 60 points

2002 TOURNAMENT SUMMARY – MEN'S 1-WALL PRO DOUBLES (SMALL-BALL)

Pro Stop #1	H.E.S. Pro Doubles	Feb. 17, 2002	Kaplan/Sala defeat Lewis/Sostre (25-24)
Pro Stop #2	Butterhup Pro Doubles	May 20, 2002	Kaplan/Sala defeat Maisonet/Williams (25-12)
Pro Stop #3	ICHA Mayor's Cup (Major)	July 13-14, 2002	Kaplan/Sala defeat Jagnandan/Lopez (25-14)
Pro Stop #4	Pedro Garcia Classic	July 21, 2002	Irizarry/Wright defeat Castro/Roberts (25-23)
Pro Stop #5	USHA Nationals (Major)	August 1-4, 2002	Castro/Roberts defeat Kaplan/Sala (21-16, 18-21, 11-09)

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Joe Kaplan and Cesar Sala finish the year with three pro tour stop victories (1 major, 2 minor) and the number one spot on the 2002 Small-Ball Men's 1-Wall Pro Doubles Points Race.

RANK	PLAYERS	POINTS	TOURNAMENTS	RECORD (W-L)
1	Joe Kaplan	195	5	11 - 2
1	Cesar Sala	195	5	11 - 2
2	Yuber "PeeWee" Castro	125	5	6 - 4
2	Tony Roberts	125	5	6 - 4
3	Kendell Lewis	110	4	6 - 4
4	Albert Apuzzi	85	5	5 - 5
4	Ervin Irizarry	85	3	6 - 2
4	John "Rookie" Wright	85	3	5 - 2
5	Carlos Lopez	80	4	5 - 4
5	Satish Jagnandan	80	4	5 - 4
5	Robert "Iceman" Sostre	80	3	5 - 3
6	Eddie Maisonet	65	3	4 - 3
7	Willie Polanco	60	3	3 - 3
7	Paul Williams	60	3	3 - 3
8	Alavaro Rebaza	45	4	3 - 4
8	Dave Rojas	45	2	1 - 2
9	Jonathan Lee	35	3	2 - 3
10	Joe "Legend" Durso	30	2	2 - 2
11	Paul Lonagan	25	2	2 - 2
12	Shawn Conrad	20	1	2 - 1
12	Pete Pelligrini	20	2	2 - 2
12	Alex Rodriguez	20	1	2 - 1
12	Gabe Vasquez	20	2	2 - 2
13	Emmett Fitzpatrick	15	2	0 - 2
13	Eddie Perez	15	1	0 - 1
14	Dennis Manchuca	10	1	0 - 1
14	Dwayne Sampson	10	1	0 - 1
14	Steve Sandler	10	2	0 - 2
14	Fred Sylvia	10	1	1 - 1
14	Danny Vera	10	1	1 - 1
14	Kareem Wilkerson	10	1	1 - 1
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