

Ric Jones
Owner and Founder
Bad Boys Billiard Productions LLC

Objective:

To apply my extensive experience and deep understanding of the pool and billiards industry as a Western BCA Player at Large, aiming to further enhance the quality and reach of tournaments for the benefit of players and enthusiasts alike.

Professional Summary:

Dynamic and seasoned professional in the pool and billiards industry with over 17 years of comprehensive experience. Demonstrated expertise in tournament direction, event management, and pool table setup. Proven track record of success in competitive play, with multiple top finishes in prestigious tournaments. Passionate about leveraging deep industry knowledge to enhance tournament experiences as a Western BCA Player at Large.

Professional Experience:

Bad Boys Billiard Productions LLC — Owner and Founder

2007 - Present

- Founded and grew a family-operated business specializing in billiard event management, table setup, and tournament direction.
- Directed numerous high-profile pool and billiard tournaments across various states, showcasing exceptional organizational and leadership skills.
- Managed the setup of over 16,000 pool tables and the coordination of 18,000 tournament brackets, ensuring seamless event execution.
- Played a pivotal role in running tournaments with over 500,000 total entries, highlighting significant capability in managing large-scale events.

Derby City Classic — Event Director

2005 - Present

- Oversaw the prestigious Derby City Classic tournament, significantly enhancing its operational excellence and participant satisfaction.
- Initiated involvement in 2003 as an assistant, demonstrating rapid progression and dedication to the event's success.

Western BCA Regional Events — Event Coordinator
[Year] - [Year]

- Successfully set up and managed the Western BCA regional events twice a year for 16 years, contributing to the growth and popularity of the events.

CSI (CueSports International) — Director of Referees
[Year] - [Year]

- Served as the Director of Referees, overseeing officiating standards and practices for CSI events and in-house tournaments.
- Assisted in the development of CSI Rules and tournament regulations, ensuring fairness and integrity in competition.

Competitive Achievements:

- Multiple top 3 finishes in various disciplines, including 8-ball, 9-ball, straight pool, one pocket, golf, scotch doubles, and bank pool at Alaska Fur Rondy and State tournaments. ● Achieved 9th place at the BCAPL Nationals Open singles division in 2005.

Professional Development & Leadership:

- Transitioned the Fur Rondy event direction from Mark Griffin in 2004, enhancing the tournament's organization and execution.
- Contributed significantly to the setup and management of prominent tournaments such as BCAPL Nationals/Worlds, USAPL Nationals, and various state championships. ● Directed numerous one-night tournaments at local bars in Alaska, fostering community engagement and promoting the sport.