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Inland Empire NABI Champion Kenneth Bonnett

want to thank all the bowlers for attending this past Saturday. Our champion, Kenneth Bonnett, is a young man, definitely here to contend with!

He began bowling about 7 years ago & bowls in the Sunday Vegas Winners League at Riverside Lanes. He won with his Storm Paradigan, drilled by Jack Cornelson, at the Riverside Lanes Pro Shop.

He is a student at RCC, majoring in Business. In hes spare time, besides bowling, he enjoys working out at the gym, playing basketball & check this out!

He likes to work on his car & his friend's cars. What a good friend is that! His highest game bowled was a 289 at the old, Tava Lanes, which he tied with at this tournament. His highest series was 713

scratch. Kenneth won \$200, along with a champion shirt & an entry into the Tournament of Champions, held this July, 2008 at the Orleans (Las Vegas). EVERYONE!

Time to begin getting your games in to have the bowling time of your life at the NABI Nationals. We had a Beat the Board this past Sat., and they came in as follows: Kenneth Bonnett - 710, Guy Clear -682, Jeff Swanson - 665, Jay Shackelford - 602, Greg Gil-

Our sidepot winners were: Greg Gilbert (2), Jay Shackelford, Kerry Lucka, Jeff Swanson, Guy Clear, Kenneth Bonnett (2) & Leticia Taylor. We want to thank all who came out to bowl with us. We will be at Riverside Lanes on Sat., Jan. 26. See our ad in this week's Bowling News. See ya there!



Inland Empire NABI (L-R) Greg Gilbert - 5th, Kenneth Bonnett - Champion, Lindsay Fraser - Kenneth's girlfriend, Jeff Swanson - 3rd, Jay Shackelford - 4th & Guy Clear - 2nd.

USBC Board Votes to Pursue Moving Headquarters to Texas

United States Bowling Congress Board of Directors has given approval to start negotiations with all parties involved to relocate the organization's headquarters to Arlington,

The decision, made Sunday during the Board's meeting in Myrtle Beach, S.C., is contingent on negotiations for buildings and land near the Bowling Proprietors' Association of America complex along with any incentives offered by

ARLINGTON,TX—The the City of Arlington and State Directors also must approve the plan which it is scheduled to do at a meeting Wednesday during the BPAA Mid-Winter Meetings in Myrtle Beach.

> "After carefully considering the facts, including taking into account the long history of USBC and its predecessors in the Milwaukee area, the Board came to the conclusion that it was in USBC's best business interests to join with BPAA in continued on page 9

Scroggins' **Smart Ball Reads Winning** Lanes

by Frank Kietz FOUNTAIN VALLEY Southern California bowlers enjoyed themselves last

week playing host/watching the \$150,630 PBA Motel 6, Denny's Dick Weber Open at Fountain Bowl. On ESPN viewing two Texans and two New Yorkers lose the \$25,000 title to the lone Missouri leftie, Mike Scroggins.

More than 70 Californians (pro and amateur men and

women) were among the 166 field at \$500 a pop competed at the 60-lane center. The field started with Monday's practice and finished Sunday on ESPN-TV as Scroggins bumped-off

four challengers.

It was a packed house. Owners Dave Osborn and Gary Forman, their staff, Ambassadors and volunteers managed a great pro-am, and professional tournament.

It was Scroggins' show, thrilling to watch him execute each shot stomping his foes.

Texan Pete Weber, Dick's son, started and finished with splits filled the other frames with chops and unusual leaves while the champ turked for a 204-197 victory.

Tom Delutz, NY, tapped a 4 then a 7-count, missed baby worth 244 pins while Scroggins revealed his smart ball with a 7-bagger filled 269 game.

Jack Jurek, NY, show tossed the event's one perfecto posted eight spares for a 199 game. Mike got another 7-bagger and a 254 game.

Chris Barnes, TX, the current PBA big money winner tapped a 4, recovered with a double than a sad bucket, a 4-6 split the clothes line 10 split and capped the 171 game with a 4-6-7-9 split. Mike coasted with a 226 game.

The right side for the righties was plagued with chops and splits while Scroggins seemed to have control. He said, "I just didn't worry. I played what I got". He seemed to know the traps, puddles and knew the lanes were not made up of boards - just solid sheet of synthetic. continued on page 6

Four for Four



Mike Scroggins captured his 4th career Denny's PBA Tour title Sunday

FOUNTAIN VALLEY-Mike Scroggins came into Sunday's final round of the Motel 6 Dick Weber Open two losses away from tying a PBA record for the longest losing streak in televised matches. Now he's on a four-game winning streak.

Scroggins broke an eightmatch television losing streak and became the first No. 5 seed since Tommy Jones in 2005 to win a stepladder final on the Denny's PBA Tour, knocking off top-seed Chris Barnes, 226-171, to win his fourth career title at Fountain Bowl.

Just as Wes Malott did as the lone right-hander in last week's Lumber Liquidators Earl Anthony Medford Classic final round against three lefties, the lone lefty Scroggins let the four right-handers in the finals burn up the lanes while he put up high score after high score. After a close game against Pete Weber in the opening match, Scroggins dominated his next three opponents.

In the title match, Barnes was doomed by a 4-6 split and an open in the sixth frame followed by a 1-2-4-10 washout and open in the seventh. Scroggins wrapped up the match with strikes in the eighth and ninth

After the match, Scroggins was brought tears when talking about what it meant to him to win the tournament named in honor of the late Dick Weber. He recalled the time Weber gave him a hand-clipped newspaper article soon after Scroggins won the 2004 Baby Ruth Real Deal Classic.

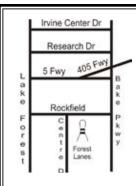
"He was such a great guy and for a legend to come up after a tournament and give me press clippings that he actually cut out, I'll never forget that,' Scroggins (Amarillo, Texas) said. "He said, 'Mike, put these away and always remember how you felt that day.' He was a special guy and I'll never forget him.

Scroggins was anything but the sentimental favorite going into the finals, facing the unenviable task of going up against Pete Weber, who was making the finals for the first time in the three years the event has been held in honor of his father, who passed away in February 2005. Weber took control of the match after overcoming an early deficit by striking in the seventh, eighth and ninth frames. Needing a strike in the 10th to win, Weber left the 4-9 split which opened the door for Scroggins. Weber picked up the split and struck to force Scroggins to double and Scroggins calmly struck twice to advance.

"I knew bowling Pete was going to be a tough match because the lanes started out so difficult and I knew whoever survived that match would probably go a long way," Scroggins said of his lowest-scoring of the four matches. "On my side, the lanes definitely got better and I was fortunate to double in the 10th to beat Pete. After that just I relaxed.

"Whenever your opponents give you an opening it gives you a boost and fortunately I took advantage of it."

Scroggins was given an opening in all four of his matches and he more than took adcontinued on page 9



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David Becomes

SAN DIEGO-Kearny Mesa Bowl was the host center last weekend for the NABI tournament, & David Santos won his first championship. David was the #5 seed, so his climb up the ladder was going to be a challenge! However, with his "coach" encouraging him, he easily overcame any pressures, and was the only bowler in the top five to bowl over his average!

"Coach" Jim Hall has become an accomplished "off hand" bowler & has helped several bowlers improve their competition skills! (Over 205 average bowlers take note!)



This was our first official tournament of 2008, so focus on NABI Week this July has begun. David is now eligible for the Tournament of Champions during NABI Week, & can look forward to receiving his invitation this spring. The other stepladder participants were Tom Brophy, Bert Chadwick, Tim Knight & Tom Cooper.

Guaranteed \$50 sidepots each qualifying game went to Jim Nunnally, Riz Lejarde (1/2), Scott Duncan (1/2), Mike Tangonan, Carl Henson, Phil Horn, Jeff Greer, Cooper (2) & Brophy.

In Perpetual Pot action, James Whiteley, Greer & Tangonan shared the 3-6-9, while Santos hit the 10th frame strike out pot that had grown to \$400!

Our next tournament is February 2nd at Parkway Bowl. Check for the details about the tournament next week in the Bowling News ad, & plan to join us on the 2nd ... we'll save a cookie (+ some Valentine's Day goodies) for you!

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GARDEN GROVE—The Vegas league returned to Valley View Monday and super sub Teri

Hefner exploded 257-644, followed by Bernice Williams with 202-575. Bernice reclaimed season high series honors for 155 and under bowlers from B.J. Jemison.

The honor roll continues with Carolyn Anderson 573, Dee Phipps 548, Alta Duke 212-524, Elaine Todd 524, Virginia Gray 515, Karen Mauricio 511, Gina Harrison 509 and Lynette Williams, 501. With Bernice Williams taking over high seson series for und unders, Lynette now gets season high game standing for unders with 219.

Westminster 3 maintains league leadership with 41 wins, followed by Cerritos #2 and Bowling News, tied at 37, Cal #12 and Westminster #1 tie at 35, Keystone #1, 33; Del Rio 32.2 and Keystone #2, 30.2.

Ada Burri underwent surgery Monday for a stint repair and we hope she will be back to bowling soon. Sympathy is extended in the loss of Mary Dixon's mother.

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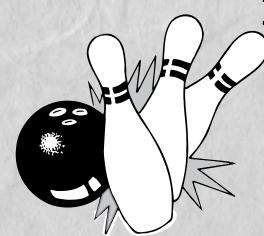
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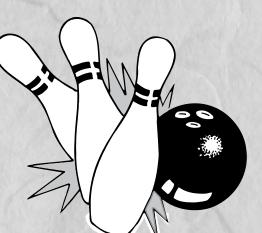
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Everyone is waiting to see the high league scores so here we go...

SENIOR MENS TRIO

Ellis Houston 200-235-166/601, Phil Hylton 204-231-176/611, Mauro Pendilla 194-200-218/612, Willie Young 209-233-203/645, Josh Hudson 203-232-202/637, Rich Kelly 201-202-161/564, Walter Millsap 234-266-196/696, Rick Llaneta 244-235-241/720, Ed Cabs 191-228-184/603, John Dunn 245-233-246/724, Jimmy Hamilton 219-234-227/680, James Burke 235-237/705, Fidel Usi 153-248-202/603, Paul Peete 161-225-228/604, Glenn Merchant 224-203-203/630, Benjie Calinawan 215-225-236/676, Billy Cowens Jr. 242-192-171/605, Boylee Inocente 188-173-244/605, Jim Plante 279-245-235/759, Charles Gleason 187-196 218/601, Jerry Hayes 206-189-221/616, Cecil Knighton 201-200-225/626, Al Willams 154-254-214/622, Gary Weir 221-224-182/627, Pat Kinard 195-255-200/650, Richard Sotelo 217, Wayne Moon 203, Doug Johnson 234, Dominic Antonio 208, Ronald Belton 203, Rudy Carlos 222, Earl Hullett 248, Willie Dorsey 210, Andrew Morton 203, Terry Binuya 212, Chuck Morrissey 227-202, Sonny Dew 238 Willie Burkehalter 210, Ray Staten 224, Fale Sula 205, Ed Hansen 245-202, Ray Givens 216, Lester Breazeale 211, Vince Cervantes 201, Lee Holmes 200, Tariq Shamsideen 203, Charles Woods 200, J.C. Taylor 231, Stan Guzy 232, Don Boaz 214, Ed Brown 220, Ken Holliday 203, Herman Martin 232, Al Cowens 210, Ken Wright 232, Al Ortiz 224, Walt Gist 204, Ron McClain Sr. 222, Rollie DeGuzman 208, Pre Collier 214, Archie Stull 202-211, Herman Woodard 225-204, Paul Reynolds 201, Paul Saenz 204-224, Bill Scott 223, Gene Skulick 202, Jerry Peterson 225, Bob Pearson 222. WEDNESDAY MIXED FIVE

Daryl Brandt 237-179-191/607, Alex Cheesman Sr. 210-199-197/606, Steve Lizotte 197-246-174/617, Matt Mosley 228-198-190/616, Reggie Robins 213-175-236/624, Shannon Santos 233-173-222/628, David Wall 148-252-224/624, Bob Brockman 211, Jeremy Campbell 206, Paul Griba 211, Robert Groth 212, Guy Hunsinger 206, Rich Kelly 204, Clyde Lumpford 208, Greg Mobley 201, Will Nichols 237, Tony Ortiz 230-203, Don Ott 203, Shirley Owens 214-244, Ralph Preciado 216, Sonny Santos 239, Steven Smith 212-223, Mike Williams 216-208, Jay Wilson 202. **CAL STARS**

MaryJane Ricardi 200-170-167/537, Darlene Hom 158-191-183/532, Barbara Bishop 171-204-175/550, Tee Magee 178-205-145/528, Kathy Eaton 172-171-170/513, Mattie Wylie 189-178-176/543, Barbara Crawford 172-165-191/528, Leona Belletti 153-174-178/505, Kim Eastwood 234-176-199/609, Vi Wilson 188-158-181/527, Betty Phillips 169-190-147/506.

FUNSTERS

B.J. Theiss 206-211/610, Geri Krezan 201/548, Ken Seiple Sr. 569, Doug Johnson 200/553, Tom Dennis 508, Chuck Morrissey 205/556, Edward Buhay 500, Divina Buhay 510, Boylee Inocente 226/571, Hal Mallon 201/531, Joe Erwin 206/541, Jim Burke 226-223/640, Orvil Price 511, Wendell Ledbetter 203/586, Luz Cruz 501, Wilfred Panton 218/557, Jim Plante 244-266/668, Hector Torres 500, Terry Binuya

228/528, Harold Runyon 533, Bessie Hudspeth 512, Ed McLean 242/557, Larry Martinez 551, Rose Goodwin 533, Pre Collier 506, Don Kelly 543, Bob Webb 225/602, Art Diement 539, Jorge Fernandez 213/554, Dominic Antoniio 234/597, Gene Skulick 522, Earl Hullett 544, Willie Young 221/566, Josh Hudson 545.

GRANDMAS & GRANDPAS

Steve Jaspar 510, Willie Burkhalter 559, Stanley Murren 518, Lamart Jenkins 204-256-224/684, Rinze Dykstra 525, Jim Young 521, Ken Holliday 500, Joe Erwin 229-192-192/613, Ed Brown 551, Chuck Patterson 541, Tua Sula 534, Fala Sula 516, Ron McClain 567, Ken Seiple Sr. 555, Wendell Ledbetter 538, Jim Burke 219-227-236/682, Rose Goodwin 544, Boylee Inocente 193-210-209/612, Billy Williams 223-167-215/605, Dominic Antonio 191-170-254/615, Walter Gist 514, Al Ortiz 527, Bob Stickney 539, John Mathews 191-223-212/626, Mattie Wylie 511, Chuck Ashton 505, B.J. Theiss 557, Gene Skulick 592, Ed Hanson 540, Tom Spencer 515, Ray Culp 567, Bill Charles 507, John Welty 633.

RECYCLED TEENS

Ben Jones Sr. 243/595, Sidney Moore 519, John Mathews 247/620, Doug Johnson 2132/574, Steve Jaspar 202/552, Vancie Keith 546, Don Keith 500, Wendell Ledbetter 559, Jim Burke 239-211-222/682, Boylee Inocente 278-246-249/773, Doug Johnson 213/574, John Mathews 247/620, Dominc Antonio 201-223/581, Ron Leidholdt 203/552, Tom Spencer 202/524, Ed Brown 562, Al Williams 547, Wilfred Panton 513, Ning Barcelona 214/572, Fred Meisel 510, Chuck Swanson 551, Edward Buhay 212/516, Jim Plante 227-210/609, Walter Millsap 218/571, Larry Neri 236-191-267/694, Alfredo Cruz 501, Rinze Dykstra 502, Donna May 504, Jorge Fernandez 210-214/604

YOUNG AT HEART

John Brider 136-179-132/447, Maria Larason 137-126-127/390, James Johnson 213-160-185/558, Ellis Houston 148-245-213/606, Willie Creer 203-154-182/539, Tom Pettway 157-186-168/511, Marci Hansen 130-119-130/379, Art Nelson 105-117-136/358, Ed Hansen 202-212-177/591, Rose Belton 134-156-189/479, Leroy Canaday 105-115-102/321, Albert Burnett 170-185-136/491, Jim Plante 185-194-158/537, Rosalind Harris 104-90-100/294, Earl Hullett 136-136-156/428, Tua Sula 150-145-163/458, Wayne Moon 206-158-146/510, Fale Sula 174-212-179/565, Audrey Johnson 129-105-118/351, Ed Johnson 150-152-150/452, Willie Young 175-205-190/570, Gene Hammons 162-162-171/495, Charles Gleason 234-193/427, Albert Stephens 123-141-135/399, Don Jackson 101-76-72/249, Josh Hudson 181-176-183/540, Curtis Whaley 168-181-204/553, Eva Hammons 88-67-94/249, Ed Stoute 229-162-170/561.

ELKS & FRIENDS Greg Kelly 256-222/638, Chris Kelly 221-202, Betty McDiarmid 233, Lee Theiss 214, B.J. 204-256/638, Ralph Buckles 254/641, John Lynch 206-236-203/645.

BIG BEAR

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Phipps 203-167-198/567, Dawn Langer 177-222-200/599, Caroline Head 203-167-176/546, Lillie Darden 161-181-197/539, Jennifer Van Winkle 183-173-180/536, Bheth Alcayde 171-172-177/520, Deborah Saipaia 144-169-201/514, Cindy McKay-Sole 154-179-180/513, Lois Cunningham 175-161-174/510, Georgia Vail 128-177-205/510, Fia Pele 157-178-171/506.

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(1-8-08) Carole Fischer 235-210-202/647, Dee Phipps 237-207/636, Brenda Durnin 224/597, Gladys Funderburk 212/584, Mary Smyth 205-200/582, Karen Witt 207/567, Ora McCormick 547, Betty Phllips 210/532, Kathy Phylow 208/531, Margo McClain 528, Sheryl Culp 215/519, Kim Eastwood 510, Leona Belletti 503. (1-15-08) Mary Smyth 246-203-202/651, Karen Witt 222-205/626, Agnes Blaisdell 216-208/596, Brenda Durnin 205/578, Gladys Funderburk 211/576, Charlene Peterson 222/576, Kim Eastwood 225-204/575, Gaye Stewart 225/574, Carole Fischer 206-201/565, Barbara Bishop 210/541, Dee Phipps 532, Rose Belton 515, Dorothy Murdock 213/512, Ora McCormick 508, Betty Phillips 508, Joyce Weinmann 502, Joan Smith 200.

LAUGHLIN SUNSET

James Matthews 235-234-229/698, Amodd Christion 258/633, Som Seng 254/621, Brandon Mims 224, Paul Puttkamer 222, Eugene Carter 210, John Meeks 210, Rhoda Brown 204, Bill Perkins 203, Don Matthews 201.

JUNIORS

Bobcats

Henry Paredes 143-172-137/452, Nicholas Newby 102, Ryan Binsol 157, Justin Parsons 87, Semaj Lewis 158, Tellor Ruff-Scott 137.

Classified

Logan Khy 142-141, Daniel Brown 256, Raymon Carter

ADULT-JUNIORS Juniors

Ronald Lewis 204, Ashley Foster 193, Daniel Brown 193, Travis Soares 232, Makenna Acosta 118-120, Sadia Ward 210, Alec Aldapa 221-177/545, Matthew Tetter 112, Victoria Tetter 123, Jean Colian 193, Chris Johnson 138-126/364, Kristopher Fabian 146.

Adults

Billy Foster 211-242/612, Matt Mosley 236-235/650, Evette Franklin 196, Mike Villarreal 229-236/602, Bruce Foster 213-234/617, Rita Soares 213, Gary Kowarsch 202.

> FRIDAY NO-TAP (January 18, 2008) FINAL RESULTS

1. Joe Noriego \$50.00 2. John Vanderham 824 29.00 3. David Ferguson 15.50 **SIDEPOTS** 1. John Vanderham, hdcp. 21.00 2. P.J. Yarns, scr. 3. David Ferguson, hdcp. 10.50 Joe Noriego, hdcp. 10.50 3-6-9 POT No winners 161.00 **INSURANCE** David Ferguson 21.00 SCRATCH SERIES POT 800 Rick Llaneta 21.00

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Match Game Winners ABTA Las Vegas
There were nine winners sharing the Match game 3 in the ABTA
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Hou with his son and #1 fan Chandler, Mary Nakunz and
Peechit Butranon who had the matched 192 game.



Relaxing and waiting for their Squad

ABTA Members Sol Cericos, Calvin Thai and Mr. & Mrs

Alex Castillo checked in and await their qualifying squad at
the Orleans



Getting ready to Bowl. ABTA Members Wendell and Sharon Starr get ready to bowl at the Orleans. Wendell is head of the Native American Tournament who also bowls in Las Vegas annually. In the rear are Vickie Mateo and Nympha Cruz whose husbands are avid ABTA bowlers



Match Series Winners sharing \$814 and "299" Shooter Angel Chau. Performing well in the ABTA Las Vegas Open were Victor Fabian and David Quon who shared a \$814 Match Series pot with their 192 games. They flank in the middle Angel Chau who had the tourney high game a great "299". In front are future ABTA Members Kristopher Fabian and niece Mariel Ocampo.



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of our members, Marty Nakunz, William Smith, Jerry Fagan, Peechit Butranon, Chan Hou, Billy Long, Jeff Taino, Raul Aldaz, and Mike Evans. All shared the pot and \$388 each. And NO Joe is not 2 feet taller than Bob, it is a camera angle:-)

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Feb. 9 CAL Bowl / Lakewood 12:00-1:00-2:00 & 3:30 PM Semis 5:00 PM Feb. 23-24 Keystone Lanes/ Norwalk (2) days Sat 12:30-2:00-3:30 & 4:45 PM Sun 10 AM

New Schedules to be mailed soon If Your address has changed let us Know ASAP

We will be visiting the New Trevi Lanes in Lake Elsinore, Midtown Bowl/ Los Angeles and returning to Bowladrome / Torrance and Bahama Lanes / Pasadena on the new schedule to be mailed, and willhave some Super Big Money Events for YOU! Stay Tuned!

ABTA Takes Bye This Week

Premiere Lanes is Next Stop January 27 (One-Day)

Special Squads are 12:00-1:00-2:30-4:00 & 6:00PM Semis 7:45 PM Match Game est \$2,800, and 3-6-9 is \$900 Super Bowl Special / Free Pools, Prizes & Contests

The ABTA will take a bye this week and resume regular tournament action next Saturday Feb 2, at popular Premiere Lanes for our Annual Super Bowl Fun time Event.! A complete Story and results of our Las Vegas Event will appear in next weeks paper.

The Premiere Lanes Event is our Super Bowl Special with Qualifying at 12:00-1:00-2:30-4:00 & 6:00PM. Semis 7:45 PM. We will finish early in this one! This is an Annual Event.

New Members are welcome up to a 209 average, and may join onsite for only\$10. Men and Women qualify separately. The ABTA Guarantees a minimum of 38 semifinalists, 28 men and 7 women with one in five also being added the to the semifinals. Super Seniors, the three highest who do not make the cut(2 men and 1 lady) will also be added to the semifinals.

The board will be frozen with one in five making the Semifinals plus added Super Seniors.

There are Guaranteed Pots of \$75 per game at 4:00 PM, and \$150 at 6:00PM. As always, the pots are only \$2 per game to

First Place in this 5 squad Event is guaranteed at \$1,000 min. and up to \$2,400 can be won 1st Place with full Bonus and Cash n carry options.

The ABTA Semifinalists will all cash. The top 16 in the semis will advance to the exciting Single Elim finals which guarantees a minimum of 3 women.

Premiere Lanes is located at 13210 E. Telegraph Rd, Santa Fe Springs. Take 605 to Telegraph 3 miles East or 5 Freeway to Carmenita North 3 miles to Telegraph West 2 blocks.

The Phone there is 562-941-0271. Our Annual Super Bowl Special Event. There is a free contest for picking the closest to the score of the Super Bowl and winners will get a Weekend in Las Vegas, an ABTA Las Vegas Entry and \$50 in Cash. It is free to enter with each entry bowled. Bring in a new bowler and bowl for 1/2 price at Premiere Lanes. The following week we will be hosted by Cal Bowl in Lakewood.

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Next Two WCST Ebonite Tournament are Filling Fast La Habra "300" Bowl & Ranco Bowl, Santa Maria

by Dick Sanders
LA HABRA—With one month to go before our WCST Ebonite Singles at La Habra "300" Bowl in La Habra, CA, on the week-end of February 23-24, 2008. The maximum field will be 80 bowlers,

Qualifying: Saturday, February 23, 2008, begins at 12:30PM, Check In: 11:45AM. The age eligibility for this tournament is for Seniors: Men, ages 45 to 59, Ladies, 40 to 49, Super Seniors, Men, ages 60 and up, Ladies 50 and up. Bowlers to bowl 10 straight games for qualifying, Finals on the property of the Seniors of the Senior of the Seniors of the Sunday, February 24, 2008, for the Seniors and Super Seniors start at 8:30AM. Entry Fee: \$165.00 for current WCST Members, Guests add \$15.00, Tournament pays a minimum of one cash place for every three entries for both the seniors and super seniors. Super Seniors have two shots at bowling a finals on Sunday. Call the WCST Office now at 760-363-8141 for more detailed information and to enter. If you have a computer, you E-Mail your reservation at wcstour@yahoo.com or click onto www.westcoastseniortour.com

INFORMATION PAGE: INDEX PAGE HAS DETAILS OF WCST EBONITE ALL STAR DOUBLES. SPECIAL ALERT: 48 TEAMS FILLED: THERE IS NOW A

STAND-BY LIST, ONE A FIRST COME FIRST SERVE BASIS
There are no restrictions of Champions from the WCST or any other organization from bowling together. On Friday, March 7th, there are two separate events: A 5 game open singles sweeper to start at 3:00PM, Check In: 2:15PM: \$60.00 to enter, includes side-pots. Brackets are separate at \$5.00 per bracket. At 6:00PM, A Bar BQ Tri-Tip Steak Dinner in the banquet room. \$14.00 per person. You may call the WCST Office at 760-363-8141 for reservations for the tournament and/ or sweeper. You may call Debbie Chambers at 805-264-6497, for dinner reservations. NOTE: For the regular tournament, a half of a team's fee or the whole team's fee sent to the WCST Office, WCST, 10888, West Drive #3, Morongo Valley, CA 92256, NO later than February 15, 2008. This will insure you team's spot in the tournament. Hotel Reservations, as long as they last: 15 rooms set aside at \$95.00 per night. Mention WCST, when calling 805-922-5200.

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February 23-24, 2008 WCST Ebonite Singles George Abrahamsen Realtor Tarbell REALTORS 949-812-9990 La Habra "300" Bowl La Habra, CA \$500.00 Added

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Finals: Sunday, February 24, starts at 8:30AM

Rancho Bowl Santa Maria, CA \$800.00 Added 48 Teams Maximum Field and is filled: A Stand-By List is being Take, 1st come, 1st serve Details for this tournament, if you have www.westcoastseniortour.com Scroll down the INDEX PAGE, or call 760-363-8141.

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March 8-9, 2008

March 15-16, 2008 WCST Ebonite Singles

Pahrump Nugget Lanes, Pahrump, NV

Qualifying: Saturday, March 15, 2008, starts at 10:00AM. Bowl two 5 game blocks, With a one hour lunch break after the 1st 5 games.

Entry Fee: \$165.00 for current WCST Members, Guests to add \$15.00. Avoid Guest Fee and join for \$60.00. Membership, good for one year from the time you

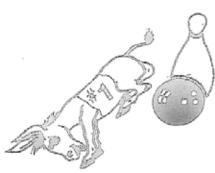
Finals: Sunday, March 16, 2008, starts at 8:30AM. For WCST Format, if you have a Computer, click onto www.westcoastseniortour.com, to the FORMAT Page and/or the

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SMART BALL

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"It's no different than the old days, sort of read the alleys, learn where the ditches, tracks, dressing flowed to, most important figure, sometimes guess which ball to use — hopefully the smart one'

Among the Golden Starters: Jon Brandon, Robert Smith, Tony Figuiera, Paul Varela, Mark French and Brent Ilagan cashed. Non-cashing celebrtites: Missy Bellinder, Dennis Horan, Gary Duran, Pat Beerkel, Jeff Garrison, George Abrahamsen, Vayle Floria, Julie Huntoon, Action Jackson, Doug Svela, Jason Tehee and Charles Willison.

Bandini® by Mancini
Editor's Note: First — Thank You Fountain Bowl for bringing the Pros (and great local bowlers) together to test their talents. With so much "Hype" about Super Bowl playoffs — bowling hardly gets a mention. 99% of bowlers are pure amateurs, who compete for their own amuzement. The one % who takes our game seriously — practices, purchases the latest equipment and sticks their necks out to compete with the Pros once a year.

While watching the "Show" last Sunday from Fountain Bowl the fol-

lowing came to mind: 1. I'm sick of Ham-Bone already!

2. Who were the cashers? Why didn't they run the list? Any local guys

make some money?

3. Why weren't the sponsors & proprietors of Fountain introduced? 4. Why wasn't the press invited to any of the week-long activities?

5. Is Frank Kietz (now 92) getting enough to eat? 6. Does the L.A. Times still have a sports section?

7. Did any of the local T.V. stations know the Pros were in town? Maybe Fountain Bowl will send us a list of the Pro-Am winners and

the P.B.A. cashers. Check next weeks paper.

Double thanks to our man Frank Keitz for using his legendary nose for news and coming up with the answers to some of my questions.

Carol Mancini

SAN GABRIEL VALLEY USBC

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SINGLES & DOUBLES -

Sun. Feb 24 - YOUTH 8:00 am, ADULT 11:00 am SAT. March 1 - ADULT 11:00 am, YOUTH 3:00 pm **Look For Entry Forms In Any San Gabriel Center** or Call 626-859-6216

ENTRIES CLOSE FEBRUARY 1, 2008

Special Event Brings Bowling Back To Network Television

GREENDALE, Wis. - For the first time in nearly a decade, the sport of bowling will return to network television when Bowling's Clash of Champions, a United States Bowling Congress event, airs

The special made-for-television event, presented in cooperation with Strike Ten Entertainment, will take place May 7-8 at the USBC Convention in Kansas City, Mo., and will feature 16 champions from USBC events as well as the U.S. Open. The "Clash" will be taped and is scheduled for broadcast on CBS Sports on Saturday, May 10 from 5-6 p.m. Eastern and Sunday, May 11 from 4-5 p.m. Eastern.

The event will mark the first time bowling has been broadcast on network television since June 26, 1999, when the Professional Bowlers Association's ACDelco All-Star Classic aired on CBS

Sports.

"The USBC is proud to bring exciting, high-stakes bowling competition back to network television," USBC Chief Operating Officer Kevin Dornberger said. "Bowling is America's favorite lifetime sport, and on these shows champions from youth players to professional bowling's greatest stars will be battling in a unique setting with a compelling format that no one who has ever bowled can miss.'

"We are pleased to welcome the sport of bowling back to network television," said Rob Correa, Senior Vice President, Programming, CBS Sports. "Our viewers will enjoy the exciting format, featuring competitors of all ages.

Four lanes will be constructed on the floor of the Kansas City Municipal Auditorium to host the competition. The USBC Convention stage will be built on top of the pinsetters inside the 10,000-seat arena.

Bowling's Clash of Champions will feature eight men and eight women ranging from teenagers to seniors who won their respective events during the 2007 calendar year. The players will battle for a \$50,000 first-place prize and \$100,000 overall prize pool.

The men's field will showcase USBC Masters champion Sean Rash, U.S. Open winner Pete Weber, USBC Open Championships Regular All-Events titlist Mike Rose Jr., USBC Senior Masters winner Tom Baker, U.S. Amateur champion David O'Sullivan, U.S. Junior Amateur champion Adam Martinez, USBC Youth Open all-events titlist Jason Price and USBC Intercollegiate Singles Championships winner Tim Pfeifer.

Competing in the women's field is USBC Queens champion Kelly Kulick, U.S. Women's Open winner Liz Johnson, USBC Women's Championships Classic All-Events titlist Wendy Macpherson, USBC Senior Queens winner Lucy Sandelin, U.S. Amateur champion Lynda Barnes, U.S. Junior Amateur champion Jenny Brown, USBC Youth Open all-events titlist Brittni Hamilton and USBC Intercollegiate Singles Championships winner

The players will start competition with an eight-game seeding round at a local bowling center in the Kansas City area on May 7. The following day, the players will take part in a shootout format at the Municipal Auditorium to shrink the field from 16 to four (two men and two women) on the first telecast. The final round, which follows the shootout, will feature semifinal matches with the remaining man and woman facing off for the title.

The USBC Convention brings the business and sport of bowling together. Industry leaders and stars of the game mingle with representatives from state and local associations and members from across the country in the true spirit of information sharing and determining the sport's future. Approximately 2,000 people are expected to attend the 2008 USBC Convention.

For more information on Bowling's Clash of Champions, visit

the event's web page on bowl.com. Strike Ten Entertainment

Headquartered in Arlington, Texas, Strike Ten Entertainment is the centralized marketing, management, and licensing company for the bowling industry. STE is the "single source" provider of all corporate sponsorships creating a turnkey approach to marketing the sport of bowling to contemporary youth and adults

SAN GABRIEL VALLEY USBC ASSOCIATION

by A. A. Turtle

Hope the New Year is being great to everybody and that your bowling scores are all going up. We have lots of tournaments planned for the New Year and hope to see everybody participat-

You, the bowlers are the ones asking for these, so we are put ting them on. The next one coming up is this Sunday January 27, 2008 for all certified bowlers that are 55 years and older. It is our Annual Seniors Singles Invitational. You don't have to be a San Gabriel Valley member you just need to be a certified USBC card holder. The tournament will be held at AMF Bowling Square in Arcadia. Cost is \$20.00 per bowler. Check-in at Noon and bowl

The next event will be our "Bowl for the Cure" tournament on February 10, 2008 at BRC Covina Lanes. Watch for flyers.

Then we have our final event, for the BVL, on Sunday February 17, 2008. It will be the awards luncheon at 2p.m. Held at BRC st Covina Lanes, cost is \$20.00 per person. The meal will be a chicken dinner. Everybody is welcome to attend. We are only \$500.00 away from hitting our goal of \$10,000.00. We hope you can come and help us meet this goal.

Entries for the San Gabriel Valley Championship Tournaments (Men, Women and Youth) will be closing on February 1, 2008. So get your entries in. There are no onsite sign-ups. Flyers are at all the bowling centers. Stop by the office or go to our web site and download your entries. There will be two weekends. The first weekend will be February 23 & 24 with Team event on Saturday and Singles/Doubles on Sunday. The next weekend will be March 1 & 2 with Singles/Doubles on Saturday and Team on Sunday. This is for those of you that can not bowl on Saturday will still be able to participate in all 3 events by bowling on the two Sundays. This was a request by you the bowlers from last year. Please come out and support your local association in this tournament. REMEM-BER, THE MORE ENTERIES THE BETTER THE PRIZE FUND WILL BE. The next event will be March 8 & 9, 2008, the Singles "Scratch/Handicap" Tournament. Once again this will involve everybody, Men, Women and Youth. The adult side will have a scratch event for those with high averages and a handicap event for the lower average bowlers. The Youth will have 3 divisions, all scratch. This will replace your scratch tournament we used to have during our local championship tournament on Saturday nights. These events are open to all bowlers that have a USBC certified card. Check for flyers on our web site. They will also be out soon to the bowling centers and will be available at the City Championship Tournament. Bowl on Saturday as your qualifying and Sunday will be the roll offs.

Until the next time, spread the word about bowling and remember this is a sport for everybody. There are no bench warmers in bowling. Learn more about the association by going on our website: San GabrielValleyUSBC.com.

National Deaf Bowling News by Connie Marchione

Malucci Wins 3rd Straight Deaf

Bowlers Classic with 932 at Linbrook
ANAHEIM—The 45th annual So. Calif. Deaf Bowlers Classic
held at Linbrook Bowling Center had succeeded its largest entry with 50 since 1998. For the past 10 years the entries were under 50 because the deaf bowlers avoided or boycotted this handicap tournament because its rules allowed hot shot and PBA deaf bowlers to compete. Last year's Classic at Keystone Lanes was

its worst with 31 entries.

Last Saturday the So Calif. Deaf Bowlers officers were gratified when a surprising large 28 entrants started to bowl on the 4 PM squad.

That came after two squads of just 11 entrants each on the 12:30 and 2:15 squads. The bowlers entered in spite of the re-entries of deaf hot shots, Carl Malucci and Ken DeGroff and two former PBA bowlers Mark Fisser and Darrell Stogryn, who bowled on

The defending champion Malucci who won the last two Classics succeeded for 3rd straight time with games of 240-269-203-220 for a 932 total with zero handicap made on the 2:15 squad. His 932 was his lowest winning score edging Mike Moore's 929 total bowled on the 12:30 squad. Moore, a former champion who was re-rated to 190 average for winning the Donkee tournament last year, had games of 187-258-211-177 plus 96 handicap. Malucci got the \$500 first place prize and More \$250.00 for 2nd. Miire also get \$25 0.00 for his Early Rird high men's handicap score

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Third place went to the three time champion Fisser who also bowled with zero handicap on the 4 PM squad scoring 216-227-236-223 for 902 total. Fisser re-entered after a good 859 total on the 2:15 squad.

Fisser received \$125.00 for 3rd plus the \$25.00 Late Bird men's high scratch score.

For the first time 4 women placed in the next 5 places with Jennifer Vasquez taking 4th place by bowling over her average in each of her 4 games for 538 plus 340 hdcp for 878 total good

in each of her 4 games for 538 plus 340 hdcp for 8/8 total good for \$70.00.

Fifth place went to a male bowler a former champion Gorman Low with his 723 plus 152 hdcp 875 total for \$60.00.

The remaining 3 women took next 3, with 6th place \$50.00 going to Denise Burrows who bowled over her average in three games after doing badly in first game for 529 plus 340 hdcp 869 total. The 7th place was tied by Nicole Elgrably and Faith Rancic with same score 857.and each got \$35,00.

Elgrably's 857 bowled on the 12:30 squad also got her the Early Bird Women's handicap \$25.00 prize and she also collected \$14.00 for her 230 high women's game.

The men Frank Sotelo took 9th place \$25.00 with his 856 and

The men Frank Sotelo took 9th place \$25.00 with his 856 and Phil Sanchez 10th and last place \$23.00 with his 854. Stella Lopez got the women's Late Bird high scratch total with her 579.

As usual there was a large crowd meddling and watching. When Malucci, the deafdom's most 300 game shooter, re-entered on the 4 PM squad, he was not doing well on first three game. In his fourth he caught fire and thrilled the crowd and other bowlers with 10 strikes in row but on his 11th he left one pin standing and with 10 strikes in row but on his 11th he left one pin standing and spared for a 289 and 896 total. The games got him the \$50.00 high men's game prize. So. Calif. Deaf Bowlers thanks John Haveles and Stacv Rider

for hosting the Cllassic and for the extra lanes for the 4 PM over-flow entries. Thanks to Ed, Sharon, Paul and my wife Dorothy for their wonderful assistance in handling the tournament. Most of

Stan Por Wins Third ABT Championship at AMF Valley View

GARDEN GROVE-Stan Por won his third Orange County Amateur Bowlers Tour (ABT) championship at AMF Valley View on Saturday, January 19, 2008 during our one-day 4-game Beatthe-Board tournament. Stan bowled in our 2PM squad and shot games of 230, 251, 262, and 290 for a handicap series of 1033 on his way to winning the \$700 first place prize. Jan Fishburn from Yorba Linda came in second shooting a 971 handicap series and took home \$350. Garrett Kakishita from Santa Ana came in third shooting a handicap series of 965 took home \$175.

Stan Por is a past champion and a lifetime member of ABT. Stan has a 300 game and 755 series to his credit. He was using a Brunswick Vapor Zone drilled by Ben Mach for the win this weekend. Stan wanted to thank his friends, Garrett Kakishita, Gerry Hingco, Inno Harman, Marcel Tedjasukmana and Chris Ragunton, for their encouragement and support. Stan also wanted to thank Valley View for hosting the tournament and to the ABT Staff and Directors for running an outstanding tournament. Stan plans on using his winnings for more ABT tournaments.

Jan Fishburn was the winner of the optional 4-game Scratch Sweeper and \$100 with an 891 scratch series. Joshua James came in second for \$60 with a scratch series of 881.

The Mystery Game Pot of Gold game and score were drawn after our final squad. Game #4 was the game drawn, and 254 (possibly good for \$300) was drawn for the first chance. The second chance score of 115 (possibly good for \$150) and third chance score of 226 (possibly good for \$75) were then drawn. There were no winners. Remember, the Mystery Pot of Gold is available to all members (Classic and Masters) and only costs \$5.

The ABT staff and membership would like to thank the management and staff at AMF Valley View for hosting our tournament.

We will not have a local tournament this weekend due to the Southwest Regional being held at the Gold Coast in Las Vegas. Our next scheduled local event will be Saturday, February 2, 2008 at AMF Valley View. This will be a Classic and Masters Combined Singles four-game beat the board format. All members (Classic and Masters) are eligible. Handicap will be 80% of 225. Squad times will be 12, 2 and 4 PM. We will offer \$100 side pots on each squad with just 20 entrants, as well as optional brackets for each squad. First place will be \$1000 with 100 entries for only a \$55 dollar entry fee. First place with full Progressive and 100 entries will be \$2,200. We hope to see you Saturday, February 2 at Valley View!



ABT Director Trudi Thompson and Champion Stan Por.

Women's Bowling Marathon Set To Air Jan. 27

ESPN Classic to air USBC Queens, U.S. Women's Open shows

GREENDALE, Wis. - Fans of women's bowling will get another chance to watch their favorite competitors Jan. 27 when ESPN Classic features seven hours of non-stop action.

The marathon begins at noon Eastern Standard Time with a re-airing of the 2006 USBC Queens. The 2007 Queens will be next followed by the five shows from the 2007 U.S. Women's Open, a USBC event.

"The USBC is excited for this great opportunity to expose top level women's bowling to more sports fans," said USBC Vice President for Marketing/Communications Tom Clark. "This is the first time women's bowling will air on ESPN Classic, and fans will see an awesome lineup of talent all day. Bowling fans won't want to miss the chance to watch the

2007 U.S. Women's Open from the round of 16 all the way through to the final in five straight shows." Here's a recap of the seven shows that are scheduled to air until 7 p.m. Eastern:

•Noon - 1 p.m. - 2006 USBC Queens - Former USBC Team USA members Shannon Pluhowsky, Liz Johnson, Kim Terrell and Mandy Wilson join star pro bowler Dana Miller-Mackie in the stepladder finals at the National Bowling Stadium in Reno, Nev.

●1-2 p.m. - 2007 USBC Queens - Wendy Macpherson aims for a record fourth Queens title. She has to beat Kelly Kulick, Diandra Asbaty, Kristal Scott and Shannon O'Keefe to do it at AMF Carolina Lanes in suburban Charlotte, N.C.

•2-3 p.m. - 2007 U.S. Women's Open Quarterfinal 1 - After a four-year absence, the U.S. Women's Open returned to television with USBC High School Spokesperson Carolyn Dorin-Ballard, USBC College Spokesperson Kim Terrell, college star Karen Stroud and USBC Hall of Famer Tish Johnson seeking the first spot for the finale.

•3-4 p.m. - 2007 U.S. Women's Open Quarterfinal 2 - Another strong lineup featuring Liz Johnson, Missy Bellinder, Kelly Kulick

and Shannon Pluhowsky. •4-5 p.m. - 2007 U.S. Women's Open Quarterfinal 3 - 2007

Amateur Champion Linda Barnes hopes for another victory in a show that features Michelle Feldman, Amy Stolz and Amanda Burgoyne.

•5-6 p.m. - 2007 U.S. Women's Open Quarterfinal 4 - Upand-coming bowlers Shannon O'Keefe, Stefanie Nation and Olivia Sandham and veteran Wendy Macpherson battle for the final spot in the finals.

•6-7 p.m. - 2007 U.S. Women's Open Championship - The winners of the four previous shows meet for the \$25,000 first prize.

Looking ahead, the next live televised major women's bowling championship will be the finals of the 2008 USBC Queens from Detroit on April 30 at 7 p.m. Eastern on ESPN2.

Johnson, Bohr Surge Into **Lead at Team USA Trials**

HENDERSON, Nev. - Hall of Famer Tish Johnson of Colorado Springs, Colo., put her experience to the test Wednesday at the 2008 United States Bowling Congress Team USA Trials, firing a 300 game to roll into the lead in the women's division.

Johnson, who used a different ball on each lane during the perfect game, fired 2,171 for nine games in Round 2, an average of 241 per game, to take the overall lead with 3,942 at Sunset Station's Strike Zone Bowling Center. Former Denny's PBA Tour exempt player Nathan Bohr of Wichita, Kan., had a Round 2 total of 2,332, an average of 259, and leads the men with 4,157

Johnson, who is joined in the field by fellow USBC Hall of Famers Anne Marie Duggan and Dana Miller-Mackie, rebounded after opening the tournament with a disappointing 1,771. She's ahead of first-round leader Stefanie Nation of Orlando, Fla., by

The experience is a factor because I know how to adjust faster than some of the younger players," Johnson said. "I tried to help some of them today while we were bowling. I explained you have to watch the ball, the way it's breaking and have to pay attention to the lane. A lot of the new kids are still learning how to make

A 25-time winner on the Professional Women's Bowling Association Tour, Johnson, 45, has always dreamed of becoming a member of Team USA. As a professional bowler much of her career, she was never eligible to join Team USA until a rule change in August allowed her to take a shot.

"To represent your country in anything you do is pretty awe-some as far as I'm concerned," Johnson said. "The people who are on Team USA are the best at that given time, and I feel I'm

On the men's side, Bohr racked up a 108-pin lead on Cassidy Schaub of Polk, Ohio. Bohr, who was an exempt player on the Denny's PBA Tour during the 2005-06 season and is the PBA Southwest Region points leader with one event remaining, is looking to join Team USA for the first time in his career after being a member of Junior Team USA from 2000-02.

"I had a feeling that this was probably going to be my favorite pattern because of the way I like to see the lane," Bohr said of Wednesday's Short lane condition. "I was able to just be me today and do what I was good at. I was probably further right than almost

> everybody I bowled with and the spot I was looking at never broke down."

Johnson and Bohr both earned \$500 prizes for being squad leaders while Amanda Burgoyne of Newport, Minn., and Del Ballard Jr. of North Richland Hills, Texas, each pocketed \$250 for second place. Burgoyne totaled 2,004 while Ballard closed the day with a 299 game for 2,158.

Competition continues Thursday with the third of four nine-game blocks. After 36 games, the top two men and top two women will automatically earn spots on Team USA. An additional two men and two women from the remaining field will be selected to join the team.

For more information on the 2008 Team USA Trials, including stories, results and photos, visit bowl.com.



Scratch Tournament on February 2nd at Action Lanes **Guaranteed \$1200 1st Place - NO MATTER WHAT**

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WINNETKA — We hope everyone had a wonderful weekend. It certainly is winter with the rain and cold temperatures all around the state. This is a good time to take a look at the high scores fom the bowlers here at Canoga Park Bowl.

Copper Bucket: Congratulations to our league champs, Team 1, Lot A Wood, Judy Yeager, Mark Woslum, Paul Prober and Rusty Yeager. Scores from week 16: Steve Borosich 214/619, Gary Reed 233/611, Karen Vance 201/559, Tom Tucker 214, Chris Meade 213, Rusty Yeager Jr. 211

Adult Junior Doubles: Senior-Fred Carr 220/593. Adult—Trish Wilson 150/417, Jason Kalmanson 247/657, Chip Minot 228/603, Jay Chaykin 215, Anthony Franco 202. Youth—Kevn Gross 235/680, AJ Minot 239/601, Dustin Chaykin 211/575, Eric Czubiak 130/385, Nick Ahadzadeh 162/364, Jennifer Pyka 203/520, Ashlee Rollin 101/298.

Phil Am: Phillip Gayatin 216/607, Helen Ventenilla 203/525, Christian Viray 243, Raul Ventenilla 213.

River Maniacs: Johnnie Englehart 300/755, Bill Williams 259/733, Ruben Sarkissian 732, Bob Englehart 288/707, Bob Scherzberg 663, Bridgette Swearngin 256/602, Marsha Williams 214/582, Carolyn Scherzberg 211/573, Ray Stoy 266, Robert Joseph 265.

Monday Nite Live: Frank Villaorlad 248/675, Dave Cook 225/649, Marc Loshin 243/610, Lucy Tralla 232/560, Candy Adams 539, Carol Casuga 204/514, Dennis Llamas 227, Dan Phearson 224

Comedians: Robert Battle 714, Ruben Sarkissian 279/693, Stephen Mendez 267/686, Danie Stipkovich 683, Rich Colella 277/657, Patti McVicker 212/563, Deanna Pyka 536, Jan Sandman 534, Amanda Gross 200/528, Peggy DeGrasse 522, Lou Cherpin 269, Pete Garcia 258.

Tuesday Pick-A-Ball Doubles (4-games): Senior— Allan Nathan 166/611, Maddy Nathan 137/507. Adult—Kim Tannous 201/686, Bill Williams 297/879, James Smith Jr. 227/817, Bruce Zietz 227/801, Jun Tumacay 211. Youth-Daniel Williams 258/948, Samantha Meyers 206/697, Matthew Rollin 252/723.

Viva Las Vegas: Jared Goldschen 266/695, Curtis Litzenberg 263/679, Stephen Mendez 256/650, Mike Johnson 632, Ryan Roberts 630, Tiffany Morita 233/647, Bernie Lebel 244

Pinbusters: Lil Baker 189/540, Susan Barnhart 197 First Lutheran Church: Jerome Hampton 220/642, Bob Pfleger 248/628, Lourdes J. D. 167/459, Wayne Coffman 242, Rick Godin 222, Zach Granat 213.

PBA Experience Singles: Steve Horenstein 261/808, Stephen Mendez 223/768, Dave Schaffer 248/747, Scott Friedman 218/739, Chip Minot 725, Andrew Thomas 707, Fred Sloss 201/695, T. Fox 692, Ken McElvaney 209/692, Tiffany Morita 188/692. Boys—Matt Jones 209/689, Scott Englehart 196/688.

500 Classic: Georgia Garey 256/689, Petra Kaun 231/620, Pauline Aldrich 227/571, Mary Lauer 568, Candy Adams 565, Arlene Bonino 221, Marsha Williams 216.

The Classics: Scott Loudon 253/599, Tina Enriquez 225/596, Terri Justin 224/591, Bert Rubens 234/551, Shawnee Warrick 537, Pam Findl 531, Tim Stake 224, Louis Enriquez 210, Bob Ballard 202, Sharon Enriquez 214, Deanie Kepner 206.

Thursday Pick-A-Ball Doubles (4-games): Kvaun Sanchulo 213/822, Patricia Gross 177/622, Rey Marin 247, Paul Barkley Jr. 245, Peter Thibodeaux 219, James Hudgins 215, Greg Welch 213, Shavondra Miller 211.

Bnai Brith Classic: Roman Agiert 245/690, Tom Leigh 259/684, Jay Rosen 248/659, Mark Fienberg 249/651, Jay Davies 628, Stu Teichner 237/628.

Vegas For Fun: Robert Spengeman 259/678, Ivan Lewis 240/640, Vaughn Fountain 257/635, Al Thoburn 226/607, Pam Fountain 189/521, Joel Seguin 215.

CC Nikkei: Russ Yamaguchi 236/681, Eiji Fukumoto 244/661, Bing Lau 269/660, Kenneth Morita 658, Sam Fukumoto 256/635, Stephen Sasaki 635, Noriko Fukunaga 212/545, Pei Eto 205/537, Katsuko Fujita 203/521, Kay Nakama 518, Masami Miyoshi 513, Kevin Eto 246, Misato Sakata 211. Take care and we'll see you on the lanes.

Canoga Park Jrs.

WINNETKA — There's always something going on here at Canoga Park Bowl. Leagues starting and

some ending.
Sutter Goldminers: Congratulations to league champs, Team 11 consisting of team members Carlos Saucedo, Luis Zavala and Brian Herrera. Scores were reported from week 13: Jess R. Carmona Jr. 132/324 Chris le week 13: Jess R. Carmona Jr. 132/364, Chris Jamgotchia 130/335, Luis Zavala 113/315, Jonathan Candelaria 116/304, Brian Herrera 295, Lisa Petrone 123/304, Marisa Lopez 105/302, Alejandra Haro 121/294, Alejandra Felix 114/285, Alejandra Catton 102/265, Aleyandra Haro Melanie Catton 103/265, Alex Her-

Junior PBA Experience: Noel Sosa 168/472, Jennifer Pyka 178/455, Brandon Bradley 173/435.

Junior Royals: Kevin Gross 254/669, David Sheeran 190/528, Keith Nelson 152/390, Justin Wall 129/283, John Nelson 88/252, Julia Frias 117/327, Alina Medina 103/291.Good bowling, juniors!

Canoga Park Srs. are the seniors this week? Looking at the senior league sheets here at Canoga Park Bowl, I must say that we have some very nice scores to report.

49 Ers Senior Trio:Richard Greenzweight 246/706, Mel Neiditch 254/649, Dale Rubin 244/617, Bill Robb 226/605, Don McCoy 210/546, Mary Lauer 172/484, Nancy Cottrell 162/450, Mazie Little 135/394,

Lucy McCoy 127/349. Funtimers: Steve Herndon 276/758, Dave Yahn 246/685, Richard Greenzweight 235/635, Al Reiswig 236/621, Bill Robb 216/559, Ellie Al-liston 178/509, Jackie Becker 203/498, Karen McDonald 476, Bobbie Walker 183/474, Maria Volkert 458, Harriet Faith 201, Eleanor Weaver 170.

39'Ers Senior Trio: Richard Greenzweight 246/729, Al Re-iswig 255/693, Larry George 241/659, Hung-Lay Quon 646, Bill Robb 241/643, Carolyn Scherzberg 210/606, Lucy Tralla 204/592, Mary Lauer 515, Lil Baker 191/507, Helen Layfield 507, Bob Adams 255, Edwin Narte 246, Kay Leovy 192, Bernice S. Nixon 190.

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vantage. In his second match against No. 3 Tommy Delutz Jr., a 269-224 win, Scroggins struck eight consecutive times after an eight-spare in the second frame while Delutz never recovered from two spares and an open in the first four frames.

The third match was never in question as No. 2 seed Jack Jurek was unable to strike until the sixth frame while Scroggins struck seven consecutive times after a nine-spare in the first frame, cruising to the 254-199 win.

Scroggins took home \$25,000 for the win and an exemption for the 2008-09 season, while Barnes (Double Oak, Texas), who fell to 0-5 in championship rounds this season, earned \$13,000 for second. Jurek (Lackawanna, N.Y.) took home \$6,500 for third, Delutz (Flushing, N.Y.) earned \$5,500 for fourth while Weber (St. Ann, Mo.) earned \$5,000 for fifth.

The Denny's PBA Tour heads to Las Vegas, Nev., for two events next week, the 2008 PBA Exempt Doubles Classic Jan. 20-22 and the H&R Block Tournament of Champions, Jan. 23-27. The live ESPN-televised finals of the H&R Block Tournament of Champions take place Sunday, Jan. 27 at 12:30 p.m. while the PBA Exempt Doubles Classic finals take place immediately after and will air Sunday, Feb. 3 at 2 p.m. EST.

USBC

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Arlington creating an international bowling campus," said USBC President Jeff Bojé.

USBC Headquarters will move to Arlington unless there is a breakdown in the negotiations relating to the property. If all details can be worked out, USBC is expected to move its headquarters operations within a year. In addition to office space for approximately 235 overall employees, the new complex would include a combined equipment testing and

international training center. "The property we are looking at is in a very high profile area that we believe will help enhance the visibility of the sport of bowling," Bojé added. "In addition to being close to Six Flags, the Texas Rangers baseball stadium and new Dallas Cowboys football stadium are close by. There also are a number of other entertainment venues in the vicinity.

With USBC and BPAA under the same roof, there's an untold number of ways we can work together to help grow the sport," Bojé said. "There already are a number of joint programs that we work together on and this proposal would allow us to do so even more."

USBC and BPAA announced in November their boards of directors had approved study of how much their operations should be integrated. The goal was to use such efficiencies to help grow the sport of bowling.



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These lovey dovey bowlers have been_caressing the lanes with great shots this entire season. The scores are heating up and the tensions are rising as the coveted 1st place trophies are starting to be molded. Will you be on the

receiving end, check out the scores:

Tavern Guild: Jeff Pifko 233/692, Rick Kondo 611, Tina Hackett 225/636, Naida Angarita 203/522, David Quam 230, Brian Hogan 218.

Twilighters: Scott Brutz 267/697, Jim Moore 246/683, Ron Koblin 245/671, Eric Maize 245/638, Kelly Perdue 636, Denise Maiman 189/493, Michael Holt 254.

Kings and Queens: William Walls 244/581, David McKennett 220, Jonathan Gitlin 218, Bill Vargas 218, Lori

Ellett 211. Funseekers: Keane Murakami 269/694, Tom Wigmore 248/652, John Wooler 279/652, Lisa Frobisher 193/528. S.C.B.L.: Tony Laanan 256/756, Jim Foltyn 256/672, Walt

Bost 268/653, Keane Murakami 652, Scott Spande 235/647, Michael Gehrke 244.

PINZ JUNIORS

The young ones have been showing us up here at Pinz. They are easily showing us why they are pro quality with their terrific scores and maturing attitudes. Make sure to keep up on your studies and your practice, so that we can show everyone else in the state that we have the best junior bowlers. You're on the way look:

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Senior Scratch: Nikolai Berk 258/862, Nathan Honda 249/829, Jamie Spector 253/769, Ethan Bensinger 755, Molly Gruber 228/739, Teddy Galvan 243.

Senior Galaxies: Jordan Richman 200/500, Brian Ingoldsby 181/498, Mario Vargas 144/395, Matt Parker 134/384, Stirling McCulloch 142/379.

Junior Stars: Nicole Martinez 107/289, Nicholas Martinez

Pee Wees: Jeffery Lim 80/149, Andrew Parker 76/141. PINZ SENIORS/LADIES

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Happy Timers: Sol Karnovitz 213/574, Ken Burkenheim 209/564, Ruth Swick 168/450, Cynthia Burkenheim

Coffee & Donuts: Elayne Klein 191/501.

Breakfast Club: Nancy Sherwood 479, Elayne Klein 173/463, Terri Jowdy 189/446, Alba Donohue 423, Pam Vaughn 423, Joyce Bergson 169, Bernie Filosa 169, Joan Karchem 169.

Pin Pals: Karen Collier 209/549, Marcia Shourt 171/459, Sharon Brooks 157/422, Judy Kautz 161/421, Shelly Djer-

Joslyn Seniors: Gary Olsen 543, Bob Garrick 197/532, Teri Bonato 167/468, Lillian Kleinman 428, Sol Karnovitz 203, Audrey Bales 166.

Senior Social: Gary Olsen 179/483, Gas Sunampong 160/453, Charlene Gffney 197/480, Christine Stark 396, Teri Bonato 152.

Bowler of the Week: This week's best kegler is a superstar of a person, Tony Laanan. He bowled games of 256 and 234 for a 756 series. This man is a hot commodity on our bowling league circuit and is trying to help his team finish in 1st place. Make sure to tell him good job and let him know he is swell.

Sweetness quote of the week: Your identity and your success go hand in hand. Many people sacrifice their identities by not doing what they really want to do. And that's why they're not successful. — Lila Swell

Leonard Ruiz Wins Forest **6-Game Title**

by Frank Kietz

LAKE FOREST — Who won Forest Lanes' 6-Gamer \$300 title Noon Saturday, January 19? Tournament Director Herbert Jones said, the little guy, Leonard Ruiz, standing next to the big guy, Steve Gurrieri, who won \$180 second place.

The little guy rolled a sixth game 248 to cap a winning 1369 series while Gurrieri finished with a 201 in a 1332 set.

To cash, the 26-player field had to knock down 1312 pins-218 average.

The popular sweeper paid out \$980 in prizes plus optional sidepots The high game pots were worth \$26 each and the 3-game

block paid \$52 each. The Corona pro shop owner/ operator won the first block

with a 238/690 and a high 246 game going home with \$378. Gurrieri is from the Citrus

area, gets pro shop services from Ruiz. He got one high game, 236, homeward bound with \$206.

Jim Stark was third with a 257/1330 picking up \$26 and a third place \$140.

Brandon Owens came out like gangbusters with an 11strike 289 finishing fourth for \$100 Mike Lawson got five 200 games for fifth place 1312 worth \$60. Lou O'Neal finished like a hero with a 268 game plus an afternoon high 692 series getting \$78.

Tim O'Neal posted one 200 game, a 267 claining a \$26 pot.

Director Jones wants to thank the super crowd and the two women, Jennifer Wayne and Jenielle Sakata, that entered.

Jones added, the 6-gamer is a friendly event on friendly conditions. The next sweeper is noon, Saturday, February 16, The \$300 title is guaranteed. Call 949-770-0055 for a reservation or information.

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by David Yamauchi

Mark French Calls It A Career

Very special congratulations to JAT All-Star Mark French on the end of his junior career. Mark started in the Farm Club in 1997 and bowled 10 seasons of JAT Farm Club and Open Division capturing a record 21 Open Division titles. Mark also shattered the JAT scoring records with his 1360 (272.0 average) 5-game qualifying score and his 1617 (269.5 average) 6-game qualifying score. Mark was also the first JAT bowler to shoot 2 800 series in a JAT event- shooting them back-to-back in his record-setting qualifying set. He currently holds the USBC National record for 800 series by a junior and was a former member of TeamUSA. Mark bowled his first National PBA event this week and cashed down at Fountain. My personal best wishes to Mark as he starts his adult career after being a great example of what the JAT is

JAT Alumni Represent At Fountain

Did you know that over 10% of the qualifying field at the Dick Weber Open last week were JAT Alumni? Congratulations to Alum Jon Brandon on making the Match Play field of the top-24 and finishing in 13th place. Nice bowling Jon!

Kraye Is Perfect To Take The Title

Congratulations to Brandon Kraye on his first JAT title last event at ABC Moreno Valley. Brandon and 2nd place finisher Travis Zehntner battled to a 1-1 tie before Brandon got red-hot and shot 300 in the final game for the title. Brandon takes home a \$200 scholarship for his win with Travis banking \$100 for second place.

Sayles Is Perfect, French Rings A Seven

Congratulations to Eddie Sayles on his perfect 300 game at Moreno Valley. Congrats also go out to Mark French who strung the front-11 and rang a wicked 7-pin for 299. Nice bowling both of you!

Our Next Event

Our next event will be this Sunday, January 27th at Palos Verdes Bowl in Torrance. Check in at 8:30 and bowl at 9:00. There will be brackets for both Farm Club and Open Division and the \$142 in the Clean 50 carried over again. You can watch tournament highlights at www.youtube.com and searching for "Junior Amateur Tour" and of course check out our website at www.bowljat.org for up to the date information. Hope to see you all on the lanes this Sunday!



Champ Brandon Kraye and 2nd Travis Zehntner



Director Dave Yamauchi presents Mark French with his banner

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Black, Low, Fraijo & Kraye Earn **JST Titles at Del Rosa Lanes**

SAN BERNARDINO—Sunday January 20th found JST at Del Rosa Lanes for their first tournament of 2008. I must say it was a great day. To walk into a bowl that is ready for the tournament bowlers was a magnificent feeling, and it didn't stop there, the whole staff was smiling all the time and very helpful when ever you needed something. The center is under new ownership and you can tell that the new owners and management have brought their passion for the game to the operation of the center. I commend Ms Nicole Ellison the new owner and the management and staff lead by Dave Wodka, If was a pleasure to come to Del Rosa Lanes and I hope you will invite us back. To top it off the bowling was good also. I must thank our great sponsors for all the support and help they give us. Our membership raffle sponsored by Roto Grip was won by Jordan Davis in the Novice division she won a mid to entry level ball of her choice Congratulations Jordan.

The novice division bowled well, but Sasha Black bowled very strong to secure her 2nd win of the season. Adam Dubia led the group into match play with a 930 series and an individual high game of 212 let Adam gain the high gm points and high series points, a good days work. Sasha took over in match play winning all three of her matches bring her to the number 1 seed. In the first match Adam rolled a nice 172 to def Vincent Nolan, but Sasha was ready rolling a solid 200 to bests Adam's 180.

The intermediate div only went total pins not having enough bowlers for a cut to match play. Wesley Low won the intermediate averaging a solid 190 for the 5 games allowing him to win the point for high series. But Randy Mathis took the points for high game with a nice 223 game.

Advance division was a solid field of 20 plus bowlers. Brett Huntoon led the field into match play with a high series of 1044 for the points, he also secured the high game points with a 279 game way to go Brett. In match play a couple of the girls decided it was time they were heard from with Jaime Ferry jumping into the #1 spot, Christina Fraijo crushing them and moving into the # 2 spot, Brett drop to 3rd seed and Glenn Gimeno grip the last spot. In the first match Bret had run out of lane and Glenn rolled a 224 vs Bretts 171, Glenn moving on to meet Christina who was still on kill rolling a 215 to def Glenns 187. It was now time for the battle of the ladies Christina up against Jaime Ferry. Christina stayed solid winning with a 216 to Jaime's 188.

Open division Shane Peck lead the field into match play rolling high series of 1160 for 5, gaining those points, high game by 1 pin went to J.R with a 279 over Shanes 278. Match play was a different story. Shane was unable to win a match dropped to the #4 seed, J.R won all three moving him to the #1 seed with Brandon Kraye winning 2 moving into the #2 seed and Mark Curtis the #3. Shane rolled 232 to def Mark's 209, Brandon ended that with a 233 vs Shanes 208. Brandon saved the best for last rolling a 255 to J.R.'s 209. This is Brandon first title in JST Congratulations.

Congratulations to all the winners a good day was had by all. I apologize for the schedule not being updated yet but It will be soon. Keep watching the web site for the next tournament location the site is www.jstbowl.com. Again To Del Rosa Lanes Nicole and her staff THANK YOU. It was great.

Wayne Hom Hits First 300 In Senior Classic

by Frank Kietz

MISSION VIEJO - Saddleback's 1:00 p.m. Monday Senior Classic went wild recently when Wayne Hom rolled his and the loop's first 300 game.

League secretary Sue Horn said his teammates Harry Brunke and Joyce Thomas did lots of Oo-Rahing as he started his 12 strike string continued with a 221 and settled with a 169 and a record 690 series. This was Hom's third perfecto



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SED Jr. Travel

by David Gordon

GLENDALE - Jewel City Bowl played host to the most recent session of SED Jr. Travel last Saturday. This was the first time the group has bowled a regular session here and the bowlers want more. Thank you to the staff and management for the accommodations and conditions. We also had a few missing this week, but made up for it with three house bowlers that wanted to give the league a try. Thank you and let's make it permanent.

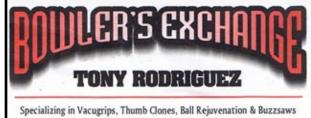
We're going to start this week with those house bowlers and get these show-offs out of the way first. On top was Andrew Hilvano posting up 239-247-267/945 and on the same pair was Virgil Hilvano going 256-211-204-245/916. Now that's great bowling, ev house bowlers. The last house bowler was Victor Hilvano with 217-213/727 (yes, he was on the end pair of lanes).

Now for our regulars, we start out with Michael Gaylor leading the way with 257-215-213/866. Welcome back. Joining Mr. Gaylor in the 800 club is Bryan Osborne 205-201-213-244/863, Mark Curtis 215-203-247/852, and Deanna Carrillo 254-212/808. Nice bowling to all of you. Other high scores for the day comes in from Eric Milne 236-211/795, Kevin Jones 236-210/793, Justin LaMere 233/776, Jasmine Morales 215/730, Chris Blankenship 208/718, and Andy Betancourt 709.

This Saturday the group will travel to AMF Midtown Lanes. Start time is 2:00 and this is one of the City tournament sites, so it should be important to you. Have a good week and I'll see you on Saturday.

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ANAHEIM — We're back with some great scores from Linbrook Bowling Center. The league bowlers look forward to this column every week and we're happy to be here.

Santa Gal's and Guy's: Rodger Morris 242-227-210/679, Johnny Davis Jr. 233/607, Ted Juse 209, Lou Martino 205. Lunch Bunch: Pat Madonna 212.

Swinging Trios: Robert Skank 232, Joe Zeuli 212-201 Rey Ortiz 211, Andy Vincent 205, Ike Eisenacher 202-205. Ten Pins: Brett Galle 264-219/658, Mike Huffines 206-200-240/646, Matt Mitchell 205-233-204/642, Byron Reich 224-207/626, Don Moore 220-212/614, Tammy Quental

204, Jan Vodden 200. No Knottcents: Ben Philalack 216-236-227/679, Greg Baker 247-235/645, Michael Byrd 239-232/641, Tim Butler

210-203/604, Devin Herbert 232, Terri Cox 203 R.C.R.C.: Paul Budnovich 215-201-221/637, Lou Cruz

203-208-204/615.

3's Company: Mary Lou Platte 210, Karen Bagnall 207, Rosanne Bagnall 202.

Executive Doubles: Stan Evans 268-224-205/697, Ed Signorino 211-235/637, Tony Banks 207-265/634, Bob Robison 274/622, Bob Mendoza 235/620, Lisa Somma 225-223/642, Chaun Shepherd 212.

Jacks and Jills: Tanny Tanega 208-247/647, Ed Soliman 201-223/622, Mike Stracner 221-201/608, Daron Nishitsuji 203-220/604, Tony Wallick 225.

Just Desserts: Randy Seifman 204-244-216/664 Rick Gruenzner 213-245/643, Wesley Shoemaker 217-246/637, Nick Borich 201-211-223/635, Dan Baker 204-221-207/623,

Ducks: Ben Philalack 222-235-206/663, Izzy Garcia 238/611, Jack Reich 207.

Golden Nuggets: Larry Grummett 245, Art Gutierrez 233, Mike Hardy 221, Ed Signorino 219, Ro Mutzenberger 214, Rachel Chaco 206.

Go For Nine (no-tap): Tony Angulo 230-288-245/763, Gino Vasallo 277-221/694, lke Eisenacher 265-224/684, Carl Adinolfi 251-265/681, Ed Blsh 251-209/625, Margot Church 265-225/657, Barbara Bish 216-207, Joyce Short 207.

Party Timers: Curtis Henderson 277-235-223/735 Jeff Montgomery 212-269-253/734, Ben Philalack 244-207-269/720, Robert Ragans 232-236-236, Ted Evans 257-238/689, Ken Zwingmann 244-235-210/689, Karen Lorentzen 218-215/606, Yvonne Dowland 201, Cynthia Scott 201.

Anaheim Nisei: James Michiuye 235-214/641, Sadao Kuwahara 226/611, Shig Nakata 205-214/606.

Nikkei: Nobu Takata 243, Tony Bargayo 237, Sho Tanaka 235, Mac Sugano 222.

525 Ladies Classic (4-games): Latricia Carroll 231, Donna Juergens 225, Cora Bussey 219, Cathy Marani 215,

Santa Super Savers: Rodger Morris 256-245/673, Jerry Roddam 234, Frank Dicrisi 214-204, Nick Lam 213, Lou Martino 213.

Thursday Mixed Seniors: Ike Eisenacher 242, George Asawa 209, Mike Hardy 205, Bill Dunlop 205, Henry Bazinet 204, Bin Masaki 210.

Magnolia Teachers: Joe Andreff 201-250/642, Dave Odiorne 216/611, Tony Stroma Jr. 211-225/604, Kevin Rayle 215, Bob Huff 215, Carolyn Anderson 233-224-219/676.

7-11 Vegas: Anthony Vankirk 276-223-214/713, Pete Lopez 223-222-267/712, John Conway 211-258-212/681, George Dunterman 211-213-238/662, Jason Haring 242-224/640.

Korean League: Eun K Choi 206.

Grey Panthers: Mike Warr 233, Ray Sanchez 211, Ro

Mutzenberger 211, Vic Divito 203, John Hillion 202.

T.G.I.F.: Tony Banks 201-288-220/709, Pat Jones 244-223-206/637, Bo Bowens 218-224/626, Brian Blake 203-224, John Sanderson 219-222.

Vegas Party: Mike Keough 216-256/643, Eric Angeles 222-242/638, David Boroff 255-211/635, Len Huber 203-225-200/628, George Moreno 229-204/624, Connie Valencia 213, Pam Weiland 212, Debi Boroff 208.

Kamaaina: Yuki Tomono 248-233-203/684, Kevin Fujinami 208-267/670, Koku Lee 254-234/646, Teri Sato 226-202/611, Doug Villaros 234-225/608, Serena Miyahira 234/600, Liz Arcalas 215-211, Adrienne Alwag 200.

Double Down: Wesley Fuller 223, Greg Sietsema 221, Brian Mishler 216, Travis Scudellari 214, Bob Iwasczyszyn

Saturday Vegas Special: Casey Jones 224-255-237/716, Mark Texeira 222-212-211/645, Fiel Aranda 215-221/627, Joe Molina 226, Karen Daniels 208, Chrisstin 204.

4-4 Vegas: Ben Philalack 247-227/661, Brian W. Parker 234-203/636, Larry Leach 207-224/630, Dino Chavez 221-231/613, Joseph Macias 248/608, Kim Davisson 215.

Sunday Brunch Bunch: Joe Sangenito 217-227-200/644, Frank Pearlman 210-225/623.

Family & Friends: Pete Quintana 209-247, Ron Aguon 212, Jess Castro 210, Rick Robledo 205, Kevin Kim 203.

Double Daters: Tim Hank 206-236-208/650, Billy Compton 224-237/630, Dan Duarte 289/630, Gary Oslund 205-246/623, Jeff Dahl 207-213/616, Allison Baligad 215, Tricia Alchin 201.

Nascar Indsiders League: Shawn Oslund 245-214-201/660, E.J. Rogers 226, Alan Bloom 211, Susan De Graaff

Senior No-Tap: (results of 1-15-08) 45 entries @ \$9=\$405. 45 lineage @ \$4.50=\$202.50. 45 prize fund @ \$4.50=\$202.50. 45 3-6-9 @ \$1=\$45. Place Money—1st Terry Brent 900 \$37, 2nd Frank Jeo 845 \$29, 3rd Tony Chaco 844 \$21, 4th Victor Dela Cruz 815 \$15; 5th Ed Signorino 801 \$12, 6th Rich Heid 797 \$9. Sidepots—1st game, hdcp.: 1st P.J. Carroll 324 \$11, 2nd-3rd (tie) Terry Brent and Tony Chaco 300 each and \$7 each. 2nd game, scr.: 1st-2nd (tie) Rich Heid and Terry Brent 300 each and \$11.50 each, 3rd (tie) Dick McKenzie and Tony Chaco 278 each and \$7 each. 3rd game, hdcp.: 1st-2nd (tie) Leo Asuncion and Jerry Knight 314 each and \$9.50 each, 3rd Shirley Thompson 309 \$5.75. 3-6-9 Carryover Amount: \$219.50. Added \$45. New total: \$264.50. See you on the lanes.

Matsumoto Mixes 631 In Linbrook Juniors

ANAHEIM — The Junior High 208 League got off to a great start with Robert Albrecht leading the way on games of 199-191-182 for a fantastic 572 series. Other great sores were bowled by Erik Thomas 141, Julio Del-Cid 112-116-127, Daniel Robbins 1114-122, Laura Robbins 122, Jacob Sepeda 116 and Morgan Gober 110.

In the Thursday Linbrook Juniors, Matt Nickeson rolled the high series with 576 on games of 184-203-189. Abbott Hatch put together a pair of 200's with 207-200. Andrew Stewart slammed 209.

In the Junior Adult Scratch Doubles, Stacy Rider led the scoring pace for the adults with 238-258 for a 669 series. E.J. Rogers rammed 235-210/620, John Munsom mixed 211-225/612, Tony Christensen carried 213, Darrell Wilson wheeled 200-210. Steve Matsumoto scored 207, Tony Park pounded 204 and Carl Adinolfi added 202. For the Juniors, Aaron Wilson led the league with 224-205 for 612, Mark McLeod smacked 220-209 for 605, Phil Heffernan hammered 214-210 and close to deuce was Nathan Mathias with

In the Bumper Busters, Jennifer Lewis came back with some terrific bowlling with scores of 96-112. She was followed by Taylor Pac 98-88-105, Zack Jellsey 85-94-85, Stacie Jellsey 74-84, Ryan Gallant 74-60-73 and Khamron Gardner 57-68.

In the Saturday Linbrook Juniors, Valerie Matsumoto mixed the pins for a fantastic series of 631 with scores of 205-222-204. Great bowling, Valerie! Other highlights of the day included Andrew Stewart 246 and Kevin Hop-

Thompson Puts His Seal on the Deal

by Roberta McNaught

Ronny Thompson sealed the deal as high roller for the week in the 590 Classic. His shining series of 917 was rolled on games of 254, 217, 221, & 225.

Others joining the 900 Club were: Lloyd Thierry 269/916, Tom Stearn 268/909, and Janine Ditch 257/906.

More polished scores were: Gino Vassallo 254/891, Carl Adinolfi 259/885, David Wright 267/878, Karen Bagnall 236/877, Bob Gosnell 257/876, E.J. Rogers 237/873, Dan Baker 257/868, Rob Roberts 245/867, Tony Angulo 265/858, Terry Brent 237/855, Ron Douglass 234/849, Willie Harris 234/848, Frank Bellinder 245/844, John Conway 225/839, Rose Williams 247/836, John Velasquez 243/835, Tony Chaco 235/834, Jerry Knight 257/832, Juan Sandoval 252/826, Larry Green 235/823, Willy Bordenave 225/820, Shig Shozi 246/809, Ed Harris 212/804, Ron Mahler 214/802, Jack Wilson 235, Kantral Williams 233, Al Lara 230, Stan Guzy 226, John Phillips 226, Eva Munson 224, Gloria Ferrulli 223, Janet Anderson 217, Dora Miller 215, Diane Salinas 215, Amber Harris 212, Fred Voysey 212, Alan Bloom 209, and Nancy M. Smith 200.

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Time to report the high scores...

Judson Baptist: Bob Corrigan 207-247/638, Bob Walter 212-213/600, Robert Corrigan 232.

Beach Party: Leighton Beach 243-253/683, Charles Garcia 227-221/631, Darren Robinson 201-232, Nicole Beach 211/529.

Mt. Commercial: Jesse Chandler 200/570, Clyde Willis 221, L.T. Togafau 221, Barbara Bobroff 497, Bettie Richardson 193.

Capri: Toni Futch 531, Denise Hollinquest 225.

T.N.T.: Ed Elton 476, Bill McDonald 203, Lory Durkiewicz

Dirty County: Rob Miner 276-237/712, Randy Hoffman 211-233-227/671, Tom Andres Sr. 211-259-668, Steve Markovic 235-236/656, Richard McMichael 203-236-214/653, Vince Vasquez 219-225/627, Steve Pellegrine 248/622, John Hutchings 214-224/620, Dean Bechtold 207226, Debbie Andres 207/525.

Elks Invitational: James Harris II 244-210/632, Larry Stormes 226, Marty Perry 202/551.

Willows: Jean Newton 491, Kathy Harris 185.

Wed. Wild Bunch: Michael Berry 233-216/636, Charlie Rabico

204-227-200/631, Jack Hamner 246/605, Elise Hamner 489, Janet

Wednesday Vegas: Chuck Gray 259-237-244/740, David Simental 208-247/643, James Dixon 233-224/609, Steve Morino 214-224/601, John Hutchings 227, Rolann Karper 208/588, Debra Neff 204, Evelyn Reese 200.

Del Rosa 830 Classic: Walt Stull 246-268-224/738, Jerome Forch 268-258/715, Paula Vidad 216-245-253/714, John Davis 227-217-267/711, Barry Graham 202-252-247/701, Johnny Hernandez 245-249/697, Robert Sickles 264-256/697, Jamie Castello 247-233/675, John Fitzgerald 222-225-225/672, Robb Bourland 289-202/671, Erin Lenahan 245-258/661, Mark Learned 236-239/660, Marv Sargent 223-248/654, Adam Sokoloski 209-267/650.

Happy Gamblers: Adam Sokoloski 205-254-242/701, John Brown 220-279/691, Jerry Forch 225-227-237/689, Corky De Maio 216-223-244/683, Joshua Ball 250-202/635, Ben Meier 225, Cynda Ross 560, Linda Cunningham 225, Bridgett Young 215, Georgia Forch 215, Susan Reeder 200.

S.B. County: Lonnie Masteller 222-246/662, Randy Perrine 264-202/654, L.T. Togafau 228-207/633.

Adult/Jr. Trio: Dave Wodka 246-257/668, Michael Gray 225, Marty Coyazo 234-201/601, Shelby Scheffler 175/449.
Good Times: Adam Sokoloski 248-225-264/737, Michael Gray

246-239/680, Joseph Pochop 232-225/637, Bill Elliott 223/606, Steve Simpson 245, Dale Conway 245, John Meurer 242, Spider Calloway 230, Eric Robinson 225, Gail Morris 212/573, Angela Mobley 212, Suzy Knerr 211, Susan Ferrante 204, Bridgett Young

Friday Vegas: Don Nelson 233-224/636, Sam Chong 225-220/620, Joseph Curran 225, Michelle Chong 225-214/596.

Weekend Rollers: Jeff Hout 255-215-213/683, Lonnie Futch 223-224-213/660, Mike Nakunz 233-213/629, Charles Rabico 203-211-207/621, Marty Nakunz 224-214/612, Jeff Raynor 227/612, Mike Contreras 258/610, Ernie Juarez 225-202/607, Maurice Chavez 236, Chad Miller 226, Jackie Farris 222/555, Desi Martin

PBA Experience: Bill Hollinger 256/847, Sean Cochran 245/814, David Snell 236/829, Zack Jellsey 825, Mike Rick 808, Rich Robinson 807, John Fitzgerald 237/806, Ronnie Strange 254, Sean Cochran 245, Bobby Campagne 245. Sidepots: Game 1 Greg Quintna 221, Game 2 Sean Cochran 245, Game 3 Bobby Campagne 245, Game 4 Ronnie strange 254.

Del Rosa Srs. SAN BERNARDINO — The

scores are in from the seniors here at Del Rosa Lanes so let's see who made this issue

of the Bowling News.
Young At Heart: Bob Corrigan 247-226/656, Frank Long 212, John Ballman 202, Maria Shields 204/539.

Park & Rec.: Bob Corrigan 233/588, Huey Newton 200, Linda Grimes 183/511, Alice Winchester 183.

Afternooners: Bob Lee 498, Frank Long 189, Teresa Vest 206/516, Terry Mahlstedt 215. Golden Goodies: John Ballman 238/556, Velma Bone

177/475. Mon. Sr. No-Tap: 1. Sam Frisby 843, 2. Jackie Knight 742, 3. Chuck Wilson 732, 4. Larry Stormes 727, 5. Jay

Hudkins 720, Booby, Billie

Harper 511. Wed. Sr. No-Tap: 1. Sam Frisby 735, 2. Dee Gibson 734, 3. Ron Barnett 711, 4. Ardie Barnett 679, 5. Bob Lee 673, Booby, Joe Burns 573.

See you next week.

Del Rosa Jrs. SAN BERNARDINO — The juniors

are back in action here at Del Rosa Lanes and we have their scores. Little Rascals: Anthony Bryant

303, Codey Castro 111, Taylor Rash 114/328. Pincrackers: Terrence Robinson

179/455, Demi De Maio 129/365. Strike Force:Jon Huckabee 203-223/569, Chris Clingman 222, Shelby Scheffler 200/514.

That was the first week of scores and there will be more to come. Keep bowling those great scores.

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