Simonsen Takes Down Belmo To Win Players Championship

COLUMBUS, - Anthony Simonsen became the youngest bowler in PBA Tour history to win two career majors as he captured the 2019 PBA Players Championship on Sunday at Wayne Webb's Columbus Bowl.

Simonsen took down Jason Belmonte, the topranked player in the Flo-Bowling PBA Power Rankings, 232-212, in a dramatic championship match in which Belmonte had a chance to win the title.

Needing just a mark to lock up the win, Simonsen tripped out the 9 pin for a strike to begin his celebration. However, it was a stunning final frame for Belmonte just seconds before that took the crowd's breath away.

Belmonte, who has 10 career major titles, had a



2019 PBA Players Champion Anthony Simonsen

chance to own the PBA Tour record for majors outright with 11 with a double and eight in the final frame.

Instead, Belmonte stepped up and left a devastating pocket 7-10 split on his

COLUMBUS, Ohio -

A week after flirting with

making the cut at the 2019

PBA Tournament of Cham-

pions, Hall of Famer Pete

Weber has withdrawn from

the PBA Players Champi-

Weber's official reason for

withdrawing was because

he "needed to go home."

made available.

further details were

Weber, 56, who has 37

career PBA titles and more

than \$4 million in career

earnings, had trouble fin-

According to the PBA,

to virtually end his chances. "The one in the 10th was really good," Belmonte said. "I was really happy

with that off my hand and thought I was going to have to throw another one and another to shut him out.

I've had a few of those hits go my way in the 19 times that I've won. It's hard to swallow any time you lose, but it's part of the game."

Simonsen, who won the 2016 USBC Masters at age 19, watched as Belmonte left not one but two pocket 7-10 splits in the championship match, including one in the fourth frame.

"He had the two 7-10s. and I think everyone says the breaks even out down the road." said Simonsen. who lost in the Players Championship final to Belmonte, 221-204, in 2017. "Two years ago, I felt like Belmo got the breaks, and this time I was fortunate to be on the other side of it."

Simonsen made just one major mistake in the match after he was distracted by a cell phone going off in the continued on page 5

When Carmen Speaks, **Everyone Listens**

"When Carmen speaks, everyone listens," PBA star Sean Rash noted on his Facebook page after 85-year-old PBA legend Carmen Salvino completed his three rounds of qualifying in the PBA Tournament of Champions in Fairlawn, Ohio, and used the center's PA system to address the crowd. "Truly an honor to cross next to one of the Founding Members of the (PBA)."

After breaking his own record as the oldest player ever to compete in a PBA Tour event – again – Salvino delivered a short-butsweet message, including, "...I'll be back":

https://www.facebook. com/SeanRashFanPage/ videos/336568733866399/. Salvino, who bowled in the first PBA Tournament of Champions in 1962, also competed in the Go Bowl-

PBA 60th Anniversary Classic a year ago at Woodland Bowl in Indianapolis at the age of 84.

first shot in the 10th frame

Weber Late Scratch From Players Championship 2018. So far this season, Weber has competed in two

> events and finished both. Last week at the TOC, Weber was in 24th place and on the cut number with one block of qualifying remaining but struggled in the final six games, finishing the event in 38th place.

> He also competed in the PBA Oklahoma Open last month and finished in 78th place.

> At the TOC, Weber told FloBowling he was feeling healthy and his chiropractor had worked his injuries out so he could continue to



bowl.

He finished all 18 games last week and seemed healthy most of the event, although he could be seen clutching his hip in the final round of qualifying.

Weber remains on the

official roster for the next three PBA events. He's scheduled to compete in the PBA Indianapolis Open next week, the PBA Jonesboro open starting Feb. 27 and the World Series of Bowling starting March 12.





Make It A Spectacular Year

WINNETKA - So a new year has dawned and bowlers are striving to accomplish new goals.

Well, perhaps they're old goals that went undone

Whatever the case, it's time that bowlers think high as they chase their marks, whatever they might be.

For a select few, it may be that seemingly unattainable 900 (three perfect games) - a destination that no one from the L.A. area has reached. That 900 roadmap is something that few bowlers know how to navigate, but a handful of elite bowlers such as Bryan Alpert, Johnnie Englehart, Justin Pluchino, Rick Stine (who recently blasted an 835 series) and Jim Harvey all have shown the makeup and skills to do it.

For a few more, joining the 800 club is a mighty For some others.



Rick Stine recently crushed an 835 series and is considered a worthy candidate from the L.A. area to smash a 900. Photo by Fred Eisenhammer

logging that initial perfect game - such as what Gary Stines accomplished Jan. 30 at Winnetka Bowl - could provide for a yearlong celebration.

Rolling that first 200 or 700 series is a quite an accomplishment as well. The same goes for that first 600 series. And one can definitely be proud of a firsttime 500 series.

It's nice to find motivation. Five years ago, lefthander Bill Plummer made headlines when he rolled back-to-back perfect games at Corbin Bowl in Tarzana.

After learning of Plummer's dual masterpieces, ace women's bowler Kelly Gold responded: "I am inspired to do something spectacular."

Gold, who has left the San Fernando Valley for Las Vegas and has bowled back-to-back 300s herself, seemingly does something magical every time she bowls. Other bowlers should keep her mission in mind as they reach for a highlight performance in 2019. As long as bowlers roll a ball that hits the pins with some force, they're all capable of something magnificent, or "spectacular."

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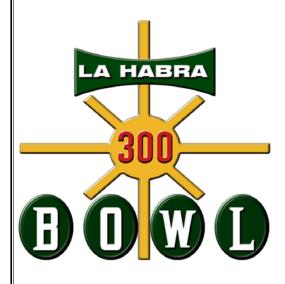
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2018 Champion Jakob Butturff Heads Field for PBA's Go Bowling! Indianapolis Open

Changes in store as Woodland Bowl hosts another big event on 2019 Go Bowling! PBA Tour schedule

INDIANAPOLIS – The name of the tournament is a little different, but the Professional Bowlers Association's Go Bowling! PBA Indianapolis Open, set for Feb. 19-24 at Woodland Bowl, will again be a pivotal event on the 2019 Go Bowling! PBA Tour schedule

Leading an expected capacity field of 120 of the world's premier bowlers into the seventh event of the 2019 PBA Tour season will be unorthodox left-hander Jakob Butturff, the winner of last year's Go Bowling! PBA 60th Anniversary Classic at Woodland, and one of the hottest players on Tour in 2019.

Butturff won the 2018 Indianapolis title with a 244-154 romp past Marshall Kent of Yakima, Wash.

After the season's first five events, the 24-year-old from Tempe, Ariz., ranked third in the new PBA Playoffs points standings after a runner-up finish in the season-opening PBA Hall of Fame Classic, a title in the Oklahoma Open and a record-tying three consecutive events as the qualifying leader. He trailed only Jason Belmonte, the two-hander from Australia who won a PBA record-tying 10th major championship in the PBA Tournament of Champions on Sunday in Fairlawn, Ohio, and carried his hot streak into this week's PBA Players Championship in Columbus, Ohio, where he's trying for sole possession of the all-time major titles record.

Trailing Belmonte is Sean Rash of Montgomery, Ill., who won the Mark Roth-Marshall Holman PBA Doubles Championship with Matt Ogle of Louisville, Ky.; finished second in the Lubbock Sports Open and placed ninth in last week's TOC.

The name of Woodland's 2019 tournament is slightly different, but there are some other big changes in store for fans and players. Among the most notable differences this year are:

- The finals on Sunday, Feb. 24, at 3 p.m. EST will be televised live on FOX Sport's FS1 channel as part of the PBA's historic television package that began in 2019;
- The Go Bowling! Indianapolis Open will be part of a new \$1 million bonus program. If either player in the title match rolls a 300 game, he'll win the bonus;
- In addition, if any player in the nationally-televised stepladder finals rolls a 300 game, title-sponsor <u>Go Bowling.com</u> (the online destination for bowling fans and enthusiasts seeking news and information about one of America's favorite pastimes and the nation's number one participatory sport) will award a free game of bowling coupon to every fan who pre-registers (to pre-register to receive the coupon by email, visit: <u>www.gobowling.com/BowlFreeAmerica</u>).
- The seventh of 14 events leading up to the new PBA Playoffs will be classified as a Tier 2 event in a new points program that will qualify 24 players for the inaugural playoffs that begin in Portland, Maine, in April. The winner of the PBA Playoffs will earn a \$100,000 first prize. Fans can follow the points race on pba.com (https://www.pba.com/SeasonStats/PointsList/132?list=1).
- The Indianapolis Open will be contested entirely on a "mixed lane condition" scoring environment in which every round of qualifying, match play and even the stepladder finals will be contested with the Dick Weber 45 oiling pattern applied to the left lane and the Mike Aulby 38 oiling pattern applied to the right lane (the number indicates the length in feet oil is applied to the lanes).

• All qualifying and match play rounds of the tournament will be live streamed by PBA's new online streaming partner, FloBowling (subscriptions are available at <u>FloBowling.com</u>).

As usual, Woodland Bowl will welcome a world-class field of PBA Hall of Famers (Chris Barnes, Norm Duke, Pete Weber and Walter Ray Williams Jr.); past PBA Players and Rookies of the Year; PBA Tour title winners and international champions, and an exciting group of talented young players who are fighting for PBA Rookie of the Year honors. For a roster of players entered, click here:

https://www.pba.com/Rosters/Details/2763. The field of 120 will be filled during a six-game "Pre-Tournament Qualifier" that will take place on Tuesday, Feb. 19, at 8 a.m. The PTQ also will use the mixed Weber-Aulby lane oiling system.

Continuing a PBA tournament tradition at Woodland Bowl, grassroots league bowlers are invited to bowl with PBA partners in a pro-am tournament. Pro-am squads are scheduled for Saturday, Feb. 23, at noon and 2:30 p.m. To enter, call Woodland Bowl: (317) 844-4099.

GO BOWLING! PBA INDIANAPOLIS OPEN SCHEDULE

Woodland Bowl, Indianapolis, Feb. 19-24

All rounds will be contested on mixed lane oiling patterns:

The 45-foot Dick Weber 45 oiling pattern will be applied to the left lane.

The 38-foot Mike Aulby 38 pattern will be applied to the right lane.

Tuesday, Feb. 19

8 a.m. – Pre-Tournament Qualifier, six games

2 p.m. – Official practice session

Wednesday, Feb. 20

10 a.m. – Qualifying Round One, 6 games

5 p.m. - Qualifying Round Two, 6 games

Thursday, Feb. 21

10 a.m. – Qualifying Round Three, 6 games

Top 24 after 18 games advance to round robin match play

6 p.m. – Match Play Round One, 8 games

Friday, Feb. 22

10 a.m. – Match Play Round Two, 8 games

6 p.m. – Match Play Round Three, 8 games Top five after 42 games advance to stepladder finals

Saturday, Feb. 23

Noon, 2:30 p.m. – Pro-Am squads.

Sunday, Feb. 24

3 p.m. – Top five stepladder finals, live on FS1 (mixed patterns: Weber on left lane, Aulby on right lane)

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Bowling Calendar

by Bette Addington

February

- 22 PBA SouthPoint West Challenge (non-champ.), Las Vegas, pba.com
- 22-24 PBA SouthPoint Member/Non-Member Doubles, Las Vegas, pba.com
 - 23 Gold Pin Scratch 6-Gamer, 1pm, Earl Anthony's Dublin Bowl, 925/828-7550
 - 23 Modesto Mex.-Amer. Tourn., 9:30am & 5pm Mixed Team; 1pm Mixed Doubles, Yosemite Lanes, Modesto, 209/480-3123
 - 24 CBT Scratch 7-Gamer, 9:30am, Bowlium, Montclair, cbtbowling.com, 661/468-3796
 - 24 Central Solano Masters Championship, 10am, Stars Recreation Ctr., Vacaville
 - 24 San Joaquin Bowling Club Singles, Valley Bowl, Madera, 559/385-8837
 - 24 GameTimeBowlers Ultimate Battle 9/Combo Battle 575 Div. Scratch Trio, 10:30am check-in, Bowling Square Lanes, Arcadia, 844/228-8539
 - 24 PBA Go Bowling! Indianapolis Open, 12 noon, FS1

March

- 1 Entry deadline for BVL Div. Winners to State for 2019 CUSBC Helen Duval BVL State Classic calusbc.com
- 1-3 Mark Baker at Yosemite Lanes, Modesto, 209/524-9161
- 1-3 PBA Jackson Rancheria Championship, Sutter Creek, pba.com
- 2 Registration deadline for 40th TNBA Bill Rhodman Open (3/30-31 in Vegas), carol.thrower@att.net
- 3 JAT, 9am, PBA Challenge #3, Harley's Valley Bowl, Simi Valley, bowljat.org
- 3 NCJET Youth Tourn., 10am, Harvest Park Bowl, Brentwood, norcaljrelitetour@gmail.com
- 3 PBA Go Bowling! Jonesboro Open, 3pm, FS1
- 8-7/7 73rd Bowlers Journal Championships, South Point, Las Vegas, bowl.com/OpenChamp
- 8/-7/8 Forty Frame Game USA, Gold Coast Bowling Ctr., Las Vegas, 40framegame.com
 - 9 11th Golden Empire USBC Annie Schierlitz Adult/Jr. No-Tap Doubles Tourn., squads at 10am & 1pm, AMF Southwest Lanes, Bakersfield, geusbc.org/annie-tournament, 661/623-5707
 - 9 Hammer Harley's Valley Bowl Scratch 6 Gamer, 5:30pm, Harley's Bowl, Simi Valley, 805/415-7018
 - 9 CBT, Surf Bowl, San Diego, cbtbowling.com, 661/468-3796
 - 9 Silver Foxes Tourn., (10:30am check-in; bowl at 12 noon), Rancho Bowl, Santa Maria, 559/381-0356
- 9-7/7 2019 USBC Open Championships, South Point, Las Vegas, bowl.com
 - 10 Central Valley Masters Singles Tourn., squads at 10am & 2pm, KC Bowl, Hanford, centralvalleymasters.com
 - 10 Lousy Bowler Tourn., 12 noon, Riverside Lanes, Laughlin, 702/298-2535, ext. 5160
 - 10 Daylight Savings Time begins/spring forward
 - 10 PBA WBT Finals, 7pm, FS1
- 11-14 29th National Golden Ladies Classic, The Orleans, Las Vegas, 1/800/365-7111, ext. 6439
 - 15 Deadline for BVL donations from CA Associations to be sent to State, calusbc.com

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ZACK JELLSEY & TOBY LEE "Thunder and Lightning"

by Frank Weiler

REDLANDS – It's "MONDAY NIGHT LIGHTS" at Empire Bowl in Redlands. Every Monday night it's SHOWTIME when Zack Jellsey and Toby Lee light up the lanes. In the sixty or so years that Empire Bowl has been operating there has never been scoring on a scale as high as the scores bowled by Zack and Toby.

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The TOP FIVE bowlers in Empire Bowl's NFL Clubhouse League on Monday night are:

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 2. Toby Lee
 237

 3. Nathan Groff
 232

 4. Kevin Fossum
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 5. Jake Selders
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crowd in the fifth frame. The disturbance caused Simonsen to step back in the middle of his approach and reset.

However, Simonsen got up and left the Greek Church after regrouping and was clearly agitated by the distraction. Although it appeared momentum had shifted in Belmonte's favor after that moment, Simonsen held strong and fired off four straight strikes heading into the final frame to keep him in the match.

The victory made Simonsen the youngest player in PBA history to win two majors at age 22. Billy Hardwick previously held the record when he won his second major, the PBA Tournament of Champions, in 1965 at age 23.

In the semifinal, Simonsen won with a blowout victory over Kyle Troup, 259-202, for the right to face top seed Belmonte in the championship match.

After winning a pair of matches as the fifth seed, Troup, who had been battling a hand injury since the beginning of match play, said his injury flared up again in the fifth frame. From that point forward, Troup said he wasn't able to hit the ball the same.

The match was even after six and a half frames, but Simonsen popped two perfect strikes in the seventh and eighth frames to build a 20-pin lead. Troup then left a light 8-10 split in the eighth that all but sealed his fate.

In a match that came down to the final frame, Troup took down third seed DJ Archer, 194-193, to advance into

Archer worked his way back after a 2-4-10 split for an open in the fifth and had a chance to win the match as he finished first. With a double and one pin, Archer would advance, however, he left a 10 pin on his first shot and struck on the fill.

That forced Troup to throw all three strikes in the final frame to win, which is exactly what he did. After the first shot was a nearly disastrous runaway Brooklyn, Troup regrouped with a light strike and a dead-perfect strike on the

Troup survived a high-scoring game against EJ Tackett in the opening match of the stepladder, 255-245, to ad-

Tackett, who finished second at the TOC last week, led throughout the match all the way until the ninth frame when he pitched the ball wide right and left the 1-2 combination.

After the match, Tackett said that was his big miss all week, coming around the top of the ball and pitching it right and it happened "at least once per game."

Tackett made the spare in the ninth and went strike, strike, 10 pin in the final frame to force Troup to go nine, spare, strike to win by one. Troup struck on his first ball to put the match away.

The PBA Tour next heads to Indianapolis for the Go Bowling! PBA Indianapolis Open, which begins live on FloBowling on Wednesday.

PBA PLAYERS CHAMPIONSHIP

Wayne Webb's Columbus Bowl, Columbus, Ohio **Final Standings:**

- 1, Anthony Simonsen, Little Elm, Texas, \$50,000.
- 2, Jason Belmonte, Australia, \$25,000.
- 3, Kyle Troup, Taylorsville, N.C., \$13,000.
- 4, DJ Archer, Spring, Texas, \$11,000.
- 5, EJ Tackett, Bluffton, Ind., \$10,000.

Playoff Results:

Match One: Troup def. Tackett, 255-245. Match Two: Troup def. Archer, 194-193. Semifinal: Simonsen def. Troup, 259-202. Championship: Simonsen def. Belmonte, 232-212.

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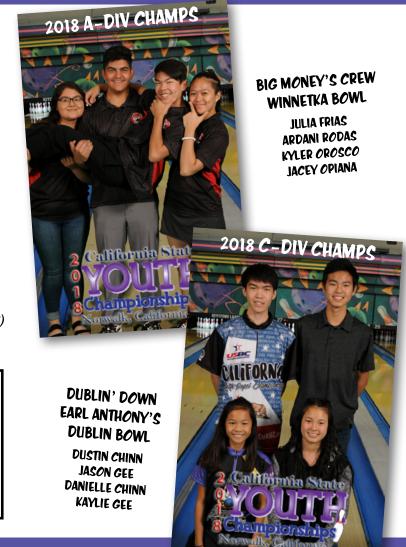
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Sunday's show, which featured Jason Belmonte's PBA record-tying 10th major championship, also hit a peak of 1.301 million viewers during the championship match according to Nielsen's figures. Belmonte defeated EJ Tackett, 225-196, to tie PBA Hall of Famers Earl Anthony and Pete Weber, the only other players in PBA history to win 10 major championships.

The 2019 telecast drew the largest audience for a live PBA Tour finals telecast since the historic 2010 PBA Tournament of Champions when Kelly Kulick won the PBA Tournament of Champions at Red Rock Bowling Center in Las Vegas to become the first woman ever to win a PBA Tour title.

Through seven events since the PBA on FOX series began, 12,281,000 viewers have tuned-in to watch the PBA on FOX, FS1 or FS2 including repeats, which is up 56% over last year's total audience through seven events (7,891,000) and 13% higher than the total audience for the entire 2018 season (10,907,000).



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5/5 - Keystone Lanes Norwalk - Adult/Member Dbls Handicap and Scratch Division

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Vegas Bound: Scr. 374 Kailynn Doss-Dewinter, 345 Isabel Valenzuela, 482 Pauly Blevins, 473 Mitch Carsey, 202 Johnny Bueno, 170 Mike Denzin, 231 Gail Gilchrist, 170 Denise Ramirez.

Club 55: Hdcp: 640 Mario Borbon, 626 Shou Li, 669 JoAnn Cunningham, 613 Marietta Simonson, 225 Leroy Ruffin, 180 Don Diamond, 156 Darla Lloyd, 140 Jeannie Taylor.

TAT X-Frame: Scr: 514 Tese Dizon, 448 Lala Alcasid, 577 Martin Cabaero, 511 Robert McElroy, 199 Marge Furiscal, 155 Hilary Kwan, 255 Jun Contreras, 225 Rene Beltran.

Crazy 4 Vegas: Scr. 550 Matt Clifford, 415 Jacob Macias, 371 Grace Resendez, 359 Suzanne Perez, 180 David Shade, 168 Rudy Kranwinkel, 166 Jullie Stricker, 149 Leinani Lopez.

Chamber & Friends: Scr: 414 Beth Veloff, 338 Laurie Hummel, 476 Steve Johnson, 328 Victor Caceres, 179 Deana Bass, 169 Theresa Botello, 201 Frank Haislip, 166 Mike Bennett Jr.

Young @ Heart: Hdcp: 657 Bill Rugh, 614 Jim Harrison, 702 Jerry Barry, 646 Maryann Knox, 196 Richard Amparan, 186 Carlos Vendiola, 190 Lisa Grotz, 156 Pat Copeland.

Pinheads: Scr: 432 Elva Navarro, 371 Elos Rivera, 458 Mark Ynajasa, 380 Jerry Lemus, 156 Mario Romo, 137 Jim Chelsea, 169 Anna McArdle, 135 Sara Ponce. Let it Ride: Scr: 402 Miss Kitty Taylor, 395 Elizabeth Harlow, 491 Dan Butler, 336 Lucio Centeno, 247 Michael Samarzich, 198 Armando Martinez, 153 Sugar Mama Simonson, 132 Amber Butler.

Happy Strokers: Scr: 405 Chris Pilios, 288 Georgie Kruczynshi, 203 Lance Clifford, 164 Mary Cellian.

Fil-Am: Scr: 468 Karen Chang, 438 Susan Hernandez, 440 Don Sigarlaki, 416 Art Chio, 218 Tess Dizon, 161 Janeth Rodriquez, 257 Matthew Munguia, 214 Edwin

TBYBP Pinheads: Scr: 400 Ivan Rogers, 346 Erynne Jones, 126 Joshua Breidenthal, 143 Lydia Breidenthal, and Team: 1263 Fireball Strikers.

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Senior Swingers: (scr) Dick Bay 219, Josie Pemberton 204, Kelly McDonough 609, Kim Rasmussen 553. (hdcp) Ray Garcia & Robert Cornett 2334, Bonnie Holcomb 264, Andre Giancomelli 663, Mary Langer 646. Mon 710-Telco: (scr) Win Kato 253, Barbara Jimenez 178, Don Lollar 659, Debbie Martenson 490. (hdcp) Setu Molia 267, Judy Lamb 245, Zoran Jacimovic 693, Helen Owens 632.

LA SportsNet: (scr) Andrew Krukowski 219, Kelly Kelemen 212, Johnny Cruz 609, Nikki Angstadt 592. (hdcp) Rick Mader 276, Jill Reisman 255, Ryan Martenson 787, Rita Khatchadourian 682.

Disney League: (scr) Anthony Vazquez 511, Maggie Evenson 450, Will Cerrato 211, Nikki Nguyen 181. (hdcp) Krag Klages 677, Megan Haug 646, Dylan Ormenyi 275, Kira Foltz 264.

Orbits: (scr) Catherine Noonan 158, Judy Lamb 462. (hdcp) Jan McCarthy 203, Jan Levitt 569.

Guys & Dolls: (scr) Dan Ziegler 245, Peggy Eklund 199, Woody Gillis 719, Danica McMahon 580. (hdcp) Rick Reinschmidt 289, Sarine Gureghian 268, Rick Trinh 803, Lora Vangor 727

Wed Night Hdcp: (scr) Bill Moser 265, Amber Ball 199, Bing Tuazon Jr 682, Laura Baltazar 533. (hdcp) Stephen Warren 296, Alexis Arnols 266, Alvin Tia 750, Chelsey Morin 722.

Senior Foursome: (scr) Fred Lampa 204, Seiki Tluczek 170, Ron Stearns 545, Kim Rasmussen 426. (hdcp) Bob Shimp 253, Diane Sorem 239, John Pemberton 666, Cheryl Mikels 688.

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SUNDAY - Vegas Rollers: Sam Di Fatta 257/678, Albert Acosta 247/626, Steven Brogdon 226/630, Alexis Gioia 204. Wally's Vegas Cruise: Leo Moreno 289/714, Todd Foster 253/658, Brian Bendt 247, Erik Sanchez 643, Erin LaBrada 224

MONDAY – Lake Parkers: Bob Simon 247/616, Brian Parker 233, Curt Warren 213, Al Scudellari 601, Nancy Parker 215. Golden Awards: Carl Brooks 256/637, Bob Esler 247, Nick Pennella 240/633, Terri Plavala

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ANAHEIM - WEEK OF 2/18/19 - Must be mentioned as it seemed as though it was a duel (friendly) between competitors Chris and Eric Hefner.

Chris prevaled with his games of 184, just getting the right area - 259-258 for 701 and added another 258 just for good measure to score a great 959 set.

Eric, although happy for his brother, still wanted to win. He still bowled well as evidenced by his games of 215-247-209 and 237 to tally a fine 908 series.

Danny Janssens came to bowl and bowl well he did! His games of 199-203-279 and 200 gave him a very nice 881.

More Hot Scores: Nick Lam. 248. Bob Turner 242. Mel Cabias 237, Eleazar Munoz 236, Frank Bellinder 235, Willy Bordenave 234, Rod Cantrell 231, Ron Douglass 231, Pete Vodden 231, Lenny Huber 229, David Yeoman 226, Blake Douglass 225, Terry Brent 224, Maiya Tallakson 222, Dave Easel 213, John Camisa 209, Louie Juarez 204 and Karen Bagnall

WEEK OF 2/15/19 - Mel Caabias was the only regular league bowler to come out on top and capture high series. Mel's games 211-248-235 and 189 tally 883.

Popular sub Eddie Vasquez put on a nice 'striking' show on games of 226-256-173 and 202 to set a nice 867 set.

More Hot Scores: Blake Douglass 237, Larry Green 237, Chris Hefner 236, Bob Turner 235, Dave Easel 235, Norm Walker 234, Willy Bordenave 234, Juan Sandoval 233, Sandy Magana 232, John Camisa 226, Teri Hefner 226, Dick McKenzie 225, David Yeoman 224, Don Lorentzen 222, Dan Milstead 222, Lenny Huber 221, Terry Brent 213, Mark Guillaume 213, Janet Anderson 212, Nancy Smith 211, Jim Banaban 209, Frank Bellinder 206, Don Gardner 205, Danny Janssens 204 and Louie Juarez 202.

Until next week...

221, Sharon Honn 201. Whittier Elks: Mark Knight 246, Bill Scherger 233, Mike Dunn 226. Gamblers Fun: Andy Jeske 237/689, Gary Wingett 226, Jamie Lozano 222, Bill Kessler 604, Barbara Griffin 213.

TUESDAY - Glenbrook Gals: Paula Durham 212. Friendly Seniors: Phil Brewer 269/660, Richard Mada 233/629, Al Magdaleno 228. Pedagogues: Vern Harmon 230. **Ageless Wonders:** Dave Zeidman 236, David Warren 224/604, Tom Denker 214. Guys & Dolls: Mike Unfried 221, Steve Grossman 219/601, Donald Wiemer 215, Stacie Davis 202.

WEDNESDAY - Silver Foxes: Richard Mondragon 280, Larry Green 236/628, Carl Brooks 232/649, Ed Jamison 626. American Nation Can: Brian Parker 237/632, Jeremy Carmichael 236/609, Marc Kalagian 235, Rick Scialla 235, Mike Thompson 605, Mary Beth Thompson 202.

THURSDAY - Early Birds: Sue Williams 212. Frank's Gold Cup: Mark Few 289/781, Larry Green 286, Mike Fowler 280/745, Joe Wilhite 729.

FRIDAY - Vegas Gamblers: Brian Bendt 279/737, Matt Ward 268, Michael Davis 268/706, Joe Lotspeich 715, Shelly Maxey 216, Suzanne Allison 208, Stacie

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Round 4 Begins On The 2018 USBC Nationals Team Pattern

DOWNEY - The Brunswick Invitational started round 4 with a look at the 2018 USBC Nationals Team pattern that was used in Syracuse, NY last year. Bowlers were all over the lanes trying to find a look to the pocket on the new pattern. Teams were put in order of overall wins to start the new round.

In the match of the league leaders, first round winners Sysco were facing 3 Olives Vodka who were sitting in 2nd overall by a point but have yet to secure a playoff position. 3 Olives came out strong taking games one and two by enough to lock up totals and a 4-1 win. Eric Snow was huge for 3 Olives with a 676 set while Gabriel Martinez put up a 607 set to lead Sysco.

Second round winners Century 21-PEAK took on third round winners Cal Bowl. This night was all Cal Bowl as they easily swept past Century 21. Jason Buenviaje led Century 21-PEAK with a 557 set while Aarik Torres paced Cal Bowl with a huge 638 set.

Keystone Lanes and DV8 were within 10 points of the league-leaders going into tonight's action. DV8 took the first game by 76, but Keystone Lanes won two close games by 20 leaving them 56 short for totals as DV8 took a 3-2 win. Romeo Borillo and Raul "Spanky" Rosales paced DV8 with 567 sets while Mike Calvillo led Keystone Lanes with a 569 series.

57 wins going into their match. This match was all Buddy's Bowling as they swept past Bowlium with some nice scoring. Bobby Campagnale led a high-scoring Buddy's team with a 643 set while Danny Wilson paced Bowlium with a 580 series.

Junior Amateur Tour and Professional Approach were looking to make a move this round as they sat 14 points back in the wildcard race. Professional Approach took the first game

and three by enough to take totals and a 4-1 win. Vernon Adams was solid for Professional Approach with a 623 set while Kurt Arakaki paced JAT with a 599 series.

Bowling Guys and Captain Morgan were matched up in the 11 vs. 12 matchup. Bowling Guys came out with a 12 pin win but it was all Captain Morgan from there with a 4-1 win. Kevin Jones was solid for Bowling Guys with a 592 set while Joe Jimenez led Captain Morgan with a steady 615 set.

Tito's Handmade Vodka and Herzog Insurance were both looking to get some wins this round. Herzog started with a win but it was all Tito's from there as they took four with a blind score. Gary Duran was solid with a 617 for Tito's while Nacho Vega led Herzog with a 548 set.

Forest Lanes, Threadworks, Don Julio Tequila and Linder's Insurance rounded out the action Monday night. Forest Lanes took 4 from Threadworks barely missing the sweep with a 735-734 loss in game 2. Jonathan Gale led Forest with a 551 set while Shannon Santos paced Threadworks with a 569 set. Don Julio Tequila came out strong taking the first two from Linder's Insurance but Linder's came back with a huge 848 game to steal totals and a 3-2 result. Sophia Kim paced Don Julio with a 553 set while Jonathan Huezo's 253-587 paced Linder's.

Financial Advisor's pot went to Kurt Arakaki (232) for \$185 **Buddy's Bowling Supply** and **Bowlium** were at 59 and with 2nd to Vernon Adams (224) for \$100. Sidepots went to Brient Killings (234) and Kurt Arakaki (232) for \$43 each with second to Nacho Vega (221) and Vernon Adams (224) for \$20. SuperPot went to Gabriel Martinez (234) for \$149 with 2nd to Vernon Adams (224) for \$40.

Come on down and see some of Southern California's greatest bowlers battle as they tackle the 1.9:1 USBC Nationals Team pattern next Monday night at 8:30 at Del Rio Lanes. See you all

| Buddy's Bowling Supply 5 | Forest Lanes 4 |
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TOP 10 THIS WEEK

| Eric Snow 676 | Gary Duran 617 |
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