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# **Duke Defeats Weber in PBA50 Treasure Island Resort & Casino World Championship for Second PBA50 Major Title**

Duke beats Weber 234-215 in title match to also notch third career PBA50 Tour title

WELCH, Minn. When Professional Bowlers Association Hall of Famer Norm Duke looks for motivation, he finds it in the milestone PBA50 Tour season that longtime rival and fellow hall member Pete Weber is having this year.

Duke had extra motivation in the title match of the PBA50 Treasure Island Resort & Casino World Championship presented by Storm Saturday beating Weber 234-215 in the title match at Island Xtreme Bowl for his second PBA50 Tour major and third title of his career on the tour for players 50 years of age and

"Any of us are capable of getting on a serious roll but the one Pete is on is something else," said Duke of Weber's season that in-



cludes a record five PBA50 Tour wins with a record run of four in a row. "I had to look at it as not only stopping the roll he's on but starting my own."

In the title match, Duke, who was the top seed for the finals and Weber, who qualified third, were tied in

the eighth frame but Weber failed to strike in the ninth frame leaving the 3-6-10 spare which he converted. It was then that Duke saw his opportunity and struck in the ninth and the first ball in the 10th to seal the

"I was kind of shocked that he left that (spare) at that point but I saw it as an opportunity," said Duke, who ranks third on the alltime PBA Tour titles list with 38 wins including seven majors. "I thought to myself let's get this done."

Duke ended Weber's consecutive major titles string this season at two after Weber, the defending PBA50 Player of the Year, won the Suncoast PBA Senior U.S. Open presented by 900 Global and USBC Senior Masters in June.

The win was Duke's first since winning his first major, the Senior U.S. Open, in his rookie season in 2014.

"I've got a lot of catching up to do," Duke added. "I want to catch up to Pete, Walter (Ray Williams Jr.) and the other guvs but I'm still a work in progress and have a long way to go."

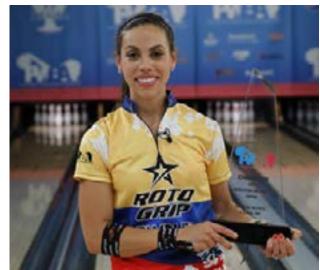
In the opening stepladder match, Harry Sullins of Chesterfield Twp., Mich., the winner of the 2009 PBA Senior World Championship, beat PBA50 Tour rookie Brian Kretzer of Dayton, Ohio, 201-193, to advance to the second match where he lost to Weber 234-186.

Weber then beat PBA Hall of Famer Parker Bohn III in the semifinal match continued on page 2

# **Rocio Restrepo Grabs First PWBA Title at Greater Detroit Open**

GREEN BAY, Wis. -Rocio Restrepo admits her emotions can sometimes get the better of her when she's on the lanes, but she allowed those strong emotions to drive her to the title of the Professional Women's Bowling Association Greater Detroit Open.

Restrepo jumped to an early lead against Malaysia's Li Jane Sin, striking in four of her first six frames, on her way to a 217-185 victory at The Ashwaubenon Bowling Alley. Restrepo, who edged Sin by 28 pins during match play to gain the No. 1 seed for the finals that were televised on CBS Sports Network on Tuesday, claimed her first



PWBA title with the vic-

"I'm an emotional person and sometimes that can be bad," said Restrepo, a Colombia native. "But I felt like I was controlling myself and it actually kept me in the moment. I only have 12 shots to win a title and I have to make it count. I'm excited because I also want to bowl the PWBA Tour Championship."

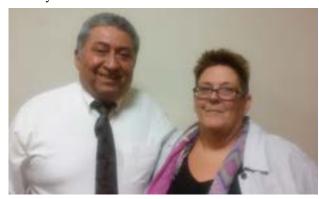
With the victory, Restrepo did punch her ticket to the season-ending, 16player field of the Smithfield PWBA Players Championship, which will take place Sept. 1-4 in Midlothian, Virginia.

"I've been working really hard and I felt like it was time," Restrepo said. "I've continued on page 6

# **DEBBIE HARGRAVE and ART GUZMAN Inducted Into Citrus Belt Hall of Fame**

SAN BERNARDINO -It was the night of the year in the Citrus Belt as nineteen Hall of Famers welcomed two new members to their exclusive club. It was Hall of Fame night and Debbie Shirlock Hargrave and Art Guzman were inducted as the newest members of the Citrus Belt Hall

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men including Rick Barbarian, David Biberon, Jim Murtishaw (PBA Champion and Hall of Famer) and Bob Warning (Hall of Famer).

Besides being a great bowler Debbie is also a great vouth advocate. She has been organizing and coaching youth bowlers for twenty years. She has been continued on page 10



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# Williams, Bohn and Kretzer Win PBA50 Regionals

### Williams Wins Viper Championship for 99th Title in PBA Competition

WELCH, Minn. - PBA50 Treasure Island Resort & Casino World Championship presented by Storm match play finalists Walter Ray Williams Jr., Parker Bohn III and Brian Kretzer each won PBA50 regional titles Friday at Island Xtreme Bowl.

Williams won the 99th tournament of his PBA career by defeating two-time PBA50 Player of the Year Ron Mohr of Las Vegas, 268-258, in the title match of the Treasure Island Resort & Casino Viper Championship, one of three regional events conducted as a prelude to Saturday's final day of the World Championship.

"I never expected anything like this when my career started," Williams said about approaching the 100 title mark. "I still enjoy competition as much as I ever have and I'll keep doing it as long as I enjoy it."

The Hall of Famer will have some work to do as he enters the match play portion of the World Championship in 23rd position but will have two six-game match play rounds to try and advance to the stepladder finals. If he can win the World Championship it would mark his 100th PBA title. He holds the all-time lead in career PBA Tour titles with 47, 10 PBA50 Tour titles, 32 PBA regional and 10 PBA50 regional titles with his win Friday.

PBA Hall of Famer Parker Bohn III hopes to ride the momentum of his win in the Scorpion Championship as he defeated Paul McCordic of Sugar Land, Texas, 213-191, in the title match for his second PBA50 regional title.

Bohn, who won last year's Treasure Island Resort & Casino Open which was conducted as a standard PBA50 Tour event, enters World Championship match play in second with a 3,568 15-game pinfall total 17 pins behind tournament leader Ron Nelson Jr. of Bridgeview, Ill., who leads with 3,585. Nelson finished third in the Scorpion Championship and fourth in the Chameleon Championship Friday.

"Winning this Scorpion Championship was a good test for what I'll need to do tomorrow so I'm pretty encouraged and it puts me in a good mindset," Bohn said. "I had to do a little bit of everything, especially adjust my angles to the pocket and I'm sure I'll be doing a lot of that in (World Championship) match play."

PBA50 Tour rookie Brian Kretzer of Dayton, Ohio won the Chameleon Championship by defeating Australian senior standout Andrew Frawley in the title match 244-199. Kretzer, a one-time PBA Tour winner, won his second PBA50 regional title. Kretzer enters World Championship match play in fourth with a 3,519 pinfall.

Hall of Famer Pete Weber, who was also trying to reach the 100 PBA tournament title milestone Friday fell short finishing fourth in both the Viper and Scorpion Championships and sits at 98 just one short of Williams.

He will begin World Championship match play in third with a 3,566 pinfall. He will be trying for his third consecutive major and sixth win overall this season. His two major titles this year were the Suncoast PBA Senior U.S. Open presented by 900 Global and the USBC Senior Masters both in June.

World Championship match play begins at 10 a.m. ET (9 a.m. CT) Saturday with the first round which will be followed by the second round at 3 p.m. ET (2 p.m. CT). After match play the top five players will advance to the stepladder finals scheduled for 8 p.m. ET (7 p.m. CT).

Bowling fans can catch all the action on pba.com's online bowling channel Xtra Frame. Click on www.xtraframe.tv for subscription and schedule information.

#### PBA50 TREASURE ISLAND RESORT & CASINO VIPER CHAMPIONSHIP PRESENTED BY STORM

Island Xtreme Bowl, Welch, Minn., Friday

#### **Final Standings**

- 1, Walter Ray Williams Jr., Oxford, Fla., \$1,500.
- 2, Ron Mohr, Las Vegas, \$900.
- 3, Mike Scroggins, Amarillo, Texas, \$800.
- 4, Pete Weber, St. Ann, Mo., \$700.
- 5, Tom Carter, Columbus, Ohio, \$600.

#### **Playoff Results**

Match One – Weber def. Carter, 221-198. Match Two – Williams def. Weber, 278-255.

Semifinal – Williams def. Scroggins, 237-195.

Championship – Williams def. Mohr, 268-258.



Walter Ray Williams Jr.

#### PBA50 TREASURE ISLAND RESORT & CASINO CHAMELEON CHAMPIONSHIP PRESENTED BY STORM

Island Xtreme Bowl, Welch, Minn., Friday

#### **Final Standings**

- 1, Brian Kretzer, Dayton, Ohio, \$1,500.
- 2, Andrew Frawley, Australia, \$900.
- 3, Ricky Schissler, Brighton, Colo., \$800.
- 4, Ron Nelson Jr., Bridgeview, Ill., \$700.
- 5, Bo Goergen, Sanford, Mich., \$600.

#### **Playoff Results**

Match One – Schissler def. Goergen, 223-216.

Match two – Schissler def. Nelson, 223-216.

Semifinal – Frawley def. Schissler, 237-223.

Championship – Kretzer def. Frawley, 244-199.



Brian Kretzer

#### PBA50 TREASURE ISLAND RESORT & CASINO SCORPION CHAMPIONSHIP PRESENTED BY STORM

Island Xtreme Bowl, Welch, Minn., Friday

#### **Final Standings**

- 1. Parker Bohn III. Jackson, N.J., \$1,500.
- 2, Paul McCordic, Sugar Land, Texas, \$900.
- 3, Ron Nelson Jr., Bridgeview, Ill., \$800.
- 4, Pete Weber, St. Ann, Mo., \$700.
- 5, Amleto Monacelli, Venezuela, \$600.

#### **Playoff Results**

Match One – McCordic def. Monacelli, 194-189.

Match Two – McCordic def. Weber, 258-182.

Semifinal – McCordic def. Nelson, 232-227.

Championship – Bohn def. McCordic, 213-191.





Parker Bohn III



## **PBA50** continued from page 1

264-214 to advance to the championship match against Duke. Bohn, who was trying for his fourth PBA50 Tour title, won the PBA50 Treasure Island Resort & Casino Open last season which was conducted as a standard PBA50

Weber, who ranks fourth on the PBA Tour list with 37 wins including a record-tying 10 majors, was trying for his fifth PBA50 major and 10th title overall. In the eight PBA50 Tour tournaments he has competed in this season, he has two seconds and a fourth-place finish along with his five wins. The PBA50 Tour is covered in its entirety on PBA's online bowling channel Xtra Frame. For subscription and schedule information visit www.xtraframe.tv.

#### PBA50 TREASURE ISLAND RESORT & CASINO WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP PRESENTED BY STORM

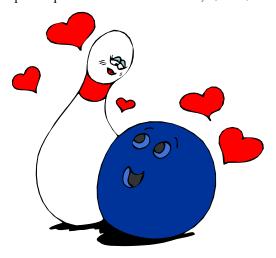
Island Xtreme Bowl, Welch, Minn., Saturday

**Final Results** 

- 1, Norm Duke, Clermont, Fla., \$15,000.
- 2, Pete Weber, St. Ann, Mo., \$8,500.
- 3, Parker Bohn III, Jackson, N.J., \$5,500.
- 4, Harry Sullins, Chesterfield Twp., Mich., \$4,000.
- 5, Brian Kretzer, Dayton, Ohio, \$3,500.

#### **Playoff Results**

Match One – Sullins def. Kretzer, 201-193. Match Two – Weber def. Sullins, 234-186. Semifinal Match – Weber def. Bohn, 264-214. Championship Match – Duke def. Weber, 234-215.





# O'KEEFE CAPTURES THIRD TITLE AT PEPSI PWBA LINCOLN OPEN

GREEN BAY, Wis. - Shannon O'Keefe of O'Fallon, Illinois, wasted no time in the title match, defeating Colombia native Clara Guerrero of Pflugerville, Texas, 252-203, to win the Pepsi Professional Women's Bowling Association Lincoln Open, her third career PWBA title and second of the 2016 season.

O'Keefe never trailed in the match, beginning with three consecutive strikes to set the tone. Guerrero began the match with a strike of her own, but followed with an open frame and two consecutive spares to trail by 32 pins after four frames.

In the fifth frame, Guerrero made a ball change and immediately doubled to stay within striking distance. But following spares in the fourth and fifth frames, O'Keefe quickly climbed back on the strike train with five consecutive on the way to victory.

"It's surreal," said O'Keefe, who led after the qualifying and match-play rounds at Sun Valley Lanes in Lincoln, Nebraska. "I think I've led wire-to-wire potentially and lost in the finals of an event, but I've never come out with a win. I don't know, it's surreal. I don't even know how that happened."

For O'Keefe, her success in 2016 might not be possible without her previous television experiences. Through repetition, the 37-year-old right-hander has learned how to control her emotions when competing on television.

"The difference is the more you put yourself in the position, the more you get comfortable with those nervy feelings, the quicker I'm able to manage them." said O'Keefe, who is a 12-time Team USA member. "Before it wouldn't be until the fifth, sixth or seventh frame until I would settle down. Now, it's almost the first shot. I just make sure I stay behind the foul line, the ball gets off my hand and it goes away. So, I think that helps a lot." O'Keefe's previous shortcomings are nothing but a memory in the rear-view mirror as she continues to drive through a stellar 2016 PWBA Tour season.

"You believe in your abilities because you know how hard you've worked," O'Keefe said. "You know the time you've put in, the sacrifices you've made, but to get so close and to have things always not end in your favor, to always be the bridesmaid and not the bride, you ask yourself, 'Do I actually have what it takes to be a Liz, to be a Kelly. Do I have that because I don't know?' So, to get that first one, and get the monkey off my back, this is just icing on the cake now. It's that first one that means the most."

Guerrero, who won the Go Bowling PWBA Players Championship earlier this season, earned her spot into the title match after defeating 2015 PWBA Player of the Year and United States Bowling Congress Hall of Famer Liz Johnson, 214-212.

Johnson, the No. 3 seed, led the match until the seventh frame, where her only open gave the lead to Guerrero, who remained clean and tossed a three-bagger starting in the sixth frame to take a three-pin lead.

Johnson doubled in frames eight and nine and stepped up in the 10th frame with a chance to win the match, but left a 2 pin on the first shot to allow Guerrero to advance.

In the opening match, Johnson struck on five of her first six shots on the way to defeating No. 4 seed April Ellis of Jackson, Tennessee, 225-184

All qualifying and match-play rounds of the Pepsi PWBA Lincoln Open were held at Sun Valley Lanes in Lincoln, Nebraska, on June 10-11.

The stepladder finals were held June 26 at The Ashwaubenon Bowling Alley in conjunction with the Go Bowling PWBA Players Championship, and the finals of the PWBA Wichita Open and PWBA Greater Detroit Open.

The Players Championship finals aired live on CBS Sports Network, while the Wichita Open aired July 5, and the Greater Detroit Open will aired July 12 on CBS Sports Network.

#### PEPSI PWBA LINCOLN OPEN

At The Ashwaubenon Bowling Alley, Green Bay, Wis.

#### Final standings

- 1, Shannon O'Keefe, O'Fallon, Illinois, 252 (one game), \$10,000
- 2, Clara Guerrero, Pflugerville, Texas, 417 (two games), \$5,000
- 3, Liz Johnson, Cheektowaga, New York, 437 (two games), \$3,500
- 4, April Ellis, Jackson, Tennessee, 184 (one game), \$3,000

#### Stepladder results

Match One - Johnson def. Ellis, 225-184 Semifinal - Guerrero def. Johnson, 214-212 Championship - O'Keefe def. Guerrero, 252-203

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## DIEDRICH AND HAMILTON WIN SCOTCH DOUBLES

by Don Surdich

SAN JOUQUIN VALLEY — It was another great turnout for our Merced/Atwater Women's 500 Club during their annual Scotch Doubles at Bellevue last Sunday. A total of 24 teams were rolling for a prize fund of over \$575. Coming in first was the team of Katie Diedrich and Cody Hamilton who bowl at the Valley Bowl in Madera with a team score of 918 for \$74 each. In second was Alice Stove and Ed Huddleston with a 853 for \$66 each, the third spot had Eddie Oliverez and Marie Herrera with a 839 for \$57 each, fourth had Sandy Olivarez and Monta Tillotson with a 827 for \$48 each, in fifth place was a tie between LaDonna & Monte Stone, and Sharon & Robert Gomes rolling 819 for \$20 each. Up next for the club is their Behind the Curtain on Sunday, Aug. 14.

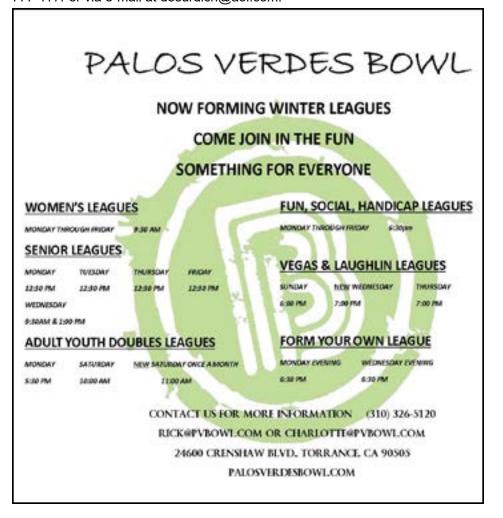
**First timer.** ...Looks like Brian Barthel kept his kool last Thursday night in the Summer Jubilee league as he rolled his first perfect game of his bowling career. To top it off, a woman bowler was rolling to his left and she rolled her ball and her wrist guard game off and crossed over in front on Barthel's pair and landed on the pair to his right. You thought it might have broken his concentration after seeing the wrist guard fly across his pair. If anything, I think that it keep him loose to roll his twelved ball, which he did. He ended up with a 683 series. He was presented with a plaque from our association last Thursday night.

**Simpson's score again.** ...Bill and Judy Simpson make the most of it last Friday at McHenry Bowl in their senior no-tap tourney. Bill earned \$37.50 and Judy \$37. In the high game pot, Bill took the first game with a 331, and placed second in the men's high series with a 862. Judy took a first in the women's high game pot with a 340, and a second in the women's series with an 820. Janie Schropp won a very few bucks in the second women's high game with a 822. On Friday of this week is Yosemite Lanes turn for the senior no-tap at 1 p.m. Entry fee is \$13, which includes your high game pot for men and women that is paid out after every game. The intersection at Hatch Road and Santa Fe Avenue will be closed for repairs starting on July 22 to Aug. 7 in case you use that route.

Ten Pin Fun Center. ...I guess two times is a charm for developer Rod Scott as he is again planning on building a bowling center in the Monte Vista Crossing shopping center in Turlock that will be up and running by July, 2017. The entertainment center will be build across from Lowe's with 34 lanes, 4,00 squad-foot laser tag area; a arcade with 75 games, and a banquet rooms that will host small or large events. Two bars are being build. The center has too many outstanding features to list. Scott is the same developer that in 2010 had plans to build a center across from Stanislaus State. Turlock's last bowling center closed in 1997, Devine Gardens. This center will be a gem of entertainment for adults and kids for the City of Turlock and surrounding area. Note: The City of Merced is larger than Turlock with three high schools, a junior college, and a university. We need a bowling center in Merced for our adults, teens, and kids.

Valley Bowl is back up. ... I called Chris Pugliese in Los Banos to see if he was going to be bowling at Bellevue this year, he said that he would be rolling at Valley Bowl in Madera and maybe the new bowl in Los Banos. He told me that they were working on repairing the roof that fell in, which I did not know. The center had been closed for about five weeks according to Fred Eisenhammer, who wrote a column in the California Bowling News last week about their problem. He said they had to install four permanent steel post in the concourse area supporting the main truss. Terry and Patti Hoban, owners said "That work will be needed later as a structural engineer was unable to determine the exact cause of the roof damage." Not all the lanes are open at the present time, but they are open. I met the Hoban's several years ago when I was there for a Silver Foxes tournament, and then later to cover a local 500 club tournament "We want to ensure that everyone who comes to our bowl is safe and secure," said Patti. The bowl is not a corporate-owned house, they need some help. They have a drive going on right now to raise funds for most of the repairs; it appears that their insurance claim has been denied. If you want to help out our fellow bowlers out, send a donation to Help Save Valley Bowl, 12829 Hwy 145, Madera, CA. 93537. And, make sure you tell them you are a bowler

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# **James Borillo Wins Fifth ABTA Title at West Covina Lanes** Ken Kost 2nd \$500 – Dom LaGuardia 3rd \$200

Match Game Winners - Billy Chao, Anthony Dancel & Chris Solomon Tess Dizon Wins 3/6/9 for \$1,100 - Mystery Doubles Winners Steve Brode & Joel Arcieniega Match Series est \$1,700 - 3/6/9 \$400

# Saturday We Are at La Habra "300" Bowl in La Habra

Congratulations to long time member James Borillo winning his fifth championship at West Covina Lanes worth \$2,500. He was the top qualifier edging out Dominador LaGuardia after they were the two front runners after two games during semifinals.

He sat out to bowl for the title while Dom was seeded to the top 9 entering into the second round of the single elimination finals.

scores were Men +67 and Women +48. Top qualifiers to receive a paid entry to any regular tournament were Ramon Alliman +159 and Kerry Lucka +120.

Super Seniors added, two men and one woman, Roland Suase +54, Ed

Palma and Phil Magno tied with a +37 and Wendy Soo-Hoo -9.

Thirty-three bowlers made the semis with James Borillo leading the pack with a +80. Dominador LaGuardia 2nd with a +68. The first game cut, Men +19 and Women +15. Second game, Dominador La-Guardia took the lead with a +104 and James Borillo with a +90.

The cut went slightly higher for the men with The qualifying cut a +26 and lower for the women with a +3.

> Third game was very close between James and Dominador, but in the 10th frame Dominador caught a split, finished with a +115 and James Borillo took the top qualifying spot with a +134. The final cut was

Men +41 and Women -16. They advance to top 16 elims and all others cash accordingly

The single elims saw some high scores and close matches to the delight of the onlookers.

Placing 10-16th, Stanley Tam, Jeff Lee, Joevin Bolanos, Art Windsor, Ramon Alliman, Kerry Lucka, Gail Rodgers (60%) receiving

In 6-9th, Robert Contreras, Dino Cantoria, Sylvia Serrano (60%) & Danny Guevarra \$105. Finishing in 4th and 5th Phil Magno (60%) \$66 and Roland Suase \$110.

The last two bowlers remaining, Dominador LaGuardia and Ken Kost would meet to see who would challenge the top qualifier James Borillo. In the end, Ken Kost kept his steady bowling finishing with a 230 against Dominador's 206 game. Ken Kost being an ABTA member over 20 years ago who has recently returned, paid \$160 as a horse.

The championship game started with both bowlers marking and opening in the 2nd frame. James Borillo struck the 3rd frame but opened in the 4th frame, doubled and another open frame but still few pins ahead of Ken Kost.

After marking in the 3rd and 4th frames, Ken opened in the 5th, marked in the 6th but opened the next three frames giving James breathing room to



Borillo Wins 5th Tile at West Covina \$2,500 — James Borillo edged Ken Kost in the final frame to win at West Covina and \$2,500. (L-R) Chris Borillo, Jojo Jasmin ABTA Member, Ken Kost 2nd \$500, Steve Brode, James Borillo (Champion), His wife Caroline Borillo, Lorna Jasmin, Christian Borillo and Carl Borillo.

pull ahead by marking all the way to the 10th frame. Since Ken had three open frames, his double in the 10th got him close, finishing with 157/196 to James'

James Borillo is from Lakewood, used a Columbia/Smack Down drilled by Al at Cal Bowl Pro Shop. His wife Caroline and three boys, Carl, Chris and Christian were on hand to cheer

Ken Kost is from La Puente, used his Haywire drilled by Aarik Torres. His daughter Kagan, also an ABTA member was in Vegas and sorry to miss her Dad's run for the championship.

Dominador LaGuardia is from El Monte, used his Havwire drilled by Memo Rosales. His wife Zeny and Dom have three children, two beautiful daughters and one son.

Saturday, July 30th, ABTA tournament will be at La Habra Bowl - 370 E. Whittier Blvd. in La Habra. This is BEAT THE BOARD finals.

We will be done early La Habra is a Great place join us there First squad is at 1:00PM, 2:30PM, 4:00PM and 6:00PM.

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2	Ken Kost from La Puente	641	\$500.00
3	Dominador La Guardia from El Monte	715	\$200.00
4	Phil Magno (SS) (60%) from Valinda	709	\$66.00
5	Roland Suase (SS) from Glendale	643	\$110.00
6	Robert Contreras from La Puente	684	\$105.00
7	Dino Cantoria (SS) from Fontana	670	\$105.00
8	Sylvia Serrano (60%) from Arcadia	660	\$63.00
9	Danny Guevarra (SS) from Carson	653	\$105.00
10	Stanley Tam from El Monte	698	\$100.00
11	Jeff Lee from Norwalk	685	\$100.00
12	Joevin Bolanos from Placentia	672	\$100.00
13	Art Windsor (SS) from West Covina	659	\$100.00
14	Ramon Alliman from Long Beach	657	\$100.00
15	Kerry Lucka (SS) from Perris	646	\$60.00
16	Gail Rodgers (60%) from Van Nuys	584	\$60.00
17	Don Quitangon from Walnut	639	\$72.50
18	Billy Chao from Monterey Park	632	\$70.00
19	Chris Abing from Cerritos	629	\$67.50
20	Victor Paolucci (SS) from Orange	625	\$65.00
21	Conrado Amado (SS) from Santa Clarita	623	\$64.50
22	Sun Sundara (SS) from Diamond Bar	623	\$64.50
23	Michael Zhang from Monterey Park	621	\$63.00
24	Mamerto Jablan (SS) from Alhambra	611	\$63.00
25	David Sr. Jones from Monovina	610	\$63.00
26	William Ele (SS) from Long Beach	600	\$61.50
27	Chris Solomon (60%) from San Garbiel	600	\$36.50
28	Jonathan Barraca from Anaheim	599	\$61.00
29	Wendy Soo Hoo (SS) from Walnut	582	\$61.00
30	Greg Kokanour from Highland	558	\$61.00
31	Ed Palma (SS) from Cerritos	558	\$61.00
32	Tess Dizon from San Bernardino	554	\$61.00
33	Linda Sarabia (SS) (60%) from Long Beach	551	\$36.50
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#### Saturday Men: +67 Women: +48 SUPER SENIORS: Wendy Soo Hoo -9. Roland Suase +54 Ed Palma +37, Phil Magno +37 High Qualifer (Free Entry) Men: Ramon Alliman +159 Women: Kerry Lucka +120 3-6-9 Tess Dizon Match Game: 137

Anthony Dancel

Mystery Doubles: 310

Steve Brode/Joel Arciniega (50%)

Match Series: 411 NO WINNER RAFFLE WINNERS

Prize Fund 136 \$3,947.00 Paid Entries 21 @ 61 \$1,281.00 Optional Sidepots \$1.048.00 3-6-9 \$1,100.00 Mystery Doulbes Match Game \$795.00 \$1,465.00 \$1,500.00 Cash & Carry \$88.00 **\$19,289.00** Shirt & Trophy **Total Payout** 



Happy at West Covina. ABTA Chris Soliman (right) hit his share of the \$1,465 Match Game at West Covina Lanes. The Big Bowler shows his animation as he is presented the cash by Debbie Sanders, our hard working ABTA Director. Chris is one of the Good Guys!



Tess Nails The 3-6-9 Pot For \$1,100 at West Covina Lanes

One of our most faithful supporters Tess Dizon hit a nice 3-6-9

Pot at West Covina as she outlasted the field and got four 9 counts

for the \$1,100. (L-R) Tess' good friend and ABTA member Ceci-

lia Cruz, Tess and Lito's pretty daughter Angelina. Good things

Happy ABTA Pot Winners at West Covina — (Left to Right) Kenny "King" Kwan, Glen Tse, Marvin Crowder, Billy Chao Shared Match Game, and Steve Brode who shared the Mystery Doubles with Joel Arciniega.

# **USBC Merger and Dues – I Was Thinking**

by Mary Lynly

While dues are not really a big thing, bowling has enjoyed low dues for a long time with people paying big bucks in some leagues and a bargain in others and in comparison, dues are paid once each season and not all that much but the value of our membership is important. Unfortunately, we are living in a world of entitlements, low employment and wages for many and the bill at the supermarket goes up all the time. I once worked for the head Industrial Engineer for Sylvania Electric in Mountain View and he had worked in South America. He told me that one thing he learned there is no matter how poor people are they will have cars, booze and recreation. People can live with paying more for things but when the value is not there people no longer participate. No organization is worth its salt without membership but when the value erodes and nearly disappears, it adds salt to the wound.

After reading about the required merger of associations by 2018 numerous things crossed my mind: I think we are facing the following challenges:

- What would happen to the association names and logos (many we helped create) we have so long associated with?
- What about processing will there be one or two "processing centers" to service what were once associations? Will it be convenient? Can computers create solid friendships and give leaders someone (live)
- How will leadership work? Obviously, with the tremendous drop in membership since USBC became our "National Governing Body", will there be the incentive to lead, to participate – for the love of it?
- What about the communication we once had from National to State to Local? This was the glue that held us together and today it is Social Media or nothing.
- For all intents and purposes, the USBC/BPAA focus is on Elite, Pro and Youth bowling. Retention has always been the goal, but since the adults are the ones who make it possible for youth to bowl, travel and participate in tournaments and other endeavors will they be only the cash cows?
- What happened to "purpose, incentive and independence of any kind?" People have to have a reason to be a part of anything. Are we dissolving into nothing but a tournament club? Will this be the proprietor run organization people once feared?
- · What about those associations who were steadfast in their desire to remain independent and involved in their own associations hosting award dinners, local tournaments, charitable and other events indigenous to their group?
- Will there be a voice from local and state bowling writer groups or will the desire for National to have "only their own" prevail and quash anything they consider competition or a voice other than their own.
- Slowly but surely our leadership has stifled any desire to work on behalf of the parent organization and President Wilkinson has said he is not concerned about membership...then what? The current leadership are all proprietors....thus, the proprietor bottom line mentality.
- It is hard to see all of the people who have given as much as 50 years of their time and treasure to supporting and promoting bowling become the undesired group, and in the eyes of current national leadership, "best gone."
- · As I now go through my multitude of items and information saved that have what I consider historical value, it saddens me to know that current leaders consider years of information of no value – even though I realize the importance of moving on. Is this what they call throwing out the baby with the bathwater?
- Has our leadership learned anything about what endears people to an enterprise/ organization/ association or will they blame the "times" forever? True, times have changed and property values has chased bowling centers away but hard times also bring innovation. Yes, some are building new types of bowling arenas but unfortunately the structure is gone. Secretaries used to handle league stats and money and now the bowling center does it leaving the named secretary with really no attachment or hands on of her league. Rules are loosie goosy, people cheat, and it seems to be OK because no one knows the rules anyway. Few have a rule book. If you want a change in the league sheet - forget it, can't do it. Also, now the personnel in bowling centers change so often you can't even establish a relationship and they certainly can't do it with you. When I worked in a center I knew every bowler....by name!
- When a new bowler comes into a league it is painful to watch them struggle anyone offer to help? Maybe an unknowing league member but that seems to be it. They won't be back.
- I reflect on how the well-oiled machine events run by WIBC and ABC used to be. Attending events run by BPAA/USBC is evidence of the absence of anyone who has real hands on knowhow and it is bumble after bumble. There seems to be no feel for professionalism. This might get better but the people who have learned something will probably be "replaced."
- There are many smart, sharp people who run local events I wonder what the incentive for them will be? I wonder if our leaders think they can learn anything from them.
- I have no problem with dues raise, but in response to the question asked there was a time that associations offered value for the membership dues. Now it seems to be – give me money or you get less, or nothing.
- What I think is worse, having the experience of putting a lot of effort into helping to make a professional tournament in our area special for the participants, instead of welcoming our help we were treated like we were raining on their parade. To say the least – never again.
- Amid the merger mania common sense appears to be a thing of the past and current benefits are often marketing schemes and provide nothing to be learned. I repeat what I learned from an article that talked of the "Merger Mania" a few years ago and how it failed businesses. When they went back to the drawing board to see what happened, they discovered they had forgotten the people.

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been looking forward to this year. I just missed at the (Go Bowling PWBA) Players Championship, missed a few spares and it cost me at the end – I really wanted to make that show. These opportunities don't happen every day, so take them now or you might never see them again."

The Greater Detroit Open marked Restrepo's fourth PWBA championship-round appearance and her second as the top seed. She lost to Latvia's Diana Zavjalova in the title match of the 2015 PWBA Minnesota Open.

"I remembered losing last year in Minnesota; I made good shots but they didn't fall," Restrepo said. "My coaches have been telling me 'You got this, we believe in you' but it's hard to tell yourself that when you are failing and making the little mistakes that cost you. Today, I made two bad shots and I thought it might cost me at some point. But I kept making my spares and kept telling myself to stay in it. I'm excited it finally happened."

Stefanie Johnson of Grand Prairie, Texas, the 2015 PWBA Rookie of the Year, made her second TV appearance of 2016 in the stepladder's opening match. She started with strikes in five of her first six frames en route to a 222-181 victory over former Wichita State standout Tannya Roumimper of Indonesia.

In the semifinal match, Johnson had an open frame in the sixth and that proved to be just enough of an opening for Sin, a 2016 USBC Queens finalist, to grab a 225-194 victory to set up the title match against Restrepo.

The qualifying, match play and group stepladder rounds of the PWBA Greater Detroit Open took place June 17-18 at Super Bowl in Canton, Mich. The TV stepladder finals were taped for broadcast on June 26 at The Ashwaubenon Bowling Alley in Green Bay, Wisconsin, after the Go Bowling PWBA Players Championship.

#### PWBA GREATER DETROIT OPEN

At The Ashwaubenon Bowling Alley, Green Bay, Wis.

#### Final standings

- 1, Rocio Restrepo, Louisville, Ohio, 217 (1 game), \$10,000
- 2, Li Jane Sin, Malaysia, 410 (2 games), \$5,000
- 3, Stefanie Johnson, Grand Prairie, TX, 416 (2 games), \$3,500
- 4, Tannya Roumimper, Indonesia, 181 (one game), \$3,000

#### **Stepladder results**

Match One – Johnson def. Roumimper, 222-181 Semifinal – Sin def. Johnson, 225-194 Championship – Restrepo def. Sin, 217-185



CHINA — Walter Ray Williams Jr., PBA's all-time titles leader, recently returned from a trip to China where he helped friend Frank Zhao, the founder and president of Longmarch Bowling, promote the opening of a new sixlane bowling center.

The new center, located in the Bund district of Shanghai, is the fourth built by Zhao's organization in China.

Longmarch, which is involved in all aspects of the bowling industry from the manufacture of bowling equipment to construction of bowling centers, is also turning its sights to the promotion of the sport at the competitive level with the hope of growing the sport professionally, according to Williams.

"Nothing is finalized yet, but hopefully they can get a professional tournament organized sometime prior to the QubicaAMF World Cup (Oct. 14-23 in Shanghai)," Wil-

As part of his promotional trip, Williams was featured on a 90-minute special on bowling which will be aired Aug. 1 on China's Jiangus Sports Network.

"They are committed to growing the sport and it's a huge market to work with," Williams said. "They want to have me back next year for a couple weeks to expand the promotion they want to do." With Williams help, Zhao initiated a "PBA development league" program that has helped prepare and develop China's top players for international competition over the past three years. For the past two years, Zhao has sent Chinese representatives to compete in the PBA World Series of Bowling.

="There are 25 million people alone in the Shanghai area, so the potential is unlimited," Williams added.

While in Asia, Williams also competed in the Andong Korean Invitational which attracted a field of 220 players. As for how he did, all he would say is, "not very good."

# 'Jumping for Joy, Screaming With Delight'

by Fred Eisenhammer

WINNETKA - What is it about bowling that makes people walk on air after they deliver a stirring performance?

There definitely has to be something about the sport that makes one feel so good about oneself after a powerful effort.

Perhaps it's all about the passion between bowler and bowling. Perhaps it's all about an everyday individual who may not be so gifted athletically but can still perform like Pete Weber or Kelly Kulick with some consistently well-placed shots.

What great feeling it is when all comes together. When the rhythm is there and the timing is there, the pins oftentimes will provide a reward by obligingly tripping over one another in kind of a respectful sa-

Sometimes, this moment of elation can hap-

pen in tournaments. Sometimes, it can happen in league play. Sometimes, it can happen in practice.

The emotion from bowlers is real and genuine. The ebullience carries over for days or weeks or longer.

It's so sweet and such a motivating factor. It seduces players into practicing diligently to try to work out the subtleties of their game.

Siena Cawelti knows that feeling all too well.

Siena was averaging 119 seven years ago. Through hard work and her off-the-charts passion for the game, Siena bolted to the ranks of the 600 [series] club three years ago.

The special moments didn't stop there. Just last month during a league session at Winnetka Bowl . . . well, let Siena explain it in her own words as per her Facebook

"In my six and one-half years of bowling, TONIGHT was my dream come true. I finally had my first 250 game AND my highest series 627!!! I just can't put into words what it felt like to be one with the ball and lane.

"When I realized I had attained what eluded me for so long, I jumped for joy, screamed with delight and yes, my eyes welled with tears. I never could have done this without my teammates Shabnam Shawn Shiba and Matt Jones, who push me to be that better bowler. A special thanks to Matt, who has THE best eye for the lanes, for lining me up and is my bowling inspiration, and Cliff Frazier for your gentle guidance, practice and never-ending support.

"To see my husband, Craig, grinning and so proud with every strike made it ever more special. I will never forget tonight!! Now on to my 700!" This is what's called elation. Those unforgettable moments make bowling so special – and help make bowlers so passionate about the



#### **Obituary for Nestor Benjamin Reyes, Sr.** Nestor Benjamin Reyes, our beloved husband, father, brother and friend, passed away peacefully in his sleep, on June 10th at the age of 69. Born in San Antonio, Guatemala in 1946, to Ben-

jamin Guillermo Reyes and Carlota Reyes Chapeton, his large family consisted of six brothers and three sisters. One by one each followed him to the United States.

Nestor came to the U.S. with his friend Hugo Alvarez when he was only 19 years old, and immediately knew this is where he belonged. He worked odd jobs – dishwasher, cook, car washer for a number of years, learning the English language as he went along. Ultimately, with the help and supervision of Mr. Manny Manzano, he learned the maintenance and repair of the Brunswick pin setters for the bowling industry. He had found his niche, and was a "natural" in this field. He continued his education, including the, then new, computerized electronics, and

became one of the most desired head mechanics in the industry. There are numerous "graduates" of his schooling – now also head mechanics – who can attest to that.

Although his first marriage ended in divorce, his pride and joy were his three sons, Eddie, Jeremy and Benny. He instilled in them a wonderful work ethic that employers today beg to have on staff. In 1991, he married again, to Kathleen Nesbit, and gained two step-sons, Brian and Brad Nesbit. The couple's devotion to each other was well known; a never-ending love story. They remained in Orange County until their retirement in December, 2009.

Nestor accomplished much in life, but one his proudest moments was when he finally became an American citizen. He chose to be an American – and he was, through and through – from the moment his feet touched our soil. His flag still flies every day. He also designed and built several new parts for the pin setters, he maintained the entire bowling center, including plumbing and electrical, and was wonderful with upgrades and repairs around his home and yard. He loved gardening, and always grew fresh vegetables for the table. He also loved traveling around our beautiful

Nestor was a true handyman. He could build or fix most anything, and he planned on having his own business upon retirement. Sadly, that never happened. Shortly after moving to Los Osos, he was diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease. Fortunately, thanks to his wife and family (especially his son, Jeremy & his family), care-givers, and Hospice, he remained at home through his final moment. Our special thanks to all those caring and devoted people who helped us through our

Nestor was pre-deceased by his parents and one brother, William. He is survived by his loving wife, Kathy, sons Edward, in Ohio, Jeremy (Batrice), in Los Osos, Nestor Benjamin, Jr., in Arkansas; four brothers, Aaron, Armando, Jorge, and Jovani; three sisters, Dina, Carolina, and Lucrecia; two step-sons Brian Nesbit (Teresa), in Texas, and Bradley Nesbit, in Costa Mesa, numerous nieces and nephews and 13 adored grandchildren.

Nestor is at peace, now free from the bondage Alzheimer's brings. This is a horrible disease that takes everything from the person. As his memory faded, so too his light-hearted personality. But he will never be forgotten as the man we knew and loved. He will be forever in our hearts.

A celebration of Life will be held here in Los Osos, on his 70th birthday (August 22nd). Please call Kathy (805-528-1132) for time and details. In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to Central Coast Hospice, the Alzheimer's Foundation, or Coast Caregiver Resource Center - all in San Luis Obispo. These people are Angels on Earth.



Siena Cawelti is a top women's bowler in the L.A. area. Her enthusiasm for the game is off the charts. Photo by Almita Bay-

\$8,000 First Place \$6,000 Second Place \$5,000 Third Place \$4,000 Fourth Place \$3,200 Fifth Place



(Based on 20 teams)

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# **To The Editor:**

Hello Bowling News!

I am a friend of Fred Eisenhammer's and have been reading your bowling paper for several months now--it's a wonderful publication!

I noticed in the 7/14 issue, there was a letter to the editor from a Mr. Joe Vuica. I'm not sure if he ever contacted anyone to help answer his questions about the State Association and its tournament expenses, so I've attached some info that might help him better understand things. Thank you! Kathy Franke - Door County, WI

Hi Joe. This is in response to your letter concerning your State Association and your feeling that they are getting paid to do nothing.

Even though I'm from Wisconsin and spent most of my years bowling tournaments, I've also spent many years involved in my State Association as well as close to ten years as Association Manager in my local association. So I think I may be able to help you out.

First of all, league champion and high game patches were supplied by the national organization, USBC, not your State Association. Of the dues you pay yearly, \$10 goes to USBC and the remainder goes to your local association. Both have dues caps, which will be changing next season. State associations have the option of charging an extra \$1-\$3 (if I remember correctly).

As far as "only" running the State tournament, this is a huge job that requires many people. The whole process starts probably three years prior by deciding in which city to host the tournament and then soliciting bids from centers in that city.

Decisions are made as to where to host the team event and where to host the minor events (singles/doubles) as well as the number of weeks/months the tournament will run. Dates and times are set for the events in each house as well as maximum numbers of teams/bowlers.

You had concerns regarding expenses that were listed on the entry form. Keep in mind that the State tournament covers the entire State and that means thousands of bowlers. Tournaments are not "money makers" and actually can cost quite a bit to run. Expenses include the printing of entry forms, recaps, printing checks/mailing checks (envelopes/postage), posters/banners to advertise event, score-keepers (the myriad of people needed to record scores and help bowlers), printout of lane assignments, etc. Many of those helping to run the tournament make very little or nothing at all.

Even though a tournament computer program is used, all facets of the tournament (location, dates, times, houses, squads, division averages, handicap percentage) and each bowler entering the tournament need to be entered. Averages also need to be verified.

The State office also helps to fill teams when previously entered bowlers cannot bowl and they also assists in changing dates when necessary as well as being available to answer questions.

Once bowling begins, scores have to be entered and current standings posted either on their website or in a bowling newspaper or at bowling centers. Leader boards at the tournament houses are kept current.

In Wisconsin (we are not merged at this point), both the Men's and Women's Associations also run a Senior State tournament. And both have a Hall of Fame for the State's outstanding bowlers. Having been involved with both the tournament and HOF on the local and State levels, I can tell you that even just these two things take the whole of the bowling season to organize and run.

As far as patches go, it would probably shock you as to how much all those patches (and the shipping required to get them to the associations) cost. I, too, miss the awards and wish the awards program had not gotten so out of hand, but truth be told, it was a very time consuming process and very costly. Having been involved in my local association, I found that most bowlers don't really care about awards. Back when I started bowling, awards were a big deal, but that attitude has changed in today's day and age.

The editor of this paper was correct in saying that patches are the very least of what USBC does. One of the most important things your membership covers is the right to a

# **2016 CALIFORNIA PEPSI YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIPS**



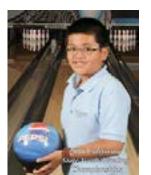




JENNIFER LOREDO U15 Girls - CSU Fresno



ASHLEY SANTOS U20 Girls - CSU Fresno



CHRISTIAN CHAN



RICHARD PAUL III U15 Boys - Harvest Park



JOHN REYES
U20 Boys - Delta Bowl (tie)



MATTHEW CARPENTER U20 Boys - Mira Mesa (tie)

# **CONGRATULATIONS CHAMPIONS!**

by Lynn Matsubara

FOUNTAIN VALLEY — The 2016 California Pepsi Youth Bowling Championships crowned six new Champions. This long tournament starts with league-level qualifying competition in November and January and then the District Finals are held in March at eight different locations over two different weekends. Based on a ratio of 1:2 from league level to District, a total of 465 bowlers participated in the U8 & U10 Divisions and 1,791 participated in the U12, U15 & U20 Divisions. The first place finishers in the U8 & U10 Divisions at the District Finals earned a FREE entry into the 2016 Youth State Championships to be held this July in Lake Forest. The first place finishers in the U12, U15 & U20 Divisions at the District Finals earned a \$50 scholarship plus a qualifying spot into the Semi-Finals of the Diddy Watts State Singles Challenge to be held at McHenry Bowl in Modesto August 13-14. Bowlers in the U8 & U10 Divisions would survive through two rounds of qualifying and three rounds of qualifying for the U12, U15 & U20 Divisions (all qualifying levels were based on scratch scores). 52 winners in the U8 & U10 Divisions will earn District Scratch Scholarships and \$12,087 will be awarded in District Handicap Scholarships to 239 winners. Every bowler was automatically entered in the District Handicap Division and \$5 from each entry was allocated for these awards.

The State Finals were held at Fountain Bowl on May 7-8. Bowlers in the U12, U15 & U20 divisions qualified to this level based on a ratio of 1:5 from District to State. We had 330 bowlers travel from across the state to attend and bowl in six game blocks. 33 of these bowlers will earn Scratch Scholarships. We also ran an optional Handicap Division, in which 223 bowlers participated and we will pay out \$2,300 to 23 bowlers. **Christian Chan, Pamela Faller, Andrew Chan, Sabrina Bennett** and **Ashley Santos** earned a FREE entry into the USBC Junior Gold Finals in Indianapolis, IN this July. Each of our six champions will receive a travel stipend up to \$400 for the Gold Finals along with their state scholarship and a custom embroidered jacket.

We are extremely thankful for our many sponsors this year. For the 16th year in a row, **BowlersParadise.com** and **EliteBowling.com** sponsored this event along with **Storm, Terry's Bowling Supply** (inside Country Bowl), **Steve Cook's Fireside Lanes, Albany Bowl, Bowling Outfitters** (inside McHenry Bowl), **Pickwick Bowl Pro Shop, Bowlersdeals** (inside Empire Bowl), Bowlium Lanes, and Bowler's Advantage (inside Vista Entertainment Center). These sponsors all donated items for our fundraising raffle at the District and State Finals sites to help us raise more scholarship dollars. Thanks to Digital Team Photography for taking great Pepsi pics for District 7, 8 and the State Finals and for donating a portion of those sales to our scholarship fund. Also Special Thanks to Bonaventure Butts for taking great pics for District #5.

THANKS to all of the District Directors: Robyn Hricik, Gladys Kawaye, Tim Pato, June Brown, Tom Leigh, Andrea Sisk, Andre Eubanks, and Linda Stewart for their hard work in running the District Finals this year. Special thanks to those on the State Board that helped as well – We know that it takes more than two directors to run these events and they all did an outstanding job. District Directors will be contacting centers that just participated in Pepsi in regards to hosting this event for March 2017. If you are interested, please contact your respective District Director for more information. Thanks again to all of those that supported this event – it would not be a success without your help! Tournament packets for 2017 will be mailed to all youth programs in Sept/Oct and of course all information and full tournament results are posted online at CalUSBC.com.

properly run league/tournament as dictated by the rules of the game. Without sanctioning, bowling would basically be like a pick-up game where the rules change according to players' whims. By participating in a sanctioned league, you have written rules so that when something isn't being done correctly, you have somewhere to go to have the situation resolved. Your league is also bonded so that if your treasurer runs off with the league funds, bowlers don't lose their money (as long as your league follows proper protocol).

USBC also requires lanes and balls to meet certain criteria so that everyone competes on approved conditions with approved equipment, thus helping to eliminate unfair advantages. They are involved in promoting our sport so that it grows and stays solvent. And, of course, they also run the National tournament that is open to everyone.

I hope this helps you understand what your State Association does and what your dues cover.

Kathy Franke

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# Patrick Shipley Shines At Senior Masters

by Danny Schrafel

Longtime bowler Patrick Shipley did more than bowl in the USBC Senior Masters. He recorded the highest finish by an amateur in this year's tournament and made a name for himself as a force to be reckoned with.

Shipley, of Spring Valley (San Diego), earned a top-12 finish in the USBC-PBA50 tour major, after being defeated in consecutive matches by hall of famers Pete Weber and Brian Voss – each of whom threw perfect 300 games at him during their three-game matches.

"I never dreamed that I would have gotten this far. It was just so surreal," Shipley said June 28, two days after the tournament concluded.

As Shipley fought for one of the 64 spots in the doubleelimination bracket, IGBO bowlers from across the country were firmly in his corner, and he thrilled them by earning the 58th spot with a 210.46 average after 15 games.

"I just wanted to do well for everybody – I had hundreds of posts on my Facebook wall," he said. "The amount of support I received – I never thought I would have had that."

Friends from Indiana who were in town to bowl the USBC Women's Nationals, as well as San Diego bowlers who moved to Las Vegas, joined his partner, Rich Bessette, in person at Sam's Town to root him on.

His friends had plenty more to cheer about thanks to three opening-round victories – against No. 7 seed Lennie Boresch, No. 39-seed Ron Cleveland, and No. 10 seed Mike Scroggins, respectively – which kept Shipley in the winner's bracket. Then came Weber, the tournament's eventual champion and a man who has dominated the 50-and-over circuit in historic fashion in recent months.

"Stay calm. You're just bowling the No. 1 bowler in the world," Shipley recalled thinking, with a laugh.

After the first two games, a stunning upset was within reach. After two games, Shipley nosed ahead to a 486-484 lead on the power of a near-perfect 297. The perfect game was thwarted by a 3-6-10 on the 12th ball.

"I didn't even look in the back. There had to be a couple of hundred of people," he said, adding that he told himself, "All right, calm down. Throw a good shot" before the final

But Weber was not to be denied, and reached back for a perfect 300 game to knock Shipley to the elimination bracket in a 784-701 finish. There, Brian Voss duplicated the feat, opening with a 269-300 flourish to end Shipley's tournament with a 785-674 score.

Shipley earned \$2,500 for his performance – along with a post-match selfie and a high praise from Weber – "You're the one I was worried about." Confirmation later came from pro bowling all-time great Walter Ray Williams, Jr., who was on the neighboring pair to the Weber-Shipley match.

"He was the nicest one of all of them I bowled," Shipley said of Weber. "I gained a new respect. He was so encouraging."

On the heels of his strong performance at the Masters, Shipley, a Hammer amateur staff member, says he says he's serious thought to competing on the PBA50 tour next season.

In addition to his bowling endeavors, the IGBO family has been in Shipley's corner in the fight against colon cancer, of which his partner Rich is a survivor. Generous donations from members have made him the Colon Cancer Alliance's San Diego UNDY Walk's most prolific fundraiser, netting \$32,000 in just four years.

## PBA50 Tour Competitor John Burkett Undergoes Ankle Surgery

Former Major League All-Star pitcher John Burkett, a second-year competitor on the PBA50 Tour, has announced via Twitter that after two years of struggling with a torn ankle ligament, he underwent surgery July 19th to repair the problem and will miss the duration of the 2016 season.

#### SPECIAL BENEFITS AVAILABLE TO NEW, RETURNING PBA MEMBERS THROUGH AUGUST 31ST

As the PBA heads into the core of its 2016 season, now is the perfect time for bowlers who have dreamed of pursuing the PBA challenge - and former members who would like to return to competition - to take the step. With five Xtra Frame PBA Tour title events, a multi-event PBA Fall Swing in Detroit, the PBA Fall Classic in Las Vegas and the eighth annual PBA World Series of Bowling in Reno remaining on the schedule, the opportunities are abundant.

During its current membership drive, PBA is waiving the traditional initiation fee to join the PBA until August 31. Bowlers who are on active-duty with the U.S. military will be granted free membership for the rest of 2016; all they have to do is apply. And newlygraduating collegiate bowlers are eligible for a lowcost PBA24 membership which allows them to test the PBA waters without committing to a full membership.

PBA members are eligible to enter all PBA tournaments (including PBA's extensive schedule of QubicaAMF Regional events), receive entry priority and lower-cost entry fees for select events that are open to non-members, and receive a variety of benefits depending upon their membership level. Bowlers also are reminded the PBA Fall Swing in Detroit and WSOB VIII are membersonly events.

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# A DREAM COMES TRUE

by Jerry Teunissen, The Netherlands

July 24th to 3 August 3rd, in Lincoln Cleveland USA we can follow the the World Bowling Youth Championship for players under 21 years. Over 37 countries are present with a team. About 130 girls and 79 boys under the age of 21 are playing for this Championship.

Among the participating countries is also a team of The Netherlands.

The small country in Western Part of Europe.

One of the Dutch Players is Youri Fens,19 years. Youri started to bowl when he was 9 years old.

And since then he dreams to bowl once in his life time at an event in the Walhalla of the bowling sport.... America.

Next week his Dream Comes True as well as those of his teammates Dennis van den Berg, Jordi Putman and Kevin van Rooijen. All talented young players.

On the 1st of February Youri had shown the bowlingworld his incredible qualities and talent at the International Hammer Bronzen schietspoel tournament in Tilburg in Holland. A tournament which is a Part of the European Bowling Tour.

And a tournament which is very popular amongst bowlers of many countries and where yearly (also pro) bowlers are joining from all over the World.

During the qualifying series in serie 3. Youri threw BACK -TO-BACK, twice a 300 perfect game! 24 strikes in a row! An amazing performance for such a Young player!

What was so special about it? The first perfect game was exactly the 100th time a 300 game was thrown in Tilburg! And with the second one Youri became the second player in The Netherlands who has ever thrown 2 "perfect games" one after another.

With his performance at this tournament he qualified for participation at the World Youth Bowling Championship in 2016 linclon USA and finally after many many years of training 3 till 4 times a week, ,doing all kind of jobs to collect and save money for this trip, his dream will come true.

To act once in his life time at an international event in America where he can show the world his talents.

But??? On March 28th, the unthinkable happened. A fire in Bowling Centre Dolphin in Tilburg, destroyed all his locked materials. Its total equipment worth approximately €7000 was lost. Balls, Shoes, etc all was gone! What now? Youri was desperate and very sad. There goes his dream. Burnt in flames.

At facebook everyone were called up to support Youri and to help him. In one or another way. If you can. Within no time a lot of private persons, react and collected spontaneous money, and helped him and soon, Bowltech The Netherlands read about his problem and followed that example and sponsored him with a few new balls.

But? Would he regain his old form with these new balls? It shoul take a lot of time to get used tot these new balls?

Lets hope for him that he succeeds to perform well next week. If not? No problem at all. Anyhow what happens... one thing is for sure... HIS DREAM HAS COME TRUE.



**THE DUTCH TEAM IN TRAINING** - (L-R) Dennis van den Berg, YOURI FENS, Jordi Putman and Kevin van Rooijen.

# Glenn Allison: "I Was Recognized More Because The 900 Wasn't Sanctioned"

by Fred Eisenhammer

LA HABRA – The date was July 1, 1982.

Glenn Richard Allison, then 52, rolled bowling's first sanctioned 900 series, blasting three perfect games at La Habra Bowl in the Orange County city of La Habra, Calif.

Or did he?

Thirty-four years later and bowling aficionados are still debating that fact. The American Bowling Congress, the fore-runner of the United States Bowling Congress, failed to approve his award application at the time, setting off a controversy that still rages today.

A lane inspector from the ABC concluded that La Habra Bowl's lanes failed to comply with the rule book. Despite many intense lobbying campaigns to change the ruling, the USBC has held fast and appears to have closed the book on any further challenge.

In late 2014, the USBC reviewed the case and issued a statement that Allison's 900 series was a special feat, but it could not be retroactively recognized.

"We simply can't rewrite history for one score and apply a different standard more than 30 years later," the USBC said. "While this decision may not be the outcome some people hoped for . . . [i]t is time to close this chapter and move forward."

Through the years, Allison, nicknamed "Mr. 900," has been gracious about being denied the honor. Two years ago while working at La Habra Bowl, he told this reporter that he believed that he had received far more publicity and attention than if his feat had been sanctioned. He repeated that sentiment last week when he was interviewed on a Bowling Evolved videocast, co-hosted by Dustin Markowitz and Eric Forkel.

"The bowling public recognizes me perhaps more [than] if it was sanctioned," said Allison, now 86. "I really would love to see it happen, but I don't really believe it will ever happen, even if I'm gone.

"The accomplishment was unbelievable when it happened," said Allison, adding that he's traveled the world and has been saluted for being "Mr. 900."

Allison was one of pro bowling's premier talents in his time. He won five Professional Bowlers Assn. titles and was named to the PBA Hall of Fame in 1984. He also was inducted into the USBC Hall of Fame (1979) and won four tournament titles in the ABC Tournament's Classic Division.

On the Bowling Evolved show, Forkel recounted how he was talking to Bill Taylor, the legendary bowling personality, shortly after Allison's 900.

Taylor was told a bowler had just blasted a 900 and he was asked who he thought could have registered that feat.

"Glenn Allison was the first bowler he picked and he was dead-on correct," said Forkel, a five-time PBA Tour champion.

Allison was asked to comment on the recent highly publicized announcement that Jason Belmonte of Australia earned his second straight ESPY Award for bowling. Belmonte's name was announced during ABC-TV's live ESPY Awards telecast.

"I love the fact that bowling is getting some coverage," said Allison, who still works at La Habra Bowl and bowls with an average of 200. "It's been going downhill for so many years that it's time it's going back up."

Allison has singlehandedly kept bowling in the public's consciousness with all the controversy about his 900.

To illustrate how special his achievement is, it took until 1997 – 15 years after Allison's 900 – that another bowler recorded a three-perfect-games series. That individual was Jeremy Sonnenfeld of Lincoln, Neb., who has been given USBC credit as being the first 900 sanctioned bowler.

Altogether, the 900 mark has been achieved 29 times, including twice in January of this year. Those two times actually came within a three-day span.

Still, many people won't be swayed in their belief that Glenn Allison deserves to be at the top of the list.

A few years ago, Allison told the Associated Press that he still couldn't believe his achievement.

"I think I'm still in a little bit of shock," he said.



Glenn Allison has been gracious about the failure to be granted sanctioning for his 900 series that he bowled in 1982. Photo by Fred Eisenhammer

# ABTA at La Habra "300" Bowl

# Saturday August 30th Match Game est \$1,150 Match Series est \$2,100 • 3-6-9 is \$400

LA HABRA — The ABTA will visit popular La Habra "300" Bowl, a classy center which has great Chinese Food in the restaurant.

**Mystery Match Series est \$1,000** 

La Habra "300" Bowl is located at 370 E. Whittier Blvd in La Habra. The phone there is (562) 691-6721 or (714) 342-7889.

The Mystery Doubles Pot is est. \$1,100, Match Game est. \$1,150 and Match Series pot est. at \$2,100. The 3-6-9 is \$400. Side pots are guaranteed \$80 min. 4:00 PM and \$150 at 6:00 PM. They usually go for more than \$200 and we pay 3 places at 6:00 PM for only \$7.00 Total for 3 games or \$2.33 per game.

Due to a Very Popular Cosmic Program at this Center we are having a Beat the Board FINALS. Semi-finals at 8:00PM. It is exciting and we will be done early folks! Top 16 as usual guaranteed \$100 min. and as usual, 3 Ladies min. to the top 16.

You can access La Habra from either the 60 Freeway, Fullerton Road over the hill to Whittier Blvd. go right 2 blocks or the 5 Freeway. Take Beach North to Whittier and right ¾ mile or 57 freeway take Lambert 1 ½ miles West to Harbor then right to Whittier and East 4 Blocks to the center.

Further info available at www.abta1.com or call 562-868-7164.

The following Saturday August 6, we visit Oak Tree Lanes in Diamond Bar in a SPECIAL (FROZEN HCP EVENT). Then August 13 Action Lanes in El Monte, then on to Cal Bowl August 20 (FROZEN HCP) for the Big Labor Day Event September 1-2-3. \$3,000 Min to \$9,400 First Place in this BIG Event. More info on www.abta1. com.



#### **HALL OF FAME** continued from page 1

involved in the JST for ten years. Many of her student bowlers are recognized today as some of the best in the Citrus Belt.

Debbie has also been involved in the bowling industry during the last two decades as an employee in seven bowling centers and three pro shops. She is widely recognized as an expert in the industry. A local bowling legend.

Art Guzman is one of the smoothest bowlers ever to compete in the Citrus Belt. He is also one of the most respected men in the area, known for his class, integrity and professionalism. Simply put, our Hall of Fame is now more prestigious, more respected and more exemplary now that Art Guzman is a member.

Mr. Guzman has been bowling in the Citrus Belt since 1990. He has averaged 200 or higher throughout those years with a career best of 238. He has rolled a dozen 300s, five 299s, three 298s and four 290s. He has ten 800s with a high of 836 (279-278-279). Art has won several Citrus Belt tournaments, including a number coaches tournaments and junior/adult tournaments.

For most of the last two decades Art has volunteered as a youth coach, including working with youngsters in the JST. Art is the best role model a youth could have. His calm demeanor, his structured approach to teaching bowling basics and his use of example over words make him very unique and a great bowling coach.

The Hall of Fame night was superbly organized and coordinated by PHOSIE LOTZE and NITA SCHMIDT. They were ably assisted by DANIEL LORENZ, CURT SNYDER and NORRIS TURNER. Citrus Belt President MIKE RADDEMAN presided over the event with Curt Snyder performing expertly as Master of Ceremonies.

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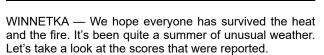
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**Mixed Classic Handicap:** Keith Nahan 279/720, Chris Drew 204/569, Julie Thompson 208/544, Matt Jones 245/720, Shawn Tamjidi 268/708, Charles Kenny 247/705, Blake McBride 704, Fran Brandt 547, Siena Cawelti 517, Jill Williamson 517, Thomas Everitt 246.

**Wednesday Night Rollers:** Danny Smith 241/668, Judy Henry 520, Brandon Hart 258/610, Dawn Suprenant 200/489, John Rojas 235/592, Dylon Prettyman 231/626, Jeff Stitz 599, Ted Nagy 592, Laurel Suprenant 500, Scott Englehart 232.

**500 Classic:** Jill Williamson 257/612, Georgia Garey 228/586, Mary Lauer 548, Patti Ehart 202/548, Olivia Mora 517.

**The Achievers:** Jimmy Jurgenson 366, Marites Tesoro 343, Jeff Grude 360.

**Thirsty Nite Out:** Dylan Jiminez 246/670, Stella Mount 514, Jim Piroli 255, Carl Comrie 668, Ray Sibulkin 654, Albert DiMaggio 247/653, Adam Lew 235/650, Lauren Brifman 506, Susan Cortez 502, Chris Ivey 246, Josh Ellis 235, Daniel Barkin 235.

**SFVCC Nikkei:** Shoji Takeshima 236/624, Sandra Yamamoto 236/601, Stan Date 226/623, Kiyoshi Suruki 224/593, Brian Giegoldt 593, Kenneth Morita 224/590, San Mitchell 225/542, Noriko Fukunaga 535, Eiji Fukumoto 225.

**Guys & Dolls:** Joe Curry 268/678, Cora Caparros 543, Sheryl Tschappat 224/514, Joe Gerace 223/636, Roscoe Frazier 223/608, Mike Rice 223/604, Jeff Stitz 604, Tracy Stine 507, Rick Gould 223.

**League Of Our Own:** Matt Jones 278/776, Susan Cortez 232/555, John Ritchie 235/638, Albert DiMaggio 248/633, Pramote Jiramoree 231/628, Darwin Rubio 231/628, Rachelle Tan 515, Amy Lew 502, Jason Kalmanson 237.

Ellen's Comedians: Michael Pollalck 269/762, Erica Pollack 235/672, Drew Stern 244/707, Shawn Tamjidi 258/701, Jesse Chastain 258/677, Billy Mulvihill 233/663, Martha Evans 488.

**Sport Shot Singles:** (week #5) Mike Kinsinger 226/747, Justin Pluchino 722, Kinh Hang 712, William Lingamen 701, Charles Kenny 700.

**Beer Ball:** Spencer Rothstein 243/651, Nancy Miller 116/307, Derek Boyd 209/601, Ryan Boyd 201/584, Jimmy Boyd 242/524, Jlmmy Boyd 242/524.

River Maniacs: Anthony Sharpesteen 256/712, Monise Kelly 204/587, Carol Ellis 226/552, Johnnie Englehart 263/700, Scott Englehart 258/692, Vince Koeller 681, Mark May 679, Dwayne Hanna 257, Bart Carrillo 251, Marsha Martinez 224/563, Carol Ellis 226/551, Elizabeth Fonvergne 550.

#### **SENIORS**

**49'Ers:** Mel Neiditch 234/656, Carolyn Scherzberg 227/560, Bob Husby 236/528, Tom Tucker 211/584, Michael Chaney 207/554, Duane Erickson 538, Bob Husby 236/528, Barbara Vaccarello 485, Dick Wiseman 209.

**Funtimers:** Ron Doll 225/617, Connie Wannomae 521, Al Reiswig 223/585, Bernhardt Roth 545, Kenneth Morita 542, Mel Neiditch 536, Carolyn Scherzberg 517, Dale Robinson 210, Rick Kopper 202.

**39'Ers:** Al Reiswig 215/620, Carolyn Scherzberg 200/534, Bill Ross 204/598, Bob Husby 225/588, Curtis Litzenberger 210/584, Mel Neiditch 566, Gary Faught 215, Ron Doll 204.

#### JUNIORS

**Junior Royals:** Jericho Olegario 193/520, Rebecca Zelaya 428, Kai Burris 446, Justin Mann 342.

Junior All Stars: Samantha Olegario 231, Onaje Long-

mire Jr. 158, Amber Rivas 186. **8 For 8:** Tristean Fonvergne 102/187, Sienna Tyree 99/184, Joshua Kahn 99/184, Anthony Lepore 95/184, Joshua Fon-

vergne 95/181, Joshua Lepore 85/152. Everyone be careful and have a good week.

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LAKEWOOD — Welcome back to another week of great scores from the bowlers here at Cal Bowl.

**Big Bear:** Matt Schermerhorn 279/781, Emmerson Wafer 260/754, Kasey Hansen 286/674, Phillip Gipson 246/669, Benjie Calinawan 664, Jerry Cant 269/662, Sid Nakagawa 639, George Reister 244/637, Mark Barcelona 635, Raleigh McCormick 240/628, Paul Staff 260/625, Sonny Dew 247/622, Billy Anderson 622, Debra Gipson 266/693, Shirley Owens 237/657, Cathy Anderson 225/588, Caroline Head 211/555, Annie Yonemura 203/538, Rita Soares 515

**10 for 10:** Chamrona Chhany 675, Pepito Gomez 617, Randy Antazo 612, Beverly Cuevas 605, Christine Ewaskey 490, Amy Montes 481.

**Grandma's/Grandpa's:** Jim Plante 233/641, B.J. 206/562, Cliff Schad 524, Wayne Moon 516, Larry Cosgrove 514, Rinze Dykstra 214/504, Betty Green 245/598.

**Laughlin Bowler Bears:** Jonathan Gale 229/671, Rob Lee 213/611, Katwuan Sauldsberry 247/605, Ray Grabinski 544, Melvin Hogan 200/541, Henry Beaudion 204/511, Julie Grabinski 227/613.

**Pin Heads:** Greg Kelly 234/637, Don Louis 531, Richard Haage 518, Bruce Brown 502, Stacy Kelly 231/594, Betty Green 541.

Young at Heart: Walter Milsap 247/652, Ed Hansen 225/638, Marc Kashinsky 248/627, Jimmy Hamilton 215/625, Rob Kordich 221/623, Tom Pettway 609, Fale Sula 213/601, Phil Hylton 594, Rey Santos 594, B.J. 224/593, Josh Hudson 223/584, Tua Sula 508, Pat Bates 202.

**Recycled Teens:** Victor Santos 233/615, Rick Seneris 209/606, Jim Burke 563, Ron Leidholdt 204/563, Boyle Inocente 214/557, Jorge Fernandez 547, Ralph Montgomery 546, Ning Barcelona 528, Vancie Keith 222/545.

Alley Oops: Bertie Martinez 408, Shirley Davis 339.

**Cal Bowleros:** Carole Fischer 223/584, Bheth Alcayde 577, Anna VonMuegge 201/540, Carolyn Rousseau 539. Side-pot winners—Game One: Bheth Alcayde 239; Game Two: Carole Fischer 223; Game Three: Yolie Quintanar 211

**C.A.U.L.:** Rich Dahmen 225/668, Reggie Hart 216/616, Javier Santos 246/587, Allan Lee 585, Abel Widner 559, Daniel DeRego 557, Albert Demers Jr. 213/549, Alan Nyberg 212/546, Jessica Seastead 510, Lori Gilmore 201/501.

Marcus Lemons Vegas: David Ferguson 279/731, Jello Gray 279/695, Will Young 255/682, Eric Bell 269/664, Darren Stillwell 241/648, Tony Kellum 247/645, Donald Wade 644, Alicia Ferguson 248/621, Stephanie Jones 223/617, LaJeana Harris 221/578, Nataki Williams 226/571, Teya Woodman 221/560, June Collier 238/555, Diann Donaldson 538.

Sierra Bugs: Annie Maae 199/526, Sandy Wright 521. Side-pot winners—Game One: Greta Vines 216; Game Two: Sandy Wright 192; Game Three: Greta Vines 238.

Captain & Crew: Sandy Cotcher 212/489, Becky Salcedo 465.

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**Senior Men's Trio:** Jimmy Hamilton "300" game/716 series. Don Gardner 729, Sonny Dew 268/725, Larry Gray 723, Emmerson Wafer 267/703, George Harper 276, Byron Alonzo 265.

Fil-Am Bowlers: Rey Santos 247/692, Chris Equilos 277/688, Chris Abing 682, Matt Mosley 236/673, Dan Monzon 236/666, Richard Abrantes 255/648, Rick Llaneta 235/647, Vic Hidalgo 240/639, Joe Knapp 246/634, Benjie Calinawan 623, Lawrence Austria 623, Ike Topacio 622, Beth Austria 235/606, Liza Agoncillo 205/602, Bheth Alcayde 202/529, Teresita Abing 505, Tess Santos 213/504. Vegas Crackpots: Mark Williams 299/748, Shawdee Wilson 236/660, Ernie Perryman 236/658, RaymondFarthing III 236/653, Nathaniel Hampton 259/640, Bobby Prince 245/622, Wendell Rising 6120, Brent Shern 607, Ronald Lewis 601, Andre McNeal 601, Teka Williams 234/632, Ellen Myers 216/615, Alexis Hammond 227/597, Barneisha Hull 211/593, Joyce Charles 223/565, Annette Haynes

**Tues. Mega Vegas-Cal:** Le'Star Walker 234/650, Steven Turner 229/604, Antwan Brown 227/585, Anthony Bourges 203/574, Wayne Brown 211/569, Mark Fowler 568, Derrick Green 543, De Chu 211/538, Bob Johnson Jr. 537, Darrell Harris 234/536, Carl Henderson 522, Sean Ashby 234/496, Nickey Burruss 205/565.

Funsters: James Kennard 253/637, Rick Seneris 233/614, Steve Roepke 236/613, Fred Guray 222/600, Ed Hansen 214/591, Dan Monzon 217/577, Tim Lafarga 235/568, Joe Herrera 562, Vlnce Haneda 558, Boylee Inocente 227/554, Steve Ralph 215/553, Janet Kastor 520, Odette Dalton 512, Lanore Knudson 202/511, Espie Batucal 510, Adela Santos 506, Yvonne Clark 201/503, Jan Reeser 503. Sidepot winners—Game One: Ed Hansen 226/Jan Reeser 244; Game Two: Tim Lafarga 235/Adela Santos 188; Game Three: James Kinnard 272/Odette Dalton 237.

#### JUNIORS

Mini Bees: Daylynn Reyes 131, Kayley Amador 105. Bobcats: Josh Thach 460, BrennanWingfield 390, Jadori NIchols 384, Maggie Jenkins 399, Maggie Mariani 314. Classifieds: Kevin Tate 523, Nick DeLucca 467, Anthony DeLucca 457.

**Adult Youth:** Paul Mehl Jr. 486, Tina Wilson 314, Kendra Wilson 299.

That's all for this week. Keep on bowling.



#### **Pickwick Bowl**

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BURBANK — Two weeks ago, hubby & I spent Saturday at Lake Forest Lanes bowling 9 games in one day for the adult State Championships Tournament. Whew!

This past weekend, we were there again, both days, to support our Pickwick Youth bowlers in the Youth State Championships. Wow!

These young bowlers were impressive! Our youth bowlers did a fantastic job bowling on lanes foreign to them. The kids ranged in age from 8 years old to 20 years old, melding into a cohesive group of delightful young people. Their parents are a remarkable, supportive group that

never fails to amaze me. My work with youth bowling is my happy place and I couldn't be happier or more proud than I am today!

**Senior Swingers:** (scr) Winston Gorriceta 219, Barbara Teitel 206, Rick anger 530, Seiki Tluczek 445. (hdcp) Dick Bay 229, Armonda Garcia 218, Raymond Garcia 661.

**Monday 690:** (scr) Dave Brubaker 254, Megan Hazzard 193, Dylan Jimenez 685, Glenda Nale 580. (hdcp) Setu Molia 255, Kristen Lyon 229, Win Kato 787, Collette Rector 648.

LA Sports Net No Tap: (scr) Tim Jacobs 202, Stephanie Neroes 185, Johnny Cruz 671, Alison Sieh 592. (hdcp) Nick LaFrance 279, Michelle Domiguez 270, Andrew Krukowski 709, Shannon Quisenberg 692.

Wed Night Hdcp: (scr) Chris Scott 244, Gigit Reyes 205, Tommy Kientzy 692, Kasey Dagenais 566. (hdcp) Cameron Doran 285, Michelle Dominguez 275, Eric Cruz 725, Sheilah Faller 698.

Senior Foursome: (scr) Richard Brown 231, Lydia Gantt 180, Bob Rosenblum 544, Seiki Tluczek 460. (hdcp) Jim DeAngelo 272, Barbara Teitel 257, Dick Bay 646, Diane Sorem 641.

That's all the scores I have for now, so until next time... keep the ball rollin'!

# QUBICA AMF PBA REGIONAL UPDATE: WARREN, FRANKOS WIN RENO DOUBLES EVENT

Chris Warren of Grants Pass, Ore., and Jeff Frankos of Daly City, Calif., teamed up to defeat Noel Vazquez of Sacramento, Calif., and David Haynes of Las Vegas, 426-391, to win the PBA Sands Regency West\Northwest Doubles presented by MOTIV at High Sierra Lanes in Reno, Nev., Sunday.

The win was the 48th overall regional title for Warren and the 19th for Frankos. The winning team earned \$4,000.

Warren and Frankos defeated the Las Vegas team of David Allen and Andrew Graff, 516-468, while Vazquez and Haynes defeated the Oregon Team of Kevin Croucher and Kyle McKay of Grants Pass, 524-426, in the semifinal round.

• Non-member Steve Novak of Bay City, Mich. defeated Eugene McCune of Munster, Ind., 265-246, to win the PBA Boss Snow Plows/Ebonite Central Open at PinHeads in Fishers, Ind., Sunday.

Novak downed Jeff Hatt of Oklahoma, City, Okla., 387-331, and McCune topped Anthony Kennard of Wapakoneta, Ohio, 367-362, in the two-game, total pinfall semifinal round matches to set up the championship match. Novak earned \$2,000 for his victory. However, since he is a non-member, it is not recognized as a PBA title.

- July's QubicaAMF PBA Regional competition continues over the July 22-24 weekend with the PBA Angola Central/Midwest Open presented by Roto Grip at Angola Bowl in Angola, Ind., and the PBA Fort Sill Southwest Open presented by DV8 at Twin Oaks Bowling in Fort Sill, Okla.
- Closing the July schedule over the July 29-31 weekend will be the PBA Romeo Chevrolet-GMC-Buick Open presented by Ebonite at Patel's Kingston Lanes in Kingston, N.Y.; the PBA and PBA50 Boise West and Northwest Opens presented by Ebonite at 20th Century Lanes in Boise, Idaho; the PBA50 Beverly Lanes Midwest/Central Open in Arlington Heights, Ill.; the PBA50 Sparetimes Hampton South Open at Sparetimes Bowling Center in Hampton, Va., and the PBA Greater Marion Central Open at BlueFusion Fun Center in Marion, Ohio.
- For complete QubicaAMF PBA Regional schedules, rules and entry information, visit pba.com, open the "schedules" tab and click on QubicaAMF Regional Tours to find the event(s) in your area. For more information about QubicaAMF, visit www.qubicaamf.com or, for social media posts, visit http://bit.ly/QAMFSponsorship1.

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