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Paul Danforth Wins Friendly Forest Lanes 6-Game Title

by Frank Kietz

LAKE FOREST — Lefty Paul Danforth got a gift winning Forest Lanes' December 23, 2006 Six-Gamer \$300 title with a 1592 series. Really, it was not a gift, Paul had to work for it. A 300 for starters, 214 and a 258 to build a 772 block followed with a 10-pin tap 299 plus 265 and 256 for an afternoon high 820 block.

Paul went home with more than \$400, out of a plus \$1,000 prize fund.

Yes, the lanes were friendly. To cash, 230 average was necessary. Paul averaged 265.

Steve Schroeder used a 290 game in his 1477 total to nab second place, \$150. John Sowell's 278/1418 set was good enough for third (\$110). Lyle Rollins had two 269's in fourth place 1415 worth \$80 while Roger Wrase wrapped games of 215 and 194 around a second perfecto which created a fifth place 1389 (\$60). Jeff Garrison was sixth with a 1387 for \$50.

Mike Bailey sneaked a 268/737 to win a \$25 high game pot.

Watch the Bowling News for the January Six-Game date or call 949-770-0055.

Missy Bellinder Taps 10 Misses Saddleback's 19th 300

by Frank Kietz

MISSION VIEJO — Missy Bellinder, tries hard for her Precision Pro Shop to win a segment title to be eligible for a Saddleback Lanes 820 Classic rolloff spot. Recently she rolled her 18th career 300 game. Last Tuesday she tapped a 10 missing her 19th perfecto — settled for a 289 and an evening 752 series.

John Chapman's Saddleback Lanes quartet won the first segment and controls the overall race with 186 1/2 points. Currently Bowlers Advantage, Sweetwater Pools and Precision Pro Shop are the second quarter leaders. The title is worth \$5,000.

Year 2007 action starts 9:00 p.m. January 2 with a position round.

It's Official Ohio's Dennis is Youngest 300 Shooter

Two-handed bowler sets record at age 10 years, 2 months, 27 days.

GREENDALE, Wis. - Chaz Dennis officially became the youngest bowler to roll a perfect game when his 300 Saturday morning in Columbus, Ohio, was approved by the United States Bowling Congress.

Competing with 14- to 17-

California USBC Continues Search For Scholarship Candidates

by Phyl Knoll

The purpose of the Star of Tomorrow Annual Scholarship Award is to recognize star qualities in a high school or college student who competes in the sport of bowling. Star qualities include distinguished sanction bowling performances on state, local, national, international, Team USA or Collegiate levels; academic achievement; and leadership. Award winners receive a \$1,000 scholarship.

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(3) Nominee must have a current season's minimum average of 175 and an outstanding record of bowling achievements in the past and current seasons. And, (4) have a minimum of 2.0 GPA or equivalent.

Each association (merged or non-merged) were sent a letter in October, with an application enclosed, asking they assist in our "search" by circulating copies of the Nomination Form.

Here in California we have so many talented youth in our game, and with the **deadline date of January 15, 2007** right around the corner, it is difficult to understand why we have not received nominations by this late date.

Won't you all share in the honor of recognizing the "best of the best" in the male and female youth bowlers from your association, who meet our requirements? If you have difficulty in locating an application, email me at phylbowls@sbcglobal.net or telephone me at 310-675-6034 and I will provide you with one.

BUT REMEMBER! FORMS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY JANUARY 15, 2007.

year-olds in the Hillcrest Preps-Juniors League at Hillcrest Lanes, Dennis had his perfect game at age 10 years, 2 months, 27 days. That breaks the previous record set by San Francisco's Michael Tang by 20 days.

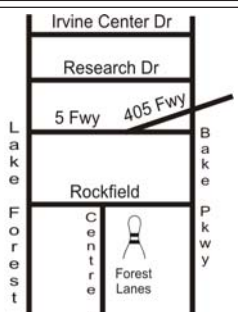
Dennis, who rolls the ball

with both hands, opened his series with a 240 game. He followed with the 300 and ended with 232 for a 772 series.

Tang shot his 300 on March 11, 2006 at 10 years, 3 months and 16 days, topping a record that stood for eight years.



ABTA Champion Gilbert Liu Wins The "I Have The Most Fans" Award.



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Up Your Average

by Rolf Gauger

Instruction to Help Raise Your Scores



The Triax Spare System, Part 1

In February 1999 I first published the main points of my then recently developed "Triax" Spare System in Bowling This Month magazine. This system became so successful and popular so rapidly, that the e mail requests for more info soon numbered well over a hundred. I realized I would never be able to answer that many readers individually, so this month's description should satisfy my newspaper readers, in whatever state they reside.

There has been so much interest generated by the success of this spare system with those bowlers who use it, including some professionals, that there is a possibility of a book. When and if the book does appear, many aspects of the subject, which can't be covered in a few pages, will come to light.

Systems

As to the importance of spare converting, Hall of Fame "Coach of the pros" John Jowdy's occasional articles in issues of most US bowling newspapers, list his all time "All Miss" team. It points to a number of outstanding PBA strike shooters who had to leave the tour because they couldn't win.

Why? Poor spare shooting!

As we all know, any system is better than none. But most systems I've seen are complicated enough to discourage the majority of bowlers. The Triax System is specifically designed to simplify efficient spare converting to the utmost possible degree.

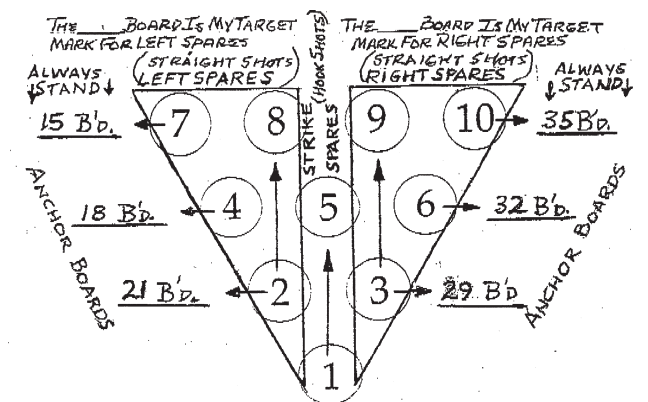
Believe it or not, there are 1,023 mathematically possible spare combinations in a rack of ten pins. Probably at least a third of these are so unlikely you'll never see them. But that still leaves enough to make a simplified, efficient spare system critical.

Triax

The first rule of spare shooting is universal, "In any spare, the front pin must be hit!" We'll refer to this as the "key" pin.

This leads us to the first simplification rule of the Triax system. That is, that the bowler is assigned to stand on a specific starting (anchor) board as shown, for each of the six pins in the front "V" of the pin rack, not including the head pin (see illustrations).

In this system the feet may NOT be adjusted to different boards from those assigned! So to convert the 10, 6 or 3 pin right of center, as well as the 7, 4 or 2 pins on the left (the pins inside the triangles), the bowler must stand on the specific anchor board shown in the diagram. This simplifies the system, by reducing the number of foot positions to a bare minimum, while greatly increasing spare conversion potential.



Two rules to be published later, will tell us how to hit the key pin somewhere off center to convert other standing pins, splits, avoid cherry picking, etc. But for now, we'll stick to the basic system itself.

So...we will think of all spares in which the key pin is right of center (in the right triangle) as "right side spares", regardless of where any accompanying pins may be located, and those key pins left of center (in the left triangle) as "left side spares".

Incidentally, the Triax System is designed so that all right handed bowlers use the left foot for anchor board placement and left handers the right foot! This is to keep from possibly standing against the ball return on corner pin shots. (If anyone insists on using the other foot, OK, as long as you can stay away from that ball return.)

Now, by regulation, all lane beds are the same width...41 1/2 inches, plus or minus 1/2 inch...and all current lane beds are being manufactured with 39 boards. Therefore, since the arrows are always 14 to 15 feet from the foul line, current lanes are virtually standard throughout the US and most of the bowling countries on earth.

What this means to spare shooting, is that the assigned starting (anchor) board on each side changes by exactly three boards for each successive pin on that side. That's nothing new. It's been that way for many years. It works because, according to the math, as long as the same target board is used for shooting at any key pins on that same side, the three board foot move brings a ball which hits the mark to the desired key pin every time.

The Target Board (Mark)

Now we have arrived at the point where there's only one thing left we don't yet know...what will be the mark? That information you must discover for yourself, by trying it with a few experimental shots. This is because the mark can, and often does, vary with the individual bowler. However, whatever board your mark ends up being, it must be at the arrows, or the system won't work!

But usually the marks don't change by more than three or four boards from bowler to bowler, so I can provide a reasonably educated guess, as follows:

To find your specific mark (right handers), try for the 10 pin first, by standing on the 35 board with your left foot, as shown. Next, throw as straight a ball as possible to approximately the 18 board. If the 18 board shot misses the 10 pin, change your mark a board or two right or left and try again. Keep experimenting with mark changes until you hit that 10 pin. When you do, that becomes your mark for all the pins on that side!

Left handers, shoot for the 7 pin by doing the same as above on your side...the exact mirror reverse of the right handers.

Note that in the upper left and right sides of the diagram, the illustration shows a blank space for you to write your target board,

once you've determined what it is. If you make copies of this illustration with those spaces left blank, you can enter your own board numbers and use the copy, without having to mark up this article, which you should keep. Use pencil for that.

Remember, while unlikely, it is possible that your target board may change as you adjust your approach over time. Until you memorize the board numbers, you may want to carry a copy of the diagram with you for reference, while bowling. My students are each given pre-cut copies to use during play whenever necessary.

The Straight Spare Shot

This is critical. Trust me, ball manufacturers wouldn't bother to make spare balls if they weren't profitable. Oil conditions change at different points on the lane, so hook shots on off center spares are dangerous. The straight shot is the only sure way to take lane conditions out of the game.

Obviously, hook shots are necessary for center spares, where a strike shot (or Brooklyn) is called for.

Incidentally, in this Triax system, treat the 8 pin as if it were a 2, and the 9 pin as a 3. A reasonably accurate straight shot will work. It need not be absolutely perfect. You don't have to be deadly accurate in this system (except for splits, of course, which we'll cover later). Normally, a slight miss will still convert that key pin.

Exceptions

There are always exceptions, of course. But in this system, only a few:

The 3-6-9-10 (right handers). Instead of the 3 pin straight shot the system calls for, stand for a 6 pin shot and hook the ball at your 6 pin mark. Deadly accuracy needed for this shot, but it is the best way, statistically.

Left handers, mirror reverse (the 2-4-7-8). Stand for a 4 pin and hook the shot.

The 2-8 or 2-4-8. Instead of the usual 2 pin straight shot, throw a Brooklyn strike shot. Left handers do the same for the 3-9 or 3-6-9. (Note: if the 5 pin stands with the above spares, such as in a bucket, do not use the Brooklyn shot. Instead, use the straight shot at the key pin, which is what the system calls for.)

The 4-5-7 split. Stand 1/2 board left of your normal Brooklyn position and throw a normal Brooklyn shot. Left handers, same for the 5-6-10 split, standing 1/2 board right of your Brooklyn position and throwing Brooklyn.

Having said all this, I will acknowledge that some right handers may want to throw a hook at the 3-9 (lefties at the 2-8) but I discourage that, due to oil variations. Statistics indicate that the straight shot converts more of these than a hook.

The Bottom Line

The success of Triax is pretty far flung. A former Student, Bill Sutura, won the Arizona State Strike Force Championship with it only a week after having learned it. Lane conditions were difficult for that tournament and nobody was able to strike consistently. Sutura won it by missing only one spare in 12 games (not counting three splits)

Another example is a Super School student of mine with an average in the 170s, who won a local tournament the very night he had learned the system, with a 246 average. If I hadn't seen the readouts I wouldn't have believed it.

As I said, no system, even as simple and successful as this one,

can be completely understood with just three or four pages in a couple of articles. Nothing can beat one on one instruction on the lanes. But if the possibility of a book comes to fruition, I'll be able to not only cover all aspects of the system thoroughly, but also get into subjects such as making spare shooting easier by increasing pin fall with a better strike shot, avoiding splits, and so on.

Remember John Jowdy's comment, "Strike for show and spare for dough!"

PS - Next month there will be room for me to cover rules 2 and 3 of this system...split shooting and chop avoidance...two important parts of successful spare converting.

Rolf's Winning Bowlers of the Month

Rafaela Ruby, 1st place Doubles, Maricopa County Senior Tournament, Bell Lanes, October 29th. Also, 2nd place, All Events

Shirley Braverman, 1st place Singles, including a 299 game, 792 series, same tournament as above. Shirley also won 1st place, All Events. Becca Reguero, 4th place, Tracy Warren Memorial Tournament, AMF Deer Valley Lanes, October 14th.



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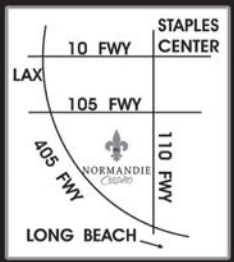
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LAKESWOOD—Every year the Vegas Travel League Christmas Party gets bigger and better and this year was no exception. Cal Bowl was the site and Alberta Stoute was in charge of arranging the sumptuous food dishes brought by members on the five tables Sal set up on the concourse. Not only did Alberta provide the eating tools, she also made her "to die for" macaroni and cheese. We thank her, and all who brought yummy food. Well Done! A special thanks to Tracy Koolmees who again brought gifts for the entire league. This year she brought calendars and pens.

Lots of visitors turned out. Erma Palmer, former member who had to give up bowling; Daisy McReynolds, who started the league this year but has been sidelined again; Enola Gentile, former member who also had to give up bowling but still shows up every week (at age 89) to cheer for her team. Merl Eash, former secretary/treasurer, Martha and Doc Underwood, and of course we had Santa Claus, Charlie Williams (President Bernice's spouse) who took care of the league gift exchange. He did as good a job as Herman Murray, who was Santa when La Ruth was in the league. We sure miss her too and wish them both well. Santa reported Ann Fedderly was the last one to get a strike in the third game to claim a gift. Lee Halter dropped by to renew old friendships, but did not find too many of them from her bowling past, away back when?

Vi Wilson led the honor roll with 237/589, followed by Cyndie Martin 225/574, Cathy Wyatt 546, Pris Mauricio 201/542, Doris Lewis 534, Cil Moons 530, Alta Duke 205/526, Dutch Sullivan 518, Betty Phillips and Dee Mason 517, Kathy Phylow 516, Brenda Johnson 206/509, Patti Givenchin 505, Terri Hefner 500, Rosa Closs 204 and Corky Luth 201.

Westminster #2 tops teams with 34 wins, followed by Cerritos #2, 33; Del Rio #1 and Cal #4 tie at 30, Keystone #2, 29, and Keystone #1, rounds out the top five teams but the rest of the 16-team loop are pretty close and we expect them to improve their positions in 2007.

Since the league won't return to bowling until January 8 at Cal Bowl, there won't be Vegas league news until January 12. However, if Carol Mancini has available space in the Bowling News on December 28 and January 4, we will submit pot pourri columns for those dates under the Traveling Turtle heading.

Finally, all of us in the Vegas League extend wishes for a Happy New Year to our sponsors for continued support, to the Bowling News for our league news coverage and to bowlers everywhere!

CAL BOWL BOWLING REPORT

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LAKWOOD — Hi. We hope everyone had a wonderful holiday. Thanks to all the bowlers who participated in Gil's Annual Holiday Scratch Doubles Tournament on December 26, 2006 here at Cal Bowl.

Make plans now to bowl in our Monthly 6-Game Saturday No-Tap. The date is January 6, 2007 at 5:00 p.m. Cost is only \$40 per person. Call your friends and come on over to Cal Bowl.

Time to report those fabulous league scores.

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LAUGHLIN SUNSET

James Matthews 235-226-221/682, Brandon Mims 246-213/649, Ray Minter 234-224/631, Michael Buck 221-200/620, Kevin Smith 244, Carlos Urzua 234, Eugene Carter 226, Carole Fischera 223-214, James High III 217, Ken Holliday 213, Dave Minter 203.

CAL BOWLEROS

Carole Fischer 214/577, Dee Phipps 554, Betty Phillips 223/544, Mary Smyth 543, Glenda Harvey 216/536, Vi Wilson 529, Lani Ipjian 200/528, Agnes Blaisdell 216/522, Margo McClain 517, Leona Belletti 213/504.

SENIOR MENS TRIO

Fidel Usi 207-200-208/615, Donald Wade 210-233-216/659, Sonny Dew 278-235-255/768, Walt Gist 194-200-246/640, Joe Swift 235-205-164/600, Walter Millsap 194-124-192/610, Paul Peete 223-234-253/710, Ed Cabs 226-241-195/662, Sherman Joseph 224-268-195/687, Rudy Munson 162-229-243/634, Bob Pearson 224-170-222/616, Jim Plante 204-194-202/600, Jorge Fernandez 198-208-203/609, Ed Stoute 235-226-183/644, Rick Hunter 211-237-269/717, Wendell Ledbetter 204-214-247/665, Jimmy Hamilton 236-212-200/648, Lee Holmes 259-179-188/626, Lon Richardson 236-247-216/699, Robert Thomas 170-242-210/622, James Burke 213-207-194/614, B.J. 185-235-228/648, Rich Kelly 246-234-197/677, Archie Stull 225-189-203/617, Charles Moore 217, Lester Felien 221, Paul Reynolds 234, Clark Vandenberg 244, Rollie DeGuzman 224-203, Bob Stickney 201, Charles Woods 235, Herman Martin 206, Josh Hudson 208-224, Sam Huckleby 200, Pat Kinard 202, Ron Leidholdt 233, Doug Johnson 200, Wayne Moon 216-204, Boylee

Inocente 204-212, Dominic Antonio 212-200, Fale Sula 216, Billy Scott 220, Ellis Houston 200-203, Al Ortiz 200, Curtis Whaley 215, Al Cowens 204, Chazz Elgin 208, Vince Cervantes 210, Jerry Hayes 214-220, Earl Hullett 203, Ivory Herd Jr. 203-207, Cecil Knighton 209, Tony Morones 209-204, Rick Llaneta 222, Pre Collier 203, Don Kelly 212.

WEDNESDAY MIXED FIVE

Daryl Brandt 201-175-227/603, Doug Johnson 258-204-216/678, John Lynch 222-249-201/672, Doug Sanders 225-214-171/610, Shannon Santos 217-222-244/683, Tommy Stockberger 218-202-279/699, Mike Dieterich 203, Richard Dubuke 254, Guy Hunsinger 203-203, Steve Lizotte 204, Clyde Lumpford 222, Joan Lumpford 203, John Lynch 201, Tee Magee 206, Greg Mobley 215, Matt Mosley 220, Greg Nardo 200-210, Gary Nelson 210, Tony Ortiz 202, Jacoby Rudolph 209-209, Kevin Underwood 207, Jerry Williams 225.

CAL STARS

Shonna Hernandez 198-159-183/540, Mattie Wyllie 188-166-149/503, Audrey Green 166-172-177/515, Bette Jane Ricardi 145-135-238/518, Mary Martin 123-189-191/503, Alice Tavarez 165-181-158/504, Dottie Lawn 167-185-203/555, Darlene Hom 173-179-170/522, Bette Phillips 157-143-215/515, Vi Wilson 181-162-158/501, Shantee Pittman 182-173-168/523.

FRIDAY NO-TAP

December 22, 2006

FINAL STANDINGS

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HAPPY NEW YEAR

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Warner 210-299/289/789 Leads Scores

Team 10-Track has League Leading 1039 Game

Happy Holidays To All from ABTA League

Final Position Round this Week

LAKWOOD—Week 15 - Richard Warner started out slowly last week but finished strongly with his games of 201, 299, 289/789. His teammates rose to help Richard Game -3 to post a Great League Leading 1039 Scratch Game as Fred Catamisan led off 236, Raquel Vergara had her highest ever 265, Bob Smith had a nice 249 and Warner 289 for the 1039 Game which leads the League to this point at 1039.

Other Great scores were Eric Morris 245, 269, 214/728, William Baskin 237, 253, 237/727, Steven Hower 224, 226, 256/706 and Ken Seiple, Jr. 244/696.

Gina Velarde led the ladies, 233/629, Deborah Sanders 230/605, Pam Jones 201/590, Mary Dixon 199/581, Kristy Yahiku 215/562 and Maggie Hylton 201/562.

SIDEPOT \$50 - Game 1. Chauney Merritt 279. 2. Richard Warner 299. 3. Richard Warner 289 plus super pot \$140, second place Vince Cervantes 269/\$60.

LADIES' SIDEPOT \$23. Game 1. Emma Johnson 268. 2. Gina Velarde 227. 3. Tracy Cueto 238.

The **MATCH GAME** number drawn was 269 and two lucky guys, Eric Morris and Brian Reyes split the pot worth \$876. Congratulations and happy Christmas shopping! The Strike-Out pot was carried over.

DOLLAR DOUBLES: 1. Richard Warner 299/Alan Aguilar 247/546. \$200 2. Eric Morris 269/Steven Hood 268/537- \$60.

The weekly ABTA tournament Entry was won by Roger Wrase!

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JOWDY'S JOURNAL

by John Jowdy

In one of his recent articles, Dick Evans took a beating from readers when he expressed his belief that the surface of any ball, IN ANY SPORT, should not be altered under any circumstance, including SANDING.

Dick Evans is one of, if not, the most prolific bowling writers in the history of the game. He has garnered more writing awards than anyone ever and continues to cover the sport on a greater scale than any single individual in the game.

Unlike many bowling "know it alls", Evans goes on to say that his detractors were right when they said he didn't know much about the cover stocks on bowling balls and other criticisms directed his way. However, since Evans and I are the best of friends, I feel compelled to come to his defense in responding to some of his critics.

First of all, we must realize that some bowlers, who advocate the use of sandpaper, defend this practice because it affords them an edge or aids them in overcoming slicker lane conditions. Please note that I used the term "some bowlers", which references bowlers who lack the talent or capability of making hand/release adjustments to overcome changing lane conditions.

While I can not physically demonstrate my point due to an arthritic hand problem, I have acquired the reputation of being successful in coaching pros and amateurs for over 30 years, which includes the art of skillfully changing hand positions and speed to achieve a desired ball reaction.

I am well aware of different cover stocks, core configurations, and drilling patterns that are all designed to simplify scoring in the game. This is called progress. Bowlers who apply these methods correctly become successful. However, I totally object to tampering with the surface of ANY ball to increase friction on the lanes. I've lost track of the years when the practice of "toying" with the surface of bowling balls passed ABC regulations. Prior to that time, this was an absolute NO, NO. Also, previously prohibited, was the drilling of an additional hole to balance the outside weight of the ball.

It's been too long to recall the exact year or dates that ABC lost control of regulations governing outlandish scores. It has become increasingly apparent that any rules or regulations that were in effect prior to the present assault on scoring records have been abandoned and ignored; including SANDING the surface of a ball.

Consequently, I'd like to respond to two of the letters sent to Dick Evans, wherein, he is chastised for his lack of knowledge regarding bowling balls. Naturally, both of these gentlemen are serious bowlers; one, a German bowler, the other, an American. Each has a different take on today's game; the German suggesting a defensive measure for match play, the American apparently protecting his turf by displaying greater defense of sanding balls than he is in the preservation of PURITY AND INTEGRITY in the game.

First, I'd like to address an avid bowler from Germany who wrote, "it is illegal to alter the surface of a ball during competition". He further states, "but who cares? Just get another ball with another surface! Use an EPX-T1 and change the pattern on the lane in just three shots. I think this possibility makes this game more interesting! The more challenging it is, the more fun. I hope more people apply the knowledge of changing the pattern to stop his rival. If the rival is better than me, he will change his shot too."

With all due respect to this gentleman, when did bowling become a defensive game? I was always under the impression that in bowling, just as it is in golf, there is NO defense in bowling; the defense is the lane, not your opponent. Whoever scores the highest is the victor; that is, unless you deliberately attempt to overcome your rival by tampering with the approach or through physical force.

The American player is obviously a very good bowler who has competed with some of the best players in the PBA Midwest region. He is very knowledgeable bowler in the intricate phases of the game. However, he chastises Mr. Evans regarding his objections to sanding balls with the following statement..."Your comparisons to other sports belay your lack of technical expertise in the sport. When was the last time they applied so much oil to a basketball court that it wouldn't bounce? When was the last time they applied so much oil to a golf course that the ball would simply slide on the ground and not roll? This happens at bowling events, as lane conditions change throughout the event."

With all due respect to this gentleman, I fail to see his comparison of oil application on bowling lanes to oil on a basketball court. However, the game of golf is a fairer equation. Fairways can be narrowed, with high grass increasing the difficulty of salvaging an errant shot. Trees, sand traps and water can be placed in perilous positions. Cups are set in undulating positions and placed in different areas from day to day in professional events. These obstacles are akin to the various invisible oil patterns in PBA tournaments and present a more appropriate comparison.

This gentleman goes on to state, "When competing in an event, it is of ultimate importance for a bowler to match up his ball reaction with the lane condition applied by the tournament staff, similar to a golfer changing the angle of a golf club. (9 to 3 iron). This can be accomplished by using a different ball or changing the surface of the bowling ball. Changing the surface of a bowling ball allows for more variety in a bowlers arsenal without spending exorbitant amounts of money on equipment. In the future, I would suggest you research your topics before writing. You have made a declaration of a very technical nature regarding a sport that it is obvious you have limited to no technical knowledge."

Excuse me....This is pretty harsh on one of the most venerable and knowledgeable writers in the history of bowling. My answer to this critic/bowler, "if you were as proficient as a bowler as Dick Evans is a writer, you would be the leading player on the PBA tour." First of all, you want to equate bowling ball reaction to a golfer changing the angle of a golf club (9 to 3). Golfers are allowed 14 clubs; all designed for various distances and loft. All are legal. BUT, they cannot add extra notches in the club heads nor can golfers use balls with extra dimples that are not sanctioned by the PGA.

Now, going back to bowling ball reaction, have you been watching the PBA tour lately? Several weeks ago, Norm Duke, bowling in the title match, suddenly lost his carry playing an outside line for five frames. He fell behind over 30 pins to one of the great match

play bowlers on tour, Mika Koivuniemi. Did Duke panic? Did he rush to the paddock for another ball? No way, Jose. Duke did what all great bowlers do. He merely moved inside, changed speeds, hand position, and struck out all the way to win the tournament. This is called "adjustment", which is acquired through experience and knowledge.

Two weeks later, Duke annexed his 25th PBA title by polishing off four opponents, all whom played an inside line. Norm persevered by sticking with his outside end-over-end shot and took advantage of what the lane gave him. This is what sets apart players like Duke, Barnes, Tommy Jones, Walter Ray, and other accomplished PBA members from players who forsake hand and speed positions in favor of sandpaper and a boatload of bowling balls.

Personally, I'd like to see the PBA ban the practice of sanding bowling balls. Does this seem like a harsh or rigid rule? If so, bowling fans may recall objections to the use of sandpaper by one of the most fundamentally sound bowlers in the history of the game, Brian Voss.

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Inland Empire NABI - (L-R) Erick Lam 2nd, Guy Clear 3rd, Thomas Licauco Champion, Brent Evans 5th and Dave Monical Director.

We want to congratulate Jay Shackelford for an awesome 277 game with 11-in-a-row. Jay will receive a 11-in-a-row plaque from USBC. Nice going, Jay!

We also want to express our sympathy to Guy Clear on the loss of his father. His dad loved to come to the tournaments to watch his son bowl, and tell the directors his jokes. He will be missed!

Our stepladder started out with Brent Evans bowling Erick Lam. Brent bowled a 210 to Erick's 241. Erick then bowled

Ed Worthley. Ed bowled a 234 to Erick's 250. Erick kept on rolling when he beat Guy Clear's 207 to his 220. Erick then had to bowl our top qualifier, Thomas Licauco. Erick bowled a 197 to the 239 that Thomas bowled to win the tournament.

We want to thank all of our bowlers for participating in our tournament amidst all their Christmas activities. We appreciate every one of you!

Our next tournament will be a two-day event, December 30-31 at ABC Moreno Valley Bowl.

CALIFORNIA STATE BOWLING CONGRESS IS FORMED

by Robert L. Brown

On April 14, 2006, California's Secretary of State Bruce McPherson affixed his signature to Articles of Incorporation for the California State Bowling Congress. The name of the Corporation shall be referred to in their literature as CSBC.

CSBC's website, www.cabowling.com has a comprehensive summary of purpose and objectives. Included on the website is a letter from the CSBC President, Mr. Robert Allender. He lists benefits of and reasons why California bowlers would enjoy and consider CSBC membership. Mentioned is an Awards Program for bowlers of varying skills — youth, adult and senior bowlers. Sanction fees are set at \$12.00 a year. Competition is strictly within the boundaries of California. Envisioned is Local CSBC Associations and leagues plus many CSBC local, regional and State Tournaments.

No affiliation with United States Bowling Congress (USBC) or California USBC Association and California State Bowling Congress (CSBC) will be established. The CSBC is an entity unto itself with no affiliation with any other organization.

Information regarding the new organization plus Applications for Membership are available on the CSBC website.

NOTE: I, Robert L. Brown, am a Contributing Writer for BOWLING WORLD. I am not a member nor do I endorse CSBC. I submit the article strictly as a news item and with approval from CSBC's President.

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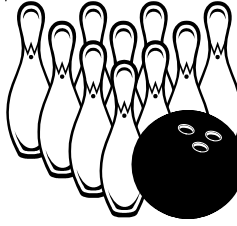


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New national finals hits Las Vegas July 29



2007 will be an exciting year for youth bowling, and one of the 'can't miss' events for competitive young players will be the ever-popular Teen Masters. The new Teen Masters will be very special this year. Not only is it the 10th annual TM event produced by Gary Beck's Killer 'B' Promotions, but the national finals will be held at the incredible Orleans Bowling Center in Las Vegas, Nevada July 29 - August 3.

"We love hosting youth events, and the Teen Masters is one of the best, said Mike Monyak, Director of Bowling at the Orleans. " We have a lot of local, state, and regional events for kids, and we welcome the opportunity to have this national event. Youth bowlers are our future, and we are very happy to be a part of this tournament."

The qualifying rounds for the Teen Masters begin in dozens of bowling centers across the nation January 27 and will conclude with a Last Chance event in Las Vegas just prior to the start of the national finals. Look for a complete list of TM qualifying centers on the official Teen Masters website www.teenmastersbowling.com.

The Teen Masters annually crowns the best high school bowlers in America, and it also reaches out to younger youth bowlers through its Classified Division for bowlers averaging 189 or less. Classified division bowlers cannot advance to the national finals, but they will win local scholarship awards, gain valuable tournament competition experience, and get one step closer to becoming the next generation of national finalists.

"We are very proud that we have been able to bring this great event to youth bowlers for 10 years now," said Beck. "We are looking forward to making it even better in the next decade."

The Teen Masters is America's most exciting youth singles event. The 10th Annual Teen Masters is presented by Killer 'B' Promotions, and sponsored by Dexter, Southwest Airlines, Kegel, The Professional Bowlers Association, The United States Bowling Congress, and the Bowling Proprietors Association of America. Qualifying will be held across the nation starting January 27, leading to the TM National Finals in Las Vegas July 29 - August 3. It is open to all high school and younger bowlers who are certified USBC members. For complete rules, entry information, and a list of qualifying centers, visit www.killerbpromotions.com or call (434) 823 - BOWL.

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