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Happy New Year!!!

Brad Lecount Wins Inland Empire NABI at Arrowhead

SAN BERNARDINO—Thanks to Arrowhead Lanes for hosting our last Sat. tournament. Our champ, Brad Lecount won with his Ebonite Complete NV & his Ebonite Clash, drilled by, none other than himself.

Brad's highest game ever bowled was a sanctioned 300 & he bowls in 2 leagues: the Open Commercial & the Practice League, both at Upland Bowl. Brad is very involved in the bowling game, being a USBC representative for The Bowlum in Montclair & in Upland Bowl.

Brad & his wife, Dana, who is also a NABI member, have their 4 children (Timmy, Nathan, Mark & Sabrina) all in the Juniors Match Point at The Bowlum. Brad is devoted to his family & would like to dedicate this win to them,

as well as to his coach, Bill White. This is his 3rd NABI win & is already entered into the 2009 NABI Nationals Tournament of Champions. Congratulations, Brad!

We had a "Beat the Board", with our top 5 as follows (with HDCP).

Brad Lecount, bowling a 728 series, Rogelio Esquivel, bowling a 666 series, Alan Grobmeier, with a 635 series, Jay Shackelford, bowling a 617 series, & Patrick Ambrose, with a 556 series.

Our sidepot winners were: Jay Shackelford (3), Brad Lecount (3), Jerry Starkey, Patrick Ambrose & Eugene Haynes.

Our next tournament will be held in Lake Elsinore at Trevi Lanes, Sat., Jan. 3rd.

See our ad in this week's Bowling News!



Inland Empire NABI at Arrowhead Lanes (L-R) Dana Lecount - Brad's wife, Alan Grobmeier - 3rd place, Timmy Lecount - Brad's son, Brad Lecount - Champion, Rogelio Esquivel - 2nd place & Patrick Ambrose - 5th place.

What's Happening This Weekend?

ABT Orange County	Sat/Sun	Jan 3 & 4	Linbrook Bowl
ABTA	Saturday	January 3rd	LaHabra "300" Bowl
Dick Weber Open 5 Game Win a Spot	Sunday	January 4th	Fountain Bowl
Inland Empire NABI	Saturday	January 3rd	Trevi Lanes
Lucky Strike Bowling Club	Sat/Sun	January 3 & 4	Cal Bowl
S.S.T.	Saturday	January 3rd	Yorba Linda Bowl

WCST Membership Drive On Right Now

by Dick Sanders

WCST Membership has been on the rise. In 2008 we increased our membership by 70 members, and look forward to 2009 with higher anticipation, as now the two divisions of seniors, ages 45 to 59 for the men, and 40 to 49 for the Ladies, and the super seniors, ages, 60 and up for the men, and 50 and up for the ladies, bowl for their own money, which includes cash places for their own finals, and extra cash places paid in their own division, according to the amount of entries in each division.

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ABTA Las Vegas Open IN TWO WEEKS!!

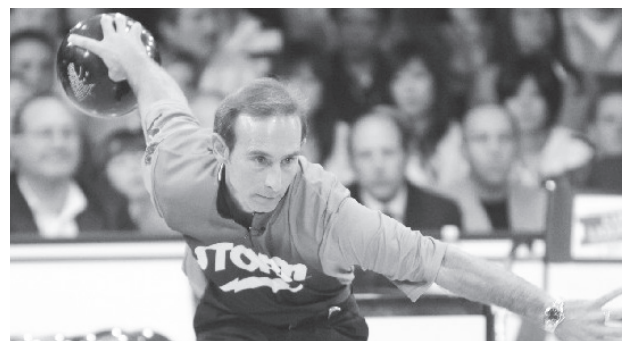
Up to \$8,500 1st with Bonuses

The ABTA will be in Las Vegas IN TWO WEEKS for our Annual Las Vegas Open event at the beautiful South Points Jan Jan 15-16-17-18.

This is an Open Event and New Members will be welcome up to a 209 Average with verification only!

There are Qualifying Squads all four days and Each Day is a separate qualifying board with 1 in 5 bowlers making the board daily.

First place in this Event is Guaranteed at \$4,000 minimum and with Bonuses 1st place can be worth up to continued on page 11..



Norm Duke captures the PBA World Championship making PBA history by winning three consecutive Majors.

PBA Highlights First Half of 50th Anniversary Season

Seattle—While some of the greatest highlights from the first half of the 50th Anniversary of the Lumber Liquidators PBA Tour season may have literally been the classic highlights shown during the weekly ESPN countdown of the 50 Greatest Players in its history, new action on the lanes has created fresh memories.

Over the opening half of the season, there have been plenty of moments, stories and developments to supplement the ongoing celebration of the 50th Anniversary of the PBA.

Here's a top ten list from the first half of the year:

10. "Big Nasty" Wes Malott's emergence as Mr. Versatility.

If anyone thought Malott's high-revolution, powerful style of play was one-dimensional, they don't anymore. For the first time ever this season, the PBA named champions on each of the five PBA Experience lane conditions and while Malott won one title (the CLR Carmen Salvino Scorpion Championship), he made it all the way to The Show at three other pattern championships: The Viper, Chameleon and Shark. Throughout the PBA's Versatility Swing during the first half of the year, no matter how the lanes were dressed, Malott (the season's point leader at the break) has risen to the top.

9. The PBA Women's Series will culminate with a special Showdown.

It was announced the six winners (or highest finishers if a player wins more than one) of the Women's Series singles tournaments would advance to made-for-TV dedicated PBA ESPN telecast for women (the first of its kind) sponsored by the USBC. Meanwhile, five players have emerged from the "sweet 16" exempt women to get already secure extra face time on TV this year. Past PWBA stars Michelle Feldman and Carolyn Dorin-Ballard, emerging star Stefanie Nation and Jodi Woessner have all won (Feldman winning twice) and made the show more than once. Missy Bellinder has also qualified for the Showdown, finishing second to Feldman at the CLR Carmen Salvino Scorpion Championship.

8. An amateur makes The Show; meets up with familiar face on TV.

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6 Gamer - \$300.00 1st Place

Saturday, Jan. 24th at Noon • Entry Fee: \$50

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**LAS
VEGAS
TRAVEL
LEAGUE**
By Alice
Meglemre

ANAHEIM—This column reports bowling on Monday, December 22, and was delayed because of the early Bowling News Monday a.m. deadline. We were bowling at that time and missed it, however we kept notes from it for this week.

Linbrook Bowl was the site of action and though it was a rainy day, there were no lane problems and we had a great scoring honor roll, led by Doris Lewis 225-514, Norma Payne 224-564, Betty Phillips 207-555, Patti Givehchin 205-554, Cyndie Martin 523, Audry Thibodeaux 517, Jamie Vallier 212-510, Teri Hefner 507, Dee Phipps 505, Darlene Waken 207-501, Virginia Gray 495, Charron McKnight 491, and there was a 6-7-10 splitacular for (I think) Nan McGill. Also, Myrt Owens broke the \$101 strike pot.

Since the column is extra long this week, we will limit team standings to the top five, led by Doris Hair Designs 36, Cerritos #2, 35, David McNaught CPA, 34.2; Westminster #1, 32 and Keystone #2, 31.2.

Charlie 'Santa' Williams did his usual fine job conducting the optional gift exchange and strikes came quickly for participating bowlers. As always, the super buffet was directed by Alberta Stoute and Roberta McNaught. Former member, Pat Willmore was visiting Monday and was surprised with a huge centerpiece birthday cake, baked by Nan McGill. Thanks to all who participated in our 51st annual party.

Along with Pat, other warmly greeted visitors were Martha Underwood, Erma Palmer and many other friends and family of Vegas league bowlers. We heard that Berdlee and R.F. Corderman were in town and we hoped they might drop by to say hello but alas, they were only here a brief time. They included our Vegas column several years in the Pacific Bowler before ending publication and moving out of California. We sure appreciate Carol Mancini providing space in Bowling News to continue our weekly travels.

We regret Jan Jones missed the fun Monday because she was hospitalized with pneumonia and hopefully she will be back in action soon.

NEXT WEEK: Westminster Lanes, Monday 9:30 a.m. JANUARY 5, 2009. From all of us to bowlers everywhere, **HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

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BONUSES

\$200 If Prepaid by Jan 3, \$150 by Jan 10 • **\$500.00** if qualifying Thursday Squads

\$200.00 for qualifying Friday Squads Noon-1:00-2:30 or 4:00 PM

\$100 for qualify South Point (ABTA Room Block) **\$100** with ABTA logo shirt

\$300 if bowled 29 or more squads since Jan 18, 2008 **\$200** if 20-28 Squads

Cash n Carry pays \$110-\$1 in this special event up to \$3,300

QUALIFYING SQUADS

1 in 5½ Entrants to the Semi Finals EACH DAY

Thursday: January 15 \$500 Bonus 9:00-10:30 & 11:45 PM

Friday: January 16 \$200 Bonus 10:30 AM-NOON-1:00-2:30-4:00-BREAK-9:30-11:00- 12:30AM

Saturday: January 17 10:30-Noon-1:30-3:00-4:30-OIL-6:00-7:30-9:00-10:30 & 11:45PM Board Frozen

Sunday : January 18 Last Reg. Squad 9:00AM (takes 1 in 5½) 10:15 Re-Entry Only Squad (1 in 5½ to Semi Finals)

**** Note The Sunday 9:00AM Squad Is Open To Everyone! 1st Time OK ****

3-6-9 Roll-off 11:45AM Sunday Semi Finals at 12 NOON Then top 32 to the single elim finals



PRIZE FUND

SEPARATE QUALIFYING BOARDS Daily 1 in 5 1/2

\$28,000 est. Min. 80 Semifinalists est. 120 to Semi finals

\$4,000 1st Guaranteed (min) 60 Men—14 Women plus added Super Srs.

\$2,000 2nd \$1,000 3rd Plus 1 in 5 1/2 1/2 to the Semi finals

Entry Fees/1st Entry Prepaid is \$76/ \$78 (onsite) 1st Re entry is \$68 /2nd/ \$62 all others \$50

Reduced Entry Fees \$47 pays \$2,100 1st Place Re Entries are \$44/\$42



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Thursday or Sunday \$54.50 Friday or Saturday \$98.10 • Rooms must be paid in full by Dec. 29th (Tax Included)

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Sulit Tops 284 Bowlers Wins ABTA Xmas Event / Bowling Square

7 Share Match \$3,500 Game (178) / Match Series Carry Over est \$900

La Habra”300” Is Our Host Saturday

12:30-2:00-3:30 & 5:00 Semis/Finals 7:00 PM

LAS VEGAS ROOMS ARE STILL AVAILABLE

ARCADIA—Likable Jaime Sulit topped a great turnout of 281 entrants as he won his first ABTA Title in fine fashion, winning four straight matches in the finals to take home his first ever win.

The Christmas Special was just that as a great 281 bowlers entered the event including 163 entrants at 6:00 PM which saw super bracket action and Side pots paid over \$300 per game (four Places each game) and still only cost \$2.00 per game to enter. More than \$3,000 in Gifts and prizes were won by raffles and drawings by our faithful members and everyone seemed to have a great time at Bowling Square.

The nice turnout saw 70 bowlers advance to the semi finals and get their share of the \$7,444 prize fund and in hopes of making the top 16 single elim finals

Gallardo “Speedy” Gonzales topped ‘em all in the semis shooting a great +140 to be the top seed and sit out and bowl for the title. He was closely followed by Jamie Sulit+128 who would receive a first round bye and enter in the second round of the elims. It took

a +55 (men) and +48 for the 3 guaranteed ladies to make the top 16.

Losers of round one finished in 10-16 places and \$120 each. (Smooth) Emma Trinidad, Juan Castellanos, Joe Bolanos, Art Lindsey, Michael Kong, Lynn Waldie and Beth Borci.

Round two had Jason Chiu, Joenito Soon, Max Smalls, and Tony Catapano lose out and get \$135.

Round three heated up as Vic Arteaga edged another Vic (Fabian) 191-187. Jaime Sulit struck late to edge Andrew Lung 208-194. So Vic and Andrew got \$150 finishing in 4-5 places with Jamie and Arteaga to meet for the right to bowl for the title vs Speedy Gonzales.

The title game was on and Sulit led off with a spare. Speedy chopped a spare then Sulit tossed a big three bagger to take a big lead. Speedy again opened in frames 4 and 6. Sulit then opened and with hdcp. difference his lead was but 7 pins. But Jaime dug deep and tossed a clutch three bagger again to ice the win in a great finish 212/242-161/213

and the coveted title went to the nice guy from Rowland Hts. Great bowling by a fine man who hardly ever misses an event and a title well deserved. Title #2 is in store as he has improved so much since I have known him and what a Nice Man! Kudos to you Jaime.

Nice bowling. One of the nicest guys I have ever known Speedy came so close to the win. He could have made it a Father /Son Champions Duo as son John is one of our finest and a great ABTA Supporter. A title can be next for Speedy.

Vic Arteaga bowled very well in 3rd and could have won this one and the same can be said of Vic Fabian and Andrew Lung.

Tourney Hi Qualifiers were Andrew Lung (men) +184, and Chan Wang led the femmes +142. They both get paid entries to any regular ABTA Event.

The Doubles were topped by Beth Borci and Max Smalls. 1408-\$160 right behind Gerald Sanchez, and Je Je Gabriel 1407-\$140. Ernie Juarez and Ed Del Mundo 1404-\$130. We paid 19 places



Sulits Wins ABTA Xmas Special at Bowling Square (L-R) John Gonzales ABTA Semifinalist. “Speedy” Gonzales Runner up (John’s dad) Jaime Sulits Champion, Vic Arteaga 3rd and Lynn Waldie Finalist.

and \$1,340 in the doubles.

Jun Contreras was a \$150 winner in the Hot Shot Pot and not bad says he as this is a free perk for our bowlers. Hot Shot Pot will begin at \$75 this week at Las Habra 300.

The Match Series was UN Matched at 665 so with the carryover of \$484 we estimate a \$900 Match Series Saturday and for only \$2 to enter.

The Match Game Was Matched by 7 of our fine. They got a tidy \$500 each. Dom La Guardia, Frank Frias, Mike Moore, Tom Dahl, Mamerto Jablan, Joevin Bolanos, and Billy Chau. We estimate a \$2,900 Match Game again this Saturday.

The Horse winner was “The Champ” Sulit who returned \$50 to those who picked him!

Champ Jaime Sulits hails from Rowland Hgts. and married to Rebecca with 3 kids

Janet, Wyndel, and Jeremie. He used a Quantum drilled by Dave Edis at West Covina Lanes. He thanks friends Wendy Soo Hoo, Fred Go, Mamerto Jablan and Mr. and Mrs. George Marquez for support.

Speedy Gonzales is from L. A. and used a Thunder Struck drilled by Brandon at Jewel City Bowl. He is married to Hong and as mentioned son John is an ABTA shooter and Champion.

Vic Arteaga is from W. Covina, married to Michelle with a daughter Faith. He used a Messenger drilled by Memo Rosales. He thanks Bowling Square, his family wife and Faith for support, Memo for his help, and of course his lovely Mother-in-Law Arlene Rojas for support

Its now History as Jaime Sulit entered the archives as our latest champion

On a Very Sad note: we are saddened to hear f of the passing of ABTA Member Brandon Peavey who left us at the very young age of 36.

Brandon was a faithful ABTA Member and bowled regularly at Bowling Square. He really loved it at Bowling Square and to my knowledge had a perfect game there. He will be missed by all who knew him. I am fortunate as many to have met him. God Bless! He was certainly one of the good guys.

La Habra “300” is our host this Saturday in a special One Day Event and will be a Beat The Board. Semis/FINALS etc. make the board and the Semis are the Finals at 7:00 PM. Bowl three games and where you finish is Your Cashing Spot. There are still 3 ladies guaranteed to the top 16 cashers. It is a fun format and we use it about 4 times yearly. We will finish very early at La Habra (Please see our ad and story). To get there, from 57 freeway take Lambert West 3 miles to Cypress then right to Whittier Blvd. From 60 Freeway take Fullerton Rd, go south over the hill 4 miles to Whittier Bl then Right 1 block.

The following Saturday we are hosted by the Bowlum in Montclair and the HANDICAP IS FROZEN at the Bowlum for our Big Las Vegas Open next week Jan. 15-16-17-18 at the South Point. Check in early at the The Bowlum. This will be a good one!

Special thanks to Bowling Square Cheryl, Tony and Staff for hosting us and spec thanks to “Fast Eddie” for the fair tournament condition!!

UPDATE: There are still rooms available for the Las Vegas Event! If You want one, contact Bob 562-868-7154 (Cell) 562-228-3960 Or Bobbie 562-694-1185 ASAP or at La Habra. Rooms are \$98.10 Friday and or Saturday, and only \$54.50 any other nights.

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1	Jaime Sulit	728	\$1,000.00	68	Henry Akita	526	\$54.00
2	Gallardo Gonzales ss	740	\$500.00	69	David Quon	518	\$53.00
3	Vic Arteaga	705	\$230.00	70	Angel Cha	DNS	F/E
4	Victor Fabian	666	\$150.00	71	Don Eide ss	DNS	F/E

DOUBLES RESULTS

5	Andrew W. Lung	662	\$150.00	1	Beth Borci /		
6	Jason Chiu	726	\$135.00		Max Smalls	1408	\$160.00
7	Max Smalls	702	\$135.00	2	Gerald Sanchez /		
8	Joenito Soon	664	\$135.00		JeJe Gabriel	1407	\$140.00
9	Tony Catapano	658	\$135.00	3	Ernie Juarez /		
10	Juan Castellanos	686	\$120.00		Edmond Del mundo	1404	\$130.00
11	Joevin Bolanos	682	\$120.00	4	Beth Borci /		
12	Emma Trinidad	679	\$120.00		JeJe Gabriel	1400	\$120.00
13	Art Lindsey ss	664	\$120.00	5	Andrew Lung /		
14	Michael Kong	656	\$120.00		Don Chung	1398	\$110.00
15	Lynn Waldie	655	\$120.00	6	George Marquez /		
16	Beth Borci	648	\$120.00		Jhun Tan	1395	\$100.00
17	Ronald Sanchez	653	\$110.00	7	Andrew Lung /		
18	George Marquez	649	\$106.25		Holden Au	1389	\$80.00
19	Emilio Flores	649	\$106.25	8	Michael Kong /		
20	Richard Aquino	647	\$103.50		Andrew Lung	1389	\$80.00
21	John Hang	647	\$103.50	9	Cheng H. Tse /		
22	Marty Nakunz ss	646	\$102.00		Jason Chiu	1387	\$70.00
23	Laura Vasquez	644	\$101.00	10	Michael Kong	1383	\$60.00
24	Janice Meloon ss	642	\$100.00	11	Andrew Lung /		
25	Anthony Martinez	641	\$97.50		Jimmy Wong	1372	\$60.00
26	Jason Yeh	636	\$95.00	12	Gerald Sanchez /		
27	Salvatorre Galluzzo	633	\$91.25		Ronnie Cordero	1368	\$50.00
28	Dominator LaGuardia	633	\$91.25	13	Gerald Sanchez /		
29	John Wei	629	\$87.50		Joenito Soon	1367	\$50.00
30	Michael Wong	628	\$85.00	14	Gerald Sanchez /		
31	Craig Shelly	627	\$82.50		Ronald Sanchez	1357	\$40.00
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33	Chris Munoz 60%	626	\$48.75		Vicente Rivera	1355	\$30.00
34	Wes Staley	623	\$78.75	16	Minh Dang /		
35	Loretta Lawson	623	\$78.75		JeJe Gabriel	1352	\$20.00
36	Sean Nguon	622	\$77.50	17	Cheng H. Tse /		
37	Cecilia Lung	621	\$77.50		Michael Wong	1351	\$20.00
38	Giang Huynh	619	\$75.00	18	Dominator La Guardia /		
39	Gerald Sanchez	618	\$73.75		Som Seng	1351	\$20.00
40	Christina Cheung	618	\$73.75	FINANCIAL REPORT			
41	Je Je Gabriel	614	\$72.50				
42	Jhun Tan	613	\$71.25	Cut Scores: Men: + 56 Women: + 35			
43	Conrad Amado	613	\$71.25				
44	Viviana Valverde	612	\$70.00	Super Seniors:			
45	Ray Grabinski 60%	611	\$40.50				
46	Frank Frias	610	\$67.50	Art Lindsey, Gallardo Gonzales, Janice Meloon			
47	Chris Marquez	609	\$67.50				
48	Ronnie Cordero	607	\$65.00	High Qualifier (Free Entry)			
49	Hovesep Simonian	603	\$63.75				
50	Tessie Sosa	603	\$63.75	Men: Andrew Lung + 184			
51	David Emrich	599	\$62.50				
52	Jesse Boquio	597	\$62.50	Women: Chao Wang + 142			
53	Christine Smith	594	\$60.00				
54	Ernie Juarez	592	\$60.00	Special Awards - Hot Shot -			
55	David Jones	591	\$59.00				
56	Anna Bautista	589	\$59.00	Jun Contraeras			
57	Deb Bradley	587	\$58.00				
58	Chao Wang 60%	583	\$34.75	3 - 6 - 9 :Chris Marquez			
59	Edmond Del Mundo	578	\$58.00				
60	Angela Lung	577	\$57.00	Match Game - 178			
61	Cheng H. Tse	569	\$57.00				
62	Jun Contreras	567	\$56.00	Mike Moore, Tom Dahl, Billy Chao,			
63	Danny Reece Sr	559	\$56.00				
64	Chet Distrace	557	\$55.00	Mamerto Jablan, Joevin Bolanos,			
65	Raul Aldaz	551	\$55.00				
66	Art Alvarez Jr	549	\$54.00	Dom LaGuardia, Frank Frias			
67	Talia St. Angelo	547	\$54.00				

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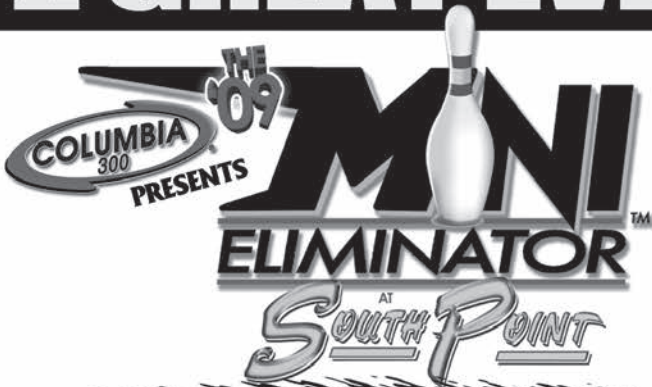
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Jowdy’s Journal

by John Jowdy

The Most Impressive Bowler I Have Ever Known?
BILL LILLARD!

In over 65 years in the bowling game, Bill Lillard stands out to me as the most impressive bowler I have seen.

Sounds pretty strange coming from someone who has watched such performers as Don Carter, Dick and Pete Weber, Earl Anthony, Don Johnson, Buddy Bomar, Carmen Salvino, Marshall Holman, Mike Aulby, Mark Roth, Norm Duke, Walter Ray Williams and almost every superstar since the 40’s...that is, with the exception of Junie McMahon.

Interestingly, in conversations with Lillard, the affable Texan often expressed admiration for Don Carter and Junie Mc Mahon as two of his most impressive contemporaries.

Although Bill Lillard was a PBA charter member, he had but one victory on the PBA tour, the 1966 Miller Beer Championship in Milwaukee. Years ago, the PBA Hall of Fame committee put three one-time winners from the pioneer’s category on the PBA ballot. One was Lillard, but he failed to garner the required number of votes. Consequently, Lillard may never be inducted in the PBA Hall of Fame. Nonetheless, Bill Lillard was recently selected as one of the Top 20 Bowlers of the 20th Century.

After winning the All-Star tournament and four titles in the 1956 ABC Championships, Lillard was named Bowler of The Year. As a result, Lillard bowled tournaments, exhibitions, and grand openings as a member of the Falstaff and Busweiser teams and a member of the Brunswick staff. In 1968, Lillard moved to Houston where he has had a very successful career operating bowling centers.

It was Lillard’s brilliant performances in the National All-Star Tournament, now known as the BPAA US Open, and his fantastic American Bowling Congress record that assured him a spot in the ABC Hall of Fame.

His ABC record includes:

EIGHT ABC titles

Lillard has an ABC/USBC tournament average of 200 for 61 consecutive years. Bill, now 81 years old, continues to compete in this event. His lifetime total of 113,404 pins is second only to Joe Norris, who amassed a total of 123,770 for 71 years.

Although he never won the ABC Masters, he led the qualifying three times, finished second to Dick Hoover in 1957, and posted an ABC Masters average of 202 for 152 games. Keep in mind that these averages were achieved during times that 200 averages and 700 series earned headlines; an era that an 800 series commanded national attention.

During his 20 years of competition in the All-Star Tournament, he posted the highest composite average of any and all participants... an incredible 206 for 1,607 games.

It must be noted that this tournament featured ONLY 16 finalists instead of 24. Furthermore, champions won with averages ranging from 200 to 208. Here is Lillard’s incredible All-Star record:

He cashed in ALL 20 All-Star events.

He made the finals in 14 of the tournaments.

He won once, finished second twice, third once and fifth twice.

He also posted averages of 207.16 for All-Star Events. (team, doubles)

He averaged 205.61 for 376 games in the old World Invitational Tournament that was held at McCormick Place in Chicago.

In reviewing Bill Lillard’s resume’, impressive is a vast understatement. I call his feats extraordinary.

Prior to Bill joining Buddy Bomar’s bowling juggernaut in Chicago in 1951, my most memorable impressions of Lillard center around the Texas area. He first caught my attention in 1946 in Houston, Texas. Lillard, a 19 year-old Dallas resident and student at Southern Methodist University, drove to Houston to participate in the Charlie Earhardt Memorial Tournament. The tournament drew entries from throughout the southwest and featured bowling stars from miles around.

Undaunted by the presence of the biggest names in the area, Lillard carted off the title in an almost easy fashion. During this period, and the late 1940’s, challenge matches, state tournaments, interstate games, and various competitions flourished in Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, and Louisiana

My late, younger brother Frank, one of San Antonio’s most proficient match-game performers, issued a challenge to anyone for a singles match. Lillard accepted the call for a tidy sum with no stipulations regarding lane choices. Consequently my brother chose lanes 7-8 at Main Bowling Center...a pair of lanes considered his “pie alleys”, an affectionate term denoting one’s favorite pair. Normally, it was risky business locking horns with Frank on lanes 7 and 8, where Frank seldom experienced any setbacks. But Frank wasn’t facing an ordinary bowler. He was facing Bill Lillard!

The three-game match was a battle of strikes during an era that 190 to 197 averages were league elites. Averages of 200 were almost non-existent at that time, including Lillard, whose highest average in Dallas was 197.

As expected, Frank crushed the pins for a whopping 768! Lillard fired his final shot of the three-game match, walked over to Frank, shook his hand, and at the same time, collected his winnings with his left hand.

The impression left on me was that of a super human being bashing the pins to the tune of 803. This total may seem insignificant by today’s standards, particularly in view of the record high 700’s and 800’s night after night. But for then, this was meritorious.

Callous critics and bumper-bowl jokers that pooh-pooh Lillard’s feat cannot appreciate or comprehend the more difficult conditions and the talent required to achieve the score of 803 fashioned by Lillard. It was an artistic performance, finessed on un-doctored lanes.

Perhaps finessed is misleading to those who construe Lillard’s execution as a soft delivery. But nothing could be further from the truth. Bill Lillard possessed one of the most explosive balls in the history of the game.

More impressive, Lillard used a rubber ball, drilled with a conventional grip. He could hook a ball on ice... going uphill. Bowling on oil was his forte; the more oil, the better. And he did it better than anyone I have ever seen. He had no slide. He braked on his last step and applied incredible rotation on the ball.

The lane dressing procedures during Lillard’s era have practically vanished. The heavy oil dressings separated the men from the boys in that wonderful period of bowling. It was never more evident than the time my San Antonio team drew an 8 a.m. assignment in the ABC tournament. The early shift was generally regarded as the death squad, simply due to the fact that early morning shifts were flooded with oil. As a matter of fact, big-name bowlers and teams ALWAYS requested evening shifts, They were granted these times because ABC officials realized that showcasing the bigger stars at later hours would surely attract a greater attendance.

At any rate, my team consisted of five classic league bowlers, four of whom tossed strong hooking deliveries. Our other bowler, Pete Hauser, relied on a straight ball off the corner. However, the heavy oil on the morning shift negated our normal stances for entry into the pocket. We were all forced to move right and point the ball to the pocket. Anything other than a full back-up ball was a morale-booster as oil gushed from the ball track. Five-pins, 8-10’s, 5-7’s and buckets popped up with regularity throughout the arena...with ONE exception. Several lanes away, Bill Lillard stood left of center, swung the ball about three to five boards, and watched his ball drive back into the pocket with thunderous impact.

“Humbling” was too meek a word to express our feelings. It was downright belittling; transforming would-be bowlers into neophytes suffering from inferiority complexes.

Oh, I forgot to mention ...Pete Hauser, our straight-ball shooter, NEVER hit the head pin in any of his first six frames; that is, not on the strike ball, nor on the spare ball.

This was a day of recollection. It was an experience I have never forgotten. It was a day my eyes were fixed on a rare talent; a super-star, a future Hall of Famer.

“Impressive”, according to Webster’s Dictionary, is eliciting wonder or admiration.

And, in all my years in the game, NO ONE ever elicited my admiration more than the talents exhibited by Bill Lillard during his heyday!



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National Deaf Bowling News
by Connie Marchione

Deaf Bowling Highlights of 2008

While I do not get much news from deaf bowlers from all over US like I did in the past years, most of this highlights of 2008 is centered in Southland where my column is widely read by deaf bowlers. I do get news from friends writers like Bob Cosgrove in East and from USBC and PBA press releases. Lets begin with honor scores of 2008 HONOR SCORES.

Lefty Jose Gonzales, Bakersfield rolled his 3rd career 300 at 71 in his Senior League. Barrett Lee, Las Vegas right-hander hit his 1st career 300 in a Las Vegas League.

Deaflympican Robert Ellison, San Diego right-hander hit his 3rd career 300 in a San Diego league and included in his first career 800, a 878 which is now 2nd highest series in deaf bowling records to Denver’s Tony Passarelli’s 888.

Deaf 1986 ABC Star of Tomorrow, Mark Fisser hit his 3rd career 802 series in the ABTA tournament at Westminster Lanes.

Prior to moving to Las Vegas, Left-hander Carl Malucci hit his 16th career 800, a 801 in a West Covina league. Malucci, presently in Las Vegas, hit his career 41st 300 in a Las Vegas league. Later on Malucci rolled his 17th career 800, a 811 in the same league at Red Rock Lanes.

Francisco Navarro, Riverside right-hander rolled his 3rd career 300 in Downey Deaf League.

Missed out: Lefty Robert G. Jones, Simi Valley came short of his first 300 twice when he rolled a 298 in a Summer League and again a 298 in So. Calif. Deaf Traveling League.

TOURNAMENTS

The same Robert G. Jones rolled 249-249-237 for 735 in the North LA County USBC City tournament singles event at Mission Hills Bowl. Jones also hit 729 in his team,3 Wrongs+1 Right’s 2862 score for first place in the Calif. State Seniors Tournament at Fresno, CA.

Deaf PBA right-hander Frank Gallo, Jr of Newport News, VA and 2005 Deaflympic women’s gold medalist Lindy Decker, Dover, PA entered in Colombia 300 PBA Legends and Ladies tournament and Gallo, Kr. failed to make the cut of top 24 but cashed for \$900.00 while lefty Decker placed 21st on the ladies.

She was paired with another Pro who made the same place on the men’s side as she did. They continued in the 34 games Baker system match play and finished in 12th place for \$2,500.00.

The same Frank Gallo, Jr after 36 years of bowling in PBA tournaments finally won his first one, PBA East Regional Forest Hills Open at Forest Hills, MD for \$5,000 prize.

The same deaf 1986 Star of Tomorrow Mark Fisser won one of ABTA tournament at Bowl-o-Drome in Torrance and the Super Seniors Tour’s Junior Division tournament at Canyon Lanes in Cabazon, CA, for \$600.00.

HONORS & MILESTONES

Hearing-impaired left-hander, Lindsey Coulles, Ohio competing on Central Florida’s bowling team was selected by the coaches of NCBCA for the 2nd NCBCA All-American women’s team.

She was also given honorable mention by BWAA. This is her 2nd time being honored, the first time was when she was bowling for Morehead U. team, Carl Malucci’s team, Team Nation bowling in the Sunday Mixers League at Red Rock Lanes has probable deaf mixed foursome team record of 960 high team game and 2745 high team series.


Also Malucci himself has a run of 15 consecutive 700 series at Red rock Lanes held up with two weeks for holidays break. The USBC league record is 16. Wait till 2009 to find out. NOTE: If we missed out important events, please let me know.

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LAKEWOOD — All that New Years Eve celebrating is over as we welcome in the New Year. This week the Cal Bowl Bowling Report has some catching up to do, so some leagues will have two weeks of scores.

YOUNG AT HEART

(12-22) Fale Sula 173-200-199/572, Ed Hansen 173-197-243/613, Don Jackson 86-80-115/281, Josh Hudson 197-208-178/583, Albert Stephens 174-117-154/445, Rose Belton 217-158-154/529, Gene Hammons 172-125-138/435, Almyra Perrizo 110-117-162/389, Glenn Wright 161-163-164/488, Vern Willey 162-146-144/452, Tom Pettway 212-207-205/624, Willie Creer 158-137-156/451, Ellis Houston 169-140-154/463, Leroy Canaday 173-174-121/468, Art Nelson 126-120-179/426, Albert Burnett Sr. 189-195-123/527, Audrey Johnson 155-154-151/460, Ed Johnson 208-139-183/340, Willie Young 150-172-187/509, Marci Hansen 120-150-158/428, John Brider 221-152-158/531, Jim Plante 215-160-189/5674, Rosalind Harris 100-99-107/306, Earl Hullett 137-185-182/504, Sabra Couch 92-115-116/323, Loretta Ringor 135-152-174/461, Joe Brown 107-135-157/399, Eva Hammons 99-61-86/246, James Kennard 212-174-160/546. (12-29) Ed Brown 179-199-226/604, Wayne Moon 147-178-139/464, Fred Faniel 222-200-171/593, Ed Hansen 181-158-161/500, Don Jackson 88-90-105/283, Josh Hudson 238-196-182/616, Marci Hansen 125-170-149/444, John Brider 165-166-136/467, James Johnson Jr. 178-179-232/589, Almyra Perrizo 127-149-145/421, Glenn Wright 161-145-122/428, Vern Willey 137-142-179/458, Audrey Johnson 127-131-118/376, Ed Johnson 147-151-172/470, Willie Young 201-179-202/582, Mary Spencer 106-136-167/409, Albert Stephens 135-116-116/367, Rose Belton 144-123-147/414, Jim Plante 199-180-199/578, Rosalind Harris 100-102-78/280, Earl Hullett 116-213-199/528, Willie Creer 144-184-190/518, Ellis Houston 192-203-158/553, Charles Gleason 197-204-191/592, Leroy Canaday 108-172-118/398, Art Nelson 94-123-126/343, Albert Burnett Sr. 158-156-149/459, Gene Hammons 160-159-140/459, Gene Skulick 214-214-180/608, Al Williams 227-180-256/663, Loretta Ringor 141-111-115/367, Joe Brown 171-137-147/455, Eva Hammons 76-89-114/279, Jessie Lane 151-146-128/425, James Kennard 115-169-158/442.

RECYCLED TEENS

(12-22) Al Williams 221-234-206/661, Doug Johnson 216-267/653, Jim Burke 233-233/638, Ning Barcelona 210/570, Jerry Cocks 509, Al Winston 506, Norma Myers 204/543, Joe Nolan 540, Lillie Darden 523, John Mathews 551, Art Diemert 607, Bill Buckley 500, Al Burnett Sr. 525, Dominic Antonio 504, Art Montgomery 518, Pat Erwin 507, Joe Erwin 512, Ed Brown 213-248-229/688, Ed McLean 538, Luz Cruz 537, Ron McClain 560, Rico Cayton 577, Don Keith 570, Ralph Wingert 226-226-204/656, Pat Orr 501, Rinze Dystra 521, Tom Spencer 530, Gene Nichols 524. (12-29) Chuck Ashton 505, Bill Buckley 520, Ralph Wingert 216-223-204/639, Dominic Antonio 213/556, Luz Cruz 530, Terry Binuya 504, Donna May 202/570, John Mathews 201/561, Ed Brown 580, Jerry Cocks 537, Ron Leidholdt 507, Walter Millsap 204/567, Ben Jones Sr. 200/587, Bill Charles 525, Art Diemert 220/554, Doug Johnson 514, Jim Burke 202-207/594, Cathy Anderson 514, Ken Seiple Sr. 538.

CAL STARS

Darlene Hom 213-171-201/585, Betty Moss 189-169-171/529, Ora McCormick 148-201-182/531, Dottie Lawn 188-160-199/547, Kim Eastwood 180-150-194/524, Betty Phillips 164-180-200/546, Vi Wilson 166-148-202/516.

GRANDMAS & GRANDPAS

(12-19) Congratulations to Ed Hansen on his “300” game plus 206-198 and 704 series. Don Keith 540, Chuck Patterson 534, Ralph Wingert 662, Billy Williams 524, Al Romero 525, Walter Gist 546, Al Ortiz 587, Jim Young 529, Walter Millsap 528, Fale Sula 549, Lamart Jenkins 268/697, Dominic Antonio 533, Pat Kinard 663, Doug Johnson 596, Florie Oria 511, Bong Cayton 503, John Sherman 500, Vern Willey 522, Barbara Smiley 501, Katie Oliviera 500, Bill Charles 523, Art Diemert 543, Jim Plante 594, Margo McClain 510, Ron McClain Sr. 551, Pat Erwin 550, Joe Erwin 572, Jim Burke 638, Edwin Brown 606, Donald Jones 525, Lee Theiss 515, John Welty 567. (12-26) Ron McClain Sr. 604, Chuck Patterson 603, Ralph Wingert 573, Jim Young 537, LaMart Jenkins 602, Fale Sula 552, Nene Camanag 540, John Mathews 592, Art Diemert 564, Larry Cosgrove 513, Pat Erwin 509, Joe Erwin 540, Jim Burke 607, Dennis Galgana 502, Billy Williams 537, Al Romero 555, Walter Gist 573, Pat Orr 526, Paul Morrison 505, B.J. Theiss 514, Bong Cayton 557, Dominic Antonio 568, Don Keith 514, Ed Hansen 556, Donna May 513, Leroy Canaday 507, Lee Theiss 628, Al Williams 549, Danne Van Horn 536, Bob Van Horn 527, Pat Kinard 288/643, Doug Johnson 558, Stanley Murren 553.

CAL BOWLEROS

Carole Fischer 532, Margo McClain 213/514.
That's our report for this week. Once all the byes for the holidays are over we will be back to our normal report. The secretaries here at Cal Bowl do a great job of always reporting the high scores.



Ed Hansen (Left) bowled a 300 game last Friday on the Grandmas & Grandpas league. Jim Plante broke a long-standing “super senior” 800 series with a nice 825, on Thursday on the Funsters league. The previous record of 815 was held by Don Engle and Ray Hawthorne.

SANTA CLARITA

HOLIDAY NO-TAPTTOURNAMENT
(At Santa Clarita Lanes)
Friday, December 26, 2008
FINAL RESULTS

1. Eric Harfst, Lisa Harfst, Crystal Stephens, Mark Stephens, Frank Bustamante	4144	\$500.00
2. Danny Markovich, Mark Bielanski, Carl Bielanski, Craig Rubin, Lindsay Higgins	4098	400.00
3. JC Fox, Bob Matwiczak, Lori Matwiczak, Teresa Forshee, Norm Forshee	4074	300.00
4. Jim Chesnutt, Ken Russo, Sergio Trujillo, Tawny Bayes, Adan Arredondo	3944	280.00
5. Kevin McBride, Joe McBride, Pat Wilson, Kim Tripp, Tim Tripp	3939	240.00
6. Geoff Perrea, Dave Murrell, Jon Brandon LH, Phil Kilichowski, Donna Bingham	3932	200.00

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2. Joe Preciado

MENS HANDICAP SIDEPOTS

Game 1: Ron Gade	316	\$116.00
Game 2: Sergio Trujillo	324	117.00
Game 3: Wayne Okuma	352	117.00

MENS SCRATCH

Game 1: Tim Tripp	300	\$96.00
Game 2: Phil Kilichowski	300	97.00
Game 3: Wayne Okuma, Vern Miller, Tim Tripp, Derek Schilling, Phil Kilichowski	300	97.00

LOTTERY — \$133.00

- Game 1: Ann McGuigan
Game 2: Teresa Forshee
Game 3: Vicki Pinjanthuk

WOMENS HANDICAP SIDEPOTS

Game 1: Cathy Naito	317	\$71.00
Game 2: Lauren Laguire	310	72.00
Game 3: Sherri Gonzales	311	72.00

WOMENS SCRATCH SERIES

Game 1: Cathy Naito	264	\$28.00
Game 2: Lesia Hereder, Beth Heiserman	266	28.00
Game 3: Crystal Stephens	234	29.00

Canoga Park Srs.

WINNETKA — Hello and Happy New Year to all the seniors here at Canoga Park Bowl. We hope you all had a nice holiday season and are ready for 2009.

Let's get to the scores that were reported...

49'Ers Senior Trio: (Dec. 15) Carolyn Scherzberg 258/688, Dave Folck 221/637, Richard Greenzweight 247/617, Bill Robb 606, Pete Ramirez 221/594, Mel Mathews 211/581, Arlene Bonino 193/533, Mary Lauer 212/517, Nancy Cottrell 167/474, Lee Murray 144/409, George Schneider 222. (Dec. 22) Richard Greenzweight 244/660, Bill Robb 226/645, Dave Folck 226/627, Dale Rubin 215/595, Robert Little 595, Carolyn Scherzberg 228/590, Mary Lauer 202/541, Nancy Cottrell 178/493, Arlene Bonino 180/492, Helen Layfield 182/479, Tom Tucker 245.

Funtimers: Dave Folck 268/729, Al Reiswig 269/675, Carolyn Scherzberg 235/653, Roger Chartrand 606, Rick Dobris 589, Richard Greenzweight 589, Ellie Alliston 178/501, Candy Adams 173/500, Delia Lowe 471, Marlene Kigerl 172/448, Bill Volkert 244, Robert Little 225, Bob Adams 223, Marilyn Bigman 167.

39'Ers Senior Trio: Richard Greenzweight 265/667, Tom Roberts 656, Carolyn Scherzberg 223/641, Bill Robb 247/620, Edwin Cornish 234/617, Jose Blanco 248/607, Donald Macek 607, Lucy Tralla 222/636, Helen Layfield 224/549, Gail Stillson 194/517, Patricia Carpenter 204/512, Jim Halliday 236.

TGIF Senior Trio: Carolyn Scherzberg 258/676, Steven Herndon 230/614, Dave Folck 224/609, Don Segien 202/543, Keith Hazard 203/536, Errol Gillis 187/525, Ellie Alliston 159/467, Lily Gillis 152/395, Barbara Berlin 163/378, Harriet Faith 138/351.

That's all for this week. Take care and have a wonderful new year!

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6-GAMER TOURNAMENT
(At Forest Lanes)

Saturday, December 27, 2008

FINAL STANDINGS

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WINNETKA — HAPPY NEW YEAR! How is everyone doing on this New Year's day? Ready for all the challenges of a new year?

Due to the early printing deadline last week, several of our leagues here at Canoga Park Bowl have two weeks of scores to report. So here we go...

Phil-Am: Phillip Gayatin 245/646, Hocson Chua 225/607, Socorro King 182/542, Fred Agpaoa 226, Raul Ventenilla 216, Mike King 208.

Viva Las Vegas: (Dec. 14) Ruben Sarkissian 257/769, Michael Ricca 674, Duane Erickson 251/670, Stephen Mendez 644, Daniel Clebanoff 247/634, James Smith Jr. 634, Roberta Martel 186/487, Terry Winger 245, Jared Goldschen 245. (Dec. 21) Terry Winger 256/689, Stephen Mendez 267/681, Jared Goldschen 664, Duane Erickson 647, James Smith Jr. 258/644, Kathy Litztenberger 202/536, Debby Koeller 205, Larry Friedman 242, Dave Schaffer 238.

Monday Nite Live: (Dec. 15) Dick Schryver 242/709, Mel Johnson 239/689, Dan Onestinghel 244/649, Dale Johnson 212/623, Dave Cook 249/618, Sharon Weger 221/589, Carol Casuga 218/550. (Dec. 22) Dale Johnson 246/662, Dan Onestinghel 221/657, Lucy Tralla 246/551, Sharon Weger 527, Jennifer Rivas 202/510, Bob Jones 240, Marc Loshin 225.

Monday Nite Madness: Jerome Hampton 257/628, Bob Pfleger 204/601, Joanne Lenane 481, Wendy Maceri 189, Robert Iblings 234, Nick Santoro 226, Mike Hahn 212.

River Maniacs: Stephen Mendez 717, Sobeck Banuelos 278/706, Bob Englehart 248/676, Barry Simon 649, Tyrone Fox 636, Daniel Scott 253/636, Sam Mason 636, Sheryl Kline 505, Monise Kelly 236, John Nelson 280, Andre Hebert 246.

Comedians: (Dec. 16) Ruben Sarkissian 278/735, Michael Ricca 259/708, Daniel Stipkovich 264/693, Jeff Lewis 664, Russ Gothrick 663, Mary Becker 212/589, Sharon Weger 203/559, Ellen Eckard 520, Carol Asher 519, Josi Medina 509, Susan Hahlbeck 215, Robert Battle 288, Donne Franklin 254. (Dec. 23) Mark May 269/768, Jesse Chastian 269/731, Russ Gothrick 255/679, Jeff Lewis 670, Ray Stoy 668, Ellen Eckard 233/559, Jan Sandman 215/557, Karen Norman 200/537, Mary Becker 208/534, Carol Asher 512, Daniel Stipkovich 266, Larry Lansing 254, Sharon Weger 276.

Tuesday Pick-A-Ball Doubles (4-games): Sweeper Scores: Ari Plessner 247/832, James Smith Jr. 231/829, Daniel Williams 245/828, Lori Bains 179/678, James Smith Jr. 231, Bruce Zietz 210, Allan Nathan 208. Next league, **Pick-A-Ball/Nascar Doubles** starts January 6th at 7:00 p.m. Meeting at 6:30 p.m.

Early Birds: Pete Garcia 244/667, Arnie Kazdoy 256/631, Jamie White 258/610, Kimberly Lane 210/588, Susie Rothenberg 203/513, Lori Fish 507, Jay Stewart 233, Herb Jieu 224.

Copper Bucket: Tom Tucker 235/618, Paul Anderson 279/611, Sean Tucker 254/600, Jeanne Tonyan 163/443, Don Ruiz 212, Richard Alajarin 205.

PBA Experience Singles: (Dec. 10) Tiffany Morita 220/730, Paul Barkley 278/820, Dave Weisman 247-208, Doane Cole 239-204, Jeremy Paulsen 234, Dave Schaffer 213-207, Mike Pollack 212-211, JT Jackson 211-207, Larry Steinberg 206, Kvaun Sanchulo 203, Fred Sloss 200. BOYS—Matt Cormack 223-200-190/788. (Dec. 17) Dave Schaffer 247-223/854, Doane Cole 218-209-204/815, Tiffany Morita 685, JT Jackson 266-207, Dave Weisman 224, Mike Jerry 222-205, Aaron Steinberg 214-212, Larry Steinberg 211, Mike Jerry 222-205, Jeremy Paulsen 200. BOYS—Matt Jones 201-168-177/695, Matt Cormack 572.

500 Classic: Connie Wannomae 278/683, Petra Kaun 611, Robyn Willis 563, Joan Bremberg 228/548, Carol Asher 225/547, Kathy Iwakiri 223, Gean Hubbard 217.

The Classics: Tina Enriquez 215/636, Gayle Kirby 211/545, Bo Fogel 530, Patti Diluigi 201/527, Leah Hoffman 521, Louis Enriquez 528, Jerry Lovell 209/515.

B'nai Brith Classic: Roman Agiert 234/664, Joel Tetreault 657, George Lippert 644, Thomas Flynn 248/642, Jay Rosen 234/612, Hank Solny 235, Steve Horenstein 233.

Thursday Pick-A-Ball Doubles (4-games): Sweeper Scores: Peter Thibodeaux 276/816, Patricia Gross 184/582, Vu Lam 255, James Hudgins 215, Louis Gross 212. Next league, **Thursday Pick-A-Ball/Nascar Doubles** starts January 8th at 9:00 p.m. Meeting at 8:30 p.m.

Party Animals: Michael Pollack 279/751, Ron Eisenberg 254/726, Kenny Schimpf Jr. 279/722, Ruben Sarkissian 709, Dan Onestinghel 267/678, Melody Ritchie 278/728, Sharon Weger 209/594, Elizabeth Fonvergne 224/581, Erica Pollack 203/554, Karen Hopper 221/551, Jack Getzlaff 256.

Vegas 4 Fun: Robert Spengeman 288/743, Steven A. Huerta 262/697, Jun Tumacay 289/687, Jaf Martinez 657, Roger Budlong 247/642, Pam Fountain 182/525, Joel Seguin 244.

SFVCC Nikkei: Kirk Sasaki 247/704, Stephen Sasaki 230/676, Russ Yamaguchi 246/662, Art Wake 632, Shoji Takeshima 623, Noriko Fukunaga 238/656, Laurel Nakamoto 508, Eiji Fukumoto 257, Kevin Eto 253.

CANOGA PARK JUNIORS

This week the junior league is included in our regular house column.

Sutter Gold Miners: Luis Zavala 115/326, Brian Dolman 99/290, Harrison Bui 104/259, Brian Herrera 106/252, Hector Rodriguez 238, Dominique Santillan 87/138, Allan Aguilar 118. Enjoy the holiday!

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DEC27 (L-R) Champ's daughter & Future LSBC supporter, Akayla Basto, holding her dad's loot for the weekend, CHAMPION Allan Basto, runnerup Rey Santos with Son, Reymar. NOV15 (L-R) Glen Dantes - 3rd place, Gian Carlo Manslungan - 2nd place, CHAMPION Minh Dang and JT Jackson - 4th place.

Allan Basto bowls a perfect "300" game to nab this weekend's title at CAL!
Minh Dang edges Gian for the title at the Beat-The-Board semis last NOV15.

LAKEWOOD - We would like to congratulate our good friend ALLAN BASTO for shooting his first perfecto during the title match against top seed, Rey Santos who also bowled a "300" game during qualifying. Allan brings home \$1,600 with his add'l \$20 investment in the LS Bucks. We missed the opportunity to place our AD last week so it was a great surprise when this weekend brought in almost 100 entries to advance 24 bowlers to the semis! Another high scoring weekend, Rey Santos shot +245 during the semis to sit out for the final match. Cut score to make the top 5 was +175.

First to face off was Bert Tandoc against William Garrett and buddies Allan Basto against Ronnie Cordero. Bert downed William 233/219 and Allan barely squeezes by Ronnie with 244/243. Bert's split on the 2nd frame cost him his match against Allan with scores 245/234. With the stage set for the title match, Rey stumbled early in the game with a split on the 2nd frame, open on the 4th, and another split on the 9th, Allan wasn't thinking of a perfect game for the championship match but he dedicated each and every frame to his daughter, Akayla. To our "300" bowlers and LSBC winners—CONGRATULATIONS! We would also like to congratulate MINH DANG for winning our event last NOV. 15th!

LUCKY Game 2 is a carry-over with 283 drawn. Same goes with LUCKY Series which drew a 613. These optional pots will carry-over with minimum prize funds of \$350 and \$250 each. Jun Cadenas took home \$50 for his efforts for our LUCKY Strikes pot. We will carry-over \$250 next weekend. WELCOME to all our new bowlers and we would like to thank our fellow bowlers for all the continued support and our home away from home, CAL BOWL. Special thanks to Leonard Ruiz for the accommodation. See you all this weekend! Please see our AD for details.

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Final Results			
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4TH	J.T. JACKSON	741	\$ 100
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8TH	DE GUZMAN, JR	699	\$ 65
9TH	HORNATANAKITPANICH, JIRADEJ	696	\$ 65
10TH	EGUILOS, DANNY	683	\$ 60
11TH	CORDERO, RONNIE	660	\$ 60
12TH	CONWI, JULIAN	659	\$ 55
13TH	ROMERO, ROGER	652	\$ 55
14TH	CAYTON, BONG	649	\$ 50
15TH	SAJONAS, DODIE	648	\$ 50

DEC27 at CAL			
Final Results			
1ST	BASTO, ALLAN	781	\$ 800
LS Bucks			
2ND	SANTOS, REY	845	\$ 400
3RD	TANDOC, BERT	814	\$ 200
4TH	CORDERO, RONNIE	795	\$ 100
5TH	GARRETT, WILLIAM	775	\$ 100
6TH	BORCI, BETH	748	\$ 90
7TH	ASUNCION, ANGEL	743	\$ 90
8TH	CUNANAN, KMEL	738	\$ 85
9TH	CATAMISAN, FREDDIE	738	\$ 85
10TH	LANETA, RICK	733	\$ 80
11TH	DANG, MINH	726	\$ 80
12TH	Ocampo, ARIEL	725	\$ 75
13TH	ALMA, ED	724	\$ 75
14TH	DO, YUONG	720	\$ 70
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21ST	EGUILOS, DANNY	675	\$ 55
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Anthony LaCaze, who didn’t even have a “name” shirt to begin his week, in an unbelievable story advanced all the way from TQR to The Show at the Lake County Indiana Golden Anniversary Championship. He ultimately fell only in the semifinal and the fact his opponent in his TV match had been the best man at his wedding (exempt pro Bill O’Neill), well, you can’t make a story like that up.

7. The first PBA Senior event final in 7 years was broadcast on ESPN.

Upstart journeyman senior pro Timothy Kauble captured the title at the Golden Anniversary Championship, but it was his reaction to his first strike that was the most memorable moment. It seems the last time Kauble was on TV prior to his win, it was when he was a teenager participating in a “Dick Clark-style” teeny-bopper dance show. Kauble’s mistake was telling ESPN bowling announcer Rob Stone about his previous “TV experience,” but after striking in his first shot on television, Kauble preempted any chance for Stone to embarrass him by doing a little boogie dance right there at the foul line.

6. Players are sporting a new look this season as official PBA jerseys are unveiled.

For most PBA players, uninspired golf shirts with sticky patches made way for stylish, dye-sublimated sports jerseys sporting fresh designs and dramatic logos by Gemini Sport Marketing. The jerseys set the pros apart, give them a better avenue for branding themselves and connecting with fans and offer a better opportunity to sell valuable real estate on the jerseys. Tour and player sponsors also began taking advantage of the improved, greater exposure the jerseys provide. And the best thing is fans at home can design their own jerseys on Gemini’s web site in the mold of their favorite PBA stars and wear them in their own leagues and tournaments.

5. A lesson to all opponents: Never give Parker Bohn III even more motivation to win.

Spurred on to a renewed determination in his preparation for the Tour this offseason by being passed over for a spot on the first-ever “Dream Team” Team USA travel team that won gold in Thailand this summer, Bohn made two shows in the first half, winning one (the Cheetah Championship). The Hall-of-Fame Bohn, falsely rumored to be on the downside of his remarkable career, sits in third place on the points list (top lefty) and appears to be playing with an uncharacteristic chip on his shoulder since the Team USA snub – which once again makes him a threat to win every week.

4. Forget the Energizer Bunny. It’s Walter Ray that keeps going and going and going.

Walter Ray Williams Jr., nearing his 50th birthday and already solidified as the all-time winner in PBA Tour history, won the Golden Anniversary Championship, appropriately enough, to bring his lifetime record of wins to 45. At once, he served notice to two groups of players: 1) the exempt touring pros he’s dominated for decades, reminded again that he isn’t going away; and 2) the Senior Tour players who better win quick before he turns 50.

3. The improbable series of events leading to Mike Machuga’s victory at the Chameleon Championship.

During Friday night’s position round, Machuga seemed assured the fourth seed in the four-man stepladder finals. But an unprecedented and untimely scoring malfunction lead to Sean Rash getting to bowl his last position round game over, needing a 256 to move past Machuga into fourth. Rash, as Murphy’s Law would demand, actually did. But after officials pondered the fairness of the situation from Machuga’s perspective, the decision was made to change the TV finals into a 5-man stepladder, pitting Machuga and Rash in the first match. An extra half-hour was added to the ESPN telecast and after Machuga defeated Rash, he marched through the field playing an outside line while the others played in. The unpredictable events gave Machuga another title and gave the fans on site the treat of his signature move, the Machuga Flop. Once again, you simply can’t make this stuff up.

2. LeBron James’ PBA debut.

James, yes, THE LeBron James, needing a strike in 9th frame to give his doubles partner Jason Couch and he a commanding position in the title match of the inaugural Chris Paul PBA Celebrity Invitational over host Paul and his partner Chris Barnes, fires an unstoppable rocket to the 1-2 pocket and strikes an unforgettable pose at the line, signaling victory. The close, high scoring match, filled with smack talk, capped the first-ever PBA celebrity televised event. Not only NBA stars James and Paul but Dwyane Wade, Kevin Durant and Rudy Gay (all on the NBA scoring leaders first page this year) paired with PBA stars including Ebonite’s Tommy Jones, Doug Kent and Mitch Beasley in the event that secured more mainstream media for the PBA than any event in recent memory. It’s the PBA’s most-watched YouTube match so far this year. Avid bowler Paul’s charitable foundation and hometown of Winston-Salem benefited from the event, but it was LeBron, who also treated fans with his signature “chalk” move prior to bowling who stole the show this time.

1.Norm Duke wins third straight major championship.

Last season, “Duuuuuuuuuuke,” as the fans affectionately call him everywhere he goes, won the PBA World Championship and U.S. Open to close out the campaign. Then, he picked right up where he left off, winning the PBA World Championship in Wichita to start this season. It is the first time in the history of the PBA that a player has won three consecutive Major championships. Unbelievable. But does anyone doubt Duke will be a threat to win four straight next month at the H&R Block Tournament of Champions? Duke was also voted into the PBA Hall of Fame this season.

Meanwhile, there were plenty other moments of distinction during the first half of the 2008-09 season. Who could forget:

- Ken Simard’s first 10 strikes in the semifinal match at the Scorpion Championship;
- Rookie of the Year Rhino Page dismissing any thoughts of a sophomore slump by winning the Lumber Liquidators Shark

Championship;

- The first-ever Ultimate Scoring Championship finding 18 300 games bowled in just two days of qualifying and match play, the qualifying average record for 14 games tied by Patrick Allen and Mike Wolfe going on to win with a “ho hum” 246 on TV;
- Carmen Salvino, one of the PBA’s original members 50 years ago, throwing out the first ball at the tournament named after him for a strike, of course. And at the Shark Championship, the legendary Mark Roth also striking on his first ball attempt after bowling on a commissioner’s exemption;
- Brad Angelo winning his long overdue first PBA title at the Pepsi Viper Championship;
- Bill O’Neil arriving as the Tour’s newest young gun, making three shows and laying claim to the label of best exempt player to have never won a title;
- PBA message boards going berserk over international two-hander Jason Belmonte’s pair of commissioner exemptions and 2-time certified (albeit controversial) 900 shooter Robert Mush-tare’s first PBA Tour TQR appearance.
- Del Ballard Jr., recently voted into the PBA Hall of Fame, pulling his infamous “gutter ball” out of a special, traveling display case commemorating historic moments in the 50-year history of the PBA Tour to actually use it in competition during the Cheetah Championship TQR. And he bowls over 660 for three games with the urethane ball before putting it back in the display case.
- The PBA offering President-elect Barack Obama bowling lessons on the White House lanes.
- The long-awaited return of live webcast coverage of Friday’s match play on a revamped Xtra Frame on pba.com.

Coming soon, we look at the top 10 things to look for in the second half of the season.

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Following WCST Ebonite Tournaments

January 10-11, Silver Nugget Lanes, N. Las Vegas, NV Limited openings in both divisions.

February 21-22, La Habra “300” Bowl, La Habra, CA Entries coming in fast.

March 7-8, Rancho Bowl, Santa Maria, CA 48 Teams Maximum field. Openings for 23 more teams only. \$800.00 Added.

March 14-15, Pahrump Nugget Lanes, Pahrump, NV \$1000.00 Added.

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It all begins Thursday Evening with a \$500 Bonus if qualifying that night and winning the event. Squads Thursday are 9:00-10:30 & 11:45 PM taking 1 in 51/2 to the semi finals.

Friday Squads are 1:00-2:30-4:00 PM (break) and then 9:30-11:00 & 12:30 AM 1 in 5 1/2 to Semi finals.

Saturday Squads begin at 10:30 AM-Noon-1:30-3:00-4:30 OIL 6:00-7:30-9:00-10:30 & 11:45 PM taking 1 in 51/2 to the Semi finals

Sunday there is One final Regular Squad at 9:00 AM takes 1 in 5 1/2 and then ONE Big RE ENTRY Squad at 10:15 AM (this squad is open to everyone first time entrants ok! And takes 1 in 5 1/2 to the Semifinals. 3-6-9 roll off is at Noon with Semis to follow! Last Years Event drew over 500 Entrants and huge payoffs for our bowlers.

Please see Our ad in this paper for more information! For Information contact the ABTA 562-868-7164, (CELL) 562-228-3960 or see the Web Site at www.abta1.com

The South Point is easily accessed as on way in to Las Vegas take Silverado Canyon off ramp then east 1 block to the parking and Casino it is located at 9777 Las Vegas Blvd South . The phone there is 702-796-7111.

On site entries are welcomed, If You get the urge to try this Big ABTA Event come on down to the South Point

Special Note: The are Rooms available to first come and first serve \$98.10 Friday, and or Saturday and only \$54.50 any other nights Rooms can be purchased at our One day event this Saturday at La Habra”300” Bowl see Our ad for further Information.



Keystone Juniors

by Michelle Lawson

NORWALK —Hello from Keystone Lanes it was the last Saturday of the year. We had some pretty nice games to report.

These kids made or beat there average each game.

Starting with our BUMPERs: Ike Pugh 96 avg bowled 116-105, Dominic Servin 90 avg bowled 95-116, Jimmy Prickett 70 avg bowled 70-74, Kevin Estrada, 73 avg bowled 89-97, Janiya Nichols 69 avg bowled 69-94.

Moving on up to our PREP division we have Daniella Aquinada 79 avg bowled 94-82-115, Cely Anaya 82 avg bowled 92-108- and a very nice 140 good job Cely, Eduardo Ballester 48 avg bowled 56-71-72, Diego Aquinada 88 avg bowled 117-117-109, We have some nice scores from some kids who didn’t quite make it each game.

David Williams 113, Dominic Nandino 117, Kalani Ani 114, High bowler in the Preps goes to Sarah Guaydacan 154-169.

Goin up another level we have our MINORS division: Karla Nandino104 avg bowled 106-121-133, Marissa Cross 110 avg bowled 131-119-142 Nice games from Danny Contreras 144, Anna Ramirez 145, Kristina Silvan 124, Lauree Bennett 170, but high bowler in the minors goes to John Guaydacan with a nice 179-192.

Now on to our MAJORS: Ashley Milam 129 avg bowled a 145-135-159, Ashley give yourself a cheer you were the only major to get your average each game. We do have some nice games to report. Melissa Lawson 202, Joshua Aguilar 188, Corrine Palacio 212, Michael Alanis 194, Miguel Garcia nice 255.

But once again our top bowler for the majors is Jonathan Huff with a nice 236 and a fantastic 279. way to go Jonathan.

Good job to all our Bowlers keep getting those high scores.

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Saturday January 3rd, 2009

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or

The Jr. Silver Scratch Draft League is for the lower average bowlers, that wants to prepare to bowl in the Gold, League, Averages of 120 and up. Check in Saturday January 3rd at 11:00 am, for draft and rules.

Bowling will start January 10th 2009

For more information;

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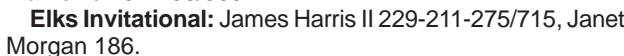
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Day After Christmas Scratch 5-Gamer results: 60 bowlers. Sidepots paid \$50 first place and \$10 second place. Game 1: 1st Jeff Garrison 299, 2nd Lenny Huber 298. Game 2: 1st Scott Norton 268, 2nd Ben Laughlin 267. Game 3: 1st (tie) Gary Duran and Zack Jellsey 300 (\$30 each). Game 4: 1st Ben Laughlin 280, 2nd Rod Cantrell 279. Game 5: Jeff Garrison 279, 2nd Tim Blough 267. Main Event: 1st place: Tim Blough 1248 \$500. 2nd place: Jeff Garrison 1247

We are looking forward to a lot more big scores in 2009. Happy New Year everyone.



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