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The Amateur Bowlers Tour Orange County Branch is Under New Ownership!!

ORANGE COUNTY—The ABT Orange County Branch is under New Management, and you are invited to celebrate the start of a new era in Orange County.

We have been down on the lanes the past couple of months, and have asked many of you what we could do to improve the Amateur Bowlers Tour in Orange County. There were many responses from the ABT Bowlers. One response that was given is "the tournament club needs to be have a schedule for more than a couple of weeks in advance." **WE HEAR YOU!** The new ABT staff has been working non-stop for the past couple of months with many of the local bowling centers to schedule tournaments. Please check our website, www.org.abtbowling.com, or look for our weekly ad in the Bowling News for the list of upcoming tournaments.

After looking through the ABT books, as well as results from the past 12 months, we noticed that a lot of the bowlers who have supported the ABT in the past are not bowling. We are attempting to contact all of the ABT bowlers, who have not bowled in the last few months. If you have not received a letter or a postcard from us by now, we do not have your correct address.

Our first scheduled event is this Saturday, January 6, 2007, at Westminster Lanes. We look forward to meeting and greeting each of our members at our first tournament. Squad times are **Noon, 2:00 & 4:00 pm**. We will be offering door prizes on each squad. The prizes include Storm bowling bags and Storm bowling towels.

The ABT Staff has made some changes that will take effect at the January 6th event. With the increasing price of lineage at most bowling centers, we have had to raise the tournament entry fee to \$55. We have replaced the **Win, Place, & Show Pot** with an all new **Progressive Pot**. The Progressive Pot is available for as little as \$5. The Mystery Pot, which requires no skill, will start at \$100 and continue to grow each week. Any and all suggestions to improve our tournament club are welcome.

All ABT Tournaments are **USBC** sanctioned events and are co-sponsored by **STORM Bowling Products**.

We look forward to seeing you at Westminster on January 6th!

ABTA Las Vegas Open Next Weekend At the Orleans Jan. 11-12-13-14

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The ABTA will be in Las Vegas next weekend for our Annual Las Vegas Open event at the Orleans Jan 11-12-13-14.

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 \$8,150.

It all begins Thursday eve 9:00 PM with a \$500 Bonus if qualifying that night and winning the event. Squads Friday are 1:00-2:30-4 PM and return at 9:00-10:30 & 11:45 PM taking 1 in 5 1/2 to the semi finals.

Saturday Squads begin at 10:30 AM-Noon-1:30-3:00-4:30-6:30-7:45-9:00-10:30 & 11:45 PM with 1 in 5 1/2 to the Semi Finals.

Sunday there is ONE Big Regular Squad at 10:00 AM (this squad is open to everyone first time entrants ok! and we will take 1 in 5 1/2 from this squad to the semis Semi-Finals follow the 3-6-9 roll-off at 11:45 AM! Last Years Event drew 510 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 Orleans is located at 4500 West Tropicana Rd and easy to find, just take Interstate 15 to Tropicana and go west 3/4 mile on the right. The phone there is 702-365-7111.

On site entries are welcomed, if you get the urge to try this Big ABTA Event come on down to the Orleans where the action will happen!

Inland Empire NABI Champion Noli Valdeleon

by Quinn

MORENO VALLEY — HAPPY NEW YEAR! We at Inland Empire NABI want to thank everyone for helping our club grow! We also want to thank ABC Moreno Valley Bowl for hosting our December 30-31, 2006 tournament. They are so friendly and always make us feel at home.

Our champion, Noli Valdeleon, has won his second tournament with our NABI club. Such a gracious champion. He just wants to wish all a Happy New Year. Noli also won our Ebonite Overtime Ball Raffle. Kay Johnson pulled the winning ticket, which was Noli. He also won another champion shirt and is already in the Tournament of Champions, held in Las Vegas, July 2007 at The Orleans. Noli won a nice check for the amount of \$1,500, with the Optional Upgrade of \$600, an additional \$100 for qualifying in a Saturday squad and another \$100 for wearing a NABI shirt.

Our stepladder started out with an exciting game pairing John Radasovich and Wally White. John bowled a great 226, but Wally beat him with a 227 (could have gone either way).

Wally then bowled Noli Valdeleon. Wally bowled a 188 to Noli's 221. Noli then went on to bowl Elaine Ward. Elaine is a fairly new tournament competitor and is doing terrific. She bowled a 178, but Noli prevailed with a huge 246. Noli then had to meet our high qualifier, Jeff Swanson. Jeff was right there with a nice 201. However, Noli

Holman Awarded Third Exemption

MEDFORD—PBA Commissioner and CEO Fred Schreyer announced today PBA Hall of Famer Marshall Holman has been awarded the Commissioner's Exemption for the 2007 Earl Anthony Medford Classic, Jan. 10-14, at Lava Lanes in Medford, Ore. The finals will take place Sunday, Jan. 14 live on ESPN at 10 a.m. PST.

Holman, a Medford native, was awarded the Commissioner's Exemption for the third consecutive season in his hometown, becoming the first bowler to be given a Commissioner's Exemption for a third time in his career.

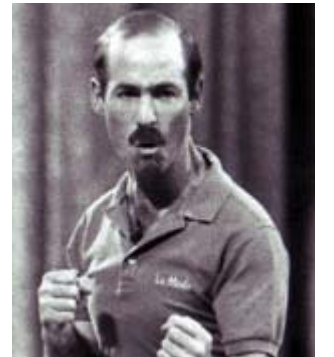
The PBA Hall of Famer, who earned the nickname "The Medford Meteor," owns 22 career Denny's PBA Tour titles, which ranks 11th all-time. Among his 22 titles are four Major titles, including the 1976 and '86 Tournament of Champions and the 1981 and '85 U.S. Opens. The 1987 PBA Player of the Year, Holman has earned over \$1.7 million in career PBA earnings.

A PBA member since 1974, Holman has competed in nearly 600 Denny's PBA Tour events. He captured his first Tour title in the 1975 Fresno Open at the age of 20, and went on to capture

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came through with a 223. Great bowling, everyone!

Thanks to all who participated in our New Year's Eve Weekend Tournament. We have a wonderful club! See our ad in this issue of the Bowling News.



The Medford Meteor is the first bowler to be given three Commissioner's Exemptions.

Cal Bowls No-Tap January 6

LAKEWOOD — This month's NO-TAP at Cal Bowl should be called "Thank You Santa Claus - But Your Time Is Up". The holidays are over and we can get down to some serious "playing". Like "NO-TAP", everyone's favorite.

Sign-ups start at 4:30 p.m. and the pins are set up at 5:00 p.m. Bring the \$40 entry in cash, plus a little extra for the sidepots. Six games is the test, and 20 ways to get your money back.

No-Tap is anybody's game, but it's easier if you can hit the head pin consistently. Plan to venture on down to Cal Bowl Saturday, 2500 East Carson in Lakewood.

Luncheon To Honor B.V.L. Winners Jan. 7

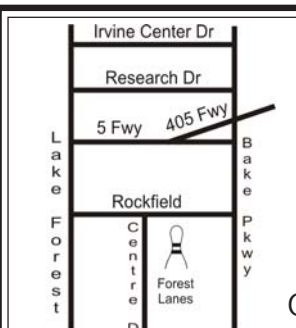
WEST COVINA — B.V.L. (Bowlers for Hospitalized Veterans) has been special to California Bowlers since World War II. Bowlers bought bombers! At wars end, bowlers every where continued supporting our wounded. Seems like the beds are always full, because we are always fighting for freedom around the world.

This Sunday, January 7, the San Gabriel Valley U.S.B.C. will continue honoring bowlers and veterans at a noon luncheon. The \$18 fee includes a great lasagna lunch, plus a \$5 donation to our California B.V.L.

All bowlers are welcome at Brunswick Covina Lanes, Sunday, January 7 to honor our local B.V.L. Tournament winners.



Inland Empire NABI Tournament (L-R) Elaine Ward 3rd, Jeff Swanson 2nd, John Radasovich 5th, Noli Vadeleon Champion & Dave Fairow Director.



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The Triax Spare System, Rules 2 & 3 Avoiding Chopping and Converting Splits

Last month we covered the Triax Spare System fundamentals. As promised, this month we'll discuss the needed parts to complete the methods of converting multi pin spares without chopping (cherry picking) as well as splits.

As rule 1 states (see last month's article...I hope you saved it as I suggested) the "key" pin in all spares is the one that must be hit. *That's the pin in front.* But that doesn't cover what adjustments need to be made so the system can be used for hitting that key pin on one side or the other...which is what is needed to successfully convert multi pin spares without chopping (cherry picking) and leaving an open frame.

Rule 2

Rule 2 covers this common situation effectively. This rule states the following:

"To convert all multi-pin spares, *except splits*, you must hit the 'key' pin on whichever side will cause the ball itself to deflect into the accompanying pins."

Based on the system as described last month, this is accomplished easily. Merely adjust your feet one board right (or left) of the normal board you would stand on to convert that key pin, then shoot for the same mark as usual, for that pin to be hit on the desired side.

Here's how that works, and it's easier to understand with some examples, as follows:

For a 3-6-10 spare, stand one board left of your normal Triax position for the 3 pin. This causes the ball to hit the 3 pin on the right side, thus deflecting the ball into the 6, also taking out the 10. However, for a 3-5 (or a 3-5-8), you would stand one board right of that 3 pin foot position, because now you want the ball to hit the left side of the 3 pin and deflect into the 5, taking the 8 with it.

For a 2-4-7, or 2-4 5-7, stand one board right of your 2 pin position and shoot for the 2 pin mark. Again, this causes the ball to deflect in the desired direction...off the left side of the 2 pin...thereby making the 2 deflect to the right and hit the 5, while the ball itself deflects left, thereby taking out the 4 and 7 pins. (Take the time to visualize these, to be certain they're understood).

On the opposite side of the rack, for a 3-6-10 or 3-5-6-10 you would stand one board left of your normal 3 pin position and shoot for the 3 pin mark. This makes the 3 deflect into the 5, while the ball deflects right and takes out the 6 and 10 pins.

Using this rule, it makes no difference whether you are right handed or left handed. That's because you must always stand one board left of your normal "key" pin position to make the ball hit the right side of that pin and deflect right. Or stand one board right of that position to hit the key pin on the left side, thereby deflecting the ball left.

Why This Works

Last month I briefly referred to the measurements of the lane layout as being the reason a 3 board foot adjustment works to get the ball from one key pin to the next, but I didn't have enough room to explain why.

For this, look at illustration 1, then read on. Notice that the front row (V) of pins is laid out so that laterally measuring from center to center of each pin shows spaces of 6 inches each.

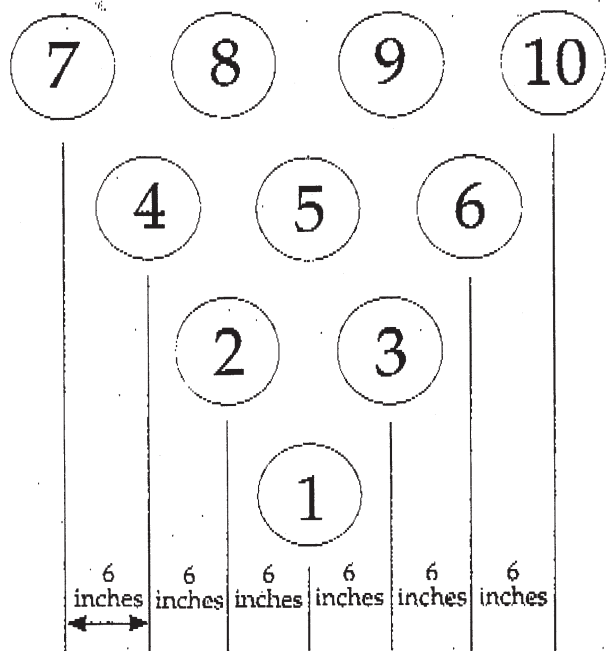


Illustration 1

By regulation, the lane bed is 41 1/2 inches wide (plus or minus 1/2 inch) so all lanes are virtually the same width. Also, the arrows are 14 to 15 feet past the foul line. Put all this together, do a little geometry and you'll come up with the following very important practical results for shot making:

Standing on the same board at or near the rear of the approach, if you accurately throw a ball to a certain mark repeatedly, the ball will arrive at the same point at the pins every time. The result, (based on the above measurements) is as follows:

If you move one board left and throw the same shot to the same target at the arrows, the ball will arrive at the pins almost exactly two inches right of the previous ball. Also, if you move a board right, it will arrive two inches left of the previous shot.

Therefore, we can postulate the following:

- A 1 board foot adjustment = 2 inches at the pins;
- A 2 board foot adjustment = 4 inches at the pins;
- A 3 board foot adjustment = 6 inches at the pins.

That, then, is the reason why a 3 board foot adjustment gets your ball across that six inch wide space from one pin center to the next. It is also the reason straight shots are so important for almost all off center spares...it takes lane oil variations completely out of the picture.

This also helps understand why the above explained single board adjustment will, with an accurate shot, eliminate costly chopping.

(Incidentally, if you think ahead just a bit, it becomes obvious that knowing about this 2 inch per board difference can also improve foot adjustment decisions when it becomes necessary to correctly adjust for more accurate strike shots to the pocket.)

Accuracy

Naturally, accuracy is more important for multi pin spares than single pins, because it takes a bit more perfection to hit one side or the other of a pin than to just hit it. Remember, for a single pin spare you have 21 1/2 inches of leeway before you'll miss that pin. If that seems incredible, figure it this way; the ball is about 8 1/2 inches wide and it doesn't care which side of it hits the pin...so that's twice 8 1/2, or 17 inches. The pin is about 4 1/2 inches wide, and it doesn't care which part of it the ball hits. Well, 8 1/2 times 2 equals 17, plus 4 1/2 adds up to 21 1/2, so there you have it.

Yes, it is true that 7 pins and 10 pins may not give you quite as much leeway as the other pins, but it's still quite a lot of margin for error on single pin spares.

If you read last month's full description of the basic Triax spare system, you're also aware of the very few exceptions to the straight ball rule for off center spares. If you don't have last month's issue of this newspaper, simply order it as a back issue. In view of the well over a hundred e mail requests I got for information about Triax within just three weeks of mentioning it, I suggest every reader have that issue as well as this one to refer to as a text. At least until the entire Triax concept has been memorized.

The Pin Itself

For further understanding of the overall concept of foot adjusting to hit different parts of a pin, see illustration 2.

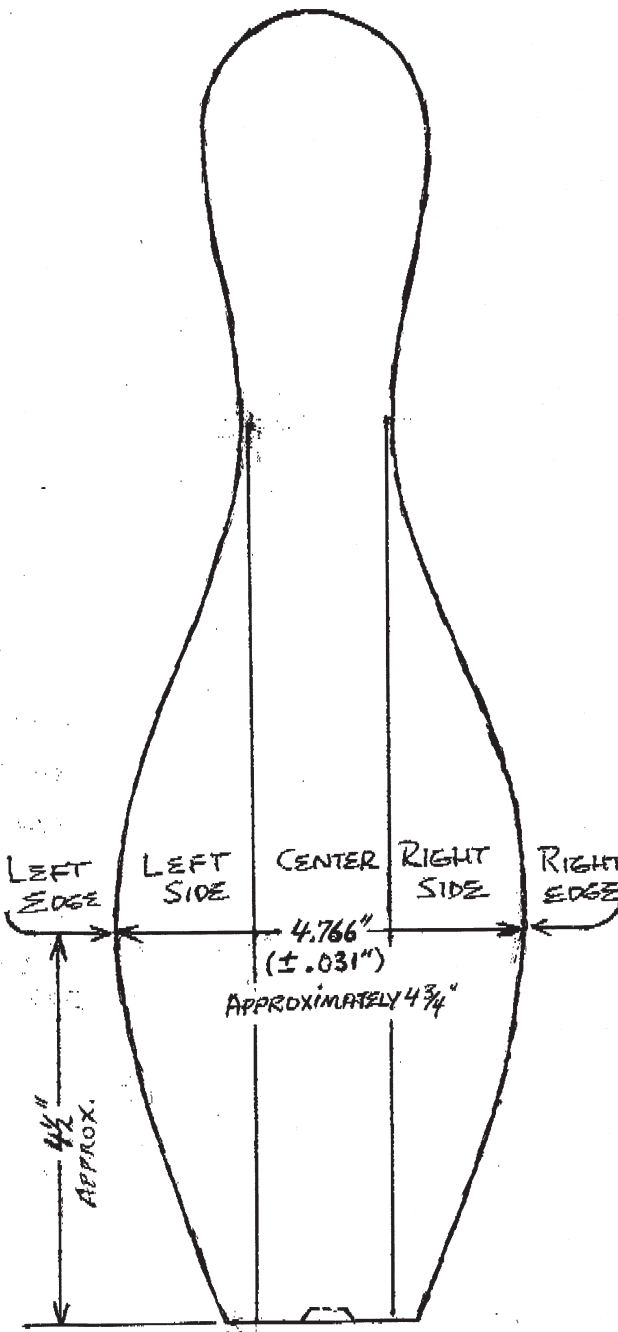


Illustration 2

Notice that at its widest point, the pin is about 4 3/4 inches wide. If you were to draw a line downward from the narrowest part of its neck, as shown, you can visualize that pin as having three main lateral sections, left side, center and right side. Visualizing the pin dimensions in this way, it becomes more obvious how that one board foot adjustment works to hit that pin on one side or the other, which is the main point of this month's discussion.

Split Conversion

Here I will briefly mention the main concept of split shooting just so all of the Triax concepts can be listed together.

- A - Baby Splits:
-Always shoot for the *missing middle pin*. A few examples: For the 3-10, shoot for the 6. For the 4-5, shoot for the 2. For the 7-8, shoot for the 4 and so on. So whenever you leave a baby split, simply stand on whichever board the Triax system says is correct for that *missing middle pin*.
- B - Wide Open Splits:
-Always stand and shoot for what is called the "phantom" pin. Again, some examples: For the 4-7-10 split, stand and shoot for the 7. But if you leave only the 4-10, shoot for the 7 anyway. That's why it is called the "phantom" pin...because you shoot for it whether it is standing or not. This means that for a 2-10 or a 2-9 you stand and shoot for the 4. For a 5-10, shoot for the 2, and so on.

The Bottom Line

As I said, this is by no means a complete explanation of split shooting, although the necessary basics are all here. So unless you either attend Bowling This Month magazine's next Super School in Taylor, Michigan in August, where I'll teach it, or hold out for the possibility of my book on the subject, this should answer all the requests I've had to cover the Triax Spare System.

KIETZ KOMMENTS Looking Back 90 Years

by Frank Kietz

LAKE FOREST — This writer hit the big 9-0h Saturday, December 23, 2006. Perhaps, it is a good time to look back to 1916, one of the 1914-1918 "War Years". The war to end all wars in Brooklyn, New York. Lived through the 1918 Flu Epidemic.

My wonderful family, Vicki, Mike, Ellen, Erin, Scott, Hank, Dick, Joan, cousins so on, thought it was a good idea. A party at Forest Lanes featuring a gourmet Mexican dinner, livation, bowling, bit of eight-ball pool, plenty of friendly reminiscing. Oh yes, I set pins, worked at Lynwood Academy or was it Beacon Bowl, no Trianon Lanes (old ballroom) in South Gate, Huntington Park, Compton after naming many alleys which became centers, from Los Angeles to Orange County.

All total more than 70 wished me a happy birthday. I didn't believe it; most were people that helped me earn a living printing, be a politician, read my bowling stories, attend bowling conventions, get discount airline tickets to travel throughout the United States and the world.

Yes, I was lucky. Among the well-wishers were medics, nurses, caretakers, lovers, plain people, who kept me well when I was sick, smoked, got cancer, ate too much greasy food, got hepatitis, sun burned my skin and a heart attack...you name it, I got it.

I started bowling in 1928. You see, my father and his friends constructed a building that housed the first eight-alley academy, no kids, no women, no booze, only Caucasians could learn to bowl, play billiards, cards, that is where I learned the basics setting pins — I, and fellow setters, were the richest kids in Lynwood.

Got a driver's license when I was 14, in 1933 worked in Lynwood's first Beer Garden, had enough money to buy gasoline to drive my friends down Long Beach Blvd. to the Long Beach Pike (amusement zone) swim in a Salt Water Plunge, get on all the rides and play all the games.

After graduating from Compton Junior College, got a job printing at the Commercial News Press located on the corner of Sixth and Main, Los Angeles. From there in 1939, left "Skid-row" for the Long Beach Independent where I learned politics, (union, civic, state and national). In those days, newspapers were the life-blood of politics. I was in my glory.

Getting closer to home, Lynwood, after WWII I transferred to the Huntington Park Signal. Besides being a printer I became a "Stringer" selling bowling stories by the column inch.

Automatic pinsetters created a bowling boom. The local bowling association membership went from 800 to 40,000 members. Being a bowling writer and seniority, I got all the perks, grand opening or tournament invitations almost every weekend; carried a pocket full of gold cards.

Like the good old days, a free lunch was the only way to go. In 1968, this writer found out about international free lunches, from Mexico to Japan, then Denmark, England, France, total of 23 Bowling World Cups, charter member of the World Bowling Writers, President and Hall of Fame member of the Bowling Writers Association of America, wall full of writing awards, and many international friendships.

The bombing in New York, 9-11, curtailed a great deal of my traveling. It was fun while it lasted.

The 90th birthday party at Forest Lanes woke me up; made me think what bowling did for me. I had a saying, "I don't want to be a millionaire, I just want to live like one."

It's true, I am very rich with all those memories, those friendships. I still bowl. I think bowling has kept me alive. I had a heart attack a short time ago, and used bowling as a rehab so I'll keep bowling.

I have a loving family, wonderful relatives, great Forest Garden neighbors and bowling friends. For sure they all watch over me.

USBC Lauches Ambassador Speakers Bureau Program

Bowling Stars and USBC

CEO Roger Dalkin available for special events

GREENDALE—Organizations looking to add drawing power for their special events can now request a bowling celebrity through the new United States Bowling Congress Ambassador program.

The USBC Ambassador program is a speakers bureau that can provide a star bowler as the headliner for hall of fame banquets, awards dinners, youth programs, bowling center grand openings or any other function where a guest speaker would enhance the event.

USBC has enlisted some of the Professional Bowlers Association's top stars along with the sport's top women players who include: Norm Duke, Parker Bohn III, Tommy Jones, Walter Ray Williams Jr., Tony Reyes, Chris Barnes, former tour veteran and champion Bob Learn Jr., Kelly Kulick, Carolyn Dorin-Ballard, Cathy Dorin-Lizzi, Kim Terrell, Diandra Asbaty and Stefanie Nation. Also part of the bureau is USBC Chief Executive Officer Roger Dalkin.

Any organization requesting an Ambassador will be able to choose from the above menu of speakers but all requests are based on the Ambassador's availability. The hosting organization is responsible for all related travel expenses and the appearance fees which must be negotiated directly with the Ambassador. USBC will contribute \$500 per appearance to help offset expenses.

"USBC is committed to promoting the sport and the organization through a program that showcases the sport's stars," Dalkin said. "This program will enable this great lineup of bowling personalities to connect with bowling fans at the grassroots level and promote the sport we are passionate about."

USBC has instituted a simple three-step process to request an ambassador which is as follows:

1. The hosting organization should submit a request for an Ambassador to USBC Headquarters using one of the following methods, giving as much detail as possible about the event including dates, places and times, etc.:
 - * E-mail (ambassador @bowl.com)
 - * Call toll free (800) 514-2695, ext. 3236
 - * Fax (414) 421-8560

* U.S. mail: USBC Ambassador Program, United States Bowling Congress, 5301 S. 76th St., Greendale, WI 53129.

2. USBC will forward all requests to the Ambassador of choice letting him/her know an organization has requested their services for the appearance. The hosting organization will then work directly with the Ambassador (or agent) to determine appearance and expense fees. USBC will not negotiate on behalf of the Ambassador or the hosting organization.

3. USBC will then pay the hosting organization \$500 following the event (organization must submit a W-9 form before USBC can issue a check) to assist in offsetting expenses. In addition, USBC will provide the hosting organization with Ambassador photos and autograph cards.

NOTE: Appearance fees for Roger Dalkin and Bob Learn Jr. will be donated to the Bowlers to Veterans Link (BVL).

Some other ways to offset the cost of having an Ambassador are by obtaining event sponsorship, sharing the cost by partnering with other participating bowling organizations or by adding a nominal charge to the ticket price of the event. For Ambassador bios and additional information, visit the bowl.com home page and click on the USBC Speakers Bureau link on the left side of the page.

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By Alice
Meglemre

Happy New Year! The Vegas Travel league will return to bowling next Monday, January 8, at Cal Bowl which means I won't have any scoring report this week. However, I save some interesting items, when I run across them, and I want to share with you some U.S. statistics from 102 years ago.

The life expectancy in the U.S. was 47 years, only 14 per cent of U.S. homes had a bathtub and only 8 per cent of homes had a telephone. A 3-minute call from Denver to New York cost \$11. There were only 8,000 cars in the U.S. and only 144 miles

of paved roads and maximum speed limit in most cities was 10 mph.

Alabama, Mississippi, Iowa and Tennessee were more heavily populated than California, who had a mere 1.4 million residents and was listed as the 21st in the most populous state in the Union. Canada passed a law prohibiting poor people from entering their country for any reason.

The average wage in the U.S. was 22 cents per hour and average annual income was between \$200 and \$400. A competent accountant or a dentist could

earn \$2,000 per year; a veterinarian between \$1,500 to \$4,000, and a mechanical engineer, \$5,000.

More than 95 births in the U.S. took place at home. Ninety percent of all U.S. physicians had no college education. Instead, they attended medical schools, many of which were condemned in the press and by government as "substandard". The five leading causes of death in the U.S. were pneumonia and influenza, tuberculosis, diarrhea, heart disease and stroke.

Only 6 per cent of all Americans had graduated high school,

two of 10 U.S. adults couldn't read or write. Marijuana, heroin and morphine were all available over the counter at the drugstore. According to one pharmacist, "Heroin clears the complexion, gives bouancy to the mind, regulates the stomach and bowels and is, in fact, a perfect guardian of health."

There were only 230 murders reported in the entire U.S. and the population of Las Vegas was 30. There was no Mother's or Father's Day. Crossword puzzles, canned beer and iced tea had not been invented.

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CAL BOWL BOWLING REPORT

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LAKEWOOD — Hi. Welcome to the new year, 2007. We're ready to hit those pins down for some high scoring. To start off the new year, Cal Bowl has our Monthly Saturday 6-Game No-Tap ready for action. If you haven't bowled no-tap for a while do it this Saturday, January 6 at 5:00 p.m. Dust off your favorite no-tap bowling ball and be here early for check-in. The entry fee is \$40, with optional sidepots. Invite some friends too.

Some of the leagues took a bye due to the holidays, but we do have scores to report so here they are.

BIG BEAR

(12-21-06) Emmerson Wafer 278-279-226/783, Dan Baker 229-248-232/709, Ed Cabs 262-212-232/706, B.J. Theiss 248-236-219/703, Curt Soares 246-246-210/702, John Lynch 213-230-247/690, Grover Dye 220-205-257/682, Roy Cunningham 194-227-257/678, Harold Dubose 215-181-265/661, Jimmy Hamilton 204-248-204/656, Randy Nakagawa 213-234-203/650, Ed Kasper 191-234-224/649, John Dunn 185-245-210/640, David Patterson 242-188-193/623, Roy Flounoil 237-173-201/611, Tommy Thompson 177-216-247/640, Daronda Reed 194-216-167/577, Lee Theiss 137-205-207/549, Evette Franklin 189-177-193/559, Lillie Darden 127-223-194/544, Dee Phipps 190-150-193/533, Tish Ridal 196-173-170/539, Denise Reid 165-210-154/529, Allisen Sutton 172-177-188/529, Annie Yonemura 180-176-164/520, Ileene Boyd 136-198-188/522, Christine Terrell 156-200-150/516. (12-28-06) Sid Nakagawa 256-214-255/725, Curt Soares 240-204-279/723, Jimmy Hamilton 235-257-205/697, Fred Faniel 264-184-246/694, Emmerson Wafer 246-173-257/676, Donnie Johnson 277-180-213/670, Joe Knapp 213-234-198/645, Chris Gilliland 206-191-236/633, Dan Baker 195-244-194/633, John Lynch 199-191-221/611, Harold Dubose 179-236-190/605, Chuck Furgeson 268-202-179/649, Ed Cabs 206-254-150/610, Lillie Darden 202-195-201/598, Michelle Criswell 198-196-171/565, Diane Robles 172-190-183/545, Millie Buckles 176-190-176/542, Betty McDiarmid 167-157-213/537, Shante Pittman 155-213-167/535, Christine Terrell 188-163-171/528, Paula Weissman 178-185-156/519, Betty Burns 170-147-201/518, Daronda Reed 181-173-158/512, Zaida Tandoc 163-185-167/515, Dee Phipps 193-151-168/512.

FUNSTERS

Tom Dennis 202/533, Chuck Morrissey 532, Steve Halda 505, Dollie Castillo 203/501, Pat Erwin 222/565, Joe Erwin 218/604, Boylee Inocente 209/560, Harold Runyon 545, Jim Burke 524, Orvil Price 508, Don Kelly 207/545, Ed McLean

222/535, Larry Martinez 213/536, Carol Monson 516, Harold Larason 211/511, Curtis Whaley 215-201/596, Doug Johnson 500, Ken Seiple Sr. 221/574, Luz Cruz 513, Wilfred Panton 223/527, Terry Binuya 206/533, Josh Hudson 210/567, Sidney Moore 509, Napoleon Goshay 214/553, Travis Hicks 535, Tom Hazard 545, John Mathews 211/594, Lola Stevenson 236/509, Vancie Keith 200-201/562, Wendell Ledbetter 225-211/615, Pre Collier 200/521, Geri Krezan 520, Frank Krezan 203/553, Dominic Antonio 213-246/616, Lee Theiss 232/586, B.J. Theiss 200-227-234/661, Ron Leidholdt 527, Jamie Vallier 535, Thomas Spencer 511, Robert Thomas 500.

GRANDMAS & GRANDPAS

Wendell Ledbetter 585, Pat Erwin 510, Jim Burke 631, Ed Hansen 584, Vancie Keith 503, Don Keith 525, Larry Cosgrove 519, Boylee Inocente 227-193-257/671, Lee Theiss 531, Ken Seiple Sr. 546, B.J. Theiss 516, John Welty 520, Vern Willey 503, Jim Young 521, Clifford Shad 511, Stanley Murren 552, Willie Burkhalter 607, Dolores Castillo 513, Eddie Buhay 513, Bob Stickney 568, Chuck Ashton 502, Al Ortiz 535, Ray Culp 529, Chuck Patterson 645, Joe Erwin 505, Wayne Moon 507, Wilfred Panton 540, Sam Huckleby 512, Tony Morones 585, Lucy Seiple 503, Robert Thomas 631, Fred Contreras 500, Frank Quiambao 560, Don Jones 520.

FRIDAY NO-TAP

December 29, 2006

(At Cal Bowl)

FINAL RESULTS

1. Deb White	873	\$80.00
2. Tony White	843	50.00
3. Donnie Johnson Jr.	841	33.00
4. Patricia Johnson	834	20.00
5. Roger Wrase	813	15.00

SIDEPOTS

1. Patricia Johnson, hdcp.	332	44.00
2. Deb White, scr.	280	44.00
3. Deb White, hdcp.	305	44.00

3-6-9 POT

No winners	140.00
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INSURANCE

Shorty Ramos	44.00
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SCRATCH SERIES POT

Deb White	819	44.00
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NEXT TOURNAMENT

January 5th at 1:00 p.m.

CAL STARS

Shonna Hernandez 199-189-203/591, Barbara Crawford 167-198-177/542, Shantee Pittman 177-169-217/563, Nene Camanag 178-171-168/517, Mary Martin 171-1182-157/510, Darlene Hom 169-180-170/519, Valarie Romig 174-167-167/508.

Keep watching this Cal Bowl Bowling Report page for high league bowling scores, new and old tournaments and everything else that goes on at the bowling center. See ya.

ABTA Round 2 is in the Books

Danny Guevarra 299 - Gina Velarde 677

Team #8 Took Top Honors & Team #13

Second to Make Rolloffs

LAKEWOOD—Congratulations to Team #8 (Victor Copeland, Roe Estes, William Baskin, Demetrius Reed) and Team #13 (Marcus Lemons, Tammy Rounds, Alonzo Lemons and Tony Rodriguez), the two second round winners. They will be seeded into the League Roll-offs to be held on April 28th and 29th, 2007. The league will start the third round this Thursday, January 5th.

Danny Guevarra led the men's scoring 222, 299, 227/748, Jon Reyes 242, 266/197/705, John B. Kim 247/653 and Phil Hylton 248/640.

Gina Velarde topped the women's scoring 247/667, Dodie Sajonas 235/596, Sandra Johnson 235/580, Rita Wahl 209/570, Pam Jones 210/567, Maggie Hylton 192/566 and Mary Dixon 202/563.

LADIES SIDEPOT: \$17: Game 1. Maggie Hylton 228. Game 2. Gina Velarde 247. Game 3. Emma Johnson 268. Dollar Doubles went to Danny Guevarra 299-Danny Eguilos 249/ 548 for \$200 and runnerups.

The MATCH Game was a carry over worth \$148, number drawn was 161. The winner to our weekly drawing to any regular ABTA tournament was Sol Cericos. Congratulations again to Team #8 and Team #13 for winning Round 2.

ABTA tournament will be at Arrowhead Lanes in San Bernardino, Saturday, January 6th. Handicap will be frozen at this tournament. Please check the Bowling News for squad times and directions.

There are some Las Vegas Rooms available and sold first come, first served. Las Vegas is Jan 11-12-13-14 at the Orleans, \$8,150 1st place with the bonuses in this big one!

Gil's Annual Holiday Scratch Double's Tournament

Thank you for those that participated in Gil's Annual Holiday Scratch Double's Tournament at Cal Bowl on December 26. We appreciate the bowlers that attended and supported the tournament event. We were pleased with the turnout of 58 bowlers attending the tournament the day after Christmas.

The Winners of the Gil's Scratch Double's Tournament were as follows:

	Game 1	Game 2	Game 3
1st Place	Emerson Wafer 268	Gregory Jackson 268	Derek Lee 277
	Raul Rosales 262	Chris Slack 267	Victor Copeland 258*
	TOTAL 530	TOTAL 535	
2nd Place	Mike Haynes 247	Matt Garcia 265	Steven Hood 258*
	Armando Ramos 239	Eric Snow 258	Sherman Joseph 258*
	486	523	535*
3rd Place	Ken Wright 238	Nate Hampton 257	Andre Rounds 257*
	Andrea Rounds 237	Steven Hood 247	Vern Adams 257*
	475	504	534*

The distribution of winnings was paid for each game bowled:

1st Place - \$600

2nd Place - \$400

3rd Place - \$188

*Designate Ties – Money distributed 4 places

Please look for a future holiday tournaments, we will soon announce the next upcoming event.

Also, thanks to those assisting at the tournament: Joyce Charles, Ronnie Cordero, Sonny Dew, and Cal Staff – Earl and Vicky.

Thank you, Gil Scott

HOLMAN
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ture 20 more titles over the next 13 years as one of the most dominant players on Tour. After nearly nine years without a Tour title, Holman showed he was still one of the game's best, capturing his 22nd title in the 1996 Ebonite Classic. He was elected into the PBA Hall of Fame in his first year of eligibility in 1990.

"It's a privilege every time I get a chance to bowl in a PBA tournament," said Holman, 52. "I feel very fortunate to be the only one to receive the exemption three years in a row. I really want to make it to match play this year because it's a lot of fun being showcased among the 32 best in the world, and that's when the locals will really start yelling for me."

Holman, just the third bowler this season to earn a Commissioner's Exemption, finished 61st in the 2004 Earl Anthony Medford Classic and 41st in the 2005 event in his previous appearances as the Commissioner's Exemption.

The 2006-07 Denny's PBA Tour returns this week after a two-week hiatus with the 2007 H&R Block Classic at the National Bowling Stadium in Reno, Nev., Jan. 3-7. The live ESPN televised championship round will take place Sunday, Jan. 7, at 1 p.m. EST.



WCST Ebonite Luster-Cote Singles Getting Set To Go at AMF-Bowlum January 13-14

by Dick Sanders

The 1st WCST Singles Tournament for the new year 2007, will be next weekend, January 13-14 at AMF-Bowlum Lanes in Montclair, CA. The tournament is being sponsored by Ebonite International, and Luster-Cote Inc. Jan & Sue Niblett, sponsoring their 21st WCST Tournament are adding \$500.00 to the prize fund. This one squad tournament with a maximum entry field of 64 bowlers, starts on Saturday, January 13th at 10:00AM. There are still some openings left. Please call the WCST Office at 760-363-8141 for reservations. The tournament has two pay-off divisions, and pays a minimum of least one place for every three entries in each division. Regular Division, ages 45 to 59 for the men, and 40 to 49 for the ladies, Super Senior Division, ages, 60 and up for the men, and 50 and up for the ladies. All Super Seniors bowl for their own money, with the exception of those whose qualifying scores are high enough to make the regular finals bring their portion of their entry fee prize fund to the regular division, and that money increases the cash places of the regular division bowlers. Both division finals begin on Sunday, January 14th at 8:30AM. \$170.00 is the Entry Fee for current WCST Members, Guests add \$15.00 to that fee.

For any new bowlers wishing to join the WCST, the Annual Dues are \$60.00, and is good for one year from the time you sign up. Incentive to sign up, is our eligibility to bowl in the final WCST Singles Tournament of the year in Laughlin, NV on the week-end of December 15-16, 2007. \$2500.00 is the added money, and only current WCST Members that had bowled in at least 3 WCST Tournaments in 2007 are eligible. Send your Membership Dues checks to WCST, 10888 West Drive #3, Morongo Valley, CA 92256. You may also contact this office at our E-Mail Address: wctour@yahoo.com.

John Whisler & Vaughn Doody WCST Bowlers of the Year 2006

by Dick Sanders

John Whisler (Bakersfield), was selected by the WCST as the Regular Division WCST Bowler of the year for 2006. John's Merits: 2nd leading money winner for the year with \$5,020.00 earned. Made the finals in 9 tournaments, and winning two titles, also cashed in 11 of the 17 tournaments this year. John, just edged out the All Time WCST Money Leader, Kevin Gannon (Lakewood), who had been selected for this honor 5 times in the past.

Other bowlers in this division for Honorable Mention are, Joe Merrill (Boulder City, NV), Mike Rick (Redlands), and Bob Belmont (N. Las Vegas). Vaughn Doody (Las Vegas), selected for the 4th straight year, and now his 5th time as the Super Senior Division Bowler of the Year.

Vaughn, was the leading money winner in 2006 with \$5,440.00 won. He won 3 WCST Titles, and cashed in 11 of 17 tournaments, and making the finals of either division, a combination of 10 tournaments. Vaughn is tied for 2nd for WCST Titles with Kevin Gannon with 21 Titles each.

Ross Packard (San Jose) is the All Time Leader for WCST Titles with 24. Honorable Mention for this division to Jim Thurmond (Hemet), who also won 3 titles, and to Hal Wilber (Las Vegas), who had won 2 titles in 2006.

D. A. Wright

Dick Sanders

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Finals: Sunday January 14th at 8:30AM

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La Habra, CA**

February 17-18, 2007 at 12:30PM

One Squad Only

Starts on Saturday

February 17 at 12:30PM

Finals: Sunday February 18th at 8:30AM

Entry Fee: \$165.00

For Current WCST Members

Guests at \$15.00

A reminder to bowlers due to re-new their annual dues in January. You must do this before entering your first WCST tournament in 2007, or be charged a guest fee of \$15.00 plus your entry fee. Send in your \$60.00 Fee to: WCST 10888 West Drive #3, Morongo Valley, CA 92256



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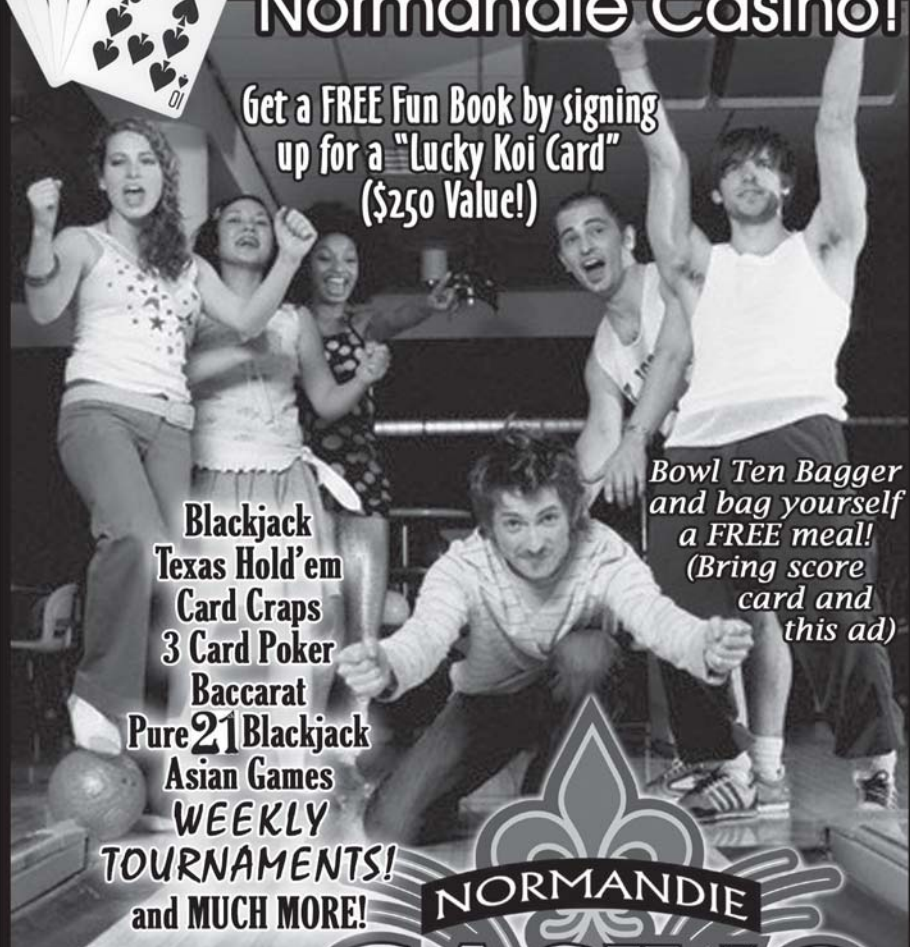
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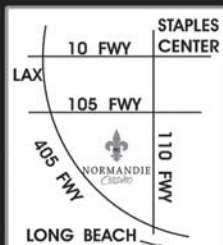
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Sport Bowling Looks To Continue Growth Through PBA Experience

GREENDALE—Bowlers across the country are preparing to live the exciting challenge of competing on the same lane conditions as the pros on the Denny's PBA Tour through the PBA Experience.

Starting Jan. 1, 2007, bowlers will begin participating in PBA Experience leagues that will be contested on the same lane oil patterns used on the Denny's PBA Tour. The United States Bowling Congress and the Professional Bowlers Association are partnering to offer bowlers the PBA Experience, which is part of the USBC Sport Bowling program.

"Since the announcement that USBC and the PBA were joining forces to offer bowlers this unique, competitive league program, there has been a tremendous response to the PBA Experience," said Director of USBC Sport Bowling Steve Wunderlich. "I have been inundated with phone calls and e-mails from bowlers and proprietors excited about these new leagues."

In PBA Experience leagues, bowlers will get the chance to compete on the PBA's five different lane conditioning patterns - Chameleon, Cheetah, Scorpion, Shark and Viper. These lane patterns all comply with USBC Sport Bowling rules under newly-modified specifications governing the application of oil to the lane, which allow a maximum of three times as much oil on the inside boards versus the outside boards closer to the channel. This oil application typically is described as a ratio, in this case 3:1.

"The PBA Experience is different because bowlers will be playing on the identical playing fields - the lane conditions - as the pros. This truly is the pro experience for those who are passionate about the sport," Wunderlich said.

USBC is hoping that the PBA Experience will lead to continued growth that has been realized in the Sport Bowling program. Sport Bowling, one of the sport's fastest growing segments, wrapped up its most successful season in 2005-06 as league and membership increases were the largest in the program's history.

Official statistics from the 2005-06 season showed well over a 30 percent increase in bowlers from the previous season. The number of Sport Bowling leagues increased by 17 percent and the number of centers offering Sport Bowling leagues also was up from the prior season.

Started in 2001, the USBC Sport Bowling program is an optional membership level allowing bowlers to experience a new competitive challenge. Sport Bowling leagues and tournaments are contested on challenging lane conditions that emphasize delivering the ball accurately and consistently, making adjustments, reading lanes and converting spares.

Visit the Sport Bowling section of bowl.com to learn more about the PBA Experience.

http://www.bowl.com/sportbowling/pbaExperience_intro.aspx

USBC Holiday eBay Auction Nets Nearly \$40,000 For Earl Anthony Memorial Scholarship Fund

GREENDALE—The United States Bowling Congress' third annual holiday eBay auction to benefit the Earl Anthony Memorial Scholarship Fund raised just shy of \$40,000.

The fund, named in honor of the late bowling superstar who died in 2001, is administered by USBC's SMART program. Each year USBC awards five \$5,000 scholarships to deserving student-athletes based upon academic achievement and civic involvement.

Leading the exclusive list of nine auction items was a state-of-the-art Kegel Kustodian Walker lane maintenance machine, which sold to Classic Products in Fort Wayne, Ind., for \$23,201.

"It was an opportunity for our company to show how much bowling product distributors support our sport," said Classic Products' Bob Gudorf. "The Anthony Scholarship Fund is a great cause and our company was more than happy to contribute."

The opportunity to meet Professional Bowlers Association star Parker Bohn III in person, attend a Denny's PBA Tour stop and get private lessons from Bohn was a Christmas gift Debra Scrandis of Columbia, Md., bought for her husband, Joe. Her winning bid for the Brunswick-provided package was \$3,650.

Jared Talarico, 16, of Houston, Texas, was surprised to find a trip to Ebonite's manufacturing plant in Hopkinsville, Ky., along with lessons at nearby Galaxy Lanes and a package of new bowling equipment under his family's tree. The Ebonite package was awarded to Jared's father, Fiore, for \$3,450.

Below is a list of other auction winners:

* Mike Todisco of West Chester, Pa., was one of two repeat auction winners. For the third year in a row, Todisco outbid all comers for the right to bowl doubles in the USBC Open Championships with Hall of Famer Mike Aulby as his partner. This year, Todisco bid \$2,247.98 for the privilege.

* James Peters of Naperville, Ill., "purchased" a package of high-performance "his-and-hers" bowling equipment from Storm Products for \$1,029.87

* Clay Ory of Clovis, Calif., and fellow Fresno USBC Bowling Association officer Debbie Green will be making a trip to Akron, Ohio, for a day of personalized bowling instruction with former Team USA Head Coach Fred Borden and current head coach Jeri Edwards. Ory's winning bid was \$2,675.

* Debbie Migliaccio of Woodbridge, Va., won a trip for two to Las Vegas in June to attend International Bowl Expo 2007. Her bid for the Bowling Proprietors' Association of America package was for \$1,525.

* Tom Fieldse of Redlands, Calif., bid \$735 for an original Garfield comic strip.

* Mike Loquerico of Mount Prospect, Ill., won an AMF Bowling Center party for 50 with a bid of \$610.

For more information on the Earl Anthony Memorial Scholarship Fund, visit bowl.com.

Forest Lanes' Scratch Trios Start '07 Run

by Frank Kietz
LAKE FOREST — The 14-team Forest Lanes; Scratch Trios will start their 2007 schedule portion tonight (9:00 p.m. Thursday, January 4, 2007). Team Two, composed of Mike Belair, Jeff Copeland and Mario Marquez, is currently top seed for the shot at the \$5,000 title.

The high averaged loop perhaps the highest in So-Cal has Mike Tucker leading the list with a 239.17, followed by Jeff Carr 234.57, John Sowell 231.76 and Mike Cacace 231.00.

The big question is, "Will the lanes be friendly to produce another 230 averager or another 800 series or more 300's?"

Right now, 800 honor scores belong to Carr 300/813, Tucker 300/811, Sowell 289/811, 299/803, Mike Francis 300/803, Belair 300/800, Cacace 300/801, Ronny Thompson 299/803 and Francisco Trejo 300/800.

Teams 8, 11, 7 and 6 are running a tight race for a segment roll-off spot.

The bowling public is invited to visit Forest Lanes and watch these Orange County pin stars in action. Center Manager Allan MacDuffee says, "We have the best. Anyone of our 42 Trio bowlers can start stringing strikes — it's exciting — no admission charge".

Call 949-770-0055 for more scratch league or tournament information.

USBC Purchases Insurance Policy To Protect Lane Inspectors

New accident insurance coverage effective from Dec. 13, 2006 to Aug. 1, 2008

GREENDALE, Wis.—The United States Bowling Congress announced that it has purchased accident insurance coverage to protect lane inspectors while performing lane inspections at bowling centers on behalf of USBC and USBC local associations.

The new policy, which provides accidental death or dismemberment benefits up to \$10,000 and excess accidental medical expense benefits up to \$25,000, was acquired through The Horton Group in light of Bowling Proprietors' Association of America centers requiring USBC lane inspectors to sign a release form prior to conducting bowling lane inspections as a result of a recent lawsuit.

"The purchase of accident insurance to protect our more than 50,000 volunteers who work at the local level is a small price to pay considering the value they bring to the organization," said USBC Chief Executive Officer Roger Dalkin. "It also demonstrates to organizations like BPAA and our associations that the USBC is committed to building the business of bowling together."

Coverage only applies when accidental bodily injury results in a covered loss while the lane inspector is conducting lane inspections at bowling centers on behalf of USBC and USBC local associations. A maximum insurance limit of \$50,000 for all coverage applies per accident.

For a brief summary of accident coverage provided to lane inspectors for USBC and USBC local associations, download the USBC Accident Insurance Summary for Bowling Lane Inspectors from the Forms & Manuals section of bowl.com. For complete policy details or questions, contact Kim Hohensee or Doug Henderson at The Horton Group, Inc. (800) 242-9028 or kim.hohensee@thehortongroup.com, doug.henderson@thehortongroup.com.

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WINNETKA — HAPPY NEW YEAR to everyone here at Canoga Park Bowl. Let's make 2007 the best year of high scores and continued fun. Several of the leagues took byes due to the holidays so this report of high scores is a little low this week. But don't worry they'll be back soon.

Some of the leagues have ended their season and we congratulate all the winning teams. Let's see who they are.
Pinbusters: (week 15 of 34) Susan Barnhart 209/546, Sharon Dancygier 170/488.

Newcomers: The champions of this league is Team #2, Rowe Boat. A great name for team members, Jared Rowe, Emmy Rowe and Warren Rowe. High scores reported by Warren Plouffe 202/555, Ron Hightower 506, Donne Franklin 475, Vonna Miscovich 136/390, Emmy Rowe 344.

500 Classic: (week 15 of 34) Teresa Lauer 200-247-212/659, Georgia Garey 202/575, Mary Lauer 215/540, Jeanne Ehlers 220/531, Carol Asher 527, Cindy Dominguez 201/522, Leslie Jackson 520, Patricia Peskin 517, Marian McWilliams 513, Petra Kaun 507.

Pizza & Bowl: Team #4, World Wide Vending, is the champion in this league. Team members are Lance Deagan, Emily Emerson, Andrea Pilgrim and Sherry Jensen. High scorers: Nick Gemora 204/542, Scott Mathis 514, Andrea Pilgrim 131/330.

Friday Vegas: (week 4 of 21) Tiffany Morita 269-258-219/746, Mario Jordan 240-227/634, Aaron Roth 205-221/610, Dan Onestinghel 216/602, Lou Schneiderman 180/522, Rose Chin 516. (week 5) Dan Onestinghel 234/685, Tiffany Morita 238/637, Mario Jordan 207/583, Rose Chin 507, Aaron Roth 216, Chris Greenwood 209, Mario Jordan 207.

The management and staff here at Canoga Park Bowl thank all the bowlers for their continued support the past year and for 2007. We wish everyone a great year of bowling, along with good health and many new friendships.

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INLAND EMPIRE NABI
(At ABC Moreno Valley Bowl)
December 3-9-31, 2006
FINAL RESULTS

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CANOGA PARK

ADULT JUNIOR NO-TAP TOURNAMENT
(At Canoga Park Bowl)
December 30, 2006
OFFICIAL RESULTS

1. Brian & Daniel Giegoldt	Trophies & Blockbuster Gift Certificates
2. Kiri & Larry Kennedy	Trophies & Blockbuster Gift Certificates

STEPLADDER FINALS

Semi-Final Match: Kiri and Larry Kennedy def. Kevin Gross and Ray Stoy, 518-471.
Championship Match: Brian and Daniel Giegoldt def. Kiri and Larry Kennedy, 584-504.

Thanks to all of our participants.

Canoga Park Srs.

WINNETKA — Hi. Welcome to the new year, 2007.

It looks like Hung-Lay Quon ended 2006 on a high note in the senior leagues here at Canoga Park Bowl. He closed out the year by being the high person of the weekly Stars of the Week for both senior leagues. Here's the final report for 2006.

Funtimers: Hung-Lay Quon 255-222/668, Carolyn Scherzberg 241-217/636, Rick Greenzweight 223-214/621, Bob Adams 203-222/605, Vern Schmidt 226/601, Al Reiswig 214-215/592, Roger Chartrand 204-202/588, Donna Mae Brown 182/492, Candy Adams 182/466, Jackie Becker 149/422, Laura Hicks 160/414, Marge Hebard 150/413, Bertha Willard 181/404, Marcia Votava 146/381.

39'Ers Senior Trio: Hung-Lay Quon 257-240-255/752, Rick Greenzweight 214-227-224/665, John O'Donoghue 257-205/656, Carolyn Scherzberg 212-234/632, Al Reiswig 237-218/629, Larry George 228-214/627, Jim Halliday 204-224/627, Mel Neiditch 224-215/620, Mel Mohr 218/594, Cal Vogt 237/581, Mary Lauer 209-202/574, Bob Adams 233/573, Scotty Alavazo 204-204/573, Bert Bendit 235/553, Tom Roberts 205/553, Donald Macek 200/552, Don Segien 202/551, Kay Leovy 190/513, Lil Baker 202/508, Ruth Balleweg 167/461, Lee Murry 158/454, Shirl Radamaker 176/452, Doris Simmons 158/450, Edie Goldberg 162/440, Freda Leibson 154/439, Beryl Perry 176/436, Sylvia Kesilis 148/433, Joan Lyons 166/432, Mavis Poulsen 150/431, Carol Wareberg 156/428.

Let's keep bowling those high scores. Who will be the first person to lead the seniors in both leagues for 2007? Stay tuned for that report. See ya.

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