# BELMONTE IS EMPHATICALLY BACK WINNING HIS 14TH MAJOR

EULESS, Texas - The championship match most wanted to see played out at the 2022 PBA Players Championship.

With the first major title of the season and \$100,000 on the line, fans got to see rivals Jason Belmonte and top seed Sean Rash battle

It wasn't the cleanest match with both players struggling on the left lane. Rash had two splits on the lane, Belmonte had one and iust one strike heading into the 10th frame.

"It was far from easy," Belmonte said about the dual-pattern challenging conditions. "Sean or I didn't really love that left lane and I had to finish on it. I knew coming into the 10th just to give myself one shot."



Belmonte surprised many when he picked up his Storm Spectre before the final frame, looked toward his Storm ball reps for affirmation, got the nod of approval to switch balls

and he just let it fly.

He felt he was going "into the unknown" a little bit but he hit his target and "made the best shot I possibly could." He struck, threw his Storm Belmo Gold ball straight down the middle to get nine and converted the spare. That was the knockout punch he needed to defeat Rash, 210-

The two-handed Aus-

sie raised his arms straight up, pounded his chest and emphatically yelled, 'I'm back.' He also pointed toward Storm CEO Bill Chrisman and said, 'thank you.' This year marks 20

years since Belmonte first signed a contract with Storm.

Belmonte is now a three-time winner of the PBA Players Championship, and he has 26 career PBA Tour titles to add to his impressive legacy. Next up, he will seek to earn yet another major at a difficult

"I'm going to go try to win the U.S. Open again," the all-time PBA major champion said. "I'm ready to just bowl and bowl and bowl. Just keep lining the tournaments up."

In the first stepladder match, Graham Fach was one shot short of perfection defeating Tommy Jones, 279-219. Arturo Quintero rolled past Fach in match two, 248-204, before he continued on page 3

### rritos No-Tap Tournament

GREATER LA County USBC will be hosting a fun No-Tap tournament on Saturday, February 12, 2022 (1pm) at Bowlero Cerritos. This event is open to all current GLAC USBC members - adult and youth. Please check-in at 12pm.

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EULESS, Texas - With some of the best professional bowlers in the world watching, 15-year-old Landin Jordan and 17-year-old Jillian Martin shined as they won the 2022 PBA Junior National Finals in their divisions.

Martin, of Ohio, has been on this stage before, winning the girls championship last year while also becoming the youngest ever to win a PWBA national title at the 2021 PWBA BowlTV Classic.

She faced one of her closest friends, 15-year-old

Kayla Starr. Starr worked her way up the stepladder averaging 245 over three games to get into the title match. Through five frames Starr held a 27-pin lead but then lost her look on the right lane.

Martin struck out in the 10th to force Starr to double and get one-pin for the win on the right lane. The Maryland resident left a pocket 7-10 to lose, 201-

"It feels amazing," Martin said, "especially going up there in the 10th frame knowing I needed all three to put the pressure on Kayla to get a double. Just to be able to go up there and do it is a big confidence boost."

The boys championship finals featured Jordan and fellow two-hander, 17-year-old Eric Jones. Jones won the 2020 PBA Oklahoma City Southwest Open to become the youngest ever to win a PBA regional.

They combined for 16 strikes in the match. After Jones missed the 2-4-7 in the 10th, Jordan stepped up needing a mark to win. The Illinois native aced yet another shot to win, 257-225. Both Jordan and Martin earned \$16,000 SMART scholarship with their vic-

"It was a stunning moment," the two-handed righty said after the win. "Anything is possible. I can compete against some of the greatest bowlers, and I can perform under the bright lights with immense pressure."

With the win, Jordan got the chance to team up with one of his "top-5" favorite bowlers, EJ Tackett to face continued on page 3

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# What Women Want

by Dave Williams

I must admit that I always enjoy the holidays and watching a fair amount of "chick flicks." My favorite has to be Legally Blonde. Aside from Animal House, I have probably memorized more scenes in Legally Blonde than any other movie. There's something about the Elle Woods character that's really captivating to me, especially while sitting at home alone in what many would describe as a self induced COVID-quarantine.

Another movie that really gets me thinking about "What Women Want" is a flick by the same name, starring Mel Gibson and Helen Hunt. It's an interesting look through the eyes of Gibson, an ad executive that acquires the ability to hear what women are actually thinking. Having worked with and for a couple of powerful women in my life, I found this ability to comprehend a woman's thoughts most intriguing.

What does any of this have to do with bowling, you might be asking? It all began when I was watching a double feature of Legally Blonde and Legally Blond 2 on MTV over the weekend. I couldn't help but think about the recent announcement by Colie Edison, and her decision to leave both the Professional Bowlers Association (PBA) and Bowlero Corporation. Her decision to leave must have been based upon a feeling of accomplishment in achieving her goals... or an even greater challenge awaiting her at the Women's National Basketball Association (WNBA).

I remember the first time that I met Colie at the Grand Reopening of Bowlmor Greenbrook in suburban New Jersey, in 2015. The affair brought back memories for me of the elaborate Grand Reopening of AMF East Meadow Bowl about 30 years earlier. The employees of Greenbrook, formerly known as AMF Strike &

Spare Lanes, even wore tuxedos - an idea that we used to introduce the newly renovated East Meadow Bowl as "The Bowling Center of Tomorrow... Today!"



When I introduced myself to Tom Shannon, the president and chairman of Bowlmor AMF, I mentioned that I had one day held the position of vice president of marketing for AMF Bowling Centers. He turned to his left and said, "This is my vice president of marketing, Colie Edison." With all that was going on that day, I could not believe the time that she spent with me, talking about the grand opening of East Meadow Bowl from 30 years earlier, and how it compared and contrasted with Greenbrook.

Colie is a Jersey Girl. Her father is actually from Edison, but she doesn't think that her family is related to the city's most famous resident, Thomas Alva Edison, inventor of the light bulb, the phonograph and the motion picture camera. After graduating from Tulane University in New Orleans in 2006, where she majored in marketing, Colie began her career with Estee Lauder in New York City.



What's next? NBA star Chris Paul with Colie Edison (PBA Photo)

Ms. Edison was with Estee Lauder for less than one year when she applied for and received a position with Bowlmor in New York City as director of brand strategy from 2008 to 2012. Her Linkedin page then lists Walton Isaacson in Culver City, Calif., as her next occupation from 2012 to 2013. After that brief interlude she returned to Bowlmor AMF, where she became vice president of marketing from 2013 to 2017, before accepting the position of chief customer officer for Bowlero Corporation from 2017 to 2022.

For those of you that are not from the bowling industry it should be noted that Bowlmor, Bowlmor AMF and Bowlero Corporation are all names for the same company, as it grew to become arguably the most powerful organization in the world of bowling. Proof of that dominance was illustrated when the group purchased the PBA in 2019, and installed Ms. Edison as the first female CEO of any men's professional sport, a position that she has held until her recent announce-

I wish for the purposes of this article that I had Mel Gibson's power to read women's minds, as portrayed in What Women Want. But then again, maybe it's

What Goes Around... As I was reviewing some information that I wrote about



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best to let sleeping dogs lie, and be thankful for the time that the venerable game of bowling enjoyed the remarkable marketing achievements of Colie Edison.

last week, an article caught my eye from a new bowling and entertainment experience called Tilted 10. It appears that the upstart organization will be occupying the two story location left empty by the J.C. Penney Company at... Willow Grove Park Mall - the former site of the 116 lane Willow Grove Park Lanes!



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Jones and PBA Hall of Famer Tommy Jones in the PBA/PWBA Pro/Junior Doubles Competition. Martin partnered with PWBA legend Liz Johnson and Starr bowled with Danielle McEwan. In the five-frame girls match, Martin/Johnson defeated Starr/McEwan, 129-108, while Jordan/Tackett beat Jones/Jones, 108-107.

"I think it is really cool how they include the pros," Martin said. "It's great to have an opportunity to bowl with Liz, have some fun and go out there and strike a lot."

In the doubles championship full game, Team Jordan/ Tackett opened in the first frame then were nearly perfect as they topped Martin/Johnson, 267-237.

"He is someone I've always looked up to, so it was cool bowling with him," Jordan said. Both Jordan and Martin also earned an additional \$1,000 scholarship from H5G Brands for winning their doubles event.

After the event was over, Martin, who graduated high school in December, raced out of Bowlero Euless to catch her flight to Indianapolis to bowl in the U.S. Open Pre-Tournament Qualifier. She finished in 23rd place earning a spot in the tournament. After the U.S. Open, she plans to bowl some PWBA Tour events and PBA Junior Regional Tournaments when they fit into her busy schedule. This fall, she will attend and bowl for the University of Nebraska.

Next up for Jordan is an elite youth tour event and an Illinois scholarship tournament. "Knowing that I can do it helps my confidence an extreme amount," he said.

This tournament showed this sport is in great hands. Fourteen-time major PBA champion Jason Belmonte first saw Martin compete in a Storm Youth Championship when she was just 13. He has been impressed watching her game evolve and seeing this next generation compete on PBA oil patterns and on national television.

"Jillian coming through the ranks and having these opportunities, it's going to be really exciting to see where her career goes," he said. "It is no wonder why when you do look around the U.S. at the youth in this country how talented and how great these kids are already. It's because they have had so much access to high-quality competition and big event venues."

He predicts Martin will become the best female bowler in the world. And seeing a high number of two-handed youths competing definitely caught his attention.

"Many people know my story and about the difficult times through my career because I bowled a little bit different," he said. "Like 30 percent of the junior players in the U.S. bowl two-handed. Just to know that I had that kind of an impact is pretty awesome."

PBA JUNIOR NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP FINALS STANDINGS

Martin def. Starr 201-179 Jordan def. Jones 257-225

PBA/PWBA PRO/JUNIOR DOUBLES COMPETITION Martin/Johnson def. Starr/McEwan 129-108 Jordan/Tackett def. Jones/Jones 108-107 Championship match - Jordan/Tackett def. Martin/Johnson 267-237

### **PBA** continued from page 1

lost to Belmonte, 248-212. In that second match, a 2-8-10 split by Quintero in the 7th frame was the break Belmonte needed.

"That was probably one of my more nervous TV shows," Belmonte said. "He gave me an opening and I was able to take advantage of it."

PBA PLAYERS CHAMPIONSHIP FINAL STANDINGS

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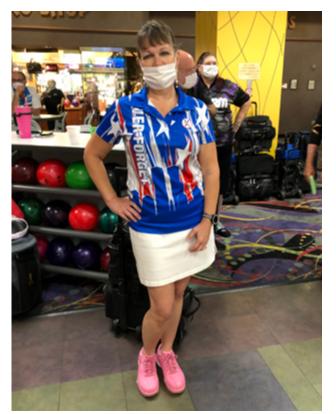
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MATCH SCORES

Match 1 – Fach def. Jones 279-219

Match 2 – Quintero def. Fach 248-204 Match 3 – Belmonte def. Quintero 248-212

Championship match – Belmonte def. Rash 210-202



## JAMIE SULLIVAN – Bowler and PATRIOT Competes at The LAUGHLIN BLAST TOURNAMENT

by Frank Weiler

LAUGHLIN, NV. – Jamie Sullivan is a bowler and a patriot. She loves bowling and loves our country, THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. Jamie Sullivan competes at the LAUGHLIN BLAST TOURNAMENT every January and August and shows her patriotism there by displaying a flag on her bowling jersey, standing for and singing the National Anthem.

Bowling is a patriotic sport. Bowlers are patriotic. The American Flag is displayed in every Bowling Center from coast to coast. Bowlers salute the Red, White and Blue. The National Anthem is played at the start of every certified Bowling Tournament in the nation. The American Flag and the National Anthem is played at the Laughlin Blast Tournament.

Jamie is a bowler and a born and bred patriot. She grew up at Fort Bliss in El Paso, Texas where her father finished his 22 year Army career. Jamie was an ARMY BRAT with a lifelong philosophy of "GOD, COUNTRY, FAMILY and BOWLING".

Jamie displays her patriotism and principles on her "sleeve". That translates into Bowling outfits,

jerseys and skirts, that reflect her love of GOD, COUNTRY, FAMILY and BOWLING. The outfit pictured here show Jamie at the last Laughlin Blast tournament. The red white and blue is prominently displayed throughout with symbols in support of our Military, Police and Firefighters.

Jamie started bowling at Fort Bliss when she was just a kid. She went bowling with her parents and fell in love with our sport. She is a great bowler with a 170 book average and several high scores to her credit. She takes her bowling seriously and watches the PBA and PWBA on television to improve her bowling technique. Observing and studying the professionals is a sure sign that a bowler is a student of the sport, dedicated to becoming better and as a result a good bowler.

More than being a good bowler Jamie Sullivan has "THE BOWLING BURN". The Bowling Burn is the fire that burns within lifelong bowlers who love bowling no matter the time, no matter the distance, no matter the cost, no matter the conditions, no matter obstacles, no matter whatever. Jamie has The Burn. She inherited it from her father and continues to be fueled by her husband Tim. Jamie's dad was a great bowler in his day and Tim is a great bowler today. Both have pushed Jamie to be better. Both have ignited The Burn in her.

While raising her daughters Jamie took a sabbatical from Bowling for 20 years. When she returned in 2012 she joined numerous leagues including the Arizona Bowlerettes. She now is focusing on tournament bowling. Last year Jamie competed in the USBC National Open Tournament, the USBC Women's National Tournament, the Arizona Women's State Tournament and the Laughlin Blast Tournament.

Jamie Sullivan is "HOT". I watched her burn up the lanes at the last LAUGHLIN BLAST Tournament and look forward to watching her do it again at the next Blast Tournament next week at RIVERSIDE LANES in Laughlin.

If you're a senior bowler who loves having a blast of fun while bowling you need to head to Laughlin, Nevada on January 16, 2022 to compete against Jamie Sullivan and myself for hundreds of dollars, door prizes and other goodies. I bet you can't beat Jamie or me! See you there.





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By: Jonathan Garza

DOWNEY, Calif. -- The tide could be turning in favor of the defending champions in the Brunswick Invitational, as Leonard Ruiz, Jr., Ramon Torres and Cal Bowl showed that they ruled this league last season for a reason. It's been the Forever Hope Foundation show most of the season. How would the two fare when they met up? Here we go.

I get an article once every three weeks, and it doesn't surprise me anymore that my main event matchup involves Forever Hope Foundation. They enter the round a perfect 10-0, and they hold a 19-point overall point lead over their opponent Monday night, Cal Bowl. What would the defending champions do about it? Absolutely nothing in Game 1. Joe Smith and Leonard Ruiz, Jr. exchanged 225 games, but Forever Hope Foundation had the added help to take the first game, 828-794. Game 2 saw Ramsey Basurto blow up with a 248 game. You'd think it was enough to secure another win for the worldbeaters atop the league, right? Wrong. Ramon Torres fought back with a 223 for Cal Bowl, and they pulled out a two-pin win! It was a 775-773 win for the perennial powerhouses. Still, 34 pins separated totals. Torres said to hold his drink. A 235 game finished off a 637 series, and Cal Bowl rose up to the challenge, winning Game 3, 761-694 to win totals, 2330-2295. Basurto led the way for Forever Hope Foundation with a 633 series. The four points jumps Cal Bowl to 13 for the round. Forever Hope Foundation goes to 11 for Round 3. That 19-point gap shrinks to 16 too for those keeping count.

Looking up at the leaders on this third week of the round were nine-point Family Ties and eight-point Professional Approach Pro Shop. Game 1 was a close one, as 2021 PWBA Rookie of the Year Stephanie Zavala shot the pair's lone 200 game, a 213 to be exact, and lifted Family Ties to a 656-645 victory. There were two 200 games in Game 2, and both were very much needed. They belonged to Bryan Osborne (208) and John Struckman (206) of Professional Approach Pro Shop. It resulted in a 64-pin win (708-644) for Professional Approach Pro Shop, and a 53-pin lead for totals going into Game 3. Don't awake the sleeping giant, though. Enter Mikey Villarreal. A nice 267 game stymied Professional Approach Pro Shop, 836-618. Totals were no doubt in Family Ties' favor, and Family Ties sets itself up for a main event date with Cal Bowl next Monday night by climbing up to 13 points. Professional Approach Pro Shop goes to nine points for the round. Villarreal led the way with a 634 for Family Ties. Osborne was high man with a 568 for Professional Approach Pro Shop.

A pair of six-point teams met as Junior Amateur Tour and California Timberline both looked to steer momentum in their favor. Game 1 went to Junior Amateur Tour, 712-696, as Anthony Santos would lead the way with a 200 game. Game 2 saw the tide turn California Timberline's way as Will Hinckley shot a 209 in a 704-661 win. With totals only 27 pins apart in California Timberline's favor, Junior Amateur Tour saw a team effort led by Kevin Valmonte's 200 game to not only take Game 3, 737-675, but also take totals and four points on the night. Junior Amateur Tour goes to 10 points. California Timberline's point jumps it to seven for the round. Valmonte led the way for

Junior Amateur Tour with a 559 series. Gary Duran shot 590 to pace California Timberline.

Next we have the two five-point teams: US Foods and TDI Refrigeration. This one was not close, and US Foods had to take Charlie Kinstler's blind score. Gabriel Martinez would lead the way with a 266 game in Game 2 and a 617 series overall as US Foods won a close Game 1, 649-635, behind Kasey Uyesugi's 190 game. It got ugly after that. Game 2 was an 802-618 win; Game 3 was a 728-555 win for US Foods. TDI Refrigeration sub Russell Young led the way with a 468 series. US Foods jumps to 10 points with the win.

Four teams were tied with four points apiece. We'll start with the top two: Bowlium against Westminster Lanes. You might have thought Westminster Lanes was going to run away with this one looking at Game 1's outcome. Ray Minter shot 213 and combined with Marquan Rivers' 207 to take a 792-738 win. Billy Myers, Jr. said, "not so fast," though, and in Game 2, his 231 was helped by Arnold Cheesman's 201 to take a 777-711 win and now a 12-pin lead in totals. Momentum stood with Bowlium, and the pair of Myers (215) and Cheesman (223) were just too much for Westminster Lanes, and Bowlium took the final game and also totals, 781-747. Myers led the pair with a 658 set. Bowlium goes to eight points for the round. Westminster Lanes was paced by Rivers' 614 series. Westminster Lanes goes to five points for the round.

The other two teams with four points were Forest Lanes and DV8. No Mike Cammarata for DV8 on this night. But the team had an ace in their hole: PBA superstar Jakob Butturff. Would it pay off? Game 1 saw Forest Lanes' substitute light it up, as Jeff Hickenbottom (in for Tony Brunning) shot a 222 in a 721-682 win. Game 2, it was Chris Oakes' turn to lift Forest Lanes on his back; he shot a 198 game in a 722-672 Forest Lanes win. Would DV8 salvage one point at least? Nope. Not tonight. Oakes shot a 202 to lead Forest Lanes to a 687-680 win and sweep of DV8. Oakes led the way with a 582 for Forest Lanes, which jumps up to nine points on the round. DV8 stays with its four points. Its leader for the night was JT "Action" Jackson, who shot a 540. As for Butturff, who just finished the weekend as the top qualifier in the PBA Players Championship West Region Qualifier, he struggled with a 501 series. Goes to show that even the best players in the world may be no match for this Mexico City long pattern that is put out in Round 3 of the Brunswick Invitational.

On to the two teams with two points each. We're talking about Team Hu\$tle and Bowling Guys. Three subs took the lanes for this matchup. Game 1 went to Bowling Guys behind Ricardo Mendoza's 194 game and a 701-655 win. Game 2 was really close. Jello Gray shot 225 and Vince Duarte (subbing for Brandon Grant) added a 208 game, and Team Hu\$tle pulled out the 721-716 win despite Edward Estrada's (subbing for Saul DeUlloa) 228 game. Team Hu\$tle couldn't keep the momentum on its side though, and Estrada shot a 213 (to finish off a pair-leading 597 series) to secure Game 3, 755-704 and take totals too for four points. Those four points put Bowling

Guys at six points for the round. For Team Hu\$tle, it was Gray leading the way with a 584 series. Team Hu\$tle goes to three points for the round.

In the final match of the night we have our two teams with just one point and looking for some help to climb up the standings between Threadworks and WBPI. In Game 1 it was the sub of the night, Memo Rosales shooting a 240 game to help WBPI take a 769-708 win. Sina Bonabi helped with a 205 in the winning effort. The rest of the night belonged to Threadworks after that. Paul Varela shot 199 in a 753-681 Game 2 win for Threadworks. Eric Snow's 197 was all it took for a 663-601 win for Threadworks. Snow led the way with a 610, adding a 219 game in Game 1's defense despite the loss. Rosales was the leader for WBPI with a 639. Threadworks gets the much-needed boost with four points to go to five for the round. WBPI jumps up to two points for the night.

The first game sidepot was won by Joe Smith and Leonard Ruiz, Jr. with a 225. They each win \$31.50.

Game 2 went to Gabriel Martinez with his 266, good for \$42. Second place was earned by Jello Gray with his 225 game. He gets \$21.

In the final game, Mikey Villarreal took home \$126 for his 267 game. Arnold Cheesman's 223 score earned him \$63.

The Financial Advisors Pot went to Gabriel Martinez for his 266 game, which was worth \$160. Ramsey Basurto earned \$70 for his 248 game.

Your leading scorers for the night were:

- 1. Billy Myers, Jr. (Bowlium) 658
- 2. Memo Rosales (WBPI) 639
- 3. Ramon Torres (Cal Bowl) 637

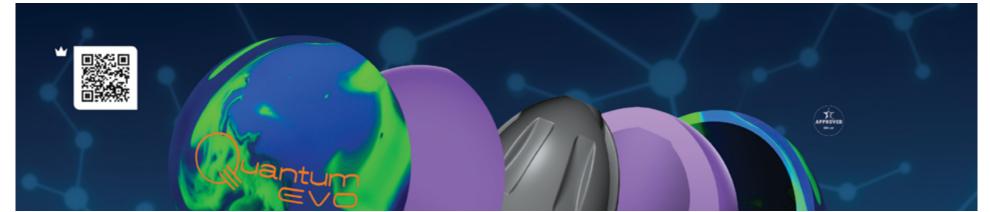
The strike out pot was broken by John Struckman and Bobby Campagnale, who will get \$500 each. Congratulations to both of them!

Let's peek ahead at what you could expect next week in Week 4 of Round 3 of the Brunswick Invitational.

- Main Event: Cal Bowl vs. Family Ties
- Forever Hope Foundation vs. US Foods
- Junior Amateur Tour vs. Forest Lanes
- Professional Approach Pro Shop vs. Bowlium
- California Timberline vs. Bowling GuysWestminster Lanes vs. Threadworks
- TDI Refrigeration vs. DV8
- Team Hu\$tle vs. WBPI

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# Brunswick B Institutional

# IS FAMILY TIES THE TEAM TO BEAT IN ROUND 3? PAUL BARRACO IS CLEAN FOR 30

By: Jonathan Garza

DOWNEY, Calif. -- Lots of subs this week in the Brunswick Invitational. Some you might not expect to read about. Keep reading though, we have some treats. The contenders are separating themselves from the pretenders in Round 3 of the Brunswick Invitational. This is how Week 4 played out. Here we go!

The main event this week saw Cal Bowl and Family Ties square off in Week 4 of Round 3. Game 1 was close as Family Ties, entering with 13 points, was able to pull off a 7-pin victory behind Mike Villarreal's 255 game. He didn't slow down, and neither did Family Ties in Game 2. Villarreal shot 231 in a 92-pin win and opened a 99-pin lead for totals. Game 3 saw Cal Bowl (13 points) get a 231 game from Carl Labayan and a 22-pin win for the lone point of the night. Villarreal led the pair (and the league) with a 681 series and helped Family Ties jump up to 17 points. Labayan was Cal Bowl's leader with a 576 series. Cal Bowl jumps to 14 points for Round 3.

Our next matchup saw Forever Hope Foundation enter play with 11 points and a 16-point overall lead with 69 points for the season as a whole. Their opponents were US Foods, who entered with 10 points. And let me tell you, US Foods came to play. Game 1 saw US Foods shoot the highest game of the night with an 843. Leading the way for US Foods was Paul Barraco in the 89-pin win. Ramsey Basurto countered with a 212 for Forever Hope Foundation. Things tightened up in Game 2 as Vernon Adams' 200 game would lift the overall leaders to an 18-pin victory, 769-751. Game 3 nearly saw Forever Hope Foundation steal totals. But it fell just short. Eleven pins, to be exact. Basurto finished off his night with a 216 and 627 series for a 60-pin win, 759-699. Barraco led the way for the victorious US Foods team with a 633 series. US Foods' three points helps it jump up to 13 points for the round. Forever Hope Foundation settles for two points and 13 for the round.

The other 10-point team entering tonight's play was Junior Amateur Tour. They played nine-point Forest Lanes. Anthony Santos would lead the way for Junior Amateur Tour and the pair with a 212 game. It was enough to help Junior Amateur Tour pull out a 709-683 win. That didn't sit well with Jon Diso and Forest Lanes, though, and Diso would come back with a 232 game, en route to a 104-pin (772-668) win for Forest Lanes, and a hefty 78-pin series lead. Junior Amateur Tour gave it their best effort in trying to capture totals, but scores were kept low, and Kevin Valmonte's 182 game would only lead Junior Amateur Tour to a 52-pin win (660-608); that's because Diso's 193 would keep Junior Amateur Tour in check. Forest Lanes, with a 26-pin series win, would capture three points on the night to jump to 12 for the round. Forest Lanes was led by Diso's 590 series. Junior Amateur Tour also goes to 12 points with its two points, led by Santos' 549 series.

Wrapping up the upper half of the matchups was Professional Approach Pro Shop (nine points) and Bowlium (eight). Bowlium punched Professional Approach Pro Shop in the nose early, jumping out to a 779-677 win behind Butch Jackson's 215 game. Stephen Boring would shoot a 204 game of his own for Professional Approach Pro Shop. Boring would then shoot a 212 in Game 2 in a 38-pin win (744-706) for Professional Approach Pro Shop. Totals was cut down to 64 pins. But that point was it for Professional Approach Pro Shop, and Bowlium would get a 199 game from David Schiada to seal a 740-712 win and 92-pin totals win for four points. Bryan Osborne shot 223 en route to a team-leading 570 series for Professional Approach Pro Shop. Arnold Cheesman is silent but deadly once more tonight; he led the way for Bowlium with a 588 series. Bowlium goes to 12 wins for the round. Professional Approach Pro Shop goes to 10 points.

California Timberline (seven points and Bowling Guys (six) were up next. California Timberline came in motivated, shooting a league-high 2407 in sweeping Bowling Guys by 411 pins on this night. Gary Duran was just plain awesome on this night, shooting 243-225-212/680. His set was helped by Blayke Miller's 225 Game 3 in a 170-pin win for California Timberline. Bowling Guys were down one bowler, but otherwise led by Ricardo Mendoza's 546 series. California Timberline gets a much-needed five points to jump to 12. Bowling Guys stays at six heading into next week.

Westminster Lanes and Threadworks were tied at five points apiece coming into the week. One team clearly held all the momentum in this matchup, and it was Threadworks. Eric Snow and Kevin Jones would both shoot 605 series in sweeping Westminster Lanes. Marquan Rivers would lead the pair in pacing Westminster Lanes with a 628 series. It wasn't really close, as Threadworks took a 225-pin sweep to improve to 10 points for the round. Westminster Lanes stays at five points.

The blowout of the night was another sweep; this time by four-point DV8 against five-point TDI Refrigeration. Two subs usually could spell doom for a team. But, when those two subs are PBA Bowlers, the chances your team improves are pretty good. It was a 454-pin win for DV8 as Markus Betts subbed for Mike Cammarata, providing a line of 188-211-216/615. Kyle Duster added a 224 game in Game 3 in the 454-pin sweep for DV8. Leading the way for TDI Refrigeration was its own sub, Michael Barnett, who shot 182-209-171/562. DV8 jumps up to nine points for the round. TDI Refrigeration holds at five points.

In the final match of the night we had Team Hu\$tle (three points) and WBPI (two points). In Game 1 it was the Neema Khazaie shooting a 224 game to help WBPI take a 708-696 win. It all turned upside down from there as Team

Hu\$tle started hustling. Alejandra Urrutia's 213 game helped Team Hu\$tle take a 758-655 win. WBPI sub Chris Vasquez would lead their team with a 176 game. Game 3 was more hustling for Team Hu\$tle, and Jamie Carrington would shoot 193 in a 702-621 win to close things out for the night. Urrutia led Team Hu\$tle with a 597 series. Team Hu\$tle goes to seven points for the round. Khazaie's big game helped him to shoot 550 and lead WBPI for the night. WBPI goes to three points for the round.

The first game sidepot was won by Mike Villarreal with a 255. He won \$42. Taking second place was Kasey Uyesugi with a 226, paying him \$21.

Game 2 went to Kevin Jones with his 233, good for \$42. Second place was earned by Villarreal with his 231 game. He gets \$21.

In the final game, Kyle Duster took home \$126 for his 224 game. Joe Smith's 201 score earned him \$63.

The Financial Advisors Pot went to Donell Carter for his 236 game, which was worth \$160. Kevin Jones earned \$70 for his 233 game.

Your leading scorers for the night were:

- 1. Mike Villarreal (Family Ties) 681
- 2. Gary Duran (California Timberline) 680
- 3. Paul Barraco (US Foods) 633

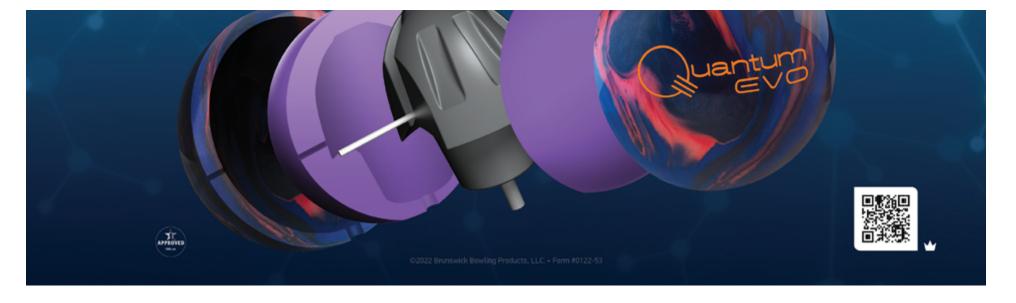
The Clean 30 pot was hit by Paul Barraco tonight. Congratulations, Paul!

Coming up next week in Week 5 of Round 3 of the Brunswick Invitational are the following matches:

- Main Event: Family Ties vs. Cal Bowl
- Forever Hope Foundation vs. US Foods
- Bowlium vs. California TimberlineJunior Amateur Tour vs. Forest Lanes
- Threadworks vs. Professional Approach Pro Shop
- DV8 vs. Team Hu\$tle
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# Brunswick B

# Cal Bowl Takes Four To Tie For The Lead With Two Weeks To Go

DOWNEY – The Brunswick Invitational hit the lanes for the 5th week of the 7th week longer oil pattern. The teams had just two weeks left to decide the round as the standings definitely tightened up tonight.

In the "A" match, Family Ties met up with Cal Bowl in a rematch of last week's action. Family Ties went in leading the round by 3 over Cal Bowl. Family Ties started strong but it was all Cal Bowl from there as they easily took games 2-3 and totals for a 4-1 win. Cal Bowl is now tied with Family Ties at 18-7. Mikey Villarreal led Family Ties with a 603 series while Ramon Torres was big for Cal Bowl at 641.

In The "B" match, overall league-leader Forever Hope Foundation was matched up with US Foods again this week both sitting at 13-7. Forever Hope took the first game but US Foods bounced back to take game two. Game three went to the 10th but a solid-9 cost US Foods the game as Forever Hope took a 4-1 win. Ramsey Basurto paced Forever Hope with a 589 series while Kasey Uyesugi finished strong to lead US Foods with a 560 set.

Second-round winners Bowlium were taking on California Timberline both sitting 5 back at 12-8. The first two games were all Bowlium as they took a big lead for totals, but dropped a three-pin heartbreaker for the 4-1 win. Billy Myers Jr. led Bowlium with a 572 set while Blayke Miller paced California Timber-

Junior Amateur Tour and Forest Lanes went for a rematch of last week's action with both teams sitting at 12-8. Forest Lanes came out with a tight game one win but JAT stormed back to take games two and three by enough to take totals and chalk up the 4-1 win. Tony Brunning led Forest Lanes with a 558 set while Anthony Santos was strong for JAT with a solid 622 series.

line with a 572 set.

Threadworks and Professional Approach Pro Shop was the battle of the 9-10 teams. Threadworks took a 4-1 win, dropping only game three by 29 sticks. Eric Snow was big for Threadworks with a 619 set while Professional Approach Pro Shop was paced by Bryan Osborne's 573 set.

DV8 at 9 wins

matched up with Team Hu\$tle at 7 with both teams looking to get back on track in the round. DV8 took a close game one while Team Hu\$tle stormed back for a 46-pin win in game two. Game three was a huge effort by DV8 setting them up for a 4-1 win. Sub Erik Peace led Team Hu\$tle with a nice 614 set while the other side's sub Kyle Duster put up an impressive 642 effort.

The final matches featured Bowling Guys verses Westminster Lanes and TDI Refrigeration taking on WBPI. Westminster Lanes took the 5-0 night with a sweep of a short-handed Bowling Guys team while WBPI grabbed 4 wins versus TDI Refrigeration. Bobby Campagnale led Bowling Guys with a 558 set, Jamie Ferry was big for Westminster Lanes with a nice 582 effort, Sina Bonabi led WBPI with a 536 set and Preston Epps paced TDI Refrigeration with a 533 series.

The Financial Advisor's pot was hit by Anthony Santos (225) for \$160 with 2nd to Billy Myers Jr. (223) for \$70. Sidepots went to Arnold Cheesman (248) and Anthony Santos (225) for \$34 with second going to Mikey Villarreal and Kasey Uyesugi (222) for \$17. SuperPot went to Anthony Santos (232) for \$102 with 2nd to Bobby Campagnale (210) for \$51.

Come out and watch the action as the teams shoot on the longer pattern at Del Rio Lanes. The action starts at 8:00!.

<b>TOP 10 TEAM</b>	IS ROUND 3
Cal Bowl 18	U.S. Foods 14
Family Ties18	Threadworks 14
Forever Hope Foundation\$ 17	DV813
Bowlium \$\$ 16	California Timberline 13
Junior Amateur Tour 16	Forest Lanes

# TOP 10 THIS WEEK Kyle Duster .642 Leonard Ruiz Jr. .606 Ramon Torres .641 Mikey Villarreal .603 Anthony Santos .622 Herman Ferguson .593 Eric Snow .619 Ramsey Basurto .589 Erik Peace .614 Jello Gray .579

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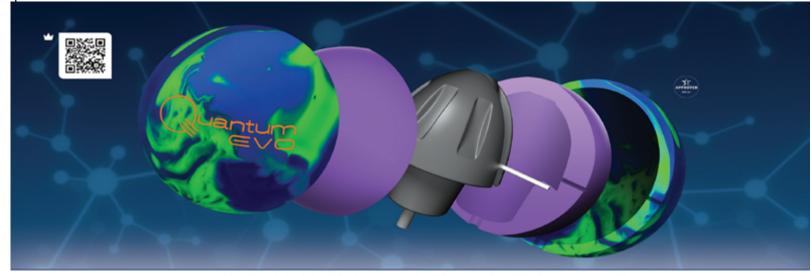
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