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## Pete Weber, Terrell Owens Team Up to Win CP3 PBA Celebrity Invitational

LOS ANGELES — In an evening of fun, glitz, bowling, great athletes from other sports and entertainers pairing up with the PBA's best for competition, Los Angeles Clippers All-Star guard Chris Paul has made a tradition out of raising awareness for a great cause through his CP3 PBA Celebrity Invitational presented by GoBowling.com that aired Sunday on ESPN.

In a "battle of the sexes" championship match contested at Lucky Strike LA Live, the team of PBA Hall of Famer Pete Weber and former NFL All-Pro receiver Terrell Owens defeated international bowling star Clara Guerrero and Olympic and World Cup wom-

en's soccer gold medalist Hope Solo, 78-54, in a special four-frame doubles format championship match.

On their way to the championship match of the event, now in its seventh year, Weber and Owens beat two other pro/celebrity teams. In the quarter-final round, they defeated seven-time Tour winner Bill O'Neill and Shawn Stockman of the group BoyZ II Men, 68-48, and 2015 Rolltech PBA World Championship winner Gary Faulkner Jr. and former Major League All-Star pitcher and PBA50 Tour competitor John Burkett, 64-52, in the semifinal round.

"It was probably a matter of time," said Owens, who was making his third



CP3 Invitational appearance. "I had bowled well in past events but it was a combination of being more consistent and having a great partner.

"As the matches went

on, the better I bowled and the better Pete and I were coming together as a team. It's like any sport where you get more focused you get better results. I really felt I had all the pieces of

the puzzle in place," Owens continued. "I had the right ball and it left my hand clean, so it was up to me to do my part for the team."

For Weber, who ranks fourth on the list of all-time PBA Tour title winners with 37 titles, it was his second CP3 Invitational win. In a 2012 trios contest, he won with actor Jerry Ferrara and Paul's L.A. Clippers teammate, forward Blake Griffin.

"The 'bad boys' did good," said Weber, using a play on words related to his documentary, "The Bad Boy of Bowling," which premiered on ESPN's 30 for 30 series on Friday. "Terrell and I thought the ladies (Solo and Guerrero) would give us a tough match because they were bowling well and we were looking forward to that challenge. Hope was keeping the ball in play and Clara was throwing strikes like she usually does so we were going to have our work cut out for us.

"I was bowling a little conservative," Weber added. "I was throwing it harder and straighter to stay out of trouble. The last thing you want to do is leave a

split or tough spare because you don't have any time to recover from it."

Guerrero and Solo eliminated Paul and three-time reigning PBA Player of the Year Jason Belmonte, 74-58, in their quarterfinal match before defeating nine-time PBA Tour winner Sean Rash and his partner, Super Bowl champion Denver Broncos running back C.J. Anderson, 78-67, in a close contest. Tied in the ninth frame with 49 each, Guerrero doubled in the 10th to clinch her team's trip to the championship match.

In the other quarterfinal matches, Burkett and Faulkner eliminated 18-time Tour winner Chris Barnes and former NFL defensive end and ESPN SportsNation co-host Marcellus Wiley, 99-49, while Rash and Anderson ousted defending CP3 Invitational champion and three-time Tour winner Ronnie Russell and multiple Olympic and World Championship track gold medalist Allyson Felix, 80-64.

The event also included a celebrity sudden-death best ball "clash" which in-

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## Charles Kenny Rips Off Stunning 876 Series

by Fred Eisenhammer

GLENDALE — Charles Kenny makes no secret of the fact that one day he'd like to bowl the magical 900 series.

He's getting closer to doing it.

The right-handed marksman crushed an 876 series with games of 300, 277 and 299 in league play a week and a half ago at Jewel City Bowl in Glendale.

Kenny's series represented 34 strikes out of a possible 36.

It's believed that the 876 is the second-highest sanctioned series in the San Fernando Valley area behind the 888 that Anthony Sharperson rolled in January 2011 at now-defunct Mission Hills Bowl.

Kenny surpassed his previous high series of 865.

"I'm still on Cloud 9," said the 35-year-old Kenny,

known for his powerful shots. "I can't believe it."

Kenny's series included his 81st perfect game. He estimates his 800 count is in the 50s.

His string of strikes ended in the third frame of the second game when he left three pins. Kenny converted the spare and finished striking the rest of the way.



Charles Kenny set his series high of 876 with games of 300, 277 and 299. Photo by Fred Eisenhammer

He started his third game with 11 strikes before leaving the four pin on his final shot.

"I want to get to 100 300s," Kenny said. "My ultimate goal is to shoot 900 or the highest series in the Valley."

No Los Angeles-area bowler has recorded a 300-continued on page 9

## ABTA

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BIG POTS at West Covina as the estimated pots Saturday are Match Game \$1,900, Match Series \$4,200, Mystery Doubles \$1,900 and 3-6-9 is \$1,400.

TOP 16 will receive a Min of \$100 upwards. As always, three women will be guaranteed to the top continued on page 4

## BOWLING NEWS HONOR ROLL

| NAME              | SCORE   | DATE     | CENTER              |
|-------------------|---------|----------|---------------------|
| BOB ENGELHART     | 300     | 02-19-16 | HARLEYS VALLEY BOWL |
| DON WOOD          | 300     | 02-21-16 | SANDS BOWL          |
| PAT BYRNE         | 300     | 02-24-16 | HARLEYS SIMI BOWL   |
| MIKE COLLIER      | 300     | 02-24-16 | CAL BOWL            |
| LARRY GRAY        | 300     | 02-24-16 | CAL BOWL            |
| JOHN MURTH        | 814/300 | 02-24-16 | HARLEYS SIMI BOWL   |
| DYLON PRETTYMAN   | 819/300 | 02-24-16 | HARLEYS VALLEY BOWL |
| JOSH JAMES        | 300     | 02-25-16 | WESTMINSTER LANES   |
| CASEY JARVIS      | 824/300 | 02-25-16 | CHAPARRAL LANES     |
| KELLY MANIER      | 300     | 02-25-16 | WESTMINSTER LANES   |
| MIKE BENNETT      | 300     | 02-26-16 | SANDS BOWL          |
| KEVIN BYRD        | 300     | 02-26-16 | HARLEYS VALLEY BOWL |
| DEREK REMIJO      | 300     | 02-26-16 | DEL RIO LANES       |
| MATT SCHERMERHORN | 300     | 02-28-16 | PALOS VERDES BOWL   |
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| BREAKFAST CLUB        | FRIDAY   | MARCH 4 | LA HABRA "300" BOWL |
| ROLLING ROCK OPEN     | SUNDAY   | MARCH 6 | PINS & POCKETS      |
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Marvin Gerald Pettiford Jr. affectionately known by all as simply Chip (as in "Chip" off of the old block) was born January 19, 1959, in Chicago, Illinois. The family moved to Los Angeles in 1965. He was the oldest of three children from the union of Doris and Marvin Gerald Pettiford Sr. and graduated from Los Angeles High School. He attended West Los Angeles and Glendale community colleges. After eight years of courtship, Chip, who was a very spiritual man, was united in marriage with Angelia Wade on March 1, 2013, and together raised a 16 year old son.

Coming from a family where both parents were prominent bowlers, Chip began learning the basics beginning at age eight. Chip completed his first year in bowling at age nine with a 98 average, and by 1976, at age 18, booked an impressive 195 average in the Greater L.A. Jr. All Stars Traveling League (GLAJAS). That year he would also lead his team to the league championship. His performance that season was so outstanding that it warranted creation of the league's first Rookie of the Year award. In 1977, he followed up his second year in GLAJAS finishing among the top five averages and broke the 200 average barrier for the first time. He would never fall below that mark for the rest of his bowling career. Chip's bowling accomplishments were many and include being the first African American to win a Junior Amateur Tour title.

Additionally, he was among the three African Americans that broke the color barrier as a member of the GLAJAS. In addition to winning numerous bowling events as a junior bowler, Chip went on to make his mark as an adult as well. He turned professional at the age of 19, and on the Professional Bowlers Tour, he was frequently a cash winner in many tournaments with his highest finish being 12th place at a stop in Grand Rapids, MI.

On the regional level, Pettiford won the National Bowling Association Western Regional Bill Rhodman Singles Classic, the California State Masters and was a frequent top five finisher at PBA Regional Tournaments in both California and during his two year residency in Georgia. He owns 10 certified 300 games and five series topping 800 with 835 being his alltime best along with a 239 all-time high average. Besides bowling, Chip enjoyed swimming, bike riding, and watching MMA fighting matches. But most of all, he was obsessed with his 1992 Nissan 240SX. He spent years lovingly tweaking, customizing and upgrading the car.

No man is perfect and Chip was no exception. His parents broke up when he was 15 and he found himself displaced in an extended family that found him roaming between family and friends for the next few years. And in an attempt to "fit in" with the crowd, Chip found himself experimenting with drugs in his teens; by 1982 he considered himself drug addict. Drugs would become his longtime nemesis until January 3, 2003, the day he celebrated his sobriety anniversary. Chip said that his proudest accomplishment was remaining sober for the next 13 years and said he owed much thanks to his sponsor, Art Burris and the 12-step program. Once "clean," Chip worked as a driver for the Salvation Army Harbor Light. Then eventually he went back to school and graduated to become a drug abuse counselor at the House of UHURU in 2012.

On Thursday, Feb. 18 at 11 a.m., Chip's pain and suffering from his short battle with prostate cancer came to an end as he transitioned to be with the Lord. His mother, Doris Pettiford and his sister, Pamela Pettiford preceded him in death. Chip leaves to cherish his memory his wife, Angelia Pettiford; his son, Gamel Collins; his father, Marvin Gerald Pettiford Sr.; sister, Marcia Douglas; stepmother, Sarah Chan Pettiford; stepsister, Andrea Pettiford; stepbrother, Jesse Pettiford; and many nieces and nephews.

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# Team Gushes Over Fountain’s Two-Handed Prowess

by Fred Eisenhamm

WINNETKA – “I didn’t think he had it in him. And I’m his teammate.”

So said Mary Basore after witnessing Doug Fountain’s stirring performance in the “Guys and Dolls” league at Winnetka Bowl.

Fountain, bowling in his first league season in almost 30 years, banged out the first 200 game of his career. He did it after making a major change in his approach to the game.

Deciding that his 139 average wasn’t what he wanted, Fountain embraced what he called his “two-handed curvball.”

The results have been no less than phenomenal. A few weeks after initiating his new delivery, Fountain crushed a 533 series (202, 165, 166) with a not-too-shabby imitation of two-handed pro Jason Belmonte, who in January was named the Professional Bowlers Assn. player of the year for the third straight year.

Fountain professed that he hadn’t heard of Belmonte, showing that he’s not a hard-core bowler and he’s in the league just for the entertainment.

That “just-for-fun” attitude showed in his second game of the night when the likable Fountain smoked a strike on his first shot in the 10th frame and then took a seat.

Told he had two more shots coming, Fountain cracked, “I’m new over here.”

Fountain’s rebirth has given his “4 Balls and 2 Bags” team, which includes Basore, Lisa Fielding and Dylan Spence, a huge boost. The team finished fourth in the 15-team “Guys and Dolls” league in the second of three stan-zas of the fall season.

Spence also uses a two-handed approach and Fountain says his teammate’s success (164 average) provided inspiration for him to make a change. “I watched Dylan do it and I tried it in a game, practiced it and it started to work,” said Fountain, a West Hills resident.

That he’s bowling so well of late has been the icing on the cake for Fountain, who said he doesn’t really pay much



Lisa Fielding congratulates teammate Doug Fountain after he smoked the first 200 game of his career.

Photo by Fred Eisenhammer

attention to his team’s wins and losses. “I just love to goof off and have a good time,” he said.

Fountain is the team’s leadoff bowler. He was asked if there might be consideration for him to take over the anchor spot should he continue to rack up 200 games.


“To be determined,” said Fountain, laughing.

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## NATIONAL DEAF BOWLING NEWS ED ABAKUMOFF GLEAMS WITH LONE 894 IN DEAF TRAVEL AT CHAPARRAL

by Connie Marchione

SAN DIMAS — For the second session in row So-Cal Deaf Traveling League averaged close to 165 per bowler at Chaparral Bowl. Led by the league president himself, Ed Abakumoff almost rolled the league’s consecutive 900 (4 games) series following Bob Jones’ last session’s 914 with his own 6 pins short 894. Abakumoff’s season’s best 894 had games of 226-207-236-225.

Following Abakumoff on the league’s six men honor roll was Darrell Stogryn’s couple twin games oddity 774 series made with 183-183-204-204. Gorman Low closed with a 226 for 762 series and the last three men with close series, Paul Taffolla, Sr. with a 713, Gardy Rodgers closing with 202-212 for 710 and Paul Taffolla, Jr. with (203) 702.

In the team matches there were two close matches and one near sweep. In the near sweep, league leader S F Valley with Bob Jones having an off day, lost 14-6 to 4th pace former leader Eagle Rock but Valley retain its lead and Eagle Rock moved up to third place. In one of the close matches, 2nd place Riverside lost 10.5-8.5 to former 3rd place Anaheim enabling Anaheim move up to 2nd place four points behind first and Riverside fell to 4th place. The other close match was between 5th place Chino Hills and 6th place Mid City with Mid City winning a hard fought battle 11-9 but both teams retained their positions and Mid City is just half point behind.

The 54 years old Deaf Traveling League thanks Chaparral Bowl management for hosting. Next travel date is Sunday March 13 at noon at Cal Bowl in Lakewood with a position round meaning the same teams will face each other again.

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**Chris Slack Wins 3rd ABTA Title \$2,500 at West Covina**  
**Marife Catalasan 2nd \$500, Teddy Villaroman 3rd \$200**  
**ALL-POTS Carry Over to West Covina Saturday**  
**Match Game est \$1,900 • Match Series est \$4,100 • Mystery Doubles Est \$2,000 • 3-6-9 is \$1,400**  
**WE HAVE BYE March 12 • March 19 Hosted by Bowlum Lanes**  
**ABTA Member Danny Reece Sr. Passes Saturday AM**

LAKEWOOD — Good times again at Cal Bowl as Chris Slack won his 3rd ABTA title downing a HOT bowling lady Marife Catalasan in the title game to take home a nice \$2,500 to La Mirada.

Women out score the men at CAL as cut scores were Men +57 Women +52.

Jo Jo Barcelona led the Men+182 and Marife Catalasan led the Ladies + 122.

They will get paid entries to the next regular event for the fine bowling!

Super Seniors added to the board were Deborah Sanders +38, Bob Selner +44 and Howard Smith +51 they got spots in the semi-finals!!

The Match Series for \$3,085 was drawn By Marife and un-matched 640. We estimate that pot at \$4,100 Saturday. The Mystery Doubles 418 was also UN matched and estimated

at \$2,100 this week.

After the Semis, Chris Slack led the field at +137 to be top seed, sit out and bowl for the title. Second seed was Marife Catalasan +112 who would sit out round one of the elimination and enter in game 1.

Slack then drew for the Match Game pot which is Game 3 scratch. He drew a un-matched 238. We estimate the Match Game at \$1,900 Saturday at West Covina.

Others bowling well making the finals 10-16th were Du Quach, Howard Smith, Carlos Vejar, Arnold Agoncillo, Greg Kokanour, Sylvia Serranso and Danny Eguilos. They took home \$100 each.

In 6-9th places were William Ele, Leo Silva, Ben Hurtado and Bob Selner, \$105 each. Eliminated in round 3 are Leah Borillo and Jo Jo Barcelona at \$110 each in 4th and 5th places.

Now it is Marife Catalasan vs Ted Villaroman for the right to advance to the title game. Marife won out in a great match with Teddy in 3rd \$200. Mrs Catalasan is now off to the title game vs Chris Slack!!

The title game is on. Marife spared and Slack opened frame #1. Marife opened frame 2 and Slack started a run with a strike of which he would follow with four more strikes for a five bagger. Marife was still within distance as she doubled and marked with one other open and after 7 frames Slack held a big lead of 48 pins. It was too much for Marife to overcome. Slack wins out 262-206. Scores include handicap. A nice \$2,500 prize and One of the Good Guys strikes again!! And his 3rd ABTA title.

Marife, the crowd favorite, bowled very well and got a \$500 second place



**Slack Wins at Cal Bowl \$2,500.** Chris Slack won his 3rd ABTA title at Cal Bowl downing upstart Marife Catalasan in the title game to take home a nice \$2,500 top prize. (L-R) Cal Bowl manager Eric Snow, Marv Crowder ABTA Director, Teddy Villaroman 3rd \$200, Marife Catalasan Runner-up \$500, Champion Chris Slack \$2,500 and Joyce Charles ABTA member and friend!!

check.. She is one of our most faithful members and had been sidelined for 2 months with surgery on both feet. She did well on this day. Great Bowling Marife!! Ted Villaroman did very well in 3rd place.

Chris Slack used a Storm Lock drilled at CAL BOWL PRO SHOP. He is usually at our event every Saturday and well liked by all. He is married to Lisa with a son Christopher Jr.

Marife Catalasan is from Long Beach, married

to ABTA member Tres, a friend and ABTA member for many years. She used a Storm drilled by ABTA member Ben Mach at Westminster Lanes. They have 2 kids and a pretty grand daughter Aimee!!

Bob Selner was last standing in the 3-6-9 roll-off and he missed on shot 1. So that pot goes for \$1,500 at West Covina.

Thanks to all who bowled and SPECIAL THANK YOU to the Great Staff at CAL, namely Eric Snow on Saturday evening.

Join us Saturday at West Covina Lanes. Please check in early. We have lots of fun there!! ABTA takes a BYE March 12. We visit the popular Bowlum in Montclair March 19.

We had 6 new members again at West Covina. Its great to have the new members join us.

See us at Facebook Abtabowling or www.abta1.com. Until West Covina Saturday! See you there. CHECK IN EARLY!!

On a very sad note we are saddened of the passing of Danny Reece Sr., who passed away Saturday morning. He was a good man and supportive of his family and a faithful ABTA member. We will have info on this soon, look on facebook. God Bless You Danny. You were one of a kind, we are going to miss YOU. His son Danny Reece Jr. is also a current faithful member and a fine young man. Great people here!!

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Cal Bowl - Feb 27, 2016

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|----|--------------------------------------|-----|------------|
| 1  | Christopher Slack from La Mirada     | 737 | \$1,000.00 |
|    | Cash & Carry                         |     | \$1,400.00 |
|    | ABTA Shirt                           |     | \$100.00   |
| 2  | Marife Catalasan from Long Beach     | 712 | \$500.00   |
| 3  | Teddy Villaroman (SS) from Orange    | 686 | \$200.00   |
| 4  | Jo Jo Barcelona from Lemoore         | 675 | \$110.00   |
| 5  | Leah Borillo from Glendale           | 628 | \$110.00   |
| 6  | Bob Selner (SS) from Ladera Ranch    | 686 | \$105.00   |
| 7  | Ben Hurtado from Rosemead            | 656 | \$105.00   |
| 8  | William Ele (SS) from Long Beach     | 655 | \$105.00   |
| 9  | Leo Silva from Long Beach            | 651 | \$105.00   |
| 10 | Du Quach from Rosemead               | 689 | \$100.00   |
| 11 | Carlos Vejar from Tolleson           | 669 | \$100.00   |
| 12 | Howard Smith (SS) from Santa Ana     | 669 | \$100.00   |
| 13 | Greg Kokanour from Highland          | 658 | \$100.00   |
| 14 | Arnold Agoncillo from Long Beach     | 650 | \$100.00   |
| 15 | Danny Eguilos (SS) from Norwalk      | 647 | \$100.00   |
| 16 | Sylvia Serrano (60%) from Arcadia    | 634 | \$60.00    |
| 17 | Alan Aguilar Rh (SS) from Costa Mesa | 634 | \$72.50    |
| 18 | Freddie Manansala from Alhambra      | 632 | \$70.00    |
| 19 | Louis Evans from Corona              | 625 | \$66.00    |
| 20 | Ricardo Baca (60%) from La Habra     | 625 | \$33.00    |
| 21 | Som Seng from Long Beach             | 624 | \$65.00    |
| 22 | Arvhin Garcia (60%) from Carson      | 622 | \$32.50    |
| 23 | Ramon Alliman from Long Beach        | 613 | \$65.00    |
| 24 | Joevin Bolanos from Placentia        | 624 | \$64.00    |
| 25 | Deborah Sanders (SS) from Bellflower | 603 | \$64.00    |
| 26 | Ralph Montgomery from La Mirada      | 596 | \$63.00    |
| 27 | Michael Kong from San Gabriel        | 594 | \$63.00    |
| 28 | Marvin Galsim Sr. from Los Angeles   | 585 | \$62.00    |
| 29 | Sue Leland (SS) from Westminster     | 581 | \$62.00    |
| 30 | Bert Pamintuan (SS) from Cerritos    | 569 | \$62.00    |
| 31 | Johnny Sikkens (60%) from Duarte     | 557 | \$61.00    |
| 32 | Romeo Jr Borillo from Sun Valley     | 555 | \$61.00    |
| 33 | Kerry Lucka (SS) from Perris         | 536 | \$61.00    |
| 34 | Willie Parawan from La Puente        | DNF | FE         |

FINANCIAL REPORT

|                                       |                      |             |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------|
| CUT SCORES:                           |                      |             |
| Saturday                              | Prize Fund 161       | \$4,027.00  |
| Men: +57 Women: +62                   | Paid Entries 21 @ 61 | \$1,281.00  |
| SUPER SENIORS:                        | Optional Sidepots    | \$1,062.00  |
| Deborah Sanders +38, Howard Smith +51 | 3-6-9                | \$100.00    |
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# It's All About the Money

by Fred Eisenhammer

Gamesmanship.

You're seen the tricks over and over in the sports world.

Take the NFL. An undersized kicker trots onto the field in the closing seconds of a game with a chance to determine the outcome.

Then the kicker's opposing team calls timeout.

The delay is meant to disrupt the kicker's routine and rhythm. The kicker tries to keep his focus. He knows this one kick will decide a 60-minute game. He still is in concentration mode.

The two-minute timeout eventually runs its course and the kicker is ready again.

Then the opposing team calls another timeout.

It's an attempt to further disturb the kicker's routine, rhythm and concentration. Kickers aren't surprised at this gamesmanship. They prepare for it. They expect it. Pro football games are big business and big money and teams will resort to anything to gain an edge.

The other team is trying to get into the kicker's head by playing games, making him wait and then making him wait some more. But for top-of-the-line kickers, this gamesmanship means nothing. They're ready for their moment in the spotlight, whether they have to wait two minutes or four minutes or six minutes.

That's why these kickers have made it to the NFL. That's why they draw million-dollar salaries. They know how to handle the distractions.

Still, there always are some kickers who are affected by this attempt to throw them off. They may not admit an extended delay had the desired effect of making them feel out of kilter. But a shanked kick pretty much tells the story that something went awry. All those timeouts do sometimes work. That's why coaches often call them during pressure-packed moments.

All this gamesmanship in the NFL is no big deal. Ho-hum. Fans and players expect it. They know what's coming before a game-deciding kick. A timeout. Perhaps two. Perhaps three. They just don't know how the kicker will respond.

That's the NFL.

Gamesmanship happens in bowling as well.

It happened last month at the Players Championship at Wayne Webb's Columbus Bowl in Columbus, Ohio. Graham Fach, a 24-year-old left-hander from Guelph, Ontario, won the title with a nearly flawless performance in the stepladder finals, defeating top qualifier Ryan Ciminelli, 279-244.

But to reach the championship match, Fach turned to his bag of tricks in the semifinals and it may have been his turning point in the tournament.

It certainly made for plenty of excitement and conversation.

Interestingly, nary a word was written about the gamesmanship Fach used in the final frame against Canadian Sam Cooley.

Why no mention? Difficult to say.

Perhaps the writers didn't consider it a big deal. And maybe it wasn't. Or perhaps reporters were uncomfortable discussing a matter that involves the "gentlemanly" sport of bowling where players smile – seemingly approvingly – when their opponents get a favorable tap or roll.

But gamesmanship definitely reared its head in Fach's victory.

Here's what happened:

In the closely contested match, Fach led by 12 pins entering the 10th frame. He needed a strike and nine pins to shut out Cooley, who would bowl afterwards.

Fach left the eight pin on his first shot and Cooley now controlled his destiny. Fach made the spare and had one "fill" shot.

Fach, bowling in only his second PBA Tour event and making his first appearance on TV, took a re-rack – allowing the pins to reset. Bowlers are allowed two re-racks. Fach then took a second re-rack.

ESPN's announcers were on top of the situation from the outset and provided excellent analysis of Fach's strategy. Their comments:

"Here's another veteran move from a first-timer – taking a re-rack and making Sam Cooley think about his first shot in the 10th frame . . . taking extra time and this is a fill shot."

"Another example of the youth movement – fearless, focused, using all the tactics available."

The broadcasters called it like they saw it. Fach was "icing his opponent," they said.

But when Fach threw his "fill" ball, he seemed out of synch himself, leaving a two-pin split. Would his tactics backfire?

If Fach had struck instead of knocking down only eight pins, he would have forced Cooley to double for the victory. Cooley still needed two strikes for the victory but now he could force a tie with a strike, nine pins and a spare.

On his first shot, the right-handed Cooley confidently blasted a no-doubt-about-it strike. He seemed far from being "iced."

A strike on his second shot would do it. If he knocked down nine pins and spared, he would force a sudden-death roll-off. Interestingly, Cooley called for a re-rack himself before taking his next shot in a move to "collect himself," the announcers said.

Cooley then threw a ball that hit the head pin flush and left three pins, giving the game to Fach, who won the nail-biter, 247-244.

Fach and Cooley shook hands and hugged lightly. After the embrace, Fach walked away with a sheepish smile.

So what was the bottom line?

It's impossible to say if Fach's strategy had any bearing on his win over Cooley. Perhaps it did. Perhaps it didn't. Perhaps most significantly, no one accused him of crossing a line. Fach just played it to win and he did.

Fach played it like it was all about the money.

And with \$40,000 going to the winner, who could blame him?



Graham Fach won the \$40,000 first prize in the Players Championship.



Sam Cooley was eliminated by Graham Fach in the semifinal game, 247-244.

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### Nationwide partners with PWBA Tour as an official sponsor

ARLINGTON, TX – Nationwide will be the official insurance sponsor for the 2016 Professional Women’s Bowling Association (PWBA) Tour season and, as part of a new sponsorship deal with the PWBA, will be the title sponsor of the Nationwide PWBA Sonoma County Open in Rohnert Park, California, set for May 5-8.

“We see the exciting growth of the PWBA Tour as a way to promote a great family sport and introduce more people to Nationwide,” said Ann Ritterspach, AVP Nationwide Affinity Solutions. “We have a long history of supporting bowlers with member discounts through USBC Member Rewards. Adding a relationship with the PWBA Tour allows us to engage the bowling community through local agents and the national broadcast on CBS Sports Network.”

As an official sponsor, Nationwide advertising will be featured throughout the PWBA Tour season on CBS Sports Network. The PWBA Tour also will welcome local Nationwide agents at every tournament stop.

“We are proud to welcome Nationwide as a sponsor of the PWBA Tour,” PWBA spokeswoman Kelly Kulick said. “Nationwide is a highly respected company, renowned for customer service and commitment to members. Having a partner like Nationwide supporting PWBA is another reason to feel great about the future for the sport.”

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# 2016 El Centro Queens Tournament

by Mickey Dale, Imperial Valley USBC Vice-President • [Mickey\\_dale@msn.com](mailto:Mickey_dale@msn.com)

EL CENTRO – Jessica Blackstock rolled a two-game Championship series of 427 to defeat Toni Stauf and claim the 2016 Queens Bowling Tournament at Brunswick Zone Sunday. Blackstock edged Stauf by a mere 12 pins to earn her first title in the annual tournament.

The duo came from deep in the field as both were seeded #14 and #12 respectfully from last weekend’s qualifying rounds that comprised the field of 16 women in the handicap formatted tournament.

“It was fun, it was good,” the happy new champion said following the title match. “I’m glad I had the opportunity to do it. I’ll try to do it again next year!”

Blackstock never lost in the double elimination tournament with competition both Saturday and Sunday. She posted five straight two-game series wins, but there was no hesitation the El Centro resident had when asked which one was the toughest.

“The first one,” she said that was against #3 seed Azusena Munoz. “The first one today, too”, referring to a narrow win over 16th seeded Debi LeMert, who had won her opening 3 matches against top seeded Roseanna Pisk, 9th seeded Roberta Dale and the number 4 seed Brenda Raybon before the match of the two unbeatens at that point. The new Queens Champion had defeated 6th seed and 2012 Queens Champion Patsy Robinson and #10 Rose McCullough after her opening round win over Munoz.

Brawley’s Stauf had to rebound with 6 straight wins in climbing from the loser’s bracket after dropping the opening round to 2010 Women’s City Tournament All Events Champion Karen Larsen. That loss was followed by victories over Megan Robinson and her mother Patsy, Pisk, Raybon, McCullough and LeMert to get to the title match.

Defending Queens Champion and 7th seeded Bebe Pacheco made a valiant run at a second straight title. After losing to McCullough in the opening round, Pacheco



Champion Jessica Blackstock with runnerup Toni Stauf.

eliminated Elba Partida, Dale and Susie Ludlow before a heartbreaking 1 pin loss in a rematch with McCullough in the quarterfinals.

But the weekend belonged to Blackstock. When asked about competing in the tournament, Blackstock said, “I’m glad I did it. I encourage everybody to do it. More women need to come and bowl!” Spoken like a true Champion.

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## Center's 'BOWL' Sign to Be Preserved as Part of New Development

WHITTIER — You could say that it was just a bowling center sign. But a forward-thinking developer in Newport Beach, Calif., understood that the “BOWL” sign that hovered over the long-closed Friendly Hills Bowl in Whittier, Calif., was more than that.

For long-time residents of Whittier and neighboring communities, Friendly Hills Bowl, like so many bowling centers of the 1960s through the 1990s, was a community meeting place. It was a place where couples socialized with other couples, birthdays and holidays were celebrated, and junior bowlers grew into adult bowlers.

The future of the bowling center building is as a retail development that will house an Aldi's Food Market, a BevMo store and one other tenant to be announced. The BOWL sign will be refurbished to meet current standards, then stored until ready to be unveiled as part of the new development.

“We’re very happy that the important aspects of the Google architecture and the bowling alley are going to be preserved,” Ted Snyder, president of the Whittier Conservancy, told the Whittier Daily News. “We look forward to when the sign goes back up.”

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## Indiana Bowler Sets Two USBC Scoring Records

ARLINGTON, Texas — Erica Cutler of Fort Wayne, Indiana, threw 34 consecutive strikes Sunday at the Fort Wayne USBC Women's Bowling Association City Tournament, and the performance helped her break two national scoring records.

The 33-year-old right-hander started her doubles set with a 4-7 spare conversion and then struck on her next 34 shots, before leaving a 7 pin on her final attempt.

Cutler recorded games of 290, 300 and 299 for an 889 series, besting the previous mark of 879, shared by Katie Verbil of Wichita, Kansas, and Bryanna Coté of Red Rock, Arizona.

Cutler's memorable day at Thunder Bowl I also helped her and Fort Wayne's Brittney Haneline post the highest three-game total for two women with 1,615. Haneline added a 726 series to the effort.

Angela Brick and Sue Jeziorski of Buffalo, New York, set the doubles mark with 1,591 in 2005.

Both achievements are pending approval from the United States Bowling Congress.

“I was just trying to stay smooth and hit my mark,” said Cutler, who was inducted into the Fort Wayne USBC WBA Hall of Fame in 2014 and now owns four perfect games and three 800 series. “We all had great lines, and everybody was striking, and I felt like that really kept us motivated to keep it going.”

Cutler already owned the Fort Wayne USBC WBA three-game women's record after rolling an 864 series in 2011, and she relied on that experience in beating her own record on the way into the national record books.

Cheering her along the way at Thunder Bowl I were her husband, Doug, and daughter, Brooklyn.

“It's an amazing accomplishment,” Cutler said. “My husband and daughter were there, and that was great, especially since my husband had never seen me shoot 300.”

The achievement also was bittersweet for Cutler, whose mother died in October.

“The hardest part was not being able to call her afterwards, since she was the reason I started bowling,” Cutler said. “I'm very thankful to my family and friends who have supported me throughout my bowling career. We really have a great bowling family here in Fort Wayne.”

For more information on the USBC record books, visit [BOWL.com/Records](http://BOWL.com/Records).



Erica Cutler



## Seismic Activity Reported at Yucca Bowl

YUCCA — Russ Taylor, bowling in Yucca Bowl's long standing Senior morning Coyote League, rolled a 298 game on January 27 to the amazement of the bowlers and lane staff at the fifty-two year old center located in the Citrus Belt Association's Quake City of Yucca Valley!

Russ had all the attention of the ten team Senior league participants because after the first nine strikes, everyone stopped to witness a perfect game. It was not to be however, after two “no doubt” pocket strikes in the fateful tenth frame, Russ's 12th shot went a bit wide and screamed back into the pocket leaving a right-handed “fast eight” 4-7!

After taking a ten year hiatus from league bowling while working in Arizona, Russ returned to the Yucca Valley area last year. He is a proud USC Trojan and is a renowned barrister with a legal specialty in construction.

Russ would like to thank Storm Bowling for the best equipment made. He was bowling with his Crux Pearl drilled by that drilling genius, Andy Neeman, of Bowler's Advantage located at Vista Entertainment Center.

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## Charles Kenny

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300-300 series, although it’s been done 29 times across the country, according to the United States Bowling Congress. Two new 900 series were rolled in January.

That Kenny made a valiant effort to reach 900 came as no surprise to those who bowl with him. He is averaging a sizzling 239 in the prestigious Bill Mossontee Majors league on Wednesday nights at Corbin Bowl. That figure is second best to Tim Tripp, who is averaging a blistering 243.

“He’s the best bowler I’ve seen for sure,” said ace Troy Gibson about Kenny. “He’s like a machine.”

Two years ago, Kenny recorded an amazing feat when he blasted four perfect games within one month – all at different bowling centers. Those venues included Winnetka Bowl, Santa Clarita Lanes, Mission Hills Bowl and Jewel City Bowl.

Kenny has been widely mentioned as one of the most likely players to become the first in this area to hit 900. Others given a strong chance are Bryan Alpert, Tripp, Johnnie Englehart, Jim Harvey, Matt Jones and many others.

Englehart, another Mossontee league bowler, said that it’s inevitable one of the area bowlers will finally end the 900 drought. “There are just too many good ones,” said Englehart, who has blasted an 869.

## CP3 Invitational

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cluded additional celebrity guests Anthony Anderson, star of ABC-TV’s “Black-ish”, and hip hop artist Too Short. Burkett, who had a best PBA50 Tour finish of fourth place in his 2015 rookie season, outlasted the other celebrities by bowling a nine-count to Owens’ seven-count in the ninth and final frame for the win.

The beneficiary of the CP3 event was the Chris Paul Family Foundation which strives to positively impact individuals and families by providing resources that enrich and strengthen healthy development of strong communities. Through partnerships with Feed The Children, Make-A-Wish Foundation, The Salvation Army, Boys & Girls Clubs, LA’s BEST, The Reachability Foundation and Habitat for Humanity, the foundation supports literacy and technology initiatives, health and wellness programs and afterschool enrichment.

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# Redesigned PBA.com Makes its Debut

## Easier access for mobile users, improved navigation among new features

CHICAGO – A newly redesigned PBA.com (<http://pba.com/>), the official website of the Professional Bowlers Association, made its debut Friday, providing PBA fans with easier access from mobile devices and social media platforms, improved navigation and increased focus on PBA’s Xtra Frame video-streaming service as well as PBA.com’s live scoring feature.

The contemporary look of the revamped website provides more visual impact and includes technology which will allow for expansion of pba.com in the future. Some highlights of the new site:

- A new design that brings the site up to date and gives the PBA a look for the future.
- A responsive design so users can view the site easily on tablet and mobile.
- More focus on Xtra Frame and Live Scoring.
- A slimmed down navigational structure and the ability to find things much easier. Rather than a bank of tabs, the new site uses a simple “menu” tab in the upper left corner of the home page to help visitors easily find what they’re looking for.
- A better experience on the individual bowling pages, allowing for videos and great banner photos.
- The new design that will allow PBA to expand the site easily.
- Adds expanded bowler profiles with more imagery and videos for users to browse.
- It brings PBA’s news site into the main site, providing fans with a one-site-serves-all experience.
- Greater focus on images and videos on the home page gives pba.com a more visually-pleasing appearance.

“The new PBA.com includes all of the information, records, archives and more that could be found on the original PBA.com website, but now is available in a more attractive, easier-to-navigate package,” said PBA CEO and Commissioner Tom Clark. “Our goal is to stay on pace with the rapid growth in activity among mobile device users, as well as developments in social media, to continue providing our fans with a great experience in staying in touch with the greatest bowlers in the world.”

PBA.com was redesigned in partnership with Boston-based Cloud Construct LLC, a web design and development firm that builds web applications, designs responsive and mobile-optimized websites, and creates software solutions that enable companies to do more, faster. For more information about Cloud Construct, visit [www.cloudconstruct.com](http://www.cloudconstruct.com).



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**Senior Men's Trio: Wednesday, the 24th we had 2 "300" games bowled on the same day! Congrats to Mike Collier and Larry Gray.** Other scores: Ed Cabs 768, Jery Cant 279/741, Randy Peterson 280/707, SonnyDew 278/706, Larry Gray 783. Seniors are bowling great!

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**Bobcats:** Nolan Fox 410, Drake Smith 329, Kristopher Catamisan 327, Kendra Wilson 406, Larissa Gosey 359, Maggie Mariani 271.

**Classified:** Semaj Lewis 728, Amon Todd 501, Kameron Aguilo 495, Emmily Jenkins 516, Latasha Love 389. That's all for this week.

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**Wednesday Night Rollers:** Rhonda Martinek 204/569, Matthew Svolos 254/649, Jeff Stitz 236/632, Jack Roquemore 625, Stan Salter 248/618, Ruben Ruiz 248/596, Rhonda Martinek 204/569, Monise Kelly 496, Chris Ivey 228.

**Van Nuys Eagles:** Matt Hall 221/639, Nikki Phapornchai 515, Margo Sundy 245/509, Karlton Watts 234/628, Joe Myers 258/615, Ed Jones 230/561, Vincent Hall 516.

**Monday Nite Madness:** Jerome Hampton 257/710, Carol Tucker 452, Wayne McClean 228/612, Paul Dean 224/605, Bill Aldridge 210/565, Wayne Coffman 557.

**Ellen's Comedians:** Jesse Chastain 278/772, Deanna Peters 201/567, Dan Kline 279/717, Michael Pollack 257/705, Justin Archer 269/674, David Feinberg 670, Chris Farrinton 530, Martha Evans 503, Ray Stoy 268.

**Guys & Dolls:** Rick Stine 258/756, Buenafe Holbrook 545, James Heylek 264/725, Timika Walton 230/518, Gregory Kolski 236/646, Chris Ivey 238/637, Joe Curry 613, Mike Hahn 245.

**River Maniacs:** Johnnie Englehart 279/729, Monise Kelly 212/570, Frank Martinez Jr. 238/705, Joe Macklin 247/668, Mike Olson 659, Dan Onestinghel 641, Rosie Bates 509, Scott Englehart 258, Matthew Svolos 244.

**Sport Shot Singles:** (4 games) Charles Kenny 247-243/796, Billy Mulvihill 225/786, Mike Kinsinger 215/779, Derek Lee 778, Will Lingamen 243/773, Kinh Hang 756, Jeremy Davis 756, Justin Pluchino 700.

**Phil-Am:** Kenneth Loja 257/684, Deborah Sanchez 202/519, Josemari Zafra 256/665, Jamie Beeler 229/654, James Osborne 635, Gilbert Molina 232/600, Raul Ventenilla 237.

**Coffee Bucket:** Spencer McKendall 257/716, Doreen Adellman 484, Rusty Yeager Jr. 268/650, Albert Dimaggio 268/702, Aaron Story 256/662, Rusty Yeager Jr. 650, Joe Myers 625, J.T. Porras 238.

**500 Classic:** Carol Ellis 222/633, Cindy Dominguez 554, Farol Brifman 547, Jill Williamson 540, Connie Wannomae 203/531.

**The Achievers:** Jimmy Jurgenson 179/430, Marites Tesoro 123/352, Jeff Grude 371.

**Thirsty Nite Out:** Carol Comrie 257/710, Patrick Reed 288/692, Chris Ivey 266/667, Bill Lew 663, Chris Frank 662, Michelle Resnik 200/548, Liz Rogers 201/534, Susan Cortez 526, Ida Farber 201/521, Adam Lew 258, Josh Ellis 255, Amy Lew 212/554, Debbie Steele 203.

**The Classics:** Ryan Finney 246/688, Rhonda Cleveland 221/601, Chris Bryant 210/549, Susan Guire 569, Sami Scott 535, Chrissy Williams 504, Michelle Bryant 501, Bo Fogel 201.

**St. Cyril's:** Jim D'Arcy 204/580, Barbara Slevin 498, Bob Frazier 486.

**Party Animals:** Brandon Hart 269/750, San Mitcherll 249/655, Henry Harris 276, Mark Meade 697, Mark May 689, Raul Rono 247/671, Steve Dibartolomeo 668, Elizabeth Fonvergne 211/611, Gail Rodgers 573, Gina Brouse 202/543, Joanie MGee 201/503, Henry Harris 276, Robert Lopez 246, Daniel Rosales 246, Tom Borrelli 246.

**SFVC Nikkei:** Randy Page 259/689, Tami Shiotani 202/547, Tony Shiotani 628, Gary Yamamoto 258/607, Kevin Eto 234/601, Bob Yamashita 231/595, Tak Kokubo 595, Sandra Yamamoto 544, Hisako Kokubo 513, Noriko Fukunaga 509, Pei Eto 500, Yuki Matsuba 224, Harry Yamagami 224.

**39'ers:** Ron Doll 255/668, Carole Peire 543, Bill Lind 246/653, Robert Adams 231/629, Jose Blanco 606, Carolyn Scherzberg 527, Kathy Litzenberger 518, Bev Zietz 508.

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**49'Ers:** Jim Land 267/687, Carolyn Scherzberg 205/598, Curtis Litzenberger 225/628, Skip Brown 591, Bob Walker 570, Jayme Willis 205/565, Mary Lauer 211/542, Robert Rawstron 226, Bob Husby 215, Stan Staten 213.

**Funtimers:** Jim Land 233/647, Carolyn Scherzberg 212/585, Bill Lind 603, Ron Doll 600, Ed Wannomae 215/571, William Tidemanson 550, Karen McDonald 200/534, Eloise Valencia 500, Bernhardt Roth 224.

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**Junior Allstars:** Elizabeth Lajnef 87/169, Michael Campos 94/167, Jason Suprun 60/96.

**Junior Royals:** Justin Pluchino 266/692, William Wales 203/572, Julia Frias 233/641, Jacey Opiana 256/636, Deanna Frias 149/424, Sara Miric 147/358, Kyle Ycaza 209/541, Jericho Olegario 191/474, Kai Burris 451.



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by Tish

BURBANK — It's another day in bowling paradise. The weather is beautiful and scores are up. However, I'm wondering what happened to winter. Oh, and the El Nino. Is it coming or not? I suggest bowlers get prepared. Stock up on sunscreen, buy a portable fan to carry in your bowling bag. Have plenty of Slide or powder ready for those swollen, sticky fingers. Drink plenty of fluids and don't leave your ball in a hot trunk. Bottom line, enjoy! After all, it is So Cal.

**Sunday Night League:** (scr) Chris Gayer 246, Cynthia Estrada 159, Sylvester Foster 672, Vickie Maas 444. (hdcp) Bob Olivia 280, Sharon Brown 250, Val Hoag 732, Ryan Hinchliffe 698.

**Senior Swingers:** (scr) Raymond Garcia 171, Cres Cruz 140, Marvin Robbins 474, Seiki Tluczek 422. (hdcp) Art Michener 229, Ester Bugayong 209, Winston Gorriceta 663, Mary Langer 602.

**Monday 690:** (scr) Nick Kukta 224, Cheryl Mikels 189, Dylan Jimenez 595, Glenda Nale 610. (hdcp) Cory Neil 240, Ashley Higgins 238, Dave Higgins 681, Patty Shaffer 638.

**LA Metro Telco:** (scr) Ron Stearns 236, Lydia Gantt 176, Dave Hansen 656, Peggy Eklund 488. (hdcp) Roger Desgroseilliers 274, Alice Howard 258, Jimmy Jebejian 756, Michelle Marx 658.

**Orbits:** (scr) Lori Durbin 179, Rilla Raad 177, Jan Levitt 512, Judy Lamb 492. (hdcp) Mel Varrenti 227, Cindy Raposa 225, Megan Hazzard 606, Helen Vincent 589.

**ICF:** Phil Bartus 254, Marvin Poretta 231, Rita LeBlanc 251, Doris Owings 227, John Pemberton 618, Mary Zarycka 629.

**Guys & Dolls:** (scr) Tom Duncan 225, Colleen Simpson 194, Roy Stansbery 644, Cortney Lyon 557. (hdcp) Tim Hackett 253, Helen Nelillo 257, Jeff Ellis 695, Danica McMahon 706.

**JPL League:** (scr) Brandon Rothrock 199, Sheila McClure 145, Aster Caballero 515, Megan Richardson 456. (hdcp) Jason Thomas 239, Jen Miller 202, Cory Cochrane 634, Natalie Honda 613.

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**Senior Foursome:** (scr) Jim Emery 198, Richard Anderson 198, Cres Cruz 157, Bob Rosenblum 557, Barbara Teitel 445. (hdcp) Robert Cornett 242, Maria Rogers 225, Remo Cruz 668, Lydia Gantt 638.

**Thursday 690:** (scr) Aren Bandari 251, Julieta Ward 221, Cheyne White 669, Colleen Simpson 558. (hdcp) Roddy Ronquillo 290, Sue Hutchens 270, Kurt Zappattereno 797, Ramona Gardner 712.

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ROUND FOUR PASSES THE HALF WAY MARK - COOK'S BOWLING SUPPLY HAS TWO GAME LEAD

by Mike Cammarata

DOWNEY — As we started the night, eight teams were within two games of the top spot in the fourth round of the Brunswick Invitational. For most, this week can be a make or break mark for staying in contention or planning for the next round. After bowling ended on Monday night, that number had been cut in half. Four teams remain within a couple games of the top. They're all looking up at Cook's Bowling Supply though.

Cook's and Ketel One Vodka started the night tied for the lead, but only one of them bowled that way. Cook's dismantled Ketel One, sweeping the match and winning totals by close to 250 pins. Game one was competitive, but that was about it. Jon Huff finished with 242, to lead Cook's with his 598 set. It was very steady throughout the lineup though with the low man being 568.

Pino's, after a very disappointing first couple of rounds to the season continues to climb the standings board after getting another four wins tonight. Pino's took four out of five from the Professional Approach team. Leonard Ruiz Jr. started big with 258 in the first game. Ramon Torres led Pino's to a game two victory with 234. The Pro Approach rebounded to win the final game, but couldn't make up the total pins margin. Billy Myers Jr. had the top series on the pair with 239-214/626.

Sysco, another team that has unexpectedly struggled this year, has rebounded in this round. This time, Forest Lanes was on the wrong end of Sysco's winning streak. Gabriel Martinez continued to make the pattern look way easier than it is, leading the pair for Sysco with 236-232/667. Sysco leaps into the #2 position next week and will do battle with Cook's Bowling Supply.

Los Altos Trophy swept GJC Janitorial, winning totals by 220 in a blowout. Joe Jimenez was top shooter on the pair with 216-227/610. Lee Liu added a couple of 200 games for Los Altos as well. Los Altos has their sights on the round now, in contention with only three weeks remaining. It was a tough night all around for GJC, and they'll have to regroup next week.

The Erickson Foods team stays in contention for the round with a 4-1 victory over Don Julio Tequila. New member Raul "Spanky" Rosales led the way, easily leading the pair with 216-220-236/672. Buddy Lucas helped Don Julio stay close with his 203-215/614 set,

but it was only enough to get them one win.

Keystone Lanes made quick work of Alhambra Coin Center. The middle game was decided by only two pins, but the first and third games weren't nearly as close as Keystone won totals by more than 200. Herbert Jones led the way for Keystone with 225/618. Jared Lawrence bowled well too, shooting 245/602. Arnold Cheesman was missing for the Keystone Lanes team, as he was at the birth of his newest grandchild. Congratulations to the Cheesman family!

Wowo's Smokin' Hot BBQ took all five from DV8 with some timely strikes and some fortunate carry at the right times. Brandon Kraye led the pair with 212-213/617. Ryan Cunningham had a very nice 229 in the final game to help finish off the sweep.

Linder's Insurance and Relax-Release-Repeat had the closest match of the night. R-R-R won big in the first game. Linder's won big in the third. The middle game went to R-R-R by only two sticks. When the pins were totaled up, Linder's did enough to hang on by 18, giving them a 3-2 victory in the match. Seven of the eight bowlers on the pair found their way to a 200 game, but nobody was able to break the 600 mark. Substitute Jason Buenviaje was closest with 225/591 for Linder's.

J.A.T. rebounded nicely from a disappointing finish last week to sweep Herzog Insurance. Kevin Gagnon of Herzog led the pair with 205/586, but didn't have enough help to get any wins. For J.A.T., Katrina Fujikami was top shooter at 570, edging out DeeRonn Booker and his 210/567 set.

On the final pair, Threadworks took four out of five from the Cremation Centers of CA. Butch Jackson led the pair for Threadworks with 546, in spite of the fact that Eric Snow posted a 234 game.

Sidepot winners included Leonard Ruiz Jr. (258), Eric Snow (234) and Spanky Rosales for the \$216 Super Pot (237).

The Financial Advisors Pot was won by Jared Lawrence, with his 245 game. Jared took home \$220. Eric Snow and Ramon Torres split \$100, tying with 234.

Come down next week to check out the action as round #4 heads into the home stretch. Cook's Bowling Supply and Sysco will be on the top pair and it should be an exciting match. The action begins at 8:30.

TOP TEN TEAMS ROUND 4

|                       |    |                        |    |
|-----------------------|----|------------------------|----|
| Cook's Bowling Supply | 17 | Ketel One Vodka        | 12 |
| Sysco                 | 15 | Keystone Lanes         | 12 |
| Pino's Pizza          | 15 | Pro Approach \$        | 11 |
| Los Altos Trophy      | 15 | Wowo's Smokin' Hot BBQ | 11 |
| Erickson Foods        | 13 | Forest Lanes           | 10 |

TOP 10 THIS WEEK

|                  |     |                |     |
|------------------|-----|----------------|-----|
| Spanky Rosales   | 672 | Buddy Lucas    | 614 |
| Gabriel Martinez | 667 | Joe Jimenez    | 610 |
| Billy Myers Jr.  | 626 | Jared Lawrence | 602 |
| Herbert Jones    | 618 | Jon Huff       | 598 |
| Brandon Kraye    | 617 | Randy Myers    | 593 |

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