

This Young Bowler is Flying High

PLEASANT GROVE, Calif. - It's not accurate to say that bowling star Amanda Vogt has had her head in the clouds since she rolled her first 300 game last month.

That's actually been the case since she started flying planes a couple of months before she turned 16.

Amanda is the youngest female private pilot in the country - having fulfilled all the requirements on her 17th birthday last year. That morning she successfully completed an oral exam and went on a check ride with a Federal Aviation Administration examiner.

Previously, Amanda passed an FAA written exam, went on multiple cross-country solo flights and flew many hours with an instructor in addition to her dad, a captain for Southwest Airlines.

Amanda, who will turn 18 in August, has had a longer history with bowling, having started at age 6.

mento suburb of Pleasant

Grove. Amanda has been racking up bowling accomplishments.

The blonde lefthander was named the 2016 Northern California Junior Elite Tour player of the year and on Feb. 10 fired her first perfect game.

So Amanda is a definite standout in two disparate fields - and she's not taking sides as to which she

"I don't think I could pick a favorite between the two," she says. "I really love doing both."

It shows.

Amanda, the bowler, carries a lofty 214 average. She has a high series of 715. She's qualified for the prestigious Junior Gold Championships in July in Dallas. It will mark the seventh time she'll be competing in the event.

"It's always a great learning experience no matter the outcome," she

The sky's the limit on continued on page 4 <u>MemorableMoments</u>.

Sweden's Jenny Wegner Wins Brunswick Euro Challenge Handicap pins thwart Anthony Simonsen's 10th frame comeback

MUNICH, Germany -Thanks to the assistance of eight handicap pins awarded to all women bowlers in the tournament, Sweden's Jenny Wegner won the PBA International-World Bowling Tour Brunswick Euro Challenge Sunday at Dream-Bowl Palace. thwarting a 10th frame comeback bid by tournament leader Anthony Simonsen.

Simonsen, the top qualifier, quickly fell behind when Wegner, the 2016 Qubica AMF World Cup women's champion, started the title match with five strikes. But the contest changed direction when the 23-year-old Swedish kindergarten teacher failed to convert the 1-2-4-10 washout in the seven frame. She still had the match under control until she left the 2-8 in both the ninth and 10th frames. Despite failing to convert the 1-8 spare in her final frame, the eight handicap pins-per-game awarded to all women in the tournament allowed Wegner hold off Simonsen for the title.

Simonsen, who had thrown only one strike on the right lane previously in the match, threw two strikes before leaving the 10 pin on his final shot for an actual 213-211 margin, but with her handicap pins, Wegner won by a 219-213 margin.



Anthony Simonsen 2nd, Jenny Wegner Champ & Yannaphon Larpapharat 3rd

Simonsen, a 21-year-old two-handed player from Austin, Texas, started the seven-game Step Three match play round with games of 300, 287 and 278 - an 865 series - to expand his lead and he comfortably maintained his position all the way to the championship match.

In the first match of the three-player stepladder finals, Thailand's Yannaphon Larpapharat dug himself into a 21-pin hole after failing to convert a pair of splits, and Wegner had a double and a turkey in a clean game for a 233-214 win to advance to the title continued on page 10

PBA'S "60 MOST MEMORABLE MOMENTS" **UNVEILING CONTINUES: 51 THRU 55**

The countdown to unveil the complete list of the PBA's "60 most memorable moments" in its 60-year history continues, one a day, Monday through Friday, on all PBA Network outlets. The top 10 moments were announced on PBA's ESPN telecast of the Go Bowling! PBA 60th Anniversary Classic. Last week, "memorable moments" 55 through 51 were unveiled. Here are those five moments as the countdown continues:

- 51) Prior to the 1974 PBA Midas Open finals, a lane breakdown forced the PBA to use lanes from non-adjoining pairs for the finals. In the second game, Jim Stefanich threw the PBA's third perfect game on TV, the first and only time that feat occurred. Dick Ritger won the title, but Stefanich won a \$10,000 bonus plus a new Lincoln-Mercury Cougar.
- 52) At age 57, John Handegard defeated Mark Williams, 278-247, to win the 1995 PBA Northwest Classic in Kennewick, Wash., becoming the oldest player to win a PBA Tour title.
- 53) Michael Haugen Jr. overcame a 53-pin deficit through six frames to win the 2008 PBA Tournament of Champions, 215-214, over Chris Barnes at Red Rock Lanes in Las Vegas. Haugen's five-strike rally forced Barnes to get 20 pins in the 10th to force a tie. After converting a spare, Barnes left the 4 pin on his last shot.
- 54) In 1962, Don Carter won four titles, earned \$49,972 in prize money and recorded an incredible 18 top-five finishes.
- 55) Mike Durbin became the first bowler to win the Firestone PBA Tournament of Champions three times when he defeated Mike Aulby, 246-163, at Riviera Lanes in Fairlawn, Ohio. Durbin, who also won the event in 1972 and 1982, was inducted into the PBA Hall of Fame earlier that week.

To check on releases of subsequent "moments" as they are revealed, check the PBA Network: PBA on Facebook (www.facebook.com/ProfessionalBowlersAssociation) or Instagram (pbatour); subscribe to the PBA channel on You-A resident of the Sacra- her bowling, no pun intend- Tube (PBABowling); tweet along on Twitter (@pbatour), and on the web: https://www.pba.com/PBANetwork/Most-



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LEE FITZGERALD Reporting....

FONTANA - Lee Fitzgerald reports that she can give 40 reasons why bowling fans should visit Foothill Lanes on Thursday nights. Forty reasons why those who love to watch good bowling should visit Foothill Lanes on Thursday nights.

She reminded me that her senior trio league is contested on 40 lanes, by 40 teams and by 40 of the best bowlers in the area.



That makes for forty reasons times three to head to Foothill Lanes on Thursday night to watch the best bowlers in the steel city.

The league is led by a trio named "Where's Kelly". They have a 3.5 game lead over Corky DeMaio's team "What a Dump". The Kelly trio is led by Barry Graham.

The top male bowlers in the league are: 1. Mary Sargent 234 (average) 2. Dan Farnsworth 223 3. Barry Graham 221 The top female bowlers in the league are: 1. Kay Cook 199 (average) 2. Sue Lee Santero 191 3. Toni Futch 190 The top series for men: 819 1. Mary Sargent 2. Barry Graham 813 3. Otis Harrison 802 The top series for women: 723 1. Mary Robles 2. Rolann Karper 689 3. Kay Cook

There have been five perfect 300s rolled by Stoney Baker, Robb Bourland, Dan Farnsworth, Otis Harrison and Art Guzman.

There have been three 258 games rolled by Sherri Boyer, Cheryl Olinger and Sue Lee Santero.

Great bowling gals and guys and thanks to the BOWLING NEWS for supporting CALIFORNIA bowlers.



Bowlers Certainly Have Their Crazy Moments

by Fred Eisenhammer

WOODLAND HILLS – So you don't think bowlers are a crazy lot?

If that's how you feel, then you haven't been paying attention.

Consider what happened this month in St. Louis. Police officers discovered an abandoned car in the middle of the street with its hazard lights on and couldn't figure out why.

The riddle was solved after the police tracked down the driver.

When pressed why he left his car blocking traffic, the man had a simple explanation.

He said his car broke down, but he had a bowling tournament to attend and he didn't want to miss it. So



Jamie Beeler didn't let a little bout with kidney stones mess with his game. Photo by Fred Eisenhammer

he left his disabled car and dashed over to his bowling center.

Priorities, priorities!

Bowlers certainly have a lot of passion and that tournament bowler certainly has his fair share. But my favorite "full-of-bowling-passion" story is the one involving Chatsworth's Jamie Beeler.

Beeler was ambushed by an all-out assault of kidney stones while bowling in his league at AMF Woodlake Lanes in Woodland Hills about five years ago.

The sheer pain of kidney stones would have left most humans writhing in agony and

The sheer pain of kidney stones would have left most humans writhing in agony and sprinting to the nearest hospital or looking for some immediate medication.

Not Jamie

He just sneered at the pain and kept bowling. He still had frames to bowl and he wasn't about to let down his teammates.

So Jamie kept bowling and bowling, and as he remembered: "I kept taking Advil after Advil after Advil."

The good news is that Jamie finished his series, went home and then his wife Karen rushed him to the hospital – where amazingly, the kidney stones passed before he needed treatment.

Summing up, Karen said: "Nothing keeps him from his bowling. Nothing." Bowlers are definitely crazy. And crazy about their sport.



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ed. She has her sights set on bowling an 800 series and earning a spot on Team

Her first 300 has provided plenty of momentum. She exudes tremendous excitement when describing the achievement that she turned in at West Lane Bowl in Stockton.

"I actually quit looking at the scores after the second frame so I didn't know I was going for 300 until I threw the 10th ball and nobody got up to bowl. That's when I realized now was my chance," she says.

"It felt great to throw two more strikes and look up and see that perfect



Amanda Vogt, 17, with her dad Jeff Vogt, a captain for Southwest Airlines, is the youngest female private pilot in the country. Amanda blasted her first perfect game Feb. 10 after bowling since she was 6. She was named the 2016 Northern California Junior Elite Tour player of the year.

score. It was definitely overwhelming to realize I finally did it after all these years!"

Still, her recreational passion is shared by two outlets. She speaks just as excitedly about piloting planes and says unequivocally that her father Jeff "is my biggest influence in flying. He taught me almost everything I know about flying

"My goal is to make a career out of it. Hopefully, I can be a pilot for Southwest so I can fly with my dad." There's no mistaking it. Nowadays, Amanda Vogt is flying high.

by Bette Addington

- Storm Youth Championships, National Bowling Stadium, Reno, stormbowling.com
- 23-25 PBA Caveman Bowl West/No.West Open, Grants Pass, OR, pba.com
 - $24\,$ Xframe Tournament, 4pm & 6pm, Oak Tree Lanes, Diamond Bar, 562/228-3960
- 24 HammerPins Mixed Team Tournament, 1pm, West Lane Bowl, Stockton, hammerpins.net
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- 24 7/8 USBC Open Championships, Oncenter Convention Ctr., Syracuse, NY, bowl.com
 - J & B's Scratch 8-Gamer, 8:15am check-in; bowl at 9:30am, Bowlium, Montclair 25 - GameTimeBowlers Battle 3 "Game Up," 11am, Carter Lanes, Fullerton, 844/228-8539
- PBA Mark Roth/Marshall Holman Doubles Championships, 11am, ESPN
- 30-31 Baker-Barnes Bowling Clinic, Fountain Bowl, Mark@markbakerbowling.com
- Pepsi Youth State Finals RSVP, calusbc.com
 - $31\,$ Xframe Tournament, 4pm & 6pm, Bowling Square, 562/228-3960
 - 31 Entry deadline for So. Cal. TNBA Mxd. Team Tourn. (4/14), 310/762-9589, socaltrisenates.com

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- 6-7 Pepsi USBC Youth Championships, South Point, Las Vegas
- 6-8 Ear Anthony's Memorial Western Regional PBA Open, Dublin Bowl, pba.com
- 8-15 USBC Masters, Oncenter Convention Ctr., Syracuse, NY, pba.com or bowl.com
- $13\mbox{-}15\,$ Amateur Bowlers Tour Spring Nationals, South Point, Las Vegas, abt
bowling.com
 - 14 CUSBC Helen Duval BVL State Tourn., Bowlium, Montclair
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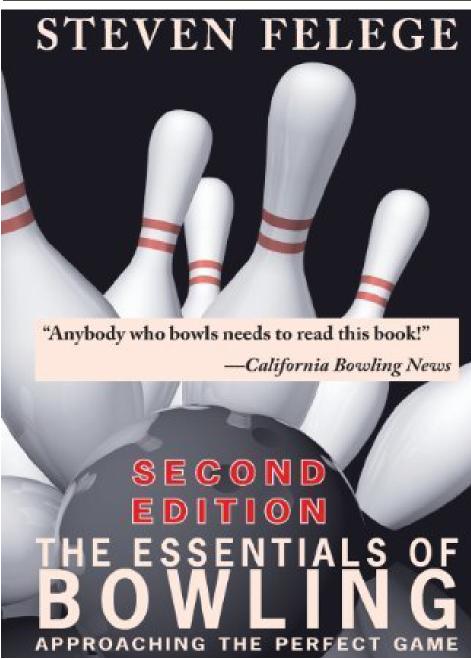
BUSY MONTH OF LIVE XTRA FRAME COVERAGE ON TAP IN APRIL

PBA's online bowling channel, Xtra Frame, returns in April with a full schedule of programming including preliminary rounds of the USBC Masters, a PBA Xtra Frame Tour event in Maine, the first three PBA50 Tour events of 2018 and the 2018 season's first PWBA events.

The April schedule, available for the monthly Xtra Frame subscription rate of \$7.99, includes the following. Three-day and full season subscription plans are also available. To enroll as an Xtra Frame viewer, visit xtraframe.tv:

- **April 10-14** USBC Masters qualifying and elimination match play rounds, The Oncenter Convention Center, Syracuse, N.Y. (defending champion: Jason Belmonte).
- **April 16-18** Port Property Management PBA Xtra Frame Maine Shootout, Bayside Bowl, Portland, Maine (defending champion: Ryan Ciminelli).
- **April 20** Oceanview at Falmouth PBA League Team seeding tournament, Bayside Bowl, Portland, Maine.
- April 22-23 PBA50 Florida Open, Lane Glo Bowl, New Port Richey, Fla. (defending champion: Brian LeClair)
- April 25-28 PBA50 UnitedHealthcare National Championship presented by Spanish Springs Lanes & Radical, Spanish Springs Lanes, The Villages, Fla. (defending champion: Lennie Boresch Jr.)
- April 27-28 PWBA Las Vegas Open, South Point Bowling Plaza, Las Vegas (new event)
- April 30-May 2 PBA50 Mooresville Ford Open presented by Columbia 300, George Pappas Victory Lanes, Mooresville, N.C. (defending champion: Norm Duke).





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PBA REGIONAL UPDATE: WALTER RAY BOOST TITLES TOTAL TO 106



PBA Hall of Famer Walter Ray Williams Jr. (featured photo) of Oxford, Fla., defeated fellow Hall Of Famer Tom Baker of King, N.C., 279-157, to win his 106th PBA title in the PBA50 Fayetteville Southern Open at LaFayette Lanes in Fayetteville, N.C., Sunday.

Williams, who was defending his 2017 title, won easily after Baker started his game with a pocket 7-10 split and could never recover. Williams earned \$1,600.

Williams' PBA titles include a composite total of PBA Tour (47), PBA Regional (32), PBA50 Tour (11) and PBA50 Regional (16) victories.

In the semifinal round, Williams eliminated Mike Hastings of Millsboro, Del., 246-178, while Baker took out Scott Thomsen of Sumter, S.C., 232-192.

• David Haynes of Las Vegas posted an 8-4 match play record and a 20-game total of 4,653 pins Sunday to win his 12th career PBA Regional title in the PBA Sands Regency West/Northwest Winter Classic Open presented by Storm.

Haynes, who earned \$2,000, defeated PJ Haggerty of Roseville, Calif., by three pins at the National Bowling Stadium.

In Sunday's companion PBA50 Open, Dennis Horan Jr. of Oakley, Calif., went 6-3-1 in match play and knocked down 4,270 total pins in his PBA50 debut to defeat Ron Mohr of Las Vegas by 123 pins. Mohr had 4,147 pins for his 18 games, including match play bonus pins. In addition to his first PBA50 title, Horan earned \$1,500 while Mohr received \$1,000

Leading into the weekend, Scott Boyle of Salida, Calif., was almost perfect in defeating David Allen of Las Vegas, 299-202, to win Friday's PBA Sands Regency Winter Challenge presented by Storm along with the \$1,500 first prize and his first PBA Regional title.

PBA Challenge tournaments are open to players who have never won a PBA title.

In the semifinal round, Boyle defeated Matt McGill of Grants Pass, Ore., 254-218, and Allen defeated Mark DelCerro of Hayward, Calif., 277-179, to set up the championship match.

• Former PBA and PBA Southwest Region Rookie of the Year Francois Lavoie, a Canadian citizen now living in Wichita, Kan., defeated non-member Frankie Guccione of Castle Rock, Colo., 255-244, to win the \$5,000 first prize in the fourth annual PBA Colorado Springs Southwest Super Regional at Harmony Lanes in Colorado Springs Sunday.

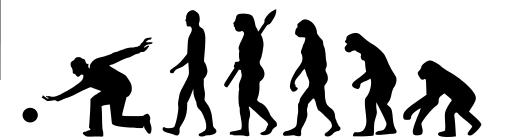
Needing two strikes in the 10th frame to clinch the victory, Lavoie struck on the first shot, but failed on his second, giving Guccione a chance to win his first PBA tournament. Needing 20 pins in his 10th frame, Guccione left a 7 pin on his first shot and then missed the spare, allowing Lavoie to claim his fifth PBA Regional victory.

Lavoie qualified seventh, earning a bye into the best-of-three-game Round of 12 elimination matches where he defeated amateur Jeffrey Carter of Westminster, Colo., 2-0; No. 2 qualifier Sean Lavery-Spahr of Pasadena, Texas, 2-0, and PBA50 Tour champion Mike Dias of Lafayette, Colo., 214-210, in the semifinal round. Guccione also earned a bye before defeating collegiate amateur Nick Burgess of Jersey Village, Texas, 2-0; tournament leader Devin Bidwell of Wichita, 2-1, and Ronald Johnson III of Durango, Colo., 210-182, in his semifinal match.

- PBA's March 23-25 regional tournament schedule includes the PBA50 Rossi Lanes Open in Elmira, N.Y.; the PBA50 Monte Skeels Allstate Midwest/Central Open at Liberty Lanes in Carpentersville, Ill.. and the Caveman Bowl Northwest/West Open presented by DV8 in Grants Pass, Ore.
- Closing out the March PBA Regional schedule will be the Copperfield Bowl Southwest Challenge for non-title winners over the March 30-April 1 weekend in Houston, Texas.
- For complete PBA Regional schedules, rules and entry information, visit pba.com, open the "schedules" tab and click on PBA Regional Tours to find the event(s) in your area...and remember, you can follow "live scoring" for all PBA Regional events on pba. com (easily accessible for Apple device users using the PBA app).

QUICK NOTES

• Upon further review, the PBA has discovered Patrick Allen is tied with Dennis Horan and Jeff Richgels for 10th place on the PBA Regional titles list, each with 30 wins.





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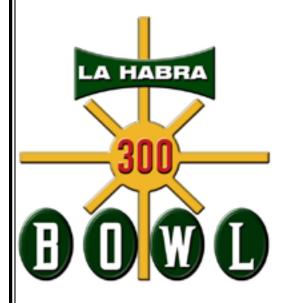
1981 - PART 1

by Carol Mancini

Here we are in the 80's! Doesn't seem like 37 years have flown by---but here we go testing your memory.

- The ABT revealed they had given away \$1,264,370.50 in prize money since they started in 1977. Up to January 1, 1980 KEN DALEIDEN had run 216 events.
- On the East Coast, "DARTS" was becoming more popular than bowling. Proprietors were looking for income of any kind.
- The Pros bowled at **WONDERBOWL- ANAHEIM**. Televised on January 10th to the world. Who won?
- Big argument at ABC Convention! How many frames in a game? The rule book says 10. Automatic computers are programmed for 12 frames. Can't tell a computer sometimes, or maybe, or depends on what happens in the 10th frame.
- Open play bowlers could no longer bowl 10 games and put 6 games on the scoresheet. Meters were installed to count every time the pinsetter cycled.
- BRYAN ALPERT and BERT MILLS won the WOODLAKE Junior 6 gamer. Was that left handed or right-handed Bryan?
- Winners of the PBA **WONDERBOWL** tour stop was STEVE MARTIN (called the Tennessee Twister.) His final opponent was MARSHALL HOLMAN. He also defeated MARK ROTH and TOM BAKER—All on T.V.
- Five-person teams were the most popular of all formats—according to A.B.C. Stats.
- LUCKY LANES ran a 10 gamer. Survivors included winner BOB BERNAL, BUTCH MOWRY, O.B. BROWN, ART GARZA, and JOHN THEYS JR. All great guys, funny and loved the competition.
- The Pro Shop directory listed 26 shops in Southern California.
- Junior Competitor TOM GARVEY posted a giant 813 at **EL DORADO**.
- Bowler's Edge Pro Shop offered \$10.00 for your old ball on the price of a new one.
- Transplanted JOHNNY KLARES was elected to Cleveland Hall of Fame. He was a legend in Ohio AND California.
- HAL TRUAX (225 book) won the 1980 Grant Classic beating out 2,411 entrants. JIM ULRICH won the Open Division.
- Subscriptions went up to \$10.00 a year for the Bowling News.
- DONNA ADAMEK was chosen "Bowler of the Year" (again) by National Bowling Writers. Third year in a rowl
- WWPB at REGAL LANES drew top contenders, champ MARY MICHEL plus VICKIE MYERS, CHERYL ROBINSON, JEAN WORTHY, EVA MUNSON, DONNA ZIMMERMAN, MARGE BRADFORD, VIRGINIA NORTON, ROSE CALDWELL, and SHIRLEY ANDERSON. These gals got a LOT of press in their prime. And deserved it!
- DAVE PRECHTL got bragging rights with his 722 at **BOWLING SQUARE**, wrote BRUCE HARNER who usually captured the headlines.
- AGNES DUFFY decided to run for W.I.B.C. President. She founded the California Bowling Writers magazine. She was the procuring officer for the B.V.L. program. A tiger that no one could say "NO" to!

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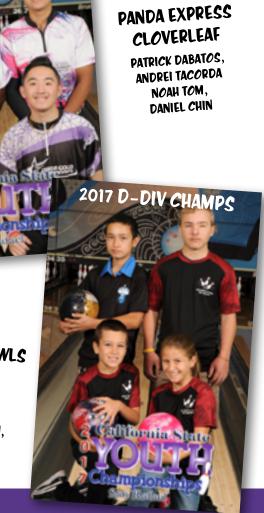
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Now onto this week's scores:

Vegas Bound: Scr: 655 Peter Ruiz, 641 Keith Bowden, 546 Leona Ruiz, 526 Shellie Camarata, 247 Alex McKendall, 234 Gerry Chen, 214 Aimee Gonzalez, 199 Elison Doss-Dewinter. This league will be ending in 3 weeks and their summer league will be starting on April 2, 2018 they will be having their league meeting on Wednesday March 28, 2018 if you are interested in this league come on down or give the center a call and ask for Shelia. This is a certified league with 5 on a team bowling at 6:30 pm on Monday nights.

Club 55: Scr. 639 Tony Thousand, 543 Tom Barron, 448 JoAnn Cunningham, 384 Mary Hoagland, 256 Tim Harris, 192 Bob Marcelo, 163 Jeannie Taylor.

Chino Mixed 4: Scr. 558 Joe Codorniz, 490 Frank Jaramillo, 465 Cindy Lower, 186 Grant Griffin, 174 Sid Wind, 167 Debbie Kaan.

XFrame-TAT: Scr: 710 Ala Libao, 645 Mamerto Jablan, 615 Stacy Galicia, 580 Jinny Lei, 269 Ramon Dizon Jr, 258 Larry Sian, 235 Rowie Jucal, 202 Kelly Manuel.

Crazy 4 Vegas: Scr. 627 Lance Clifford, 540 Alex McKendall, 474 Nancy Jimeno, 202 Jim Lowe, 199 Will Bissic, 156 Jullie Stricker.

Chamber & Friends: Scr: 574 Jim Harrison, 561 John Boothe, 557 Heidi Boothe, 439 Yong Gilbert, 255 Steve Dolphin, 195 Mike Adams, 181 June Grothe, 171 Jo Clark. Family Trio: Scr. 529 Ian Benevidez, 507 Matt Virola, 490 Heidi Cheng, 415 Josie Virola, 223 Ced Arnado, 219 John Virola, 182 Geline Chua,

Young @ Heart: Scr: 595 Camilo Capati, 576 Tony Thousand, 524 Penny Martinez, 510 Amy abalos, 222 Abe Quibin, 214 Bill Rugh, 174 Betsy Graper, 172 Mary Hoagland.

Pinheads: Scr. 547 Rick Lotz, 544 Ken Moore, 462 Debi Moore, 437 Mary Navarro, 196 Aubrey Chelsea, 182 Dale Forbes, 163 Susan.

Let it Ride: Scr: 614 Mike Samarzich, 596 Vido Samarzich, Spanish McBurney & Brett Mieding, 601 Mama Bear Nakatani, 423 Cece Vanthiel, 235 Andrew Rietta, 230 Daytona Nakatani, 179 Stephanie Row, 164 Duece Acevedo.

Fil-Am: Scr: 661 Jun Contreras, 658 David Jones, 537 Kelly Manuel, 520 Margie Acevedo, 288 Mark Huertas, 260 Nearney David, 200 Florence Sullivan, 195 Vanessa Huertas.

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ANAHEIM - Terry Brent, not satisfied with 2nd place, showed us he is more than capable of capturing first place and that's exactly what he did this "lucky" Friday in the 590 Classic. I don't know if Terry has any Irish in him but maybe he had a tiny leprechaun hidden in his pocket or a four-leaf clover ...? He stroked games of 238-268 and 254 for 760 and added 207 to claim 967. Hope he was wearin' green...

Norm Walker, no stranger to headlines, performed like a pro on games of 261-202-215 and 238 to turn in a 916.

Frank Bellinder rounds out the 900 Clubbers this morning and certainly found some hidden "gold" on games of 216-264-256 for 736 and 178 (getting tired), to score 914.

Congrats to all the "lucky" bowlers and the following who saw that famous rainbow:

Dick McKenzie was oh-so-close with games of 177-267-194 and 258 for 896. And Chris Hefner, once again with a stellar performance, proved his worth on games of 232-232-217 and 211 to claim 892.

Willy Bordenave showed some Irish on his games of 194-201-Wow 287 and added 186 to score 868.

Hot Games: Rose Williams 246, Dave Easel 246, Carl Adinolfi 244, Louie Juarez 243, Janet Anderson 234, Rod Cantrell 233, Rich Heid 233, Blake Douglass 224, Karen Bagnall 220, Gary Coultas 217, Larry Green 216, Nancy Smith 215, Don Gardner 214, Jim Moore 214, Hong Kha 211, Alan Bloom 211, Don Lorentzen 210, Juan Sandoval 210 and Pete Vodden 206.

Until next week...



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LA HABRA - Weekly High Scores. Check out our weekly Sr. No-Tap, Friday mornings at 10:00 am. The next Beast Eliminator Tournament is Sunday, April 8, 2018 at 10:00am.

SUNDAY - Vegas Rollers: Ryan Nelson 231, Carlos Estrada 219, Sam Di Fatta 219. Wally's Vegas Cruise: Leo Moreno 248/672, Brian Bendt 233/649, Eric Verne 226, Erin LaBrada 225/600.

MONDAY - Lake Parkers: Larry McCurry 213, Clayton De Bie 208, Bob Jacobi 206, Cathy Richardson 212, Jo Burrup 201. Golden Awards: Carl Brooks 248, Bernard Dean 218, Gary Wallis 215, Randi Hein 192. Whittier Elks: Mark Knight 235, John Wackeen 212, Jamie Walsh 199. Gamblers Fun: Gilbert Gissendaner 295/655, Ray Lozano 245, Mark Vasquez 202, Linda Myers 191.

TUESDAY - Glenbrook Gals: Penny Bird 183, Bridget Steffensen 181. Friendly Seniors: Bill Scherger 198, Dolores Harmon 189. Pedagogues: Vern Harmon 213. Guys & Dolls: Bill Kessler 215, Vince Marano 213, Richard Thompson 210, Tee Delgado 208. Ageless Wonders: Randy Cervantes 205, Mike Chapman 200.

WEDNESDAY - Silver Foxes: Ray Danfield 257, Gary Wallis 241/626, Larry Green 602, Randi Hein 190. American Nation Can: Brian Parker 257/613, Michael Thompson 245, Rick Scialla 243/680.

THURSDAY - Early Birds: Tina Forte 191. Sunset Rollers: Willie Keith 218, Marian Horton 192. All Schools: Larry Bell 205. Frank's Gold Cup: Warren Nelson 269/691, Doug Emerson 267/757, Kevin Jensen 259, Marlow Dinger 682, Tee Delgado 215.

FRIDAY - Vegas Gamblers: Joe Jimenez 279/715, Ed Jamison 265, Brian Bendt 258, Rick Vanderhaar 699, Kevin Jones 688, Rebecca Lutze 228, Sharon Westerhold 213, Stacie Davis 212.

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Senior Swingers: (scr) Raymond Garcia 436, Cres Cruz 406, Fred Lampa 161, Kim Rasmussen 145. (hdcp) Rick Langer 618, Seiki Tluczek 634, John Pemberton 241, Bonnie Holcomb 242.

Monday 690: (scr) Setu Molia 236, Debbie Martenson 183, Cory Neill 679, Cheryl Mikels 519. (hdcp) Travis Mikels 255, Carolyn Lollar 228, Don Lollar 730, Glenda Nale 673.

LA SportsNet: (scr) George Jimenez 222, Nikki Angstadt 197, Ryan Martenson 637, Andrea Wellins 573. (hdcp) Edgar Garcia 254, Daphne Perrenoud 257, Johnny Cruz 773, Emily Meuse 665.

LA Metro Telco: (scr) Richard Andersen 235, Alice Compere 188, Setu Molia 618, Crissy Gianficaro 511. (hdcp) John Rodriguez 276, Alice Howard 244, Robert Zappaterreno 699, Michele Marx 665

Orbits: (scr) Rilla Raad 181, Cheryl Mikels 512. (hdcp) Diana Trowbridge 211, Vicki Olivia 585.

JPL League: (scr) John Henessey 179, Barb Reed 150, Mason Carney 558, April Jewell 374. (hdcp) Sergeh Vartanian 227, Keri Hodley 194, Chris V 644, Natalie Honda 591. Guys & Dolls: (scr) Woody Gillis 247, Colleen Simpson 191, Cory Neill 661, Ramona Gardner 509. (hdcp) Setu Molia 272, Lisa Cicchetti 248, Dan Ziegler 726, Peggy Eklund 693. Senior Foursome: (scr) Richard Andersen 200, Cres Cruz 153, Bob Rosenblum 581, Kim Rasmussen 460. (hdcp) John Pemberton 245, Seiki Tluczek & Barbara Teitel 222, Ron Stearns 686, Lillian Kleinman 643.

Thursday 890: (scr) Vance Bennett 227, Renee York 212, Woody Gillis 684, Diana Pagdilao 530. (hdcp) Steve Szekely 315, Jo McMahon 280, Jason Frederick 796, Kim Bax 687. Until next time...keep the ball rollin'!

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Next on the Go Bowling! PBA Tour's 2018 schedule will be the United States Bowling Congress Masters April 8-15 at the Oncenter Convention Center in Syracuse, N.Y., where defending champion Jason Belmonte of Australia will try for an unprecedented fifth Masters title, which also would result in a PBA record-tying 10th major championship.

PBA's Xtra Frame online bowling channel will live stream all qualifying and three-game double-elimination match play rounds of the Masters before the finals air live on ESPN on April 15 at 10 a.m.. For Xtra Frame subscription information, visit xtraframe.tv.

BRUNSWICK EURO CHALLENGE Dream-Bowl Palace, Munich, Germany, Sunday

Final Standings:

- 1, Jenny Wegner, Sweden, \$14,150.
- 2, Anthony Simonsen, Austin, Texas, \$10,460.
- 3, Yannaphon Larpapharat, Thailand, \$6,700.

Stepladder Results:

Match One - Wegner def. Larpapharat, 233-214. Championship – Wegner def. Simonsen, 219-213.



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LAKEWOOD — We hope all of you had a great St. Patricks Day! Here are your scores this week:

Sierra Bugs: Jo Mount 197-182/559, Kelle Falbo 206/532, Darlene Waken 525, JoAnn MacKnight 506, Ann Weiss 199, Sandy Wright 187. Sidepot winners: Game 1-227 Greta Vines, Game 2- 197 Jo Mount, Game 3-222 Sandy Wriaht.

Senior Men's Trio: Kevin Gannon 279-278/791, Chuck Blais 289/724, Sonny Dew 278/710, Gary White 279, Willie McMahan 709, Dave Wilson 691.

C.A.U.L.: Andy Clark 258/652, Rich Dahmen 638/226, Frank Rossello 624, Reginald Cargo 233/615, Blayke Miller 226/614, Jimmy Hall 244, Teri Friend 196/515, Leigh-Anne Kitch 182/473, Lori Gilmore 467, Susan Dorwin 455, Yosemite Hamilton 168/446, Virginia Hall 172.

Cal Bowleros: Anna VonMuegge 540, Carole Fischer 529, Carolyn Rousseau 497, DaRonda Reed 200, Linda Chase 189, Susan Garcia 183. Sidepot Winners: 1st game-238 Linda Chase, 2nd game- 200 Daronda Reed, 3rd game: 256 Susan Lincoln.

Bowling Buddies: Dan Ewaskey 636, Mike Slagley 410, Christine Ewaskey 531, Betty Major 404, Billy Williams 226, John Roach 137, Merrie Slagley 198.

Pin Heads: Greg Kelly 210/592, Bruce Brown 208-298/531, Frenchie Reese 525, Damon Flewelen 518, Jerry Waken 195, Ashley Brown 201,170/532, Darlene Waken 170-166/488, Mel Leach 420, Georgia Vall 416.

Young At Heart: Carl Steel 255-233/714, James Lewis 233, Anthony Leavell 223, Bob Sneed 222, Andrew Morton 218/560, Jimmy Hamilton 573, James Thompkins 566, Ellis Houston 554, Walter Milsap 539, Frances Walker 233/521, Oritta Steel 195-182-174/551, Dee Phipps 179, Rose Bleton 174, Myra Kremen 495, Cheryl Hilton 493, Carla Thompkins 489.

Recycled Teens: Jorge Fernandez 258-234/669, Jim Plante 236/634, Victor Santos 233/634, Jojo Jasmin 226/586, Walter Milsap 221, Boylee Inocente 590. Divina Buhay 213/542, Joanne Burke 200/500, Dorothy Ruggiero 194/490, Adela Santos 193, Anna VonMuegge 191/541, Cheryl Hilton 490.

Laughlin Bowler Bears: Jonathan Gale 266-222-217/705, Brandon Mims 265/614, Mark Fowler 218/572, Thomas Tucay 210/600, Jaime Grabinski 205/574, Travis Morris 204/546. Elaine Harmon 199/479, Cindy Radcliffe 173-170/487, Donna Smith 170/481, Andrea Legaspi 170/450. Fil-Am: Matt Mosley 719, Domy Quinto 693, Emmerson Wafer 692, Liza Agoncillo 605, Avelina Cumbis 563, Maria Directo 535, Randy Antazo 268, Rob Kordich 265, Lawrence Austria 259, Emily Burchman 245, Tess Santos 202, Susan Ebilane.

Mini Couples: Bill Dennis 642, Boylee Inocente 584, Dave Burchman 521, Emily Burchman 520, AvelinaCumbis 451, Cherry Shackelford 443, Richard Chambers 224, Ron Ipijan 221, Danny Peramaki 209, Nene Camanag 177, Orrelle Dennis 168, Mary Vieira 159.

Grandma/Grandpa's: Wayne Moon 223/532, Chris VanDeven 221/532, Larry Cosgrove 206/508, Walter Gist 531, Billy Williams 530, Betty Green 207/492, Vancie Keith 190/490, Joanne Burke 190/493, Anna VonMuegge 182/472, JoAnne Mount 476.

Gobs and Gals: The "Gobs" say they do all the work and the "Gals" have all the fun. Anthony Smith 734, Nick Negrete 688, Vern Adams 677, Harold Dubose 677, Sue Cant 629, Shirley Owens 608, Aiko Johnson 591, George Reister 280, Sonny Dew 278, Mike Calvillo 258, Daryl McCloud 258, Darylynn Davis 232, Michelle Criswell 232, Crystal

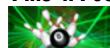
Big Bear: Aaron Law 279/681, Jamie Carrington 278/702, Jason Jones 269/692, Nathan Wyatt 262, Ken Seiple Jr 258/678, Jerry Cant 256/690, Steve Bryant 256, Dion Morris 255, Tony Leavell 254, Sonny Dew 248/679. Debra Gipson 248/674, Arleen LaVassar 231/596, Susan Alvarado 226/561, Shirley Owens 222/580, Sue Cant 215/590.

Funsters: Rick Hunter 633, Boylee Inocente 614, Chris Abing 591, May Toledo 564, Janet Kastor 530, Danne Van-Horn 503, Dan Dalton 236, J.R. DeGuzman 236, Earl Hullett 231, Divina Buhay 223, Tua Sula 193, Yvonne Clarke 180.

V.A. League: Welcome back to 15 weeks of Strikes, Splits, Spares and Smiles! Dan Martinez 604, Robert Lee 548, Robert Roulusonis 515, Michelle McGarry 463, Maggie Ashby 424, Chris Martinez 205, Joe Morsell 195, Anna Farrugia 151, Lovely Floreza 136.

This is all for this week. We'll see you on the lanes.

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Saturday Sport League Report by Ken Clay

LAKE ELSONORE - Last week on PBA Scorpion, the bowlers turned up the heat. This week, the third and final, they kicked their scores into overdrive! There were 18 games of at least 20 pins over average, five bowlers with a series of at least 40 pins over average, nine 200 games, and one 600 series. I think it's safe to say that Scorpion's sting was FAR less venomous than the US Open.

Games Over Average: Rick Maiale +22, Mondesi Saavedra +25, Robert Groth +20 +34, Fred Casassa +37, Larry Clay +39, Shammon Williams +40, Steve Lertpaichaiyon +44 +35, Rody Fetalvo +42 +21, Scott Everson +42 +52 +42, Jacob Groth +53, & Jimmy Casassa +80 +42 +43. Series Over Average: Shammon Williams +46, Rody Fetalvo +59, Steve Lertpaichaiyon +98, Scott Everson +136, & Jimmy Casassa +165.

Games 200+: Larry Clay 204, Robert Groth 205, Sham-

mon Williams 209, Fred Casassa 214, Scott Everson 204-214-204, Rody Fetalvo 217, & Jacob Groth 232.

Series 600+: Scott Everson 622. **Bowler of the Week:**

Immediately after completing his set, one league member came to me and said, "Thank you for the bowler of the week award you're going to give me this week." After looking at his recap, I figured he was right. After all, Scott Everson rolled one of the most consistent sets of the season: 204, 214, 204 = 622. Also, it was the only 600+ series and a whopping 136 pins over average. What sport bowling participant wouldn't be proud of that set?

Unfortunately, there was another bowler who performed even better. In game one, he came a single pin short of his first 200 game. He then followed that milestone nearmiss with two fabulous games of 161 (+42) and 162 (+43). The end result, a gargantuan 165 pins over average series! Incidentally, this same bowler nearly broke 200 last week as well with a 197. So, while I agree that Scott's set was praiseworthy, Jimmy Casassa is the BotW!

If this sounds like a fun way to challenge your bowling skills, then contact Pins 'N Pockets or go to facebook.com/ groups/PinsSaturdaySport. Until next time, HAVE FUN AND FILL FRAMES!

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(L-R) Alex Castillo, Brian Main, Joe Hilke - President San Gabriel Valley Round Robin and Azusa Tournament Club

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32nd Year! Brunswick

Round Winner Sysco Helps Tighten Up The Standings

DOWNEY - The Brunswick Invitational took to the lanes for Week 5 of the USBC Nationals Team pattern. Scoring bounced back after a rough session last week and the standings tightened up with just two weeks to go.

In the "A" match, first-round winner Sysco took on Threadworks who was looking to make a move with the round lead. Sysco came out strong, taking the first game by 178 and never looked back as they cruised to a 5-0 sweep and gave Threadworks chances in the round a blow. Paul Varela managed 516 to lead Threadworks while Chris Equilos was high for Sysco with a 566 set.

In the "B" match, Three Olives Vodka was ½ game out of the round lead taking on Herzog Insurance who was just one game back. Herzog started strong wining the first two games by a handful but dropped a close game three for a 4-1 win. Danny Wilson led Herzog with a 576 set while Romeo Borillo paced Three Olives with a 573.

Cal Bowl was looking to bounce back into contention sitting just 2 games out facing Linder's Insurance who themselves were just 2 ½ game out. Cal was in comfortable quarters as they cruised to a 5-0 sweep of Linder's. Ramon Torres once again lit it up on their pair with a 638 set while Vernon Adams led Linder's with a 562 series.

Forest Lanes matched up with **Bowlium** in the high of the 11-9 matchups. Bowlium came out striking and took games one and two but it was Forest coming on strong with a huge 858 third game to overtake totals and the 3-2 win. DeeRonn Booker was high for Forest with a 670 set while John Valin

DV8 and third-round winner Buddy's Bowling Supply were the low of the 11-9 teams going into Monday's action. It was all Buddy's as they cruised to a 5-0 win. Ray Minter was high for Buddy's with a 646 set while Sam Hitchcock led DV8 with a

Keystone Lanes and Los Altos Trophy matched up in the 11th vs. 12th battle. Keystone took games one and three and held on for a 37-pin total-pins win and a 4-1 victory. Herbert Jones led Keystone with a 541 series while Mikey Villarreal led Los

Bowling Guys met up with Professional Approach in the 13/14 matchup. It was all Professional Approach in this match as they cruised to a 5-0 sweep. Clinton Meche led Bowling Guys with a 557 set while Matt Schermerhorn was big for Professional Approach with a 648 set.

Century 21-My Real Estate, Tito's Handmade Vodka, J.A.T. and Don Julio Tequila rounded out this week's matches. Tito's took a 5-0 sweep while J.A.T. limped to a 4-1 win. Kurt Arakaki rebounded with a 621 series to lead J.A.T., Rudy Martinez led Don Julio with a 466 series, Dan Gartin was high for Century 21 with a 584 set and super-sub Ubuild Lennon paced Tito's with a 615 set.

Sidepots went to Ubuild Lennon (209) and Mike Villarreal (244) for \$63 each with Romeo Barillo (236) taking the Super-Pot for \$189. Financial Advisor's pot was cashed in by Matt Schermerhorn (268) for \$190 with Mikey Villarreal (244) taking second for \$100.

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| Sysco \$ 21 | Forest Lanes 14 |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Cal Bowl 17 | Keystone Lanes 14 |
| Herzog Insurance 17 | Threadworks 14 |
| Buddy's Bowling Supply \$\$\$16 | Bowlium 13 |
| Three Olives Vodka14.5 | Professional Approach 13 |

TOP 10 THIS WEEK

| DeeRonn Booker 670 | Mikey Villarreal 628 |
|-----------------------|----------------------|
| Matt Schermerhorn 648 | Kurt Arakaki 621 |
| Ray Minter 646 | John Vallin 607 |
| Val Wise 640 | Spanky Rosales 596 |
| Ramon Torres 638 | Dan Gartin 584 |

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