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## TAT Founder Passes

by Bob Smith

NORWALK – Ed McWilliams founder and owner of the TAT (True Amateur Tournaments) passed away Thursday March 28th after battling COPD and lung disease. He was 70 years old to be 71 April 3.

I first met Ed in 1980 when he joined and bowled the ABTA usually with John Davis. No one was nicer or classier! He was liked by all who knew him!

Several years went by and Ed, decided to start the continued on page 4

# Butturff Wins USBC Masters

by Lucas Wiseman

LAS VEGAS – After finishing second three times in major events, Jakob Butturff finally got the job done Monday night.

Butturff defeated Mykel Holliman, 228-196, to claim his first career major title at the 2019 United States Bowling Congress Masters. It's Butturff's sixth overall title.

Prior to Monday's win, Butturff had finished second at the PBA World Championship last week and was the runner-up at the 2017 U.S. Open and the 2018 U.S. Open.

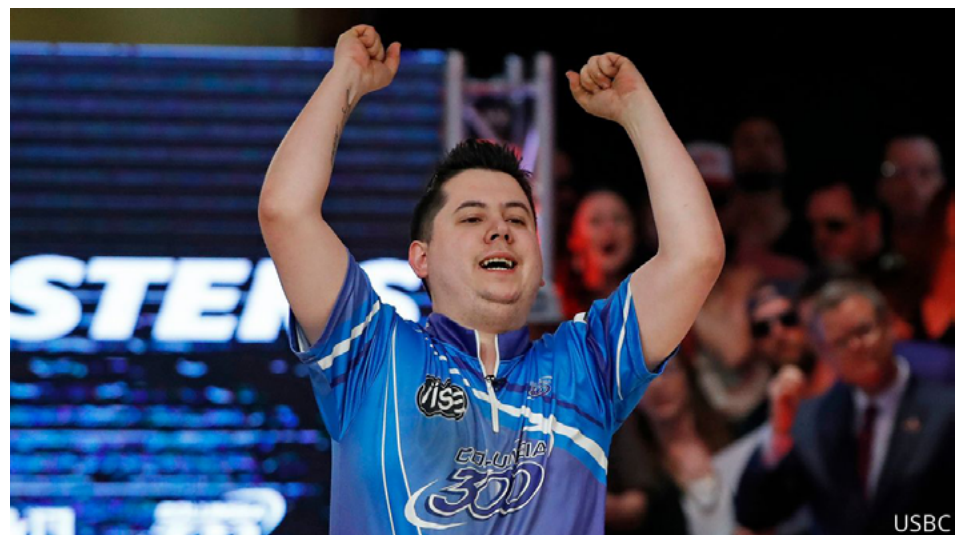
"After the second U.S. Open, it hurt because it was back-to-back years, and I wondered if I would ever get another opportunity like that again," Butturff said. "Today, that all changed."

Battling severe upper

back pain in the closing days of the Masters, Butturff persevered to get the victory and was clearly emotional as he threw the winning shot in the final frame.

Butturff spent part of his day leading up to the show getting a massage to try to lessen the pain he was feeling in his back, but he told FloBowling there was still significant pain just before the finals. He said he was grateful he only had to bowl one game.

The lefty with the quirky release and conventional grip drilling struck on four of his first five shots to start the championship match but not all of them were solid strikes. He went Brooklyn to open the match and then carried a light hit for a double in the second frame.



By making his spares and staying clean, Butturff was able to stay ahead throughout the title match.

Holliman was within 14 pins heading into the ninth and 10th frames and had a chance to put the pressure on Butturff down the stretch. Instead, Holliman

struggled, leaving the 2-4-7-8 in the ninth, and the 1-3-4-6-7 super washout in the 10th frame. He converted both but the damage was already done.

The finals appearance was the first in Holliman's career and came in just his 11th PBA Tour event.

With the second-place finish, Holliman is easily the leader for PBA Rookie of the Year honors at this stage in the season.

In the semifinal, Jake Peters built a 20-pin lead heading into the commercial break but Holliman rallied continued on page 4

## BOWLING NEWS HONOR ROLL

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STAN WANTANABE	300	02-28-19	MATADOR BOWL
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JUSTIN PLUCHINO	300	03-06-19	WINNETKA BOWL
HENRY QUATTLEBAUM	300	03-06-19	PALOS VERDES BOWL
JOHN ROSS	300	03-06-19	WINNETKA BOWL
JEFF MURASKA	300	03-11-19	FOOTHILL LANES
MARV SARGENT	300	03-11-19	FOOTHILL LANES
CRYSTAL HAMMON	714	03-13-19	MORENO VALLEY BOWL
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JERRY CANT	300	03-14-19	CAL BOWL
PAUL MADDOX	300	03-14-19	PALM SPRINGS LANES
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JAY WETHERALD	815/300	03-18-19	HARLEYS SIMI BOWL
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JULIA FRIAS	705	03-20-19	WINNETKA BOWL
DARRYL WATKINS	812/300	03-22-19	HIGH DESERT LANES
JESSE CHASTAIN	300	03-23-19	WINNETKA BOWL
JAMES MATTHEWS	300	03-24-19	CAL BOWL
KATHY ALLEN	707	03-26-19	MORENO VALLEY BOWL
VINCE DUARTE	300	03-27-19	DEL RIO LANES
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## Walter Ray, PDW Are In; Two-Time MVP Dick Allen is "Free Agent" Awaiting PBA League Draft on April 8

**PBAL managers announce protected players for 2019 rosters**

PORTLAND, Maine – PBA Hall of Famers Walter Ray Williams Jr. and Pete Weber are in. Two-time PBA League Most Valuable Player Dick Allen is among the "free agents" on the outside awaiting his fate after the PBAL's eight team managers announced on Monday the players they have returned to their 2019 continued on page 4



# ILLINOIS BOWLING CENTER HONORS HISTORIC "BUDWEISERS" 3,858 SERIES

Hi Top Bowl, a 16-lane bowling center in Highland, Ill., has completed a significant project to commemorate the 61st anniversary of the historic 3,858 series bowled by the legendary Budweisers of St. Louis at Floriss Lanes on March 12, 1958.

The members of the team were all superstars in the formation years of the PBA: Don Carter, Ray Bluth, Pat Patterson, Tom Hennessey and Dick Weber.

In cooperation with the center's local Budweiser distributor, Donnewald Distributing, proprietor Ray Voss created the tribute.

The centerpiece is a graphic above the approaches that spans the entire 16-lane center, detailing the series record that stood for nearly 36 years.

Click here to view a video clip that illustrates the display: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1oz-luBZKtL0E8jY9WC14utE94c40l-nn/view?usp=sharing>.





# An Argument For Bringing Back the Youth Pick Your Pro!

by Dave Williams

One of my favorite television programs is Storage Wars. Every Friday night I look forward to hours of reruns from the A & E Network. The show allows me to reminisce about the time that I lived in Southern California, visiting many of the towns featured in the program while living with the Lewis family in Burbank, and sharing an office with regional supervisor Dan Rochin at AMF Rocket Bowl in Chatsworth.

Perhaps a more appropriate program for me to watch would be Hoarders, also offered by A & E. It's a reality show that depicts the real-life struggles and treatment of people that suffer from a compulsive hoarding disorder. While I don't believe that I suffer from this compulsion, the mere fact that I'm frightened to watch the series makes me wonder if I suffer from this collection difficulty.

My weakness is paper. I have so many file boxes of old brochures, flyers and manuals that I actually maintain a "Mini-Storage Museum" of my memoirs. While I regret throwing away many items over the years whenever I moved to a new location, the collection of items that I have re-tained is impressive.

The most difficult aspect of maintaining the "museum" is trying to locate a particular item. A case in point was last month's feature that I wrote involving bowling superstar Leanne Hulsenberg. In the story I mentioned a particular thank you note that I received from her way back in 1987, when she participated in the Seagram's Coolers U.S. Open at AMF Major League Lanes in Win-ston-Salem, North Carolina.

Now I am relatively certain that I never threw away that thank you note, but in the process of looking for the note I stumbled upon another flyer I was looking for two years ago, when I wrote a story in the May 2017 issue of BCM Magazine entitled "Good Promotions Never Grow Old."

In that article I commented about the Youth Pick-Your-Pro Tournament that I ran for many years at AMF Bowling Centers. I patterned this event after my recollection of the original promotion conducted by the Bowling Proprietors Association of America (BPAA), in conjunction with the All-Star Tournament (now known as the U.S. Open).

In the AMF version of the event, I combined the pro's scores in the AMF Grand Prix with those of the local amateur entries. We used the amateur scores for three games, combined with the professional scores from the first six game block of the Grand Prix.

As a youth bowler I remember bowling multiple times in this event, combining my scores with all of my favorite pros. When I introduced the concept at AMF Bowling Centers, I continued this multiple entry process to encourage additional revenue and publicity. What I failed to remember from the BPAA version of the tournament was that the youth participants were required to return following the pro tournament for a final three game set.

Tom Baker

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What a great opportunity this would be to promote youth bowling, by combining this idea with the successful World Series of Bowling which was highlighted every evening this week (March 18th - 22nd) on the Fox Sports 1 Television Network. While at AMF I had a captive audience of professionals that were under contract to AMF. I only hope that Tom Clark of the Professional Bowlers Association (PBA), or John Harbuck of Strike Ten and the BPAA, would salivate at the possibilities afforded the World Series of Bowling and youth keglers in 2020.

Or perhaps Bill and Barb Chrisman, who have created a stable of professional bowlers comparable to the glory days of AMF, could conduct a weekend event with pros and amateurs as part of the Storm Youth Championships schedule. With Leanne Hulsenberg as the tournament director, it can't miss! Meanwhile, I will keep looking for that thank you note from Leanne...

This Week's Puzzle Solution

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# BRAD MILLER WINS WORLD SERIES “CARANO AWARD” AS MOST IMPROVED PLAYER

Brad Miller of Lees Summit, Mo., earned the 2019 PBA Don Carano Award as the most improved player in PBA World Series of Bowling X compared to his performance in WSOB IX in Reno in 2017.

Miller, a 29-year-old seven-year PBA member, finished 41st in the 135-player field at Thunderbowl Lanes in Allen Park, Mich., moving up 99 places compared to 2017. He won the honor by a single place in the standings over Brian Robinson of Morgantown, W.Va., who finished 43rd on the overall standings after the Cheetah, Chameleon and Scorpion Championship qualifying rounds, 98 places better than his 141st place in 2017. Coincidentally, Miller and Robinson were the only two players in the 2019 field who posted higher averages than they did in the 2017 qualifying rounds. Miller averaged 209.63 for his three animal pattern events in 2019 – up 1.36 pins over 2017 – while Robinson averaged 209.33 this year compared to 208.25 – a 1.08-pin improvement over 2017.

"A lot of great things are happening this year and this just solidifies it," Miller said, referring in part to his second-place finish in the Mark Roth-Marshall Holman PBA Doubles Championship earlier in the season with partner Kyle Sherman. "From year to year I worked on my balance. Before, I didn't have a lot of leverage, so I got lower to ground and got my hand under the ball, and it's changed everything." (As a side note, Miller and Sherman have created a popular YouTube channel they are using to chronicle their PBA Tour life this year. To check it out their inside look at life on the PBA Tour, click here: [https://www.youtube.com/results?search\\_query=brad+and+kyle](https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=brad+and+kyle).)

As the winner of the second Carano award, Miller will receive a premium bottle of Ferrari Carano wine from the Carano family winery, dinner for two at Carano’s La Strada Ristorante and complimentary luxury accommodations at Eldorado or Silver Legacy Resort Casino.

Germany’s Tobias Börding won the inaugural PBA Don Carano Award in 2017, honoring the patriarch of the Carano family that was integral in the building of the National Bowling Stadium and the development of Reno’s Tri-Properties. Carano died on Oct. 3, 2017, at age 85.

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# My "MILLION DOLLAR" Challenge at CALIFORNIA ADULT STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

by Frank Weiler

OROVILLE – The 2019 California Adult State Championships kicked off March 29 and will run until June 30. The estimated prize fund from entries is \$129,000. That is a "BIG POT" of cash to compete for. Nonetheless I want to make things more interesting.

What makes anything more interesting? MULLA, MULLA, MULLA! Friends, that's MONEY, MONEY, MONEY!

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# TROUP, RASH, BARNES RECEIVE DHC PBA JAPAN INVITATIONS

The PBA field for the 2019 DHC PBA Japan Invitation-al is set with the additions of Kyle Troup, Sean Rash and Chris Barnes as team captain as invitees by the tournament sponsor. Also joining the international field of 16 will be PBA Japan Region champion Yuka Tsuchiya and a Korea PBA player to be named later.

PBA members who had previously qualified for invitations based on competition points are 2018 PBA Player of the Year Andrew Anderson, Anthony Simonsen, EJ Tackett, Kris Prather, Stuart Williams, Jason Belmonte, Marshall Kent, Bill O'Neill and Jakob Butturff. Defending DHC Japan champion Dom Barrett also will return when the 2019 event is held April 27-29 at Tokyo Port Bowl.

The international players will be joined by 16 Japanese bowlers who will qualify during a pre-tournament qualifier a week ahead of the main event. The tournament offers an estimated \$35,000 first prize plus a PBA Tour title. PBA's official live streaming partner, FloBowling, will cover the event in its entirety.

## McWilliams

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TAT!! True Amateur Tournament and it began in 2000. To celebrate the 20th Anniversary next Year. The TAT grew to a Class organization / Tournament.

It had bowlers from several countries participating. Ed was respected by all and it grew even more!!

Ed, due to his Illness trained his son Jamie to operate and direct the TAT. Ed then moved to his home in Veneta Oregon! Jamie is now doing a great job with a very fine honest tournament.

Ed went home to be with his family to battle his illness. He fought hard to the end with his tough strong demeanor and mental state, until finally passing.

Ed was a great family man. He leaves his wife Tricia, two sons Jamie and Ed Jr., Two grandsons, Wilder, and Decker and his sister Linda Recker of Newark Delaware, formerly Rowland Heights CA!

Jamie was amazed and proud of his father in his battle and strong attitude during his fatal interest!

He will be missed by all who knew him!! He is in a bet-

## Chameleon

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rosters based on previous performances in PBA League competition.

PBA League fans can begin the debate over who will fill out the team roster vacancies when the PBA League Draft is held on Monday, April 8 at Bayside Bowl. Among those hoping to make their PBA League debut in 2019 are 2018 PBA Player of the Year Andrew Anderson of Holly, Mich., and first-time PBA Tour title winners Kris Prather of Plainfield, Ill., and Matt Ogle of Louisville, Ky.

For the first time, Bayside fans will have an opportunity to attend the draft when the eight 2019 team managers complete their rosters as the draft airs live on FloBowling, PBA's official online live-streaming outlet, beginning at 1 p.m.

Leading off the draft, Portland Lumberjacks manager Tim Mack will make the first pick from a pool of players who finish in the top 40 in 2019 competition points as of Monday, April 1 by virtue of the Lumberjacks' last-place finish in the 2018 Elias Cup tournament. Choosing second will be L.A. X, followed by the Brooklyn Styles, New York City Kingpins, Motown Muscle, Dallas Strikers, Philadelphia Hitmen and defending champion Silver Lake Atom Splitters. The serpentine draft will then find the Atom Splitters making the first selection as the second round reverses the selection order. The Brooklyn Styles, who protected only two of their five 2018 rostered players, will then make the final selection to complete their five-player roster.

In order to be eligible for the draft pool, PBA members must be ranked in the top 40 in the 2019 Go Bowling! PBA Tour competition points standings at the conclusion of the 2019 USBC Masters on April 1. The PBA points list heading into the Masters is noted below, with players in bold already selected for 2019 and an asterisk identifying players who were on a 2018 roster, but not protected and therefore returned to the draft pool.

Once the PBA Playoffs point list is finalized, eligible players will have until Wednesday, April 3, to declare their intent to enter the draft. Following the draft, managers will have until Monday, April 15, to make player trades if they are so inclined.

April 8 will not only be "draft day" in Portland but will also debut the inaugural round of PBA Playoffs matches that will air later in the evening, live on FS1 at 4 p.m. The PBA Playoffs is a new Go Bowling! PBA Tour singles competition that will feature the season's top 24 players in competition points in a single-elimination match play series. The entire PBA Playoff series will air in eight FS1 telecasts in April and May, leading up to the live FOX telecasts of the semifinal and final rounds on June 1 and 2. The winner will earn a PBA Tour title and \$100,000. Bayside Bowl will host the entire PBA Playoffs series.

PBA League players will return to Bayside Bowl for the 2019 PBA League Elias Cup competition on July 16, 17 and 18. All rounds will air live on FOX Sports' FS1 in prime time.

### 2019 PBA LEAGUE TEAM ROSTERS (including players protected from 2018 rosters)

- Portland Lumberjacks (manager Mack): Ryan Ciminelli, Wes Malott, Kyle Troup.
- L.A. X (manager Andrew Cain): Jason Belmonte, Stuart Williams, Jakob Butturff.
- Brooklyn Styles (manager Johnny Petraglia): Walter Ray Williams Jr., Sean Rash.
- New York City KingPins (manager Carolyn Dorin-Ballard): Pete Weber, Marshall Kent, BJ Moore.
- Motown Muscle (manager Del Ballard Jr.): EJ Tackett, Anthony Simonsen, Josh Blanchard.
- Dallas Strikers: player-manager Norm Duke, Tommy Jones, Bill O'Neill.
- Philadelphia Hitmen (manager Jason Couch): Dom Barrett, Tom Smallwood, Matt Sanders.
- Silver Lake Atom Splitters (manager Mark Baker): Chris Barnes, Jesper Svensson, Tom Daugherty.

PBA PLAYOFFS POINTS STANDINGS	
(As of Monday, March 25; players in bold face are already members of 2019 PBA League teams; * denotes players who were on 2018 rosters and will be eligible for the 2019 draft if they finish among the top 40 in points as of April 1)	
<b>1, Jason Belmonte, Australia, 29,210</b>	<b>18, Josh Blanchard, Mesa, Ariz., 8,508</b>
<b>2, EJ Tackett, Bluffton, Ind., 17,715</b>	<b>19, Dom Barrett, England, 8,010</b>
<b>3, Jakob Butturff, Tempe, Ariz., 17,160</b>	20, *DJ Archer, Friendswood, Texas, 7,915
<b>4, Norm Duke, Clermont, Fla., 16,960</b>	<b>21, Jesper Svensson, Sweden, 7,420</b>
<b>5, Anthony Simonsen, Austin, Texas, 15,775</b>	22, Andres Gomez, Colombia, 7,190
<b>6, Sean Rash, Montgomery, Ill., 13,450</b>	23, Patrick Girard, Canada, 6,870
<b>7, Bill O'Neill, Langhorne, Pa., 13,065</b>	24, AJ Chapman, Wichita, Kan., 6,865
<b>8, Tom Daugherty, Tampa, Fla., 12,885</b>	25, Brad Miller, Lees Summit, Mo., 6,850
9, Kris Prather, Plainfield, Ill., 12,180	26, Anthony Lavery-Spahr, Pasadena, Texas, 6,830
10, *Dick Allen, Lexington, S.C., 11,985	27, Darren Tang, San Francisco, 6,685
11, *Kyle Sherman, O'Fallon, Mo., 10,640	<b>28, BJ Moore, Greensburg, Pa., 6,398</b>
<b>12, Marshall Kent, Yakima, Wash., 10,615</b>	<b>29, Tommy Jones, Simpsonville, S.C., 6,325</b>
<b>13, Wes Malott, Pflugerville, Texas, 9,818</b>	30, Nick Pate, Inver Grove Heights, Minn., 6,225
<b>14, Chris Barnes, Double Oak, Texas, 9,658</b>	<b>31, Tom Smallwood, Saginaw, Mich., 5,918</b>
<b>15, Kyle Troup, Taylorsville, N.C., 9,595</b>	<b>32, Stuart Williams, England, 5,900</b>
16, *Rhino Page, Orlando, Fla., 9,585	33, Andrew Anderson, Holly, Mich., 5,873
17, Shawn Maldonado, Houston, 8,600	34, Thomas Larsen, Denmark, 5,725

## USBC Masters

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lied to take the match, 217-199.

The first frame out of the commercial break, Peters was working on a double but went high in the sixth and left the 3-6-9-10, which he missed. Peters struck in the seventh, but Holliman popped a couple strikes in the seventh and eighth to take an 18-pin lead.

By the time the final frame came around, Holliman just needed a mark to ensure victory, and he tossed a perfect strike.

Peters moved into the semifinal with a 254-226 victory over Ireland's Chris Sloan in a match that was closer than the final score indicated.

Sloan took the lead with his third consecutive strike in the eighth frame. In the critical ninth frame, however, Sloan went a touch high and the head pin flew in front of the nine pin and left it standing. That gave Peters a chance to lock things up.

Entering the final frame, Peters needed a strike on his first shot to secure the win and he tripped the 4-9 split to get the job done.

The opening match of the stepladder featured the first tie of the season as Sloan and Mitch Hupe finished regulation knotted up at 214.

Hupe forced overtime when he left and converted the 3-6 spare and struck on the fill to end regulation. In the extra frame, Hupe had choice of lane and order as the higher seed and elected to go first. He left a light 4 pin. Sloan then stepped up and delivered a strike to advance.

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ter place now!! He was a Good Man! God rest his soul and God bless his family!

*A friend, Bob Smith formerly of the ABTA*

3:30 p.m. – Bayside Bowl rooftop "tailgate party"

7 p.m. – Quarterfinal Match One: Team #1 vs. Team #8

8 p.m. – Quarterfinal Match Two: Team #5 vs. Team #4

9 p.m. – Quarterfinal Match Three: Team #2 vs. Team #7

10 p.m. – Quarterfinal Match Four: Team #6 vs. Team #3

### Wednesday, July 17

9 p.m. – Semifinal Match One: Winner Match One vs. Winner Match Two

10 p.m. – Semifinal Match Two: Winner Match Three vs. Winner Match Four

### Thursday, July 18

9 p.m. – Elias Cup Championship: Winner Semifinal One vs. Winner Semifinal Two





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# Bowling Calendar

by Bette Addington

## April

Now-7/7 – 2019 USBC Open Championships, South Point, Las Vegas, bowl.com  
Now – Registration opened on Mar. 9 for 2020 USBC Open Championships that will be held at the National Bowling Stadium, Reno, NV, Bowl.com/OpenChamp

Now-6/30 – 2019 CUSBC 14th Adult State Championships, Tyme to Bowl Lanes, Oroville, calusbc.com  
4 – Entry deadline for 13th So CA Tri-Senates Match (4/13 at Keystone Lanes), 310/762-9589, erichardson2@sbcglobal.net  
4-7 – Xframe Bowling Tourn., The Orleans, Las Vegas, 909/702-3369, 562/228-3960  
6 – Columbia 300 Harley's Valley Bowl Scratch 8 Gamer, 5:30pm, Harley's Valley Bowl, Simi Valley, 805/415-7018  
6 – HammerPins Sport Pattern Challenge Series 4 Gamer, Handicap & Scratch, 7pm, AMF Rocklin Lanes, 916/521-3524  
6 – West Coast Senior Tour Singles, Oak Tree Lanes, Diamond Bar, wcstour@yahoo.com  
6 – CBT, No-Tap, Valencia Lanes, 10am, 12 noon & 2pm, Newhall, cbtbowling.com, 661/468-3796  
6-7 – Modesto Masters, McHenry Bowl, Modesto, 209/571-2695  
6-7 – 45th Diablo Seniors Tournament, Paddock Bowl, Pachecho, 925/757-2695  
6-14 – RSVP Window to register online for 2019 CA Pepsi Youth State Finalists, calusbc.com (State Finals May 4-5 at Double Decker Lanes in Rohnert Park)  
7 – Bowling for Pets/S.A.I.N.T. Charity Tourn., 1pm, Riverside Lanes, Laughlin, 1/888/590-2695  
7 – JAT, 9am, PBA Challenge #4, Del Rio Lanes, Downey, bowljat.org  
8 – PBA Tour Playoffs (Rd. of 24), 4pm, FS1  
9 – Bowlero Elite Series, 6pm-8pm, NBCSN

12-14 – PBA/PBA50 Earl Anthony Memorial West/NoWest Open, Earl Anthony's Dublin Bowl, 928/828-7550, earlathonydublinbowl.com  
13 – 13th So. CA Tri-Senates TNBA Tri-Senates Match, 11am & 3pm, Keystone Lanes, Downey, 310/762-9589  
13 – Silver Foxes Tournament, 10:30am check-in; bowl at 12, Black Oak, Sonoma, 559/381-0356  
13 – CCUSBC Bowl for the Cure 5-person Team Tourn., 2pm, Bowlero, Clovis, 559/970-7245, bftcfresno@gmail.com  
13 – Spring Fling 5-Gamer Tournament (Handicap & Scratch), 12 noon, AMF Orchard Lanes, Chico, 530/343-2081

13-14 – 45th Diablo Seniors Tournament, Paddock Bowl, Pachecho, 925/757-2695  
14 – CCUSBC Jr./Adult Swiss Tourn., 10am, Freeway Lanes, Selma, 559/827-7462  
14 – MSC Scratch 8 Gamer, 12pm, Mira Mesa Lanes, San Diego, 858/578-0500, miramesalanes.com  
14 – NCJET Youth Tourn., 10am, Seal Bowl, Pacifica, norcaljrelitetour@gmail.com  
15 – PBA Tour Playoffs, (Rd. of 24), 5pm, FS1  
20 – Gold Pin Scratch 6-Gamer, 1pm, Earl Anthony's Dublin Bowl, 925/828-7550

20-6/29 – 2019 USBC Women's Championships/Celebrating 100 Years, Wichita, KS, bowl.com  
21 – Easter Sunday  
22 – PBA Tour Playoffs, (Rd. of 16), 6pm, FS1  
28 – GameTimeBowlers, 11am, Bowlium Lanes, Montclair, 844/228-8539  
28 – HammerPins Mixed Team Tourn., 10am, Harvest Park Bowl, Brentwood, hammerpins.net  
28 – San Joaquin Bowling Club, format TBD, Bowlero, Clovis, 559/385-8837  
28 – Scratch 6-Gamer, 12 noon, Yosemite Lanes, Modesto, 209/524-9161

28-5/3 – BPAA Summit, bowlinguniversity.net  
29 – PBA Tour Playoffs, (Rd. of 16), 6pm, FS1  
29-5/2 – 2019 USBC Convention and Annual Meeting, The Orleans, Las Vegas, bowl.com  
29-5/2 – Camp Bakes #30, Sunset Station, Henderson, NV, markbakerbowling.com  
30 – Deadline for Collegiate Expo IV – for high school bowler, (7/7-10), Detroit, MI, turbogrips.com

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# Wow! Did He Just Do That Again?

by Fred Eisenhammer

WINNETKA – Bruce Zietz trudged back to his seat after converting the insanely difficult 4-10 split and beamed.

"Unbelievable," he said.

Then on the next frame, Zietz converted another insanely difficult split.

Two conversions of ridiculous splits in back-to-back frames!

The second time, the 79-year-old Zietz nailed the 4-7-10 split in nearly identical fashion as the previous frame – sliding the 4 pin all the way across the lane and upending the 10.

This happened during Zietz's weekly foray in the Funtimers senior league on March 27 at Winnetka Bowl – in the seventh and eighth frames of his final game of his three-game series.

"It was a real outlier," said Zietz, a retired highly successful oncologist from West Hills. "I've bowled a lot of games and I've never seen it."

In fact, longtime bowling observer Karl Kurtz said it was a remarkable feat and that he could think of only one comparable performance – by superstar Charles Kenny, who made two dazzling splits in one night, including the 7-10 and Big 4 – but they were not back-to-back.

Zietz, who has bowled a 279 and averages 172, said he actually tried to convert both splits. "I was thinking about hitting the 10 [on the first split] for practice but then I thought it was doable," Zietz said.

The right-handed Zietz oh-so-gently brushed the 4 pin on the left side with his shot, sending the 4 rolling oh-so-slowly toward the right gutter where it barely upended the 10. On his spare shot in the next frame, Zietz didn't leave so much drama – squarely popping the 10 pin with the 4.

"I'd rather throw a 250, but at my age, I'm just happy to get up in the morning," laughed Zietz, who bowls three leagues a week.



Bruce Zietz made back-to-back incredibly difficult splits at the Funtimers senior league at Winnetka Bowl.

Photo by Fred Eisenhammer

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4/7 - Del Rio Lanes  
Downey - PBA Challenge #4  
5/5 - Keystone Lanes  
Norwalk - Adult/Member Dbls  
Handicap and Scratch Division  
5/26 - Forest Lanes  
Lake Forest - Memorial Day  
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**Sunday, April 7**  
**PBA Challenge #4**  
**Del Rio Lanes - Downey**  
**Final event of the**  
**PBA Challenge Series**

**Sunday, May 5**  
**Keystone Lanes**  
**Adult/Member Doubles**  
**Scratch & Handicap Divisions**  
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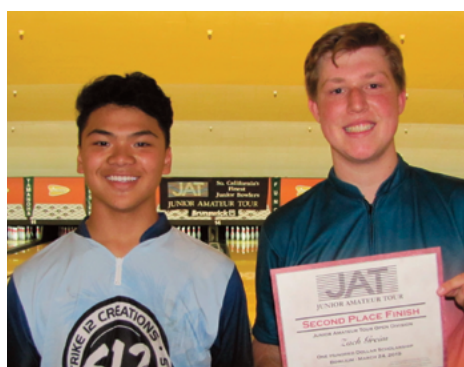
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Max Castillo, 3rd Pamela Faller



**3/24 Preps Division**  
3rd Ronnie Castillo, Champion Stephanie Hong,  
2nd Connor Boehm and 5th Destiny Aguilar  
(4th Nicholas Hockman not pictured)

**Next event: April 7th**  
**PBA Challenge #4**  
**Del Rio Lanes**

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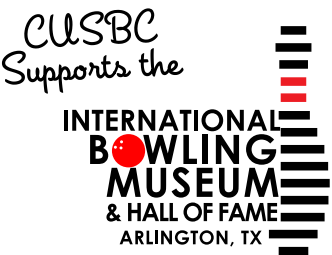
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# 1989 - PART 3

by Carol Mancini

**Our 1989 column is packed with pictures, scores, stories, comments and personnel views. Come along!**

- Mickey Cogan shot 300 at **Gable House**! Did he get a check for \$300? When did he find time to bowl?
- TRIVIA on page 9..."What fictional characters words have been translated into the most languages?" Give up? Do you really care? I'll tell you anyway...Mickey Mouse! The editor of the Bowling News would fill up the space with the most anything.
- Here comes another TRIVIA! "What is the record for the most consecutive splits by an individual?" 12 by a guy in Detroit.
- The "all knowing" Vern Reilly held the office of California M.B.A secretary. He had the nack of remembering names. Stockton was his summer "home" in 1989 for the men's tournament.
- Robin Romeo won back to back LPBT Opens. The latest against Michelle Muller. Her \$20,000 check was an eye opener. How much is that per hour?
- **Aztec Bowl** scheduled a Mother's Day Special Tournament called "Rabble Rouser" It was a 4 gamer. Game one, a 7 count was a strike, game two an 8 count was a strike, game three a 9 count was a strike, and you guessed it...the fourth game 10 pins down on the first ball was a strike.
- Don Drooker received the Bowling Proprietors Presidents Award for outstanding service.
- Top junior award winners for 1989; David Cogswell, Ed Nevill, Steve Smith. Barry Asher was guest presenter. Dewann Clark was GLAJAS Director and banquet host.
- Kessler (Liquor) sponsored a PBA stop at **Town Square Lanes**. Not long after, no liquor or beer companies were allowed to sponsor. No ads, no shirts, no nutton!
- Scorekeepers for the Women's State Tournament at **Rowland Bowl** were making \$100 a week-end.
- Over 400 bowlers attended the Bowling Writers awards banquet. Juniors, ladies, and fellows were honored for their performances in the past year.
- Fun facts- bowling has more registered, dues paying members than any other sport in the world. Over 100 million people bowl at least one game a year. There are more than 150,000 lanes in 8000 centers in the U.S. Annual bowling income around the world is 5 billion dollars! Annual prize money paid: \$2,600,000,000!! Seven million games a day are rolled around the world. I wonder what stats there are in 2019!!?
- Over 30 Pro Shops advertise weekly.
- **Linbrook Bowl's** latest fun event was called "Black Magic." Use a black ball? Turn out the lights? Paint the pins black? Put up \$8.50 and take a chance.
- Johnnie Englehart was the LABA Masters Champ at **Canoga Park** He had more pictures in the News than Earl Anthony!
- Mr. Santa Claus "Lou Kasnick" always gave the Donkee winner a new ball. This year it was the Rhino. Cippy Cake won in May.
- Crazy ad by "Career Search Associates." "If you are male or female-if you are white, black, yellow, red, orange or green....send us your resume or call." I believe they were looking for Bowling Managers!
- Mark Fisser won PCB Whitlock Open.
- Kevin Cogan- **Gable House** Cogans was racing Indy cars in the 80's. He crashed in Indianapolis, but was ok.
- Jojo Pagkalinawan won the "Happy Bowlers Tour" at **Shatto**. How did they get his name on the trophy?
- **Brunswick Foothill Lanes** opened their doors for business on June 9. Steve Serblic was General Manager.
- **Missile Bowl** in Gardena celebrated their 30 years "in Orbit" 1959-1989.
- Beautiful Adele Dancel had a big smile after winning the Happy Bowlers Tour at **Shatto 39**, with a one dollar ball she purchased used! Her \$2,000 win didn't go for another ball.
- **Azusa Bowl** advertised a new tournament (for them) called "The Hot Pot". Somebody forgot that Nick Mancini invented the "Hot Pot" and ran it every Saturday night for 4 years.

**We have turned half the pages for 1989.**

**Boy, what a trip!**

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WINNETKA – Hello to all and welcome to the monthly Winnetka Bowl House Column reporting the high scores and happenings for the month of March.

Congratulations to the winning team from our annual Junior Alumni Tournament. Ken McElvaney, Daniel Giegoldt, Matt Hall and Ardani Rodas were the top team. Also congrats to Jesse Chastain for his **300** game. Any member of the current or past Winnetka Bowl or Canoga Park Bowl junior programs is eligible to participate. We host this event annually and hope to see more alumni next year.

Summer leagues are now forming. Now is the time to sign up as some leagues are filling fast. Stop by or give us a call at 818.340.5190.

Here are the league high scores from March:

**PHIL-AM:** Philip Manuel 257-644, Jamie Beeler 254-622, Jhunn Alejandro 225-604, Jesus Gutierrez 221-603, Helen Ventenilla 180-474, Valerrhe Guterrez 179-471.

**KINGS & QUEENS** (youth sport – 4 games): Bing Lau 202-745, Pamela Fallor 203-735, Timothy Kessler 205-721.

**AN AVERAGE LEAGUE:** Congratulations to League Champion Mike Kulisch. High scores for the final week came from Tom Leigh 231-639, Mike Kulisch 242-637, Jonny Wolke 235-627, Jerome Tellio 225-621, Nicholas Huang 230-616, Lynn Matsubara 225-575.

**VAN NUYS EAGLES:** Matt Hall 247-717, Vincent Hall 246-692, Tom Leigh 246-681, Lolita Newchurch 187-476, Roxanne Leigh 163-476, Georgina Lopez 168-473.

**49'ERS SENIOR:** Les Pease 235-675, Bruce Zietz 226-582, John Drew 202-558, Jerry More 223-547, Diana Walden 183-524, Buenafe Holbrook 178-510.

**MONDAY NITE MADNESS:** Wayne McClean 247-704, Jerome Hampton 222-651, Steven Schulkin 266-628, Arlene Dempsey 167-469, Michelle Salazar 168-448.

**RIVER MANIACS:** Winter League Champions: “3 Stooges Plus 1” – Chris George, Larry George, Bruce Zietz & Bob Adams. High scores from: John Englehart 289-789, Robert Pellicci 245-701, and Rosa Oliva 199-560. Summer league opening night scores: John Englehart 300-786, Justin Pluchino 266-749, Robert Pellicci 713, Mike Olson 264-705, Julia Frias 254-669, Monise Kelly 242-631.

**470 TRAVEL:** Darlene Redman 235-647, Laura Justman 208-575, Petra Kaun 210-571, Sylvia Hedding 226-570.

**ELLEN'S COMEDIANS:** Drew Stern 290-827, Justin Pluchino 299-814, Alex Schwartz 257-730, Anthony Sharpsteen 284-729, Michael Pollack 718, Daniel Husby 705, Jay Buffington 268-700, Sun Buffington 246-616, Irma Geddes 226-596, Martha Evans 220-555.

**GUYS & DOLLS:** Rick Stine 258-750, Jude Niles 276-728, Len Comden 246-700, Ernie Luera 255-698, Joe Curry 278-688, Jamie Beeler 672, Tracy Stine 192-545, Jeneane Walker 191-541, Buenafe Holbrook 178-520.

**FUNTIMERS:** Larry George 257-693, Ed Wannomae 634, Mike Paganelli 235-627, Ruben Ferrel 224-603, Don Constable 276-602, Pam Lind 198-553, Barbara Vaccarello 199-495.

**C.C.A.:** Marcia Logan 264-664, Janine Ewing 245-632, Bo Fogel 215-589, Olivia Mora 205-588, Nancy Kato 208-577.

**MIXED CLASSIC HANDICAP:** Karl Kurtz 279-795, Justin Pluchino 300-791, Jeff Owens 279-784, Sam Amaral 268-769, Sean Allen 266-767, Patrick Michaels 749, Dean Sarrocco 277-748, Johnny Rojas 266-742, Colby Noji 257-738, David Jaques 276-730, Frank Chiodo 266-737, Kraig Orosco 732, Jay Bejar 279-727, Jesse Chastain 287-728, Ed Chow 724, Randy Page 712, Scott Lemmen 706, John Ross 300-706, Julia Frias 280-705, Tom Everitt 279-703.

**COPPER BUCKET:** Mike Morrell 279-721, Tom Borrelli 254-656, Tim Edwards 255-651, Steve Borosich 237-609, Rusty Yeager Jr. 217-606, Vicki Sattler 195-463.

**500 CLASSIC:** Christine Drew 246-664, Patti Ehart 214-568, Fran Brandt 201-562, Cindy Dominguez 210-557, Medy Fernandez 207-550.

**39'ERS SENIOR:** Les Pease 232-655, Joe Argento 222-632, Robert Adams 233-629, Jerry Kanowitz 242-628, Jim Land 224-625, Darlene Redman 199-540, Trish Carpenter 179-500.

**THIRSTY NITE OUT:** Adam Lew 278-792, Carl Comrie 278-788, Daniel Barkin 259-747, Patrick Michaels 266-735, Steve Shaevel 257-685, Jeff Owens 244-670, Dorothy Bell 214-609, Jill Williamson 223-552, Pili Apana 209-535.

**ST. CYRILS:** Ray Plasse 224-640, Howard Bender 228-559, Jerry Simmons 197-558, Monica Wade 217-488, Barbara Slevin 187-473, Cathy Pia 176-473.

**SFVCC NIKKEI:** George Parker 257-749, Matt Parker 286-728, Randy Page 257-723, Bing Lau 269-709, Gary Yamamoto 232-668, Sam Mitchell 242-665, Pei Eto 205-579, Sandra Yamamoto 199-576, Miki Lau 187-554.

**JUNIOR ROYALS:** Ardani Rodas 262-733, Sabrina Tan 265-723, Blake Jozwiakowski 279-717, William Wales 707, Justin Erickson 241-670, Jacey Opiana 253-665, Tyler Orosco 255-629.



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DIAMOND BAR — Our winter leagues are ending and the summer leagues will be starting soon. Our Summer schedule is out. Stop by, pick one up and see which league works for you. The senior leagues will be starting on Tuesday morning April 23 and Thursday April 25. They both bowl at 10 am with 3 on a team, any combo and only pay \$11.00 a week. You have to be 50 years or older to join the fun. We have a new Laughlin league that will be starting on Wednesday nights, meeting May 8th at 7 pm and starting May 15th bowling at 7 pm. This will be a certified league mixed 4 and will sweep in mid Oct.

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## La Habra “300” Bowl

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**SUNDAY – Vegas Rollers:** Richard Delgado 267, Sheldon Shapiro 257/728, Johnny Duran 226, Celso Alhambra 616, Alexis Gioia 246/626, Traci Gioia 216. **Wally's Vegas Cruise:** David Rogers 225, Albert Valdez 224, Simon Kim 223/634, Christie Foster 201.

**MONDAY – Lake Parkers:** Al Scudellari 215, Ron Coke Sr. 213, Bob Marshel 211, Becky Simon 207. **Golden Awards:** Larry Green 244/602, Willie Ford 237, Carl Brooks 233, Glen Shelton 611. **Whittier Elks:** Mark Knight 275, Jason Amaro 264/662, Dave Stiltz 245/620, Clint Meche 618, Tee Delgado 248/662, Marcia Buettner 214. **Gamblers Fun:** Randy Vasquez 231/600, Michael Keeton 231, Gary Wingett 228, Bill Kessler 627, Barbara Griffin 206.

**TUESDAY – Glenbrook Gals:** Penny Bird 212, Kathy Tielrooy 203. **Friendly Seniors:** Phil Brewer 223/601, Larry McCurry 205. **Pedagogues:** Bob Ward 233/617, Vern Harmon 203. **Ageless Wonders:** Tom Denker 246, Dean Burdett 225, David Warren 208/603, Stephanie Carroll 201. **Guys & Dolls:** Erik Sanchez 259/637, Howard Lavoot 246/608, Bill Moore 231, Gabe Cruz 612.

**WEDNESDAY – Silver Foxes:** Ed Jamison 245, Fred Reinecke 233, John Saltmeris 224, Starla Battiest 215/600, Jackie Head 215. **American Nation Can:** Edgar Cadena 256/621, Ray Mankins Jr. 236, Jeremy Carmichael 235/609, English 625, Karen Balicki 213.

**THURSDAY – Early Birds:** Carol Wolf 202. **Sunset Rollers:** Jeff Stansell 222, Bill Scherger 209, Jim Ragsdale 203, Paul Sanchez 203. **Frank's Gold Cup:** Richard Tucker 289/770, Brandon Kraye 268/739, Kirk Keith 267, Joe Wilhite 744.

**FRIDAY – Vegas Gamblers:** Rick Vanderhaar 295, Matt Ward 290/728, Leo Moreno 290, Ken Maxey Jr. 767, Marlow Dinger 736, Sharon Westerhold 237, Ines Otbo 231, Jackie Lotspeich 216.

Until next week, GOOD LUCK and HIGH SCORING!



## Pickwick Bowl

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BURBANK – After a grueling weekend of computer based tax filing and the madness therein, I will be happy to get back to the important & simple things in life...knocking down pins!

**Senior Swingers:** 2 weeks. (scr) Kelly McDonough 243, Bob Shimp 223, Seiki Tluczek 200, Mary Langer 175, Rick Langer 612, Andre Giancomelli 541, Mary Langer 516, Josie Pemberton 504. (hdcp) Bob Shimp 260, Dick Bay 248, Susan Jones 236, Kay Samuels 258, Robert Cornett 724, Kelly McDonough 741, Josie Pemberton 629, Sydney Heins 625.

**Monday 710-Telco:** 2 weeks. (scr) Setu Molia 241, Roger Desgroseilliers 238, Helen Owens 182, Michelle Marx 170, Steven Sinn 627 & 627, Jusy Lamb 498 & 473. (hdcp) Bob Hazzard 260, Bob Owen 257, Alice Compere 247, Barbara Jimenez 224, Ron Bularz 705, Arturo Toro 681, Joan Hagerty 654, Ramona Rainey 637.

**Disney League:** (scr) Diego Carmona 505, Lisa Robertiello 480, George Chatigny 224, Janet Hedke 178. (hdcp) Jim McKenzie & Nate Yellig 641, Christine Kang 710, Anthony Vazquez 261, Sydney Bossert 255.

**Orbits:** 2 weeks. (scr) Cathy Stevens 177, Jan Levitt & Jennifer Lambertus 185, Vicki Olivia 497, Jan Levitt 488. (hdcp) Sara Camp 231, Catherine Noonan 221, Gini McLoud 639, Tina Raskin 624.

**Guys & Dolls:** 2 weeks. (scr) Dylan Jimenez 256, Jim Viskocil 245, Colleen Holz 181, Peggy Eklund 210, Rick Trinh 658, Trevor Wakefield 681, Colleen Simpson 585, Ramona Gardner 602. (hdcp) Roger Desgroseilliers 271, Andy Holquin 301, Neysa Ziegler 274, Danica McMahon 258, Mike Martin 731, Robert Farias 768, Danica McMahon 705, Christie Mochinaga 741.

**Wed Night Hdcp:** 2 weeks. (scr) Andrew choy 265, Bill Moser 257, Amber Ball 210, Alexis Arnold 215, Stephen Warren 703, Nanding Cotangco 663. (hdcp) Richard Cate 296, Spencer Brock 309, Laura Baltazar 280, Olivia Tilleard 285, Spencer Brock 814, Adam Lew 757, Danielle Reid 724 & 752.

**Senior Foursome:** (scr) Fred Lampa 183, Kathy Lilliquist 158, Richard Andersen 532, Cheryl Mikels 464. (hdcp) Jesse Menez 251, Tessie Lampa 228, Jose Rocha 687, Julie Peters 655.

**Thursday 910:** (scr) Aaron Hodges 246, Olivia Tilleard 190, Anthony Martinez 684, Stephanie Rakers 604. (hdcp) Trevor Wakefield 263, Rose White 257, Spencer Brock 710, Crissy Gianficaro 752. Until next time...keep the ball rollin'!

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Now onto this week's scores:

**Vegas Bound:** Scr: 729 Peter Ruiz, 708 Bryce Wilson, 599 Margie Acevedo, 592 Shellie Camarata, 222 Lindsay Tippings, 221 Gail Gilchrist, 267 Brian Jacobo, 259 Tyler Salverda and Team: 2916 4 Beards & A Mustache .

**Club 55:** Hdcp: 694 Jim Hernandez, 656 Joe Codorniz, 662 Jeannie Taylor, 658 Malou David, 242 Darla Lloyd, 219 JoAnn Cunningham, 247 Randy Yee, 243 Dick Kakuta and Team: 1973 One Ball.

**TAT X-Frame:** Scr: 688 Bryce Wilson, 685 Don Laguardia, 564 Wendy Kwan, 513 Eleanor Carandang, 222 Tess Dizon, 172 Bonnie Chan, 255 Noll Angeles, 245 Remy Alkonga and Team: 1883 Team 7.

**Crazy 4 Vegas:** Scr: 661 Alex McKendall, 446 Julie Stricker, 231 Tim Herron, 158 Lisa Lowe and Team: 1989 Throw the Damn Ball.

**Chamber & Friends:** Scr: 668 Steve Dolphin, 622 Peter Ruiz, 484 Monica Jackson, 478 Heidi Boothe, 187 Pat Mitas, 179 Theresea Botello, 248 Brian Behounek, 216 Mike Bennett, and Team: 2621 Huggers .

**Young @ Heart:** Hdcp: 658 Don Don Diamond, 608 Tony Thousand, 685 Diane Harris, 676 Malou David, 289 Renee Dominguez, 251 Meg Marcelo, 250 Dante Montenegro, 246 Randy Yee and Team: 1969 Team 1 .

**Pinheads:** Scr: 521 Ace Chelsea, 494 El Trump Moore, 537 Susan Lotz, 437 Kim Camarena, 262 Don Lindsay, 180 Richard Lotz, 175 Debi Moore, 154 Anna McArdle, and Team: 1938 Triple Ds.

**Let it Ride:** Scr: 645 Jason Luck 613 Bobby Nakatani Sr, 520

# CAL BOWL BOWLING REPORT

by Heather Dawson

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LAKEWOOD — I don't know about you, but I don't believe anything anyone has to say on April 1st...However, these scores are no joke!

**Cal Bowlers:** This league wins FREE COFFEE. Every team has a catchy name. Congrats to the weekly side pot winners: Game 1. Carol Fischer 268, Game 2. Van Horn Cheryl Hilton 209, Game 3. Denise Baker 253. Carole Fischer 590, Anna VonMuegge 524, Darlene Horn 524, Donna Gillespie 211, Cheryl Hilton 209, Bheth Alcayde 198.

**Senior Men's Trio:** That wasn't thunder last Wednesday, that was Tony Leavell celebrating his first 300 game!!! Congrats! Tony Leavell 300/687, Paul Staff 269, Rob Kordich 268/713, Don Gardner 268, Willie Brightmon 264, Mark Rametta 738, Herman Ferguson 718, Rich Kelly 706.

**Recycled Teens:** These Seniors bowl like they are Juniors! Boylee Inocente 246-203/618, Jim Plante 219/583, Jojo Jasmin 210/537, Ricky Simpson 203, Ron Leidholdt 192/537, Jorge Fernandez 190-190/544, Lu Anthony 219-191/580, Adela Santos 210/506, Anna VonMuegge 199/528, Doll Liggon 191, Joanne Burke 184-184/525.

**Young at Heart:** “Team Mates” are hanging on to a first place spot by one half of a game!!! Rey Santos 248/604, Anthony Leavell 244-225/670, Earl Hullett 237/607, Jimmy Hamilton 235/651, Ron McClain Sr 234/579, Josh Hudson 231/677, Fale Sula 599, Betty McDiarmid 206/521, Dee Phipps 202-192/542, Tua Sula 191-184/515, Cheryl Hilton 183/477, Carla Dean 182/519, Wilma Johnson 468.

**Gobs and Gals:** Teams 22 and 9 are tied at the top. Let the games begin!! Chris Eguilos 719, Jonathan Gale 699, Fred Catamisan 697, Stephanie Zavala 686, Daryllynn Davis 639, Donna Owens 593, DeAndro Banks 267, Samuel Quezada 267, Brandon Grant 258, Mike Calvillo 258, Carl Labayan 258, Shirley Owens 239, LaSandra Chaney 237, Dawn Stephens 224.

**Mini Couples:** Captain Karen is sending her team to the top of the league sheet. Go Girl! Bill Dennis 640, Danny Peramaki 574, Richard Chambers 563, Emily Burchman 603, Kathleen Stein 461, Avelina Cumbis 449, Bob Hutto 268, Rudy Tomaneng 204, Ron Ipijan 203, Orrelle Dennis 194, Mary Vieira 165, Karen Walker 159.

**Grandmas and Grandpas:** Yo Team 4....How about a team name? Chris VanDeven 196-183-179/558, Paul Morrisson Jr 191-182/507, Henry Hom 180/502, Billy Williams 178/497, Richard Greesman 178, Jim Young 178, Walter Gist 468, Walter Milsap 467, Lu Anthony 227/538, Joanne Burke 201/521, Del Stewart 182/516, Anna VonMuegge 176/478, Donna May 169-168/483.

**Big Bear:** Happy April Birthday to Dee Phipps and Mark Fowler! Louis Whitlock 289/700, Mike Villarreal 268/714, Jamie Carringotn 258/728, Harold Dubose 258/708, Donny Dew 256/678, Ken Seiple Jr 249, David Patterson 247, Steve Clark 692, Jonathan Gale 683, Ebony Hamilton 212, Shirley Owens 211/593, Sue Cant 204-203/556, Carol Egenias 204-201/560, Dee Phipps 200, Delores Reynolds 557, Michelle Criswell 546.

**C.A.U.L.:** CAUL equals Can Always Use Love. And the pins were showing a lot of love this week. Eli Vega 290/720, Andy Clark 277-255/754, Alan Nyberg 266/630, Rich Dahmen 256/658, Jimmy Hall 255/642, Nick Munoz 647, LaSandra Chaney 224-177/565, Felisha Loudermill 198/500, Virginia Hall 181/464, Teri Friend 172/478.

**Pin Heads:** Tom Komadina 207-171/535, Jerry Waken 181/481, Bruce Brown 178, Chuck Appleberry 167-161-158/486, Diane Robles 229/589, Mel Leach 202/512, Ashley Brown 192/475, Connie Lynsky 174, Stacy Kelly 172/492.

**Funsters:** The only fun in this league this week was by the 10 pin...Vic Santos 608, Roland Sanchez 594, Ramon Celiz 589, Danne VanHorn 534, Leona Belletti 511, Carla Sanchez 480, Carl Jueschke 230, Boylee Inocente 224, Jim Plante 223, Tua Sula 196, Odette Dalton 185, May Toledo 176.

**Bowling Buddies:** The X in “x-rated” is really for strike! Dan Ewaskey 538, Bill Kiker 426, Merrie Slagley 437, Christine Ewaskey 402, Rick Ewaskey 202, Debbie Berardini 163.

**V.A. League:** Welcome new team 7. Now we just need a team 8. Invite a friend. And pick a team name. Donn Cusio 648, Joe Morse III 547, David Goodman 482, Tim Shupien 382, Nancy Magruder 450, Sharrie Shupien 365, Courtney Clay 327, Brian Baesafra 205, Mike Ventura 189, Daniel Miller 179, Lovely Florenza 153, Lynn Bulsonbut 131.

**Laughlin Bowler Bears:** Laughlin Bears better shed their winter coats before the sweeper in Laughlin. Jaime Grabinski 255/623, Thomas Tucay 249/597, John Ferlazzo 237/599, Jonathan Gale 234-224-223/681, Ashlee Ravaglia 202/480, Isabel Garcia 191/519, Sharon Salg 189-178/513, Anita Ward 495.

**Sierra Bugs:** Ladies Rule! They are all Lucky Lady Bugs. Cheryl Hilton 198/480, Rose Belton 191-179/531, Linda Kinney 180/486, Linda Maldonado 178/500, Stephanie Graves 177/469, Connie Wood 176/502, Darlene Boyce 490, Sandy Wright 481. That's all for this week.

Sancha Acevedo, 500 Linda Tippings, 247 Latino Guerrero, 236 Mick Kalmar, 194 Cece Vanthill, 172 Jessica Wood, and Team: 2476 Shyyts Weak.

**Happy Stokers:** Scr: 440 Lance Clifford, 287 Leah Washington, 186 Ryan Phipps, 146 Mary Cellian, and Team: 998 Team 8.

**Fil-Am:** Scr: 686 Joseph Sarreal Jr, 674 Bryce Wilson, 569 Vanessa Huertas, 609 Beth Quibin, 237 Dennis Santillan, 236 George Chang, 200 Jennifer Chai, 192 Vance Escueta and Team: 2628 No More Joey.

**TBYBP Pinheads:** Scr: 398 Erynne Jones, 388 Ivan Rogers, 127 Ariana Chavez, 108 Jacob Oliva and Team: 1250 Fireball Strikers.

**TBYBP Rug Rats:** Scr: 148 Neel Kankariya, 82 Elijah Villareal, and Team: 227 Red Titins.

**TBYBP Pin Pals:** Scr: 243 Lucas Villareal, 87 Joshua Villareal and Team: 469 Ocean Cruizes.

**TBYBP Jr/Adult Strike Force:** Scr: 501 Bella Roseli, 394 Nicholas Dorn, 139 Alex Lopez, Adult: 490 Nick Scalise and Team: 1952 Misfits.

**TBYBP Jr Gold:** Scr: 712 Tre Mitchell, 536 Sarah Lee, 126 Aaliyah Christian, 231 Dominic Fisher and Team: 1360 Pin Crushers.

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**Buddy's Bowling Supply Takes The Fourth Round Title**

by David Yamauchi

DOWNEY – The Brunswick Invitational wrapped up the fourth round on Monday night ending the seven-week stretch on the USBC 2018 Nationals Pattern. Only three teams were in contention going into the set with Buddy's Bowling Supply needing only ½ point to add their name to the list of round winners.

In the 'A' match, **Buddy's Bowling Supply** was sitting on a 5-point lead in the round with just 5 points left up for grabs. They needed to take just ½ point from **Professional Approach** to lock things up. Professional Approach made it interesting as they took the first two games and kept it close the last game, but in the end it was Buddy's taking a 51 pin win in Game 3 to take the round by one point. Buddy Lucas led Buddy's with a 565 set while Arnold Cheesman was solid for Professional Approach with a 597 series. Congratulations to Buddy's Bowling Supply as they join the other round winners with a guaranteed spot in the roll-offs!

In the 'B' match, **Keystone Lanes** was also sitting 5 back and trying to sweep **Captain Morgan** to have a slim chance to get into a tiebreaker should Professional Approach sweep the top match. Keystone Lanes came out striking and did their job sweeping Captain Morgan and had to wait and watch the 'A' match to see if they had a chance. It wasn't enough to get into a tiebreaker as Buddy's took the last game. Stephanie Zavala was huge for Keystone with a 641 series while Donell Carter paced Captain Morgan with a 621 set.

The round-winners were pulled out of the position round for the final week matching up overall win's leader **Century 21-PEAK** with high pin total **Cal Bowl**. **Sysco** bowled in the matchup one pair to the right against Buddy's Bowling Supply's scores for points. Century 21-PEAK took 4 from Cal Bowl to extend their season lead to 5.5 games over Cal. Sysco took 1.5 wins against Buddy's Bowling Supply's scores as the round winners get ready to face each other for the next 8 weeks.

**DV8** and **Junior Amateur Tour** matched up for what seemed to be the millionth time this season. Both teams were out of contention and looking for some wins to help in the Wild Card race. J.A.T. came out strong taking the first game by 126 and cruised from there to a 5-0 win.

Anthony Santos again paced J.A.T. with a 624 set while Spanky Rosales led DV8 with a 586 set.

**3 Olives Vodka** and **Threadworks** paired up in the next match, both sitting at .500 with 15-15 records on the ledger. 3 Olives barely took the first game with a 1-pin win then squeaked out another game by 1-pin for a 2-0 lead but only a 2 pin lead for totals. Threadworks came back to take the last game by 39 and totals for the 3-2 win. Mikey Villarreal was big for 3 Olives with a 655 set while Chris Hefner paced Threadworks with a 588 series.

**Bowling Guys** and **Forest Lanes** were matched up with both teams looking for a big set for sweeper doubles. Bowling Guys came out strong taking game one, dropped game two, but came back for the third game win and totals. Kevin Jones was huge for Bowling Guys with a 669 series while sub Tony Brunning led Forest with a 577 set.

**Bowlum** matched up with **Don Julio Tequila** and their matching 11-19 records. Bowlum came out with a triple-digit win in Game 1 and cruised to a 5-0 win. Danny Wilson led Bowlum with a 613 set while Sophia Kim paced Don Julio with a 542 series.

**Tito's Handmade Vodka, Linders Insurance** and **Herzog Insurance** rounded out the bowling on Monday. Linder's took 4 wins, Tito's took 1 win and Herzog took 1 win in the matches. Joey Hanna paced Linder's with a 589 set, Will Hinckley was high for Tito's with a 542 series and Herzog was led by Nacho Vega's 542.

Financial Advisor's pot went to Stephanie Zavala (244) for \$185 with 2nd going to Kevin Valmonte (234) for \$100. Sidepots went to Jon Huff (244) and Stephanie Zavala (244) for \$49 each with second going to Kurt Arakaki (222) for \$20 and Mikey Villarreal and Donell Carter (233) \$10 each. SuperPot was paid to Leonard Ruiz Jr. (237) for \$167 with Gabriel Martinez (224) taking 2nd for \$40. Anthony Santos takes Clean 30 Pot, nobody else was clean entire round!

The order of the shots for the Wild Card round were drawn. The order will be 3-4-3-2-1-1-4-2.

Come on down and see some of Southern California's greatest bowlers battle as they start the Wild Card round on the long 46' pattern Monday night at 8:30 at Del Rio Lanes. See you all next week!

**TOP TEN TEAMS ROUND 4**

Buddy's Bowling Supply	26	Captain Morgan	19
Keystone Lanes	25	Cal Bowl \$\$\$	19
Professional Approach	24	Threadworks	18
Century 21-PEAK	22	Bowling Guys	18
Junior Amateur Tour	20	Sysco	17.5

**TOP 10 THIS WEEK**

Kevin Jones	669	Donell Carter	621
Mikey Villarreal	654	Danny Wilson	613
Stephanie Zavala	641	Kevin Valmonte	611
Jon Huff	637	Kurt Arakaki	608
Anthony Santos	624	Leonard Ruiz Jr.	602

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