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## Missy Parkin Wins PWBARRegional looking Forward to This Years Ladies Tour



Susie Anthony \& Missy Parkin
DUBLIN April 9th - Columbia 300, Vise Inserts Southern California's own and High5 Gear". pro Missy Parkin won the 2017 P.W.B.A. at Earl Anthony Lanes, taking home $\$ 1,000.00$ and a memorial plaque. $99 \%$ of the competition was from Northern California and strong shooters, but Missy won by over 200 pins. Missy always has good things to say about the lanes and enjoys the hospitality
She used a Columbia 300 Tyrant. "Thanks to

Missy gave another shootout to Gary Mage and Mama Toni Mage for their countless hours running amazing tournaments.

Missy is definitely getting a good workout before the upcoming P.W.B.A. tour starts.

Wesley Low, a new Columbia 300 staffer won the P.B.A. Regional on the same weekend at Dublin. "Way to go, Wesley"

## 2017 PBA50 Tour Season Begins With PBA50/PBA60 Doubleheader April $15-20$

NEW PORT RICHEY, FL - The 2017 PBA50 Tour season opens with a PBA50/PBA60 doubleheader when Lane Glo Bowl in New Port Richey Fla., hosts the PBA60 Killer ' B ' Open and the PBA50 Pasco County Florida Open back-to-back April 15-20.
The inaugural Killer ' ${ }^{\text {B }}$ Open, for players ages 60 and over, will take place April 15-17 and will be followed by the Pasco County Florida Open April 18-20. Both events will be covered live in their entirety by PBA's online bowling channel Xtra Frame.
Defending champion Walter Ray Williams Jr. of Oxford, Fla., highlights the list of approximately 150 players ages 50 and over who are entered in the Pasco County Florida Open which will be the first of 14 tournaments during the 2017 season.

Williams, the PBA Tour's all-time titles leader with 47 wins, won his 10th career PBA50 Tour title in Pasco County last year by


Pasco County Florida Open Defending Champion Walter Ray Williams Jr.
defeating fellow PBA Hall of Famer Norm Duke of Clermont, Fla., 245-225, in the title match.
The Pasco County win was part of another milestone chapter in the Hall of Famer's more than three decade career in which he won his record 100th career overall title in PBA competition (including PBA Tour, PBA50 Tour, PBA regional and PBA50 regional wins). He achieved the century mark last December in the Decker Appraisal Services Trios regional tournament in Harrisonburg, Va.

X-Frame Bowling Tour To Bowl Event \#4 At Action Lanes In El Monte Saturday April 22

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ext tournament is Saturday April 22 at Action Lanes in El Monte and fol lowing that April 29 return ing to West Covina Lanes.
We have already had more than 200 individual members join us and the future looks bright. There is a very positive attitude among the bowlers.

Two Qualifying Squads Only 4:00 \& 6:00PM. Beat the Board Finals at 8:20PM. Please CHECKIN EARLY so we can get the event going on time.
complete your application. There will be a separate table for New Members this Saturday which will hopefully speed up the sign-in process.

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For information feel free to contact Bob 562-8687164, Jeff 909-702-3369 or Vuong 714-622-0842.
Thank you all for the membership, we will always do our best with honesty and payoffs second to

It is great to see our old friends come to join us. It is very heartwarming!! Until then.
REMINDER: Please try to check-in early, it will be greatly appreciated.

Williams' win total now stands at 101 after winning the PBA50 Fayetteville Southern Open regional tournament in Fayetteville, N.C., in March.

Other PBA50 Tour stars expected to compete in New Port Richey will be a host of other Hall of Famers including Tom Baker, 2015 winner Parker Bohn III, 2014 winner Amleto

## Monacelli, Dale Eagle, <br>  Rolls His first 300 <br> by Frank Weiler

INDIO - "ALWAYS REMEMBER YOUR FIRST ONE". That's what I tell young bowlers who roll their first perfect game. Bowling a 300 game is special and should never be taken for granted. Bowling a 300 game, especially your first, should never be forgotten. Not everyone is talented enough, lucky enough or fortunate enough to bowl 300 , so always remember the circumstances surrounding your first one.
 Michael Loera will always remember his first continued on page 7

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## Wes Malotit to Defend Throne as PBA Revives "King of Bowling" Eight years later, reigning "King" in new Ktra Frame Pay-Per-View special event

CHICAGO - After an eight-year hiatus, the Professional Bowlers Association is reviving its made-for-television King of Bowling special event as part of a new Xtra Frame Pay Per View series, with reigning "king" Wes Malott of Pflugerville, Texas, defending his throne during the PBA's return to Bayside Bowl in Portland, Maine, next week.

The first event in the made-for-Xtra Frame series, which will be available for $\$ 2.99$ per event, will pit Malott against two of the PBA's hottest players, 2016 PBA Player of the Year EJ Tackett of Huntington, Ind., and Australia's Jason Belmonte, who won Player of the Year honors the previous three years, in a three-game total pinfall winner-take-all match. Coverage of the match on Wednesday, April 12, will begin with a pre-game show at 9:30 p.m.

Proceeds from each special pay per view event will determine the prize money paid to the King of Bowling winner. The one-time $\$ 2.99$ special event fee will apply to all viewers, including current Xtra Frame subscribers. To sign up for any of the special online video streaming events, visit www.xtraframe.tv. The King of Bowling series will continue throughout the season with the winner defending his crown in an upcoming PBA Xtra Frame King of Bowling Pay Per View event to be announced. Details will be announced later.

To recap Malott's dominant reign in the 2009 series held at the Kegel Training Center in Lake Wales, Fla., the then 32 -year-old "Sir Strikes-a-lot" defended his King of Bowling crown five consecutive weeks and became the first bowler in PBA history to bowl two nationally-televised 300 games in defeating Parker Bohn III of Jackson, N.J., 300-223, in the KOB finale. During his run, Malott defeated Chris Barnes, 268-214; Patrick Allen, 258-234; Walter Ray Williams Jr., 300-238, and Rhino Page, 257-233, before closing with his perfect victory over Bohn in the made-for-ESPN2 series.
For perspective, Tackett (the winner of the 2016 PBA World Champion and 2017 FireLake PBA Tournament of Champions) was 16 years old when Malott won his last King of Bowling match. Belmonte (the winner of the 2017 Barbasol PBA Players Championship and USBC Masters) had just won his first PBA title in West Babylon, N.Y., on his way to winning 2008-09 PBA Rookie of the Year honors. While the King of Bowling didn't count for any titles, Malott went on to win three PBA Tour titles and PBA Player of the Year honors for the 2008-09 season

2017 PBA TOUR XTRA FRAME SCHEDULE
May 26-29 - PBA XF Wilmington Open, Ten Pin Alley, Wilmington, N.C.
June 2-4- PBA XF Jonesboro Open, Jonesboro Bowling Center, Jonesboro, Ark June 2-4- PBA XF Jonesboro Open, Jonesboro Bowling Center, Jonesboro, Ark.
June 9-11- PBA XF Lubbock Sports Open, South Plains Lanes, Lubbock, Texas. June 23-25 - PBA XF Billy Hardwick Memorial Open, Billy Hardwick's All Star Lanes Memphis, Tenn.
July 27-30 - PBA-PWBA XF Striking Against Breast Cancer Mixed Doubles Copperfield Bowl, Houston
Aug. 11-13 - PBA XF Chesapeake Open, AMF Western Branch, Chesapeake, Va.
Aug. 18-10 - PBA XF Gene Carter's Pro Shop Classic, Mid-County Bowling \& Entertainment, Middletown, Del
Aug. 25-27 - PBA XF Lefeld Implement Central Classic, Pla-Mor Lanes, Coldwater, Mich.


A wizard has a set of Magical Chests. The largest Treasure Chest has 6 more Treasure Chests inside it. Inside each of those are four more. How many chests does he have in total?



# Looking Back: Pro Bowling Tounnamenils Don' Geetany Better Than This One 

WINNETKA - "I will have the crowd behind me and that will help a lot."

So said Robin Romeo in a television interview before competing in the $\$ 30,000$ Canoga Park Classic stepladder finals on Feb. 8, 1989, at Canoga Park Bowl (later to be called Winnetka Bowl).

Romeo was then a Van Nuys resident and had qualified third among the six women who had reached the stepladder finals. She was repeatedly referred to as the "hometown favorite" during SportsChannel America's broadcast of the year's first Ladies Professional Bowlers Tour event.

This four-day professional women's tournament, which was cited last month in the California Bowling News, was memorable for many reasons.

First, it's a rare event when the San Fernando Valley serves as the site of a pro bowling tournament. This is how special the tournament was: In preparation for the event, Canoga Park Bowl underwent a $\$ 500,000$ face lift. The bowling house also paid the LPBT $\$ 10,000$ to host the event.

Second, the event was marked by a severe snowstorm that provided an obstacle to bowlers coming down to the Valley from the Santa Clarita and Antelope valleys. Santa Clarita Valley was hit so hard that one spokesman said the area was "basically sealed off" from the three to five inches of snow. Other Los Angeles-area communities, such as Westlake Village, Porter Ranch, Calabasas, Simi Valley and Tarzana, also were hit with up to five inches of snow before it started to melt.

Third, the tournament of 69 entrants lived up to its billing as a classic with Romeo prevailing against stiff competition in dramatic fashion to collect the $\$ 5,000$ first-place prize.

Here's how the tournament went:

## Match 1 of the stepladder finals: Sixth-seeded Michelle Mullen vs. fifth-seeded Lorrie Nichols

Mullen was a former collegiate bowler of the year but had zero career titles. Nichols, in her $18^{\text {th }}$ year on the tour, had won 13 titles.

Mullen stayed close to Nichols, rolling a five-bagger starting with the third frame. But Nichols opened with four strikes and struck out in the $10^{\text {th }}$ to finish with a 247 . Mullen needed a triple in the $10^{\text {th }}$ to win, but misfired on her first shot and finished with a 226 , losing by 21 pins.

Match 2: Nichols vs. fourth-seeded Lisa Wagner. It was another high-scoring affair with Wagner putting together a late five-bagger to finish with a 245 . Nichols needed two strikes in the $10^{\text {th }}$ frame to edge Wagner, who had won 21 titles, six in 1988. Nichols struck on her first shot but left a solid 10 on her next shot and finished with a 244 -a one-pin loss.

Match 3: Wagner vs. third-seeded Robin Romeo. Romeo, who was recovering from a separated shoulder, didn't show any ill effects from the injury and was hot from start to finish. Romeo, in her $11^{\text {th }}$ year on the tour and who had won seven titles, strung together seven strikes and finished with a powerful 268. Wagner failed to mark in the third frame and never got an opening from Romeo and finished with a 207.

Match 4: Romeo vs. second-seeded Paula Drake. This was a nail-bitter. Romeo bowled well on her home lanes but so did Drake, who was renowned for her accuracy. Romeo, however, asserted herself with a turkey in the seventh-toninth frames while Drake spared each frame. Still, Drake nailed two strikes in the $10^{\text {th }}$ frame, forcing Romeo to mark in the $10^{\text {th. }}$. Romeo left the 10 pin on her first shot and easily converted the spare to score a 237-233 victory.

Match 5 (championship match): Romeo vs. top-seeded Rene Fleming. Both bowlers opened in a groove, each notching strikes on their first four shots. Fleming, with career earnings of more than $\$ 61,000$ and known for her power and speed, battled Romeo until the end. Fleming trailed by seven pins entering the $10^{\text {th }}$ frame. She collected a strike and spare in the final frame to finish with a 229. The broadcasters announced that Romeo needed just a mark in the $10^{\text {th }}$ to win the match and the title. On her first shot, she left the 2-5. On her spare attempt, Romeo grabbed her head after releasing the ball, fearing she would chop the 2 and leave the 5 . But both pins fell. Then on her last shot, she knocked down only six pins and in a finish that stunned seemingly everyone, ended with a 229 - the same score as Fleming. Romeo later said that she knew she needed seven pins to win (although the broadcasters had already given her the trophy) and she was just trying to avoid leaving the four-pin bucket.

Her shot finished short of the pocket, though. "I just couldn't believe I did that," Romeo said.
The tie score lifted the two bowlers into a two-frame roll-off with the championship at stake. Romeo started the extra session with a strike and Fleming followed with a strike of her own. Fleming's second shot left a four-pin washout and she knocked down only two pins on her spare attempt to finish with a 26 for the two frames. Romeo needed nine pins on her final frame to win the match and she picked up exactly that with a Brooklyn shot. She converted the spare and won the climactic overtime session, 39-26.

Romeo was in a celebratory mood afterwards. In her post-victory interview, Romeo, who was cheered on during the tournament by sister Tori, raised her fist, looked out at the crowd and exclaimed: "I just want to thank everyone. This one is for you!"

Note: The Canoga Park Classic's stepladder finals can be viewed in its entirety on YouTube.


## PBA50 Tour

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expected to compete in New Port Richey, but plans to begin his Player of the Year defense in the UnitedHealthcare Sun Bowl in the Villages presented by Radical April 2225.

The tournament will also mark the return of former Major League Baseball All-Star pitcher John Burkett, who missed most of last year following ankle surgery. Fivetime PBA Tour champions Michael Haugen Jr. and Ryan Shafer are expected to make their PBA50 Tour debuts.

Competition begins with PBA60 Killer ' B ' Open qualifying on Sunday, April 16 at 8 a.m. ET and continues with match play on Monday, April 17 that will determine the top five for the stepladder finals at noon. PBA50 Pasco County Open qualifying begins Tuesday April 18 at 8 a.m. and continues on April 19 before match play gets underway April 20 which will determine the top five for the stepladder final that will get underway at 4 p.m.

For Xtra Frame subscription and schedule information visit www.xtraframe.tv.

## PBA60 KILLER 'B’ OPEN SCHEDULE

Lane Glo Bowl, New Port Richey, Fla. (All times Eastern) Saturday, April 15
9 a.m. - Practice Session - 3, 5 p.m. - Pro-Am Squads
Sunday, April 16
8 a.m. - Qualifying ( 6 games) 3 p.m. - Qualifying ( 6 games) Top 32 players advance to match play
Monday, April 178 a.m. - Match Play (8 games) Top 5 bowlers advance to a stepladder final Noon - Stepladder finals PBA50 PASCO COUNTY FLORIDA OPEN SCHEDULE Lane Glo Bowl, New Port Richey, Fla.
Monday, April 17 3-5 p.m. - Practice Session
Tuesday, April 188 a.m. - A squad qualifying (7 games) 1 p.m. - B squad qualifying (7 games)
Wednesday, April 198 a.m. - B squad qualifying (7 games) 1 p.m. - A squad qualifying (7 games)
Top 32 bowlers advance to match play
Thursday, April 208 a.m. - Match play Round One (6 games) Noon - Match play Round Two (6 games) Top 5 bowlers advance to a stepladder final 4 p.m. - Stepladder finals

# PBA Returns to Maine for Biggert, Better, Louder Week of Competition 

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PORTLAND, Maine - The Professional Bowlers Association will return to Portland April 9-16 for a third consecutive year of competition that promises to be bigger, better and louder than ever. Significant changes for 2017 include

- An expanded Bayside Bowl complex, with eight new lanes and a mezzanine overlooking the new lanes where five ESPN television shows will be contested, meaning there will be room for twice as many enthusiastic, energetic and boisterous Maine bowling fans compared to previous years.
- New corporate partners: world-famous Maine-based retailer L.L. Bean will sponsor the 2017 L.L. Bean PBA League Elias Cup competition, and the Maine Office of Tourism's MaineQuarterly. com will sponsor the Mark Roth/Marshall Holman PBA Doubles Championship.
- A bigger field of PBA players, thanks to the expansion of Bayside Bowl which allows it to now host the field of 32 teams in the Roth/Holman PBA Doubles Championship.
- In addition to live ESPN coverage of the Roth/Holman Doubles Championship on Sunday, April 16, PBA fans will be able to watch all rounds of the PBA League finals in real time via live streaming on the ESPN3/WatchESPN apps.
- A new Xtra Frame "King of Bowling" Pay Per View event: the match will pit Wes Malott, who won the last King of Bowling match contested in 2009, against 2016 PBA Player of the Year EJ Tackett and three-time Player of the Year Jason Belmonte.
"Our goal is to make this event bigger and better every year," said Justin Alfond, co-owner of Bayside Bowl. "With L.L. Bean as the title sponsor of the PBA League Elias Cup, our partnership with the Maine Office of Tourism, we have great partners to showcase the best of Maine, and we're planning to add something new every year to build on the excitement."
"We can't wait for the PBA to come back," said Charlie Mitchell, Bayside Bowl's managing partner. "We're welcoming the world's best bowlers, and we already have the most passionate fans in the sport along with incredible sponsors who realize what a big deal this event is for our state."
Maine may rank as one of the nation's smallest states in terms of bowling population, but those who love the sport more than make up for their modest population with a level of enthusiasm that towers over even the most populous of bowling states.
"The electric atmosphere and enthusiasm at Bayside Bowl breathed new life into the PBA League and has made it the event most looked-forward to of the year for our players," said PBA CEO and Commissioner Tom Clark. "Moving into the new building will take things to an even higher level of intensity and excitement.
"Bayside Bowl fans are redefining the fans' role in the PBA. They are a huge part of our commitment to keep coming back to Portland, this year and for the foreseeable future.

The combined "Maine event" will take place from April 9-16, beginning with qualifying rounds for the MaineQuarterly.com Roth/Holman Doubles Championship leading into the live stepladder finals on ESPN on April 16 at 1 p.m. ET. The doubles field includes defending champions Anthony Simonsen and Connor Pickford; 2014 and ' 15 champs Wes Malott and Norm Duke; PBA Hall of Famers, a slew of PBA Tour title winners, several of the PBA's most talented future stars, international champions, the all-female team of Liz Johnson and Danielle McEwan and more.

PBA fans will be able to watch the preliminary doubles competition on Xtra Frame, PBA's subscription-based live streaming bowling channel, April 10, 11 and 12, or track real time releases on pba.com's Live Scoring feature. For Xtra Frame subscription information and broadcast times, visit pba.com or xtraframe.tv
Bayside Bowl also will host a new Xtra Frame Pay-Per-View event, called the "King of Bowling," that will be an invitational contest between Wes Malott, who won the last King of Bowling made-for-television special event held in 2009, vs. Tackett and Belmonte, the two more recent PBA Players of the Year and the winners of the last four PBA major championships will bowl a simulaneous three-game match with the winner advancing in a new series of XF pay-per-view events. Coverage of the special event, available exclusively on Xtra Frame for a one-time fee of $\$ 2.99$ (also applies to current XF subscribers), will begin at 7 p.m. ET on Wednesday, April 13
The L.L. Bean PBA League competition begins with a qualifying round for all teams on April 13 to determine seeding positions for the ESPN-televised Baker format elimination rounds. The April 13 qualifying round will be streamed live on Xtra Frame. The Elias Cup competition will be contested on April 15 and 16, and will air on ESPN on four consecutive Sundays at 1 p.m. ET following the doubles telecast: April 23 and 30, and May 7 and May 14.

While the PBA League finals are being taped for delayed telecast on ESPN, the shows will be live streamed on the ESPN3/ WatchESPN app. All ESPN telecasts also will simultaneously streamed on ESPN3/ WatchESPN app on the days they air.

For detailed information about L.L. Bean PBA League teams and players, visit https://www.pba. com/bowlers/theleague

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# Why I Stopped Watching Foothall <br> by Dave Williams 

I had been a fan of professional football since my father took me to my very first San Francisco 49ers game at Kezar Stadium in the early 1960's. It was about that same time that I began a lifelong love for the sport and business of bowling.

My first two rolls of a bowling ball were strikes, so a penchant for high scores had been established.

My favorite player on the 49ers was Bob St. Clair, a giant of a man at $6^{\prime} 9^{\prime \prime}$ tall. He spent the off season near my childhood home of Sebastopol, California, where he worked for Clover Dairy as a salesman. You see, unlike today's multi-million dollar football players, St. Clair was raking in only $\$ 6,000$ a year as one of the best offensive tackles in professional football.

Meanwhile, bowling stars of that era were accumulating six figure incomes from professional events and endorsements. In 1964, pro bowler Don Carter became the first "million dollar athlete" when he signed a $\$ 1,000,000$ endorsement with Ebonite. Little wonder that I decided to concentrate on those early strike shots that enabled me to one day be known in bowling circles as "Mr. 300."

But back to St. Clair, who spent his entire career at Kezar Stadium - first in high school (San Francisco Polytechnic - where he never lost a game), then college (University of San Francisco) and finally with the 49ers. The city of San Francisco fittingly renamed the stadium Bob St. Clair Field in 2001

In 1951 St. Clair was part of USF's undefeated team that produced three NFL Hall of Famers - St. Clair, Gino Marchetti and Ollie Matson. They were invited to play in the Orange Bowl that year but declined when bowl officials tried to exclude the teams two black players, Burl Toler and Matson.

The team was reportedly insulted by the request, but rather than make a statement against the United States in protest, they put principle ahead of fame and said they would rather sit out the Orange Bowl than stand for such racism.
"We told them to go to hell," St. Clair once told an interviewer.
After St. Clair retired, quarterback John Brodie became my 49er favorite. He had the great statistics but never won the big game. He was also the first "white" athlete to be elected to the African-American Sports Hall of Fame. Like St. Clair before him, Brodie
must have found a way to overcome racism with his actions, and not just taking a knee during the National Anthem.

By now my favorite bowler was Dick Weber, perhaps the greatest individual representative for any sport in history. Our relationship was cemented many years later when I became Director of Marketing for AMF, and utilized Weber many times in a competition I labeled the "I Beat Dick Weber... Once!" contest.

I really stepped back from football after the "Montana Era," which featured such 49er superstars as Joe Montana, Jerry Rice, Ronnie Lott, et al, but would always watch from New Jersey whenever the 49ers were on a nationally televised event, even though they struggled.

And now football has entered a dark period. The methods of communication by today's professional football players do not represent the proper marketing strategy. Unlike pro bowlers, the football players have been recompensed beyond comprehension. They need a good dose of reality.

And what a fabulous moment for bowling to step forward. I see a resurgence in bowling everyday when surrounded by young bowlers in after school bowling programs throughout New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

White Hutchinson Leisure and Learning Group recently completed a socioeconomic lifestyle analysis of bowlers ("What's Happening to Bowling?") and found the highest participation rate is among children.

According to the study, children in the 5 to 14 age group top the participation rate at close to 34 percent. The next highest participation rate is with young adults ages 21 to 34. Here's the really good news: bowlers under age 35 represented close to two-thirds of all keglers.

There is hope for the future of bowling. Organized bowling is a bit more difficult, but with all of the young children involved in our sport today, it's just a matter of building the proper "bowling trap" like the entrepreneurs of the 1960's.

And the pro bowlers of today need to keep their wits about them, and not fall into the holier than thou attitude of multi-million dollar athletes. Having been there... I don't think that will happen to professional bowlers.

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300 because of family. He loves bowling and appreciates everything that's great about our sport. The greatest thing about bowling is family. Bowling is a family affair and Michael's family is always there for him. Mom and dad were a part of Michael's first 300 and he will always remember that.

Most bowlers never roll a perfect 300 game or roll any sort of honor score. Most bowlers never average 200 or bowl 700 . Some old timers, like myself, have rolled perfect games but had to wait a lifetime to do so. Michael Loera isn't like most bowlers or old timers like me. He wasn't about to wait a life time to bowl 300 . He has rolled a 300 and a 700 . He averages 200 and is just sixteen years old!
MICHAEL LOERA JUST ROLLED HIS FIRST 300 and I predict that it is the first of many to come. Michael possesses the skill, the poise and the maturity necessary to become a great bowler, maybe even a professional bowler. Time will tell.

Congratulations to Michael and the whole Loera family. I look forward to hearing and writing about Michael's future successes on the lanes.

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## Bowling Beyond 200 Measure of a Good Bowler

## by John Bake

What is the measure of a good bowler?
Is it weekly honor scores or numerous league championships or a handful of cash?

Many of these things do make for a good bowler but what if that bowler was an JACKASS, one of those guys or gals that no one wants to be around. You all have one in your local center, the one obnoxious loudmouth that for some reason can't miss. Bowls an occasional tournament and wins that all while singing his own praise.
While you are shooting well but just can't seem to get ahead of this guy. It is frustrating and you remember that "EVERY DOG HAS HIS DAY" but you wonder WHEN?

The measure of a good bowler and for that matter a good person is one in the same, a bowler that bowls well and passes on information to others is a good bowler.

One that bowls just for the fun of the game and the friendly competition IS a good bowler as well. While honor scores and wins are a measure of how good someone bowls it does not necessarily make one a good bowler. Those who are in it for the love of the game and not necessarily for wins are good bowlers.
The loudmouth, arrogant few will see Karma some day, just be the best bowler you can be and continue to pass on Bowling and be a GOOD BOWLER. The health of bowling in the future is relying on you.

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## BOWL MULTIPLE TIMES!

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- WEST VALLEY BOWL in Canoga Park hosted a PBA stop. 128 top pros competed. - Look for me at SUN VALLEY BOWL. I got $\$ 1.99$ for breakfast and 3 games. Got yours? - Well, well. Look who won the 10 gamer at WEST PICO BOWL, FRANK BELLINDER. $\$ 110.00$ richer.
- What was the miracle answer to problems like: sticky approaches, yellow-crayon, rain, static electricity, wet floors, gum, and candy? "Smoothslide Teflon Bowling Shoe Sole" prevented a lot of accidents and injuries.
- HOLIDAY BOWL welcomed TOSH KINJO to lead the masses - - - straight to the restaurant after bowling. What a menu! What a leader!
- Guys us gals loved to watch! GEORGE SHORE, ART GODDARD, RON WINGER, DON GLOVER, AL TRIPP, BUD HORN, ANDY MARZICH, HOWARD HOLMES, DICK STOEFFLER, FOY BELCHER, PHIL YOAKUM, and almost any guy with a zipper and smelled good.
- Oh! You want to know who the guys were watching? (The ones with the highest kick was \#1). BOBBIE SOLDAN, BETTY MIVELAZ, DONNA ZIMMERMAN, BOBBE NORTH, MARGE STEIN, HELEN DUVAL, DEE DUNGCA, CONNIE PICK, JONI MCKENZIE, MERLE MATTHEWS, ROSA PECK, and league after league of skirted stars. Lots of acMERLE MATTHEWS, ROSA PECK, and
tion - everywhere - for every average. tion - everywhere - for every average.
- CHARLIE BROWN rolled a 234 triplicate at NORWALK BOWL.
- LAWRENCE WELK was the "big band" for the Bowling Writers Banquet at the Hollywood Palladium. Sorry folks, 2017, no LAWRENCE WELK, no writers, no Palladium. BUT, we have plenty of "party bowls"!
- HOPE and FRED RICCILLI were named to the Brunswick Advisory Staff along with BOB WILLIAMS and RUDY GLICK.
- MIKE McGRATH at 22 was the hot item, on and off the lanes. He gave me his winning jacket which now resides in the Japanese Hall of Fame and Museum. - BOWLING SQUARE'S latest leader was GEORGE SNOW. (Junior or Senior?)
- FRANK BELLINDER bagged $\$ 100.00$ at SANTA FE BOWL. That was $\$ 10.00$ a game, cause it was a marathon. How much per pin? Runner-up was MAURY GRIFFITH.
- New strokers start making headlines. Recall: FRANK BABORE, DAVE LEE, KEVIN GANNON, KENNY BAYER (mechanic at SANTA ANITA LANES), TOM LONG, WALT BLOCK, E.G. MOCK, BOB PRINCE, GARY YAMAUCHI, LEMAR KECK, DALE GLENN, MARION BONTA, DAVE FRAME, (I can hear you! "Oh, I remember him.") and a few hundred more.
- KIRKWOOD BOWLING CENTER spotlighted a new learning technique, hypnosis. The
best part? It was free
- AL TRIPP had the desire and talent to go on the tour, but no money. Sponsors were scarce, so he was only a star in So. California
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MERCURY BOWL'S house column (one week) was written by "the bowt - MERCURY BOWL'S house column (one week) was written by "the bowl it-
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side and out. It tickled but I'm clean and beautiful. One of my blue chippers won side and out. It tickled but l'm clean and beautiful. One of my blue chippers won
11,000 stamps. l'll bet his licker is tired. Any lousy bowlers out there? Check my "Bum Bowlers League". I had my vents open and heard l'm getting new carpet. Come on down and throw that big hard ball at my big white teeth.
- Why did bowlers love JOHN KLARES? When did SHEL HIPPO become a deskman? Was HARRY GRANT the greatest? (Two opinions on that!) Did RED MORSE play hopscotch to the most centers? Could ED HARTNETT do it all? Where would ART GODDARD's path lead? Was BETTY MIVELAZ the greatest women bowler from So. California? - There was a special small section of the News that listed "Split Conversions." 4-6-7-10, $4-10 ; 6-7,7-10$. Now we spotlight 300 's.
- Star Trek star MICHELLE NICHOLS was hostess of the 17th Bowling Writers Awards

Banquet at the Palladium.

- UNIVERSITY LANES in San Diego hosted the 1969 W.I.B.C. Tournament, 4,477 teams from all 50 states,Canada and Mexico. JACK MURPHY welcomed the ladies.
- On March 5, SAM PARTON rolled a 178 triplicate at EAGLE ROCK LANES. The following week he rolled another 178 triplicate in the same league. That oddity stands today as a "once in a million".
- BILL RINE new Manager at KIRKWOOD. MORT OSDER new Manager at CAROLINA LANES. Spring and time to rotate managers before the summer push.
- LEN MAL was coaching at KIRKWOOD. Mr. Kirkwood was "JOE PALOOKA" in the movies. Came to work in over-alls and red shoes, and had wild animals living in his house! What a character. I remember a squirrel in his kitchen sink.
- In 1969 HERB ROTH wrote a scathing letter to bowlers. Summary of the letter. "If bowlers don't bowl summer leagues, centers will have to close. So bowl!!!
- Were there any "real" bowlers in So. California that did not bowl "Grant Singles", "Nagy Washington Singles", "City Tournament", "State Tournament", "Palm Springs Singles"??? - JOYCE WALTZ was half owner of KIRKWOOD BOWL. She gave up a stage career to manage the center. Did Joyce and Joe ever act together?
- BOBBE NORTH and FRED RICCILLI were named "Bowlers of the Year" by the writers. - FREEWAY LANES in Selma offered a 1969 Mustang Fastback First Place in their "Raiin Singles Classic"
- SAN MARCOS LANES was in Santa Barbara. Huh!
- JAVA LANES under the leadership of MILT STANFORD decided to give a Singles Tournament a try. BIG MISTAKE! MILT was not a bowler, instructor, co-ordinator, manager or friend of the bowlers. He wore his suits well, talked a good game and loved to take "sauna baths" in Sweden. Right Milt?
- LEE TAYLOR of San Diego was runner-up to Fresno's BILL BUNETTE in PPCB at CEDAR LANES. Other cashers: JAN KENNEDY, BOBBY KNIPPLE, BUTCH SOPER, JAY ROBINSON, BOB KENNICUTT, NORM MYERS, E.G. MOCK and LA MAR KECK. - ED TALASY couldn't decide whether to go fishing or go bowling. ED took out his golf glove and went to Palm Spings. Using his glove to avoid blistering, he rolled the highest score of the week.
- Identical female twins rolled identical scores in the South Dakota State Tournament. 190-172-159. Each had 10 strikes and 15 spares
- A letter to the editor suggested a tournament that sounded crazy. Try this: Most games in 8 hours. No sitting down. Only 5 minute breaks. Only games over 140 count. 300 games cash. All scratch. Most pins down wins. Didn't have a taker!
- Any good printable stories of the following pin palaces? Email the paper today! SOUTHWEST BOWL, MAR-LIN-DO BOWL, ARCADIA BOWL, TRIANON BOWL HOLIDAY BOWL, CAROLINA BOWL, STARLITE, PREMIERE LANES, TRIANGLE BOWL, SAN GABRIEL LANES, CLARK CENTER, KIRKWOOD BOWLING CENTER, KING PIN LANES, TROPICANA LANES, WESTERN BOWL, SOUTH BAY BOWLING CENTER, CORONA BOWL, FON-RI LANES, JEFFERSON BOWL, MONTEREY PARK LANES, VERDUGO HILLS BOWL, LA MIRADA BOWL, SANTA FE BOWLING CEN TER, COMPTON BOWLING CENTER, BEL-AIR, WEST PICO BOWL \& BILLIARDS BOWLINGO LANES, NORWALK BOWL, MONTEREY PARK LANES, JOLA BOWL JACKSON BOWL, GRAND CENTRAL BOWL, PASADENA BOWLING CENTER, SANTA ANITA LANES, MERCURY BOWL, COVE BOWL, PARADISE BOWL, CAROLINA LANES, PIONEER PLAZA BOWL, LA PUENTE LANES, ROCKET BOWL, MERCURY BOWL, PANORAMA BOWL, RODEO BOWL, FREEWAY LANES, JAVA LANES, MARINA LANES, FON-RI LANES, SAN-HI LANES, ENCINO BOWL.
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LAKEWOOD - It's the month of April and that means one thing ... HAPPY EASTER TO ALL!!
Here are the scores from the past week
V.A.: Joe Morse 564, Mike Ventura 495, Charlynne Comer V.A.:

Big Bear: Jerry Cant 279/763, Sonny Dew 258/717, HarId Dubose 256/680, Ed Cabs 680, Curt Soares 248/670, Sid Nakagawa 268/662, Nathan Wyatt 245/657, Emmerson Wafer 653, Butch White 653, Benjie Calinawan 649, Paul Staff 258/648, Joseph Lopes 648, King Rouse 633, Debra Gipson 222/611, Annie Yonemura 245/587, Rita Soares 577, Beverly Cuevas 214/574, Sue Cant 570 Michelle Criswell 554, Lillie Darden 206/536, Ella Wilson 203/524, Carol Hovis 201/517.
Grandma's/Grandpa's: Art Diemert 245/662, B.J 238/632, Doug Johnson 577, Walter Milsap 573, Stan Murren 585, Fale Sula 561, Larry Cosgrove 530, Chuck Stonebraker 527 Rinze Dykstra 518, Jim Burke 511, Tua Sula 221/573, Dorothy Ruggiero 222/526, Joanne Burke 518. Gobs and Gals: Jon Reyes 737, Scott Maxwell 691, Rick Gobs and Gals. Jon Res 627 Mithelle Criswell laneta 681, Shirley Owens 627, Michelle Criswell 622 Jayme Tipton 590, Mike Calvillo "300", George Culp 270 drian Williams 266, Donna
Mini Couples: Rudy Tomaneng 684, Danny Peramaki 662, Bill Dennis 614, Cindy Callaway 609, Emily Burchman 546, Kirk Van-Doren 239 Rich Butler 239, Emily Burchman 546 Laughlin Bowler Bears: Jonathan Gale 584, Joe Monroe 574, Kyle Patterson 565, Marcel VanDroff 555, Henry Beaudion 227/555, Rob Lee 539, David Garcia 537, Julie Grabinski 211/544, Mandy Dominguez 204/526.
Fil-Am: Emmerson Wafer 267/772, Ike Tapacio 268/703, Benji Calinawan 247/690, Richard Abrantes 239/666, Frank Balajadia 659, Rick Llaneta 234/658, Michael Mc Cloud 237/658, Darrell Pascual 268/647, Lawrence Aus tria 257/639, Chris Abing 238/639, Freddy Zamora 621 Abe Morales 619, Dale Gudani 617, Liza Agoncillo 259/645 Ammie Lubag 236/593, Shirley Owens 223/566, Beth Austria 201/563, Annie Yonemura 200/546, Wilma Dizon 534, Tess Santos 532
Vegas Crackpots: Emeka Williams 704, Ray Jenkins 258/700, James High 266/700, Alwyn Woods 237/688 Mike Dees 240/681, Charles Sumling 259/679, Ernie Per ike "300"/660, John Doval 247/630, Daryl McCloud man Flen Myers 244/506, Aloxis Hammond 2241569 44/607, Ellen Kyers 244/59 Alxis Hammina 224/569 Sierra Nelson 532, LaDrena Boyd 525, Naimah William 200/524.
Cal Mega Vegas-Sun: James Matthews 256//734, Bob Johnson 225/614, Rob Lee 609, Gregory Sisneros 606, Terrance Allen 256/582, Marcel V 580, Jose Perez 567, Anthony Stoute 555, Lavettte Eaddy 206/527, Jocelyn Higa 210/482.
Young at Heart: Fale Sula 246/688, Ella Houston 238/672, Ron McClain Sr. 603, Earl Hullett 234/600, Glen Merchan 593, Rey Santos 234/591, Paul Wells 589, Rich Heid 585 , Horace Kinney 224/583, Ralston Smith 246/575, Art Diemert 573, Tua Sula 521, Frances Walker 516, Danne VanHorn 510.
Recycled Teens: Jim Plante 279/745, Art Diemert 229/660 Rob Kordich 228/628, Victor Santos 620, Ed Hansen 588 Boylee Inocente 238/586, Ralph Montgomery 221/579 Rod Nicas 557, Walter Milksap 554, Annie Maae 506, Vancie Keith 490.
Pin Heads: Andre Eubanks 258/705, Anthony Cartwright 202/573, Don Louis 544, Bruce Brown 518, Stacy Kelly 256/609, Lila Dodson 213/563, Ashley Brown 542.
Cal Bowleros: Carole Fischer 213/563, DaRonda Reed 519. Side-pot winners-Game One: Pat Bates 230; Game Two: Betty Moss/Daronda Reed 185; Game Three: Darene Hom 235
Tues. Mega Vegas-Cal: Handicap Series-Paul Morrison 717, John Woods 698, Brenda Doss 710, Andonea Summerfield 675, Michelle McGarry 665
Sierra Bugs: Lannis Perucci 232/560, Stephanie Graves 512, Connie Wood 203. Side-pot winners-Game One: inda Holden 232; Game Two: Lannis Ferucci 232; Game Three: Priscilla Lees 242.
Captain \& Crew: Linda Kinney 208/550, Mel Leach 540, Kay Lockhart 502.
Senior Men's Trio: Larry Gray 278/735, Jerry Cant 295/733, Willy Bordenave 713, Curt Soares 706, Randy Peterson 686, Harold Dubose 268, Herman Whitehurst 263.

Marcus Lemons Vegas: Tony Kellum 247/707, Eric Bell 285/672, Robert Cloyd 670, Frank Laprade 256/667, Emmerson Wafer 246/651, Jello Gray 622, Greg Thomas 236/608, Teya Woodman 228/651, LaJeana Harris 247/582, Crystal Barker 233/538, Felecia Tripp 528.
C.A.U.L.: Jim Johnson 267/650, Andy Clark 236/631, Rich Dahmen 627, Tom Davis 246/583, Greg Ainsworth 576, David Regul 571, Dane Hansen 232/548, Lori Gilmore 547. Funsters: Congratulations to the champions of this league, BNICE2US! Team members are Beth Austria, Eddie Cruz JoJo Jasmin, Fred Guray. High scores by Jim Plante 679 Vince Haneda 657, Bob Selner 630, Divina Buhay 567 Janet Kastor 521, May Toledo 518, Tony White 279, Fale Sula 248, Danne VanHorn 200

JUNIORS - HIGH SERIES
Mini Bees: Rafael Iniguez 141, Chelsea Chism 145, Kenedy Chism 133, Nellie De La Cruz 120.
Bobcats: Matthew Valdez 491, Brennan Wingfield 473, Scott Silva 431, Kendra Wilson 431, Maggie Jenkins 364 Classified: Kameron Aguilto 519, Reymar Santos 497, Kevin Tate 435, Emily Jenkins 453, Jocelyn Torres 388 Natalie Ahumada 266. Have a great Easter weekend. See you next week on the lanes.

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Now onto this week's scores:
Vegas Bound: Scr.: 696 Austin Wasielewski, 646 Tyler Salverda, 584 Nancy Jimeno, 524 Toni Ayotte, 247 Garran Hein, 243 Alex McKendall, 200 Ashley Paschall.
Chamber \& Friends: Scr.: 728 Peter Ruiz, 699 Brian Behounek, , 557 Leona Ruiz, 531 Clara Lotton, 227 Jack Grothe, 223 Frank Haislip.
Crazy 4 Vegas: Scr.: 597 Fred Edick, 574 Terry Clifford, 548 Nancy Jimeno, 214 Jim Lowe, 205 Jon Stein
Young @ Heart: Hdcp.: 739 Raul Gutierrez \& Ron Cantrell, 742 Terry Calcagno, 740 Debbie Kaan, 293 George Kelley, 283 Donna Huffman
Let it Ride: Scr.: 667 Carnage Burdick, 666 Deadpool Nakatani Sr, 511 Pussycat Nakatani, 238 Jerry Bolanos, 232 katani Sr,
Mike Samarzich \& Bonkers Brown.
No Sanbaggers: Scr.: 630 Roger Heap, 608 Tony Morales No Sanbaggers: Scr.: 630 Roger Heap, 608 Tony Morale 518 Karen Corrow, 245 Scott Heap, 228 Van Navilias. TBYBP Jr. IAdult Turtle Crew: Scr.: Adult 414 Michae Wang, Youth 300 Mark Wang
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BURBANK — Here are this weeks scores!
Senior Swingers: (scr) Rick Langer 181, Cres Cruz 148, Winston Gorriceta 466, Kim Rasmussen 392. (hdcp) Ed Bugayong 230, Seiki Tluczek 209, Art Segura 654, Bonnie Holcomb 598.
Monday 690: (scr) Dennis Brown 225, Ursula Blanco 193, Dave Brubaker 665, Rose White 544. (hdcp) Travis Mikels 267, Gail Hase 242, Jesse Enriquez 688, Glenda Nale 670. LA Metro Telco: (scr) Kevin Bularz 233, Joan Hagerty 149 Jack Roquemore 654, Alice Compere 475. (hdcp) Dennis Atkinson 279, Michelle Marx 236, Jimmy Jebejian 757, Joyce Hill 646.
Orbits: Jan Levitt 185, Vicki Olivia 173, Tish Plotkin 499, Rilla Raad 454. (hdcp) Sheyanne Palmer 250, Lori Durbin 219, Janie Desgroseilliers 614, Diana Trowbridge 600. ICF: Andre Giacomelli 253, Sydney DeMello 248, Marvin Poretta 707, Darlene Hudson 635.
JPL League: (scr) Ken Glazebrook 199, Katie Smith 113, Mason Carney 537, Amelia Quon 388. (hdcp) Brian Guevara 224, Natalie Honda 197, Albert Rieck 598, April Jewell 552. Guys \& Dolls: (scr) Alex Whittinghill 259, Colleen Simpson 214, Mike McMahon 645, Cortney Lyon 524. (hdcp) Robb Cole 288, Lisa Chung 268, Pedro Gonzales 757, Peggy Eklund 755.
Wed Night Hdcp: (scr) Ron Alvarez 247, Alexis Arnold 205, Michael Fajardo 690, Amber Ball 566. (hdcp) Anthony Martinez 298, Sheilah Faller 273, Nanding Cotangco 785, Michelle Dominguez 721.
Senior Foursome: (scr) Ron Stearns 189, Cres Cruz 176, Richard Andersen 548, Bonnie Holcomb 454. (hdcp) Doug McMillen 255, Lydia Gantt 243, Tony Foenander 670, Julie Peters 688.
Thursday 890: (scr) Anthony Martinez 248, Vickie Maas 191, Ryan Hinchliffe 677, Ramona Gardner 526. (hdcp) Bruce Henderson 308, Kim Chappell 247, John Carter 738, Bridget Carter 672.
Sunday Night Hdcp: (scr) Sylvester Foster 246, Cynthia Estrada 162, Ryan Hinchliffe 710, Danica McMahon 509. (hdcp) Gary Payne 276, Loma Afifi 245, Kevin Lewis 756, Vickie Maas 650.

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Congratulations to Gary Wingett on his 803 and Chris Groom on his 816 during the Frank's Gold Cup League. Congratulations to Brian Bendt on his 300 game during the Vegas Gamblers league. WOW, what a week!

## SUNDAY

Vegas Rollers: Sheldon Shapiro 300/801 Kevin Bleick 264 Steven Brogdon 665, Traci Gioia 201
Wally's Vegas Cruise: Leo Moreno 279/763, Alberty Valdez 251, Erin La Brada 232/640.

## MONDAY -

Lake Parkers: Al Scudellari 247/628, Rich Morfin 237, Brian Parker 618, Jackie Glover 199.
Golden Awards: Bernard Dean 254/666, Larry McCurry 237, Everett Freywald 654, Sharon Honn 206
Whittier Elks: Clinton Meche 300/746, Mark Knight 246/675, Lea Lippincott 203.
Gambler's Fun: Andy Jeske 300/724, Mike Hall 268/715, Lisa Nielson 212, Debra Wilson 199
TUESDAY -
Glenbrook Gals: Joannie Fanning 194 Lisa McCutchan 194, Bridget Steffensen 193.
Friendly Seniors: Bill Scherger 243/645, Larry McCurry 221, Mary Callinan 223.
Pedagogues: Bill Van Nerynen 218/603, Larry Bell 211, Gayle Harmon 208
Ageless Wonders: Vince Ferracioli 279, Tom Denker 267/652, Karla Hansen 183. Guys \& Dolls: Mike Hall 263, Bill Kessler 253/689, Jason Amaro 689, Lauree Bennett 230/585, Ines Otbo 199.

## WEDNESDAY

Silver Foxes: Carl Brooks 246/682, Rob Roberts 244 Charlie Jester 674, Jackie Head 219.
American National Can: Gilbert Gissendaner 279/711, Roger Stites 269/748, Dawn Carmichael 191, Nillie Taylor 189.

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Early Birds: Mary Beth Thompson 219/585, Leslie Schulte 215/580, Tina Forte 211
Sunset Rollers: Bill Scherger 245/645, Raul Ortega 222, Dolores Harmon 197
All Schools: Larry Bell 563, Helen Kowalski 183. Frank's Gold Cup: Chris Groom 299/816, Gary Wingett 290/803, Emily Cornmesser 258/730
FRIDAY -
Vegas Gamblers: Brian Bendt 300/741, Kirk Keith 279/761 Ken Maxey Jr. 745, Sharon Westerhold 265/645, Jordan Kraye 253, Heather Morkes 663, Amanda Stewart 657.

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## Back TO $26^{\prime}$ For Week Two Of The Wild Card Round

DOWNEY - The Brunswick Invitational was back for the second week of the wild card round. Random draw put the bowlers on the 26 ' short modified Cheetah pattern. Professional Approach, Bowlium and G.J.C. Janitorial Proressional Approach, Bowlium and G.J.C. Janitorial oil.
In the "A" match, Professional Approach and Bowlium put their perfect 5-0 records on the line. Gary Wright's 553 led Bowlium to a 3-2 win over Professional Approach. Herman Ferguson led Professional Approach with a 524 set
In the "B" match, G.J.C. Janitorial' s put their 5-0 record up against Cal Bowl's 4-1 record. Cal Bowl came out strong taking game one but G.J.C. kept coming and took games 2 and stole game three for a 4-1 win to move to 9-1. Leonard Ruiz Jr. led Cal Bowl at 544 while Aaron Cardenas was clutch for G.J.C. With a 581 set.
Threadworks and Linder's Insurance paired up their $4-1$ records. Linder's took the first game by 12 and kept striking to sweep through Threadworks and put themselves at 9-1 and into the "A" match next week.

Herzog Insurance and Forest Lanes were the low of the 4-1 teams. Herzog took the first two, dropped the third, but held on for totals and a 4-1 win. Super-sub Sol Cericos led Herzog with a 576 set while Jon Diso was solid with a 579 set.

DV8 and J.A.T. were looking to bounce back afte disappointing starts to the round. J.A.T. took game 1 and squeaked out game 2 by two sticks before putting up a big 834 third game for the sweep. Katrina Fujikami was con sistent to lead J.A.T. with a 631 series while Kurt Arakaki was huge for DV8 leading the league with a big 665 set

Erickson's Food Supply and Century 21- My Real Estate were both 1-4 after the first week. Erickson's took games one, three and had enough for totals and a 4-1 win DeeRonn Booker was solid again for Erickson's with a 601 set while Joe Jimenez rolled his way to a 586 set to lead Century 21

Los Altos Trophy was the low of the 1-4 teams matching them up with Crown Royal at 0-5. Crown Royal took 4 dropping only game 2 by a few sticks. Dave Schiada was big for Crown with a consistent 594 set while Matt Mosley's 491 paced Los Altos Trophy.

Smirnoff and Gym W.R.A.T.T. Fitness rounded out the wild card matches. Nobody was lighting them up but Smirnoff took the sweep led by Vernon Adams' solid 597 Andre Pitchford led the Gym gang with a 490 set.

In the battle of the round winners, Keystone Lanes took on Sysco and Parkin's Bowling Supply matched up with Western Pacific. Keystone took 4 led by Eddie VanDaniker's strong 638 series. Paul Barraco was solid again for Sysco with a 604 set. In the other match, Western Pacific started out strong, dropped game 2, and came back to take totals. Raul "Spanky" Rosales led Western with a nice 620 set while Buddy Lucas finished strong for Parkin's with a 617 series
Sidepots went to Spanky Rosales (237) and Anthony Santos (237) for $\$ 57$ each while the second game Super Pot went to Eddie VanDaniker (256) for $\$ 171$. Financia Advisor's third game pot went to Brandon Grant (247) for $\$ 200$ with second to Kurt Arakaki (243) for $\$ 100$.

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TOP TEN TEAMS ROUND 5

| Linder's Insurance | Professional Approach |
| :---: | :---: |
| Keystone Lanes \$\$\$. | Western Pacific \$\$........ 6 |
| G.J.J. Janitorial . . . . . . . . . 9 | J.A.T. |
| Herzog Insurance . . . . . . . . 8 | Cal Bowl |
| Bowlium. ................ 8 | Forest Lanes.............. 5 |
| TOP 10 THMS WEEK |  |
| Kurt Arakaki . . . . . . . . . 665 | Paul Barraco . . . . . . . . 604 |
| Eddie VanDaniker...... 638 | DeeRonn Booker . . . . . 601 |
| Katrina Fujikami . . . . . . . 631 | Vernon Adams . . . . . . . 597 |
| Spanky Rosales . . . . . . . 620 | Dave Schiada . . . . . . . . . 594 |
| Buddy Lucas. . . . . . . . . 617 | Brandon Grant . . . . . . . 592 |

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