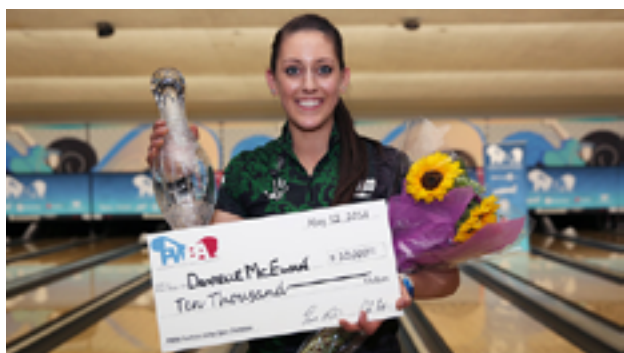


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McEwan Wins 2018 PWBA Fountain Valley Open

FOUNTAIN VALLEY – Mother's Day is a day each year where children honor their mothers for being great, and Danielle McEwan of Stony Point, New York, gave her mother an early present Saturday by winning the Professional Women's Bowling Association Fountain Valley Open.

McEwan, the No. 3 seed, ran the stepladder and defeated Bryanna Coté of Red Rock, Arizona, in the title match, 215-182, to win her fourth career PWBA Tour title. In the process, she joined last week's PWBA Sonoma County Open champion Shannon O'Keefe of O'Fallon, Illinois, as the only players to win a title in each season since the relaunch of the PWBA Tour in 2015.

The stepladder finals were streamed live on Xtra Frame, the Professional Bowlers Association's on-line bowling channel.

In the championship match, McEwan began with three consecutive strikes, which echoed a tone she'd set in her previous matches by getting off to strong starts. Coté struggled to find a look early in the match, but she still managed to give herself a

chance to win with strikes in the eighth and ninth frames. McEwan countered with a strike in the ninth, and she sealed the victory with a spare to start the 10th frame to collect the \$10,000 top prize.

"This means the world to me, especially on this tour," McEwan said. "This year, in particular, the tal-

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Old Guys Rule!!

ANAHEIM – There has been a bowling league at Linbrook Bowl, Anaheim, called the "Party Timers" for the past several years.

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Michael Haugen Jr. Wins PBA50 Johnny Petraglia BVL Open

Haugen defeats top finals qualifier Walter Ray Williams Jr. 277-195 for second career PBA50 Tour title



Johnny Petraglia & Michel Haugen Jr.

FARMINGDALE, N.Y. – Using three different balls to attack the changing lane conditions in the stepladder finals, Michael Haugen Jr. of Phoenix, won the PBA50 Johnny Petraglia BVL Open presented by Brunswick for his second career PBA50 Tour title.

Haugen, the 2017 PBA50 Rookie of the Year and winner of the 2017 Suncoast PBA Senior U.S. Open, defeated PBA Hall of Famer and stepladder finals top qualifier Walter Ray Williams Jr. of Oxford, Fla., 277-195, in the title match at Farming-

dale Lanes to win his first PBA50 Tour title of the season.

"It's pretty special anytime you can beat the most prolific winner in our sport because he doesn't give them away," said Haugen of his win over Williams. "To beat Walter Ray for the title in a tournament named after Johnny Petraglia, it doesn't get much better than that."

The 51-year-old Haugen used three different balls in the finals, often using a different ball on each lane in his three matches.

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Silver Lake Atom Splitters Sweep Philadelphia Hitmen to Win Third PBA League Elias Cup

Chris Barnes' key 10th frame leads to second Mark Roth PBA League MVP Award

PORTLAND, Maine – The Go Bowling! Silver Lake Atom Splitters became the first team to win three OceanView at Falmouth PBA League Elias Cup championships, winning in a dominant performance over the Sysco Philadelphia Hitmen at Bayside Bowl.

The two match, best-of-two-game finals, part of the 2018 Go Bowling! PBA Tour schedule, aired Sunday as the PBA Tour's final telecast on ESPN.

Silver Lake, the winner of back-to-back Elias Cups in 2014 and '15, ended a two-year dry spell in a



sweep over the Hitmen, who had never bowled in the Elias Cup finals. After a dominant semifinal round win over the Barbasol Mottown Muscle, the Atom

Splitters' Jesper Svensson, Dick Allen, AJ Johnson, Tom Daugherty and Chris Barnes had only one close call in a four-game sweep.

After winning the open-

ing game, 248-189, on the strength of seven strikes in the first eight frames, game two came down to a 10th frame showdown where

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PBA’S “MEMORABLE MOMENTS” 12 THRU 15 COMPLETE THE LIST, 1 THRU 11 REVISITED

The four additional milestones in PBA history listed below complete the list of the PBA’s “60 most memorable moments.” The top 10 moments (actually 11, because of a tie for 10th place) were revealed during the PBA’s 60th Anniversary celebration in Indianapolis in February, and are re-visited below along with “memorable moments” 12 through 16 which were unveiled on all of the PBA Network’s outlets last week. Here are those final moments:

- 1) Don Johnson’s 299 game in the championship game of the 1970 Firestone Tournament of Champions. He fell to floor after leaving a 10 pin on his final shot, rising to a standing ovation at Riviera Lanes.
- 2) Eddie Elias’ meeting with PBA’s 33 founding members in Syracuse, N.Y., in 1958.
- 3) Kelly Kulick becoming the first woman to win a PBA Tour title in the 2010 PBA Tournament of Champions in Las Vegas.
- 4) Pete McCordic winning a \$100,000 bonus with a nerve-wracked 300 game on ABC-TV in 1987.
- 5) Pete Weber striking in the 10th frame to claim a record fifth U.S. Open title by one pin in 2012, then uttering his famous phrase, “Who Do You Think You Are, I Am!”
- 6) Earl Anthony surpassing the \$1 million career earnings milestone for the first time in winning the 1982 PBA National Championship.
- 7) Del Ballard Jr., needing two strikes and 7 pins to win the 1991 Fair Lanes Open over Pete Weber, gets the first two but rolls a gutter ball on his last shot to lose.
- 8) Mark Roth becoming the first player to convert the 7-10 split in a 1980 televised PBA final.
- 9) Bob Learn Jr. throws 44 out of a possible 48 strikes, including a 300 game, for a record four-game TV total of 1,129 pins to win the PBA Flagship Open in an arena in his hometown of Erie, Pa., in 1996.
- 10 & 11
A tie between the 2011 TOC from Red Rock in Las Vegas where Mika Koivuniemi defeated Tom Daugherty in the biggest margin of victory ever, 299-100 (lowest game ever bowled on TV) and then goes on to win the \$250,000 record first prize. It was the PBA’s first live telecast on ABC-TV since 1997. And also tied for 10th, Randy Pedersen needed a strike to defeat Ernie Schlegel to win the 1995 Touring Players Championship, but his seemingly perfect shot left a stone 8 pin, prompting Schlegel to go into a wild celebration.
- 12) Jack Biondolillo bowled the first nationally televised 300 game in PBA history during the finals of the 1967 Firestone Tournament of Champions, defeating Les Schissler, 300-216, in the second match of the finals and earning a \$10,000 perfect game bonus. Biondolillo then lost to Don Johnson in the semifinal match, 228-172, and Jim Stefanich defeated Johnson, 43-36, in a two-frame roll-off for the title after they tied at 227.
- 13) In 1991, Pete Weber won his third BPAA U.S. Open title at Woodland Bowl in Indianapolis, throwing 10 consecutive strikes after a spare and ending the match with a 10 pin to defeat Mark Thayer, 289- 184. During the trophy presentation, Weber famously hoisted the trophy only to have the ceramic eagle topple to the ground and shatter.
- 14) In 1962, ABC Sports began its “Pro Bowlers Tour” series coverage with the Empire State Open. Hall of Fame broadcaster Chris Schenkel was in the booth for the first broadcast.
- 15) In the spring of 2000, the PBA was purchased by former Microsoft executives Chris Peters, Mike Slade and Rob Glaser. PBA headquarters were later relocated to Seattle after spending the first 42 years in Akron, Ohio.

To review all 60 memorable moments, visit: <https://www.pba.com/PBANetwork/MostMemorableMoments>.

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2018 PBA Billy Welu Scholarship Applications Now Being Accepted

CHICAGO – The Professional Bowlers Association is now accepting applications for the 2018 PBA Billy Welu Scholarship Award which recognizes exemplary qualities in male or female college students who excel in academics as well as in the sport of bowling.

The winner will receive a \$1,000 scholarship. To be eligible candidates must be amateur bowlers who are currently in college (preceding the application date) and maintaining at least a 2.5/4.0 GPA or equivalent. Applications must be postmarked by June 15.

The scholarship was established in 1982 in memory of the PBA Hall of Famer who served as television analyst alongside legendary ABC broadcaster and PBA Hall of Famer Chris Schenkel on the “Pro Bowlers Tour” series prior to his death in 1974. Over the years, 33 outstanding student athletes have been selected as Welu Scholarship recipients.

The application is in two parts and can be retrieved by downloading both files using this link <http://www.pba.com/Corporate/Scholarships>. Nominations can be sent to scholarships@pba.com or through the U.S. mail at PBA Billy Welu Scholarship, 55 E. Jackson Blvd., Suite 401, Chicago, IL 60604.

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- 2011 – Kristina Frahm (Maryland Eastern Shore)
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- 2006 – Jerrod Reece (Creighton University)
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- 2004 – Holly Pusok (University of Houston)
- 2003 – Robby Spigner (Indiana University)
- 2002 – N/A
- 2001 – Jennie Snoddy (Notre Dame College of Ohio)
- 2000 – Jackie Edwards (Cal State-Fresno)
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- 1997 – Preston Brunswig (Wichita State)
- 1996 – Brenda Doshier (University of Southern Indiana)
- 1995 – Michael Lamont (University of Florida)
- 1994 – Joe Ciccone (Erie Community College)
- 1993 – N/A
- 1992 – Stephen Dale Jr. (Northeastern University)
- 1991 – Kari Murph (Morehead State)
- 1990 – Kimberly Berke (University of Nebraska-Lincoln)
- 1989 – Ronni Shehorn (San Jose State)
- 1988 – Julie Powell (University of Michigan)
- 1987 – N/A
- 1986 – Paul Kaib (University of Florida)
- 1985 – Curt Pezzano (University of Miami (Fla))
- 1984 – Michelle Mullen (University of Illinois)
- 1983 – Jeri Edwards (Penn State)
- 1982 – Patricia Bowie (Arizona State)

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TOURNAMENT RULES (New late charge in effect; see Rule #1)

1. The 20th Annual Reno Junior-Adult Invitational will be held at the National Bowling Stadium, 300 N. Center St., Reno, Nevada 89501, (800) 304-2695. The tournament will be held from July 27 to July 29, 2018, and will be USBC Certified. Deadline for entries is July 10, 2018. **Entries received after the deadline will be charged \$5.00 per entry.** Entries will be accepted 30 minutes prior to squad time and are subject to squad and division availability. **Absolutely no refunds after July 10, 2018.** Tournament management reserves the right to use substitutes to fill cancellations. No faxed entries will be accepted. **Entries WILL NOT be processed without FULL payment and complete information including average verifications. Tournament directors have the right to refuse any entry.**

2. **ELIGIBILITY:** Open to all current **USBC** members. You **MUST** show your membership card or proof of membership when checking in. Any bowler not having a USBC Membership Card or proof of USBC Membership must purchase associate membership prior to bowling. Copies of USBC Membership Cards can be printed from bowl.com.

3. **MULTIPLE PARTICIPATION:** Entrants may participate multiple times per event. In order to place more than once in the prize list for position standings at least two players on the team must be different and you must change partners in the doubles event.

4. **ENTERING AVERAGE:** Entrants must use their highest 2017-18 book average. If none, entrants will use their January 1, 2018 average with at least 15 games. If none, entrants must use highest current average of 15 games **at the time of entry. Proof of average verification must be provided with paid entry.** A standing sheet, which must include a date to verify, signed by their coach or league secretary is proof for verification. If no average verification entrants must use a 225 average for all events. **If current season average for at least 21 games at time of bowling exceeds last season's average by 10 or more pins, current season average must be used (Rule 319a-2). Rule 319e (15 or more pin increase in tournament average of 21 or more games in the past 12 months) must be used or bowler will be disqualified.**

It is the bowlers' responsibility to verify the accuracy of his/her average, whether submitted by the bowler, team captain, or others. Failure to use the correct average shall disqualify scores if submitted average is lower than correct average, thereby resulting in a lower classification or more handicap. Prize winnings shall be based on the submitted average, if it is higher than the correct average. Corrections in averages can be made up to the completion of the first game of a series, or within 48 hours after completion of the series if the tournament manager, prior to the completion of the first game of a series, has given written consent to the bowler authorizing such extension of time to correct their average.

5. **RERATE/ADJUSTMENTS:** Tournament director reserves the right to rerate or **adjust a bowler's average upward prior to competition.** If the bowler does not accept the adjustment a refund will be given. Any adjusted or rerated averages, whether accepted or refused, must be reported. Failure to do so is grounds for disqualification **Any entrants, youth or adult, who have qualified for a cash and/or merchandise prize of \$600 or more in any tournament in final standings, brackets, side pots, all events, special/donated prizes in the last 12 months must report their scores, position and amount won to the Tournament Management prior to bowling for possible re-rating. Failure to comply will be cause for forfeiture of entry fees and prize winnings.**

6. **FORMAT:** There will be two formats for this tournament. There will be a team event consisting of two Juniors and two Adults bowling a 3 game format. There will also be a doubles event consisting of one Junior and one Adult bowling a 3 game format. An optional Junior Gold event may be offered for the USBC Jr Gold members. The entry fee will depend on the division and will be collected at the tournament site prior to bowling. One in five qualifiers will receive a paid entry (not including travel or expenses) to the national tournament. Bowlers must be a current season Jr. Gold member prior to competition. Membership must be purchased prior to or at the tournament. National tournament qualifiers who are not current Jr. Gold members will be disqualified.

7. **HANDICAP:** Handicap will be 80% of the difference between the team's average and the top of the division (refer to front of entry form for figures).

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9. **CONDUCT:** Any conduct deemed inappropriate, foul language, obscene gestures or abuse of equipment may be cause for removal from competition, as determined by the tournament director. Any incident that reflects poorly on the Reno Jr-Adult Invitational, reported to the Tournament Management, whether at the center or otherwise, may result in denial of further participation. Entry fees will not be refunded.

10. **AWARDS:** All prize/award fees will be returned 100% within each event, on a ratio of at least 1 prize for each 10 entries or major fraction thereof. The USBC SMART program will administer all scholarship awards, Acct #9312.

11. **CHECK IN:** Bowlers must check in 1 hour prior to squad time. Tournament spots are on a first-come, first-served basis. **Bowlers failing to check in one half hour before their scheduled squad time will lose their scheduled spot. All substitutions should be made one hour prior to squad time.**

12. Additional squads may be added during the course of the tournament as deemed necessary by tournament management, but no squad shall be added after the last advertised squad time. All decisions by the Tournament Director are final unless an appeal is made in accordance with USBC rule 329. All scores are unofficial until otherwise posted. Any questions or concerns must be brought to one of the Co-Tournament Directors. Official protests must be filed, in writing, with one of the Tournament Directors, within 72 hours of the completion of the tournament.



PBA World Series of Bowling X Returns to Its Roots in Detroit

FOX Sports to provide unique television coverage from historic Thunderbowl Lanes arena

ALLEN PARK, Mich. – The Professional Bowlers Association’s 10th anniversary World Series of Bowling will return to its roots at historic Thunderbowl Lanes in suburban Detroit, and will include a unique television package with the PBA’s new broadcast partner, FOX Sports, PBA CEO and Commissioner Tom Clark announced today.

WSOB X, a multi-event tournament series, will be held March 11-21 as part of the 2019 Go Bowling! PBA Tour at the same site that hosted the inaugural World Series in 2009.

“The PBA World Series of Bowling has evolved over the past nine years in becoming the world’s premier event in professional bowling,” Clark said. “The 10th edition will be the most electrifying yet, with multiple PBA titles being won live in prime time on national TV on consecutive nights. None of this growth would have been possible without the shared vision of Thunderbowl Lanes proprietor Tom Strobl and the great bowling fans of Detroit, so it’s with great pleasure that the PBA will return to the place of the WSOB’s birth in 2019.”

WSOB X will include four championship events that were part of the original event: the Cheetah Championship (won in 2009 by Norm Duke), Chameleon Championship (won by Bill O’Neill), Scorpion Championship (won by Mike DeVaney) and the PBA World Championship (won by Tom Smallwood). The finals of those four events will be televised live by FOX Sports in prime time on consecutive nights in March. A fifth event – a special USA vs. The World team match – will be the final event of WSOB X. Details will be announced soon.

Thunderbowl Lanes’ unique arena bay, originally built to showcase team bowling in an era just before the PBA’s formation in 1958, will be the site of the FOX Sports telecasts, continuing a WSOB tradition that has included events at premier bowling venues including South Point in Las Vegas and the National Bowling Stadium in Reno, Nev.

Since its formation, the WSOB has become a magnet for both established and rising international bowling stars. Bowlers from 41 different countries have participated over the past nine years.

Because the PBA’s new partnership with FOX Sports begins in 2019 and presents an opportunity to televise the entire World Series live, there is no 2018 WSOB. The PBA replaced the World Series on the 2018 schedule with the recently-announced PBA Fall Swing in Tulsa, Okla., in October. The World Series and the PBA Fall Swing will be open to PBA members only. A complete schedule of WSOB X events will be announced soon.

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ent is unbelievable. The girls have come back and have gotten so much better from the first year to the second year and all the way through. Every week out here is grueling, the shots are hard and it’s really taken everything I have to make it through each round. So, to come out on top, this one’s a great feeling.”

McEwan didn’t record an open frame during her three wins. It’s a fact she didn’t even notice because she was intently focused on keeping her process the same throughout the stepladder finals. Her mental game has played an important role in her continued development as a player, and it’s something she’s focused on improving since last season.

“My main keys have been being positive and being patient,” McEwan said. “My downward spirals come from when I start to panic and I’m not patient, and it affects my physical game. I saw a lot of that last year. So, this year is about being patient, being positive and trying to keep everything as even-keel as possible.”

In McEwan’s three previous wins, her mother, Susan Varano, had been present for each victory. With the stepladder finals being held in the host center during the 2018 season, Varano was not in attendance for this championship-round appearance.

This presented a different feeling and vibe for McEwan, who was used to looking up and seeing her mother watching on as a spectator. But, perhaps more than anything, it provided McEwan a different perspective and understanding of just how important her mother is and has been.

“My family is very important to me,” McEwan said. “But, with Mother’s Day in particular, this is my first win where my mom hasn’t been here. It’s one of those things you kind of take for granted almost. I don’t mean to, but she’s just always been here. And, today while bowling, it caught me a couple times and I said, ‘wow, she’s not here. This is really weird.’ I know she was at home glued to the computer and sitting next to my grandmother probably all screaming and crying. It’s all good. Happy Mother’s Day, mom.”

McEwan advanced to the title match after defeating No. 2 seed Rocio Restrepo of Louisville, Ohio, 247-209. Restrepo was looking for her fourth career PWBA Tour title.

In the opening match, McEwan defeated local favorite **Missy Parkin** of Laguna Hills, California, 220-202.

Competition this week at the PWBA Fountain Valley Open at Fountain Bowl included two eight-game qualifying blocks on Friday to determine the 32 players for Saturday’s Round of 32. An additional eight-game block Saturday morning narrowed the field to 12 players, who bowled six additional games to determine the stepladder finalists.

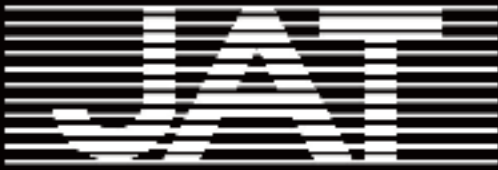
The 2018 PWBA Tour season continues next week with the first major of the season at the United States Bowling Congress Queens at the National Bowling Stadium in Reno, Nevada. Qualifying and match-play rounds of PWBA Tour events are broadcast on Xtra Frame, which also will be the livestream home for the stepladder finals of seven standard events. Go to PWBA.com for more information about the PWBA Tour.

PWBA FOUNTAIN VALLEY OPEN

Fountain Bowl, Fountain Valley, CA, Saturday

Final Standings:

- 1 Danielle McEwan, Stony Point, NY, \$10,000.00
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Atom Splitters’ anchor Barnes threw three strikes to force Matt Sanders to match the effort to force a roll-off. Sanders ran the Hitmen’s string of strikes five, but on his final ball in the 10th frame, Sanders left a 9 pin and Silver Lake claimed a 216-215 decision.

With match one secured, and Philadelphia running into spare-shooting difficulties, Silver Lake easily won game three, 202-163. The Atom Splitters completed the sweep by throwing the first six strikes in game four, winning again, 246-192.

“We went undefeated, but on every shot, you do the math in your head and take it one shot at a time,” Silver Lake manager Mark Baker said. “My guys really bowled well. Really well. We played the lanes a little differently than everyone else, and our shot wasn’t going away. Jesper was Jesper. Dick Allen bowls great in this place. Daugherty, except for the solid 8, struck on about every ball. Putting Chris (Barnes) last relaxed (Dick) and I think that was the big difference.

“This is so much fun,” Baker continued. “It’s hard to explain to anyone who has never been here what the atmosphere is like. The first shot thrown (in the final round) gave me goosebumps. I don’t bowl any more. It wasn’t even my team, but that’s how electrifying it is here.”

While the entire Atom Splitters team bowled well, the decision to award the Mark Roth PBA League Most Valuable Player Award came down to Chris Barnes’ three-strike, 10th frame performance in game two of the Elias Cup finals. Barnes also won the inaugural Roth MVP award in 2014, making him the first two-time winner.

“That’s pretty cool, but I look at it as more of a team thing,” Barnes said. “We all struck a lot. We only had a couple of close games. I struck out to win one. It was a big one to win, but if it hadn’t been for a stone 8 (by Daugherty), we wouldn’t have been in a position where I needed to do that.

“Our guys were really clicking for the most part. We never had more than one person in between strikes and even then, we were all lined up,” he added. “(Philadelphia) just couldn’t get all of its guys going at the same time, and that’s always the issue here.”

At the conclusion of the event, PBA CEO and Commissioner Tom Clark announced the PBA League will return to Bayside Bowl in 2019 as part of the PBA’s new television package with FOX Sports. Details will be announced later.

OCEANVIEW AT FALMOUTH PBA LEAGUE
Bayside Bowl, Portland, Maine (aired Sunday on ESPN)
Elias Cup Championship
(2 best-of-two-game Baker format matches):
Go Bowling! Silver Lake Atom Splitters
(Jesper Svensson, Dick Allen, AJ Johnson, Tom Daugherty, Chris Barnes) def. **Sysco Philadelphia Hitmen**
(Ronnie Russell, Chris Loschetter, Tom Smallwood, Dom Barrett, Matt Sanders), 2-0 (248-189 and 216-215; 202-163 and 246-192).

2018 PBA LEAGUE FINAL STANDINGS
(Final position based on match play records followed by total pinfall)

- 1, Go Bowling! Silver Lake Atom Splitters
(Jesper Svensson, Dick Allen, AJ Johnson, Tom Daugherty, Chris Barnes; manager Mark Baker), \$60,000.
- 2, Sysco Philadelphia Hitmen
(Ronnie Russell, Chris Loschetter, Tom Smallwood, Dom Barrett, Matt Sanders; manager Jason Couch), \$50,000.
- 3, Shipyard Dallas Strikers
(Bill O’Neill, player-manager Norm Duke, Kyle Sherman, Tommy Jones, Rhino Page), \$35,000.
- 4, Barbasol Motown Muscle
(Josh Blanchard, Shota Kawazoe, Francois Lavoie, Anthony Simonsen, EJ Tackett; manager Del Ballard Jr.), \$35,000.
- 5, GEICO NYC WTT KingPins
(Sam Cooley, Anthony Pepe, Pete Weber, BJ Moore, Marshall Kent; manager Carolyn Dorin-Ballard), \$25,000.
- 6, OceanView at Falmouth Brooklyn Styles
(Walter Ray Williams Jr., Parker Bohn III, Jason Sterner, Sean Rash, Matt O’Grady; manager Johnny Petraglia), \$25,000.
- 7, bowlingball.com L.A. X
(Stuart Williams, Martin Larsen, Osku Palermmaa, Jason Belmonte, Jakob Butturff; manager Andrew Cain), \$25,000.
- 8, Port Property Management Portland Lumberjacks
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by Bette Addington

May

Now-6/30 – USBC Women’s Championships, National Bowling Stadium, Reno, bowl.com

Now-7/1 – CUSBC 2018 Adult Championships, Keystone Lanes, Norwalk, calusbc.com

16-20 – 3rd CA Bowlers Tour Senior 50+ No Tap Doubles Tourn., High Sierra Lanes, Reno, Gina – 925/757-2695

16-22 – USBC Queens, National Bowling Stadium, Reno, bowl.com

19-20 – Central Valley Masters Scratch Open, 10am & 3pm qualifying on Sat., \$5k for 1st place, AMF Southwest Lanes, Bakersfield, centralvalleymasters.com

19 – Gold Pin Scratch 6-Gamer, 1pm, Earl Anthony’s Dublin Bowl, 925/828-7550

20 – JAT at Forest Lanes/PBA Challenge #4, Lake Forest, 9am, bowljat.org

20 – Scratch 6-Gamer, 12 noon, Yosemite Lanes, Modesto, 209/524-9161

22 – Registration deadline for CUSBC State Convention for Delegates (6/9-10 in Fresno), calusbc.com

24-27 – PBA/PBA50 Vanessa Brown Homes West, Yosemite Lanes, Modesto, pba.com

24-6/3 – 79th TNBA Annual Convention & 77th Championship Tournament, Ann Arbor, MI, 513/769-1985

26-27 – GameTimeBowlers Battle 5 “Double Challenge” 6-Gamer, 11am, Foothill Lanes, Fontana, 844/228-8539

26-27 – Hillman Memorial Youth Scholarship Tourn., Cloverleaf Family Bowl, Fremont

27 – HammerPins Mixed No-Tap Doubles Tourn., 11am, Travis Bowl, Travis AFB, hammerpins.net

27 – San Joaquin Bowling Club Singles Tourn., KC Bowl, Hanford, 559/385-8837

31-6/2 – Hall of Fame Xtravaganza, Red Rock Lanes, Las Vegas, bowlingmuseum.com

31-6/3 – USBC Super Senior Classic, Sam’s Town Bowling Center, Las Vegas, pba.com or bowl.com

June

2-3 – Adult/Youth Doubles Smackdown, Sat. qualifying at 1pm & 4pm at Santa Clarita and Linbrook; Sun. Finals at 10am at Winnetka, bowlinsocal.com

3 – King/Queen of Pinole Scratch Singles Tourn., 10am, AMF Pinole Valley Lanes, 510/374-9069

3-10 – USBC Senior Masters, Sam’s Town Bowling Center, Las Vegas, pba.com or bowl.com

6 – Reservation/payment deadline for 2018 CUSBC Awards Banquet (6/9 at Hotel Piccadilly, Fresno), calusbc.com

8 – Entry deadline for Adult/Sr. Doubles Tourn. at Riverside Lanes, Laughlin (7/14), 909/628-3966

9 – Silver Foxes Tourn., 10:30am check-in/bowl at 12, Yosemite Lanes, Modesto, 559/381-0356

9-10 – CUSBC 2018 State Convention, Piccadilly Inn (2305 W. Shaw, Fresno), calusbc.com

10 – JAT at Cal Bowl/Season Finale, 9am, Lakewood, bowljat.org

10 – Nor Cal Swiss Team Challenge III, 9:30am, Games 1-3 @ Dublin; Games 3-6 @ Cloverleaf, 925/828-0378, sluba803@yahoo.com

10-15 – Suncoast PBA Senior US Open, Suncoast Bowling Center, Las Vegas, pba.com

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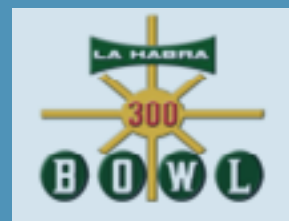
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USBC Associations Honored for BVL Donations

Bowlers from tiny Princeton, Ill., to the mighty Golden State – California – were recognized recently at the USBC Convention in Reno for their dedication to and support of America’s veterans through the sports oldest and most successful charity, BVL, for the 16-17 league season.

BVL leaders presented awards to the five top states and large local associations based on their total contributions as well as the top five small local association contributions based on a per bowler contribution.

The top state contributors list included some familiar names:	
California State USBC	\$113,874.52
Michigan State USBC	\$50,607.05
Texas State USBC	\$45,665.85
Arizona State USBC	\$42,143.50
Virginia State USBC	\$37,294.28
The top local ‘large’ associations for the 16-17 season were:	
Metro Phoenix USBC	\$27,070.00
Citrus Belt (CA) USBC	\$16,635.41
Metro Detroit USBC	\$16,405.55
Minneapolis USBC	\$16,250.00
Mesa Metropolitan (AZ) USBC	\$15,000.00
The top local ‘small’ associations, based on the total contribution per USBC member:	
Princeton (IL) USBC WBA	\$32.79/member
Yankton (SD) USBC	\$8.59/member
Oroville (CA) USBC	\$7.85/member
Joliet Area (IL) USBC WBA	\$6.35/member
Merrimack Valley (MA) USBC WBA	\$6.25/member

“At BVL, every dollar counts, we appreciate every single donation – but these awards give us an opportunity to shine a light on some very special efforts undertaken by our BVL volunteers around the country,” explains BVL Executive Director Mary Harrar. “This shows the huge hearts that are working hard to help our heroes in need.”

The Metro Phoenix contribution of \$27,070.00 was one of the largest local association donations in BVL history. Metro Phoenix BVL coordinator Dennis Brummitt credits their success to a multi-faceted approach to fund-raising. “We’re not a ‘one and done’ association...our BVL effort isn’t just concentrated on Veterans Day or the month of November – we’re out there all year long supporting the cause. We figure that, like my brothers and sisters in arms who served our country, our service men and women didn’t serve for a couple of days or a month; they were in for the long haul. We’re committed to the same.”

The 17-18 BVL fundraising season closes July 31, 2018. Associations are encouraged to submit their donations well before the closing date to ensure recognition.

Thanks to you all!!



Accepting on behalf of Princeton, IL USBC, Earlene Nelson (L), BVL Executive Director Mary Harrar, and Betty McCann (R).



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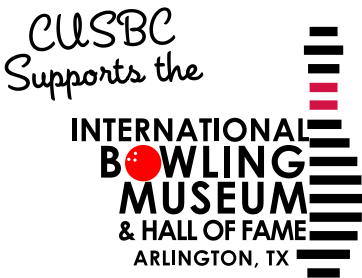
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by Tish

There once was a time when tournament bowlers would check in, get to their lanes, and just prior to the opening announcements and start of practice, a glorious sound fills the center. Every lane is turned on in succession, like playing the scale on a piano.

The roar of the sweeping & resetting of the pins is a resounding crescendo loaded with the anticipation of throwing your first ball. Silly? Maybe. For me, it's a reminder of my first competition, my heightened excitement and my love for the game.

I was teamed with a woman I had admired greatly as a youth bowler and that on its own was thrilling, but when they turned on the lanes that day, she turned to me and said "I love that sound". Since then, I, too, love that sound. It still happens occasionally.

If you have that opportunity & you love the game, listen. It will continue to fill your bowling soul with excitement & joy for years to come.

Senior Swingers Summer No Tap: (scr) Marv Porretta 187, Josie Pemberton 186, Raymond Garcia 567, Barbara Teitel 520. (hdcp) Dick Bay 231, Barbara Liberto 249, Kelly McDonough 599, Kim Rasmussen 599.

Disney League: (scr) Bryan Swarberg 191, Kim Leong 166, Matias Cena 545, Maggie Evenson 461. (hdcp) Mike Olejarczyk 238, Carley Tanoue 243, Anthony Vasquez 663, Lisa Robertiello 661.


Guys & Dolls: (scr) Setu Molia 238, Bridget Carter 163, Roger Desgroseilliers 612, Cortney Lyon 493. (hdcp) Mike McMahon 293, Lora Vangor 247, Rick Trinh 629, Danica McMahon, Kristine Bamattre & Kristen Lyon 617.

Wed Night Hdcp: (scr) Dan Polgrim 247, Laura Baltazar 209, Stephen Warren 681, Amber Ball 556. (hdcp) Angelo Orlando 306, Chrissy Silverman 284, Derek Fujimoto 761, Jo McMahon 704.

Senior Foursome: (scr) Art Segura 174, Julie Peters 158, Dick Bay 480, Marie Menez 424. (hdcp) Raymond Garcia 233, Bonnie Holcomb 218, Ron Stearns 589, Seiki Tluczek & Cres Cruz 587.

Thursday 890: (scr) Ron Bax 231, Vickie Maas 207, Kurt Zappaterreno 681, Olivia Tilleard 550.

Until next time...keep the ball rollin'!



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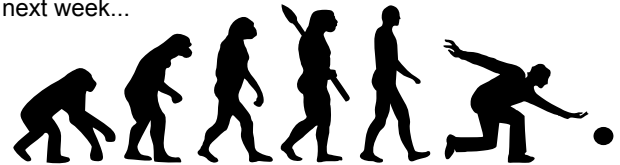
ANAHEIM – Our Rocky Marsh Doubles started the summer season with some GREAT scores...

The format this year is 4 games consisting of 2 sets of 2 games bowled on different lanes against 2 different teams. The high game for each set is listed.

The first set we saw Norm Walker shoot 273 followed by Terry Brent 247, Dan Milstead 247, Tony Hale 246, Orlando Vanegas 245, Carl Adinolfi 244, Dick McKenzie 243, Maiya Tallakson 236, Mark Guillaume 224, Willy Bordenave 228, David Yeoman 228, Steve Sparks 217, Al Lara 215, Sandy Magana 211, Bob Turner 209, Joy McGregor 206, Rose Williams 203 and Makcha Nelson 203.

The second set featured Don Gardner 277, David Yeoman 269, Nick Lam 247, Tony Hale 244, Dan Milstead 243, Chris Hefner 242, Carl Adinolfi 237, Terry Brent 234, Willy Bordenave 231, Dick McKenzie 226, Norm Walker 217, Ron Douglass 215, Rod Cantrell 213, Sandy Magana 212, Bob Turner 212 and Al Lara 201.

Hope all Mothers had a truly WONDERFUL day!! Until next week...





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LA HABRA – Weekly High Scores. Check out our weekly Sr. No-Tap, Friday mornings at 10:00 am. Congratulations to Ed Jamison on his 300 game during the Blind Draw Doubles tournament!

SUNDAY – Vegas Rollers: Sam Di Fatta 238, Albert Acosta 225, Gordon Brogdon 224. **Wally's Vegas Cruise:** Leo Moreno 227/602, Greg Perez 213.

MONDAY – Lake Parkers: Al Scudellari 238, Brian Parker 235/672, Dan Krier 209. **Golden Awards:** Carl Brooks 278/718, Al Scudellari 235/619, John Curran 220, Jenny Campbell 204, Sharon Honn 200.

TUESDAY – Friendly Seniors: John Cockayne 187, Jerry Funderburg 187.

WEDNESDAY – Silver Foxes: Fred Reinecke 216/609, Jerry Rudd 216/606, Robert Lomax 209, Rick Moffat 209, Bev Heston 202. **American Nation Can:** Mike Thompson 240/649, Brian Parker 204, Karen Balicki 212.

THURSDAY – Early Birds: Penny Bird 199. **Sunset Rollers:** Jim Ragsdale 214/606.

FRIDAY – Vegas Gamblers: Steve Harrison 288/708, Ed Jamison 278, Jerry Rudd 266, Dexter Harrod 737, Brandon Kraye 692, Donna silvers 220, Jordan Kraye 217, Carie Morgan 202.

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Now onto this week's scores:

Vegas Bound: Scr: 593 Shellie Camarata, 477 Elison Doss-Dewinter, 708 Bobby Maleskey, 700 Larry Sian, 194 Ashley Paschal, 182 Sheila Eppens, 287 J.R. Ayotte, 220 Brett Mieding.

Club 55: Hdcp: 761 Tony Thousand, 725 Tom Barron, 638 Jeannie Taylor, 611 Pat Copeland, 271 Don Diamond, 248 George Kelley, 239 JoAnn Cunningham, 219 Darla Lloyd.

XFrame-TAT: Scr: 559 Jinny Lei, 522 Tess Dizon, 694 Ralph Carusone, 625 Mike Jennings, 244 Kelly Manuel, 191 Bonnie Chan, 256 Jun Contreras, 248 Jun Chua.

Chamber & Friends: Scr: 524 Clara Lotton, 437 Maria Quezada, 668 Andrew Rietta, 661 Steve Dolphin, 159 Jo Clark, 156 Mary Hayes, 256 Mike Adams, 245 Jim Harrison.

Young @ Heart: Scr: 608 Dick Kakuta, 552 Tony Thousand, 523 JoAnn Cunningham, 433 Penny Martinez, 249 Bill Rugh, 203 Abe Quibin, 202 Amy Abalos, 149 Debbie Kaan & Janet Nguyen.

Fil-Am: Scr: 583 Vanessa Huertas, 505 Tess Dizon, 656 Mark Huertas, 643 Oscar Chan, 194 Bonnie Chan, 193 Jeng Aquino, 243 Jason De Jesus, 237 Jeff Panlilio

Vegas Gamblers: Scr: 448 Francis Vendiola, 398 Kim Curland, 603 Larry Leach, 491 Frank Franklin, 160 BJ Schoner, 154 Jenny Hendra, 190 Shaun Spivak, 165 Carlos Vendiola.

TBYBP Jr/Adult Turtle Crew: Scr: 497 Henry Lee, 333 Sarah Lee, 124 Maverick DiRossa, Adults: 517 Jorva DiRossa.

TBYBP Pin Heads: Scr: 316 Erynne Jones, 405 Kyle Yonezawa, 116 Ariana Chavez, 116 Zachary Cannon.

TBYBP Rug Rats: Scr: 106 Bailey Phipps, 120 Damien Donlucas, 58 Robert Moriel.

TBYBP Pin Pals: Scr: 315 Kira Ihara, 299 CJ Shingleton, 107 Alyssa Moriel, 135 Kia Sunada.

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CAL BOWL BOWLING REPORT
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LAKEWOOD — It's the time of the year when leagues are ending, sign ups are being taken for the new Summer season and lots of busy things are happening.

Congratulations to all the teams who won first place in their leagues. Welcome to the bowlers who are starting in a new Summer league. . . have fun and most of all enjoy your bowling.

Let's see how the bowlers did last week...

V.A.: Dan Martinez 573, Chris Martinez 518, Michelle McGarry 521.

Big Bear: The Big Bears growled at the pins this week. Team #6 are the champs this year. Congrats to Annie, Rita, Sid, Paul and Curt! Some scores to report: Jerry Cant 269/717, Aaron Law 256/708, Sonny Dew 265/697, Mark Fowler 254/685, Emeka Williams 665, Harold Dubose 256/660, Louis Whitlock 246/654, Paul Staff 258/641, Chris Abing 641, Ken Seiple Jr. 639, Sid Nakagawa 637, Kelly Wynn 636, Steve Clark 247/633, Debra Gipson 260/681, Sue Cant 245/638, Michelle Criswell 610, Denise Reed 558.

Gobs and Gabs: Jimmy White 742, Georell Culp 700, Paul Staff 684, Darylynn Davis 651, Liza Agoncillo 619, Jayme Brown 562, Crystal Alvarez 228, Aiko Johnson 220, Michelle Criswell 563, Leo Silva 272, Ed Cabs 254, Gary Wright 523.

Mini Couples: Dave Burchman 584, Mike Onusic 539, Rudy Tomaneng 519, Emily Burchman 536, Nene Camanag 498.

Grandma/Grandpa's: Walter Milsap 253/675, Larry Cosgrove 532, Alfred Dimas 528, Chris VanDeven 528, Billy Williams 518, Walter Gist 518, Jim Young 495, Donna May 202/542, Anna VonMuegge 202/533, JoAnne Mount 520, Yvonne Clarke 501.

Fil-Am: Matt Mosley 714, Leon Bradford 696, Rey Santos 681, James Borillo 266, Dave Burchman 262, Chris Abing 236, Christy Estimo 590, Maria Directo 530, Liza Agoncillo 223, Beth Austria 203.

Laughlin Bowler Bears: Michael Savolskis 255/642, Kye Patterson 242/622, Mark Fowler 604, Jaime Grabinski 594, Allen Swickard 539, Dominic Ravaglia 531, Joe Monroe 530, Bea Hackler 460.

Pin Heads: League Champs #8 won it all with 2 regulars — Larry Taylor and Frenchie Reese. The vacancy carried them all year! Congrats! Scores: Gregg Kelly 256/598, Gary Kelly 554, Damon Flewelen 545, Chuck Appleberry 515, Ashley Brown 226/602, Diane Robles 539, Audrey Louis 513.

Bowling Buddies: Rich Ewaskey 542, John Roach 398, Christine Ewaskey 435, Karen Foote 402.

Young At Heart: Henry Redman 231/648, Jimmy Hamilton 602, Anthony Leavell 571, Walter Milsap 568, Ron McClain Sr. 550, Andra Gibson 549, James Thompkins 530, Johnny Humphrey 530, Oritta Steel 225/590, Tua Sula 506, Dee Phipps 502.

Cal Bowleros: Carolyn Rousseau 541, Beth Austria 531, Leona Belletti 499. Side-pot winners—1st Game: Pat Bates 248; 2nd Game: Donna Gillespie/Carole Fischer 192; 3rd Game: Leona Belletti 216.

Sierra Bugs: Connie Wood 224/520, Kelle Falbo 519, JoAnn MacKnight 514, Myra Kremen 503. Side-pot winners—Game One: Pat Roberts 219; Game Two: JoAnn MacKnight 202; Game Three: Connie Wood 242. Side-pot winners—Game One: Linda Holden 245; Game Two: Cheryl Hilton 185; Game Three: Mary Spencer 248.

C.A.U.L.: Rich Dahman 670, David Regul 666, Nori Ito 657, Allan Lee 584, Blayke Miller 580, Eli Vegas 246/579, Tom Davis 565, Andy Vaca 557, Antoine Nguyen 554, Albert Demers Jr. 547, Leigh-Anne Kitch 472, Wendy Goetz 464.

Senior Men's Trio: Team #1 rolled a 2256 Series which USBC gives an award for. 3 man team shooting over 2250 Gary White, Dave Wilson, Steve Ritch. Let's all have a great week of bowling. See you on the lanes.



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THREE TEAMS ALIVE FOR THE ROUND • CAL BOWL EXTENDS THEIR OVERALL LEAD

by David Yamauchi

DOWNEY – The Brunswick Invitational hit week six of the final wildcard round with the bowlers facing the tight, flat, 2017 Nationals Team pattern. Scores were all over as teams battled with just one week to go to determine a round winner, and two weeks to go to pile up wins for the final wildcard spot. Next week will crown the 5th roll-off team and week 8 will see who they battle in the first match of the roll-offs.

In the ‘A’ match, **Forest Lanes** took a three-game round lead into the match vs. **Herzog Insurance**. Herzog came out strong to take game one but dropped a nail-biter in game two and a tough 4-pin loss in game three to win one game and totals for a 3-2 result. Forest holds a two-game lead over two teams including Herzog going into the final week of round-champion play. Forest also holds a 3-game lead over Herzog for the overall wildcard spot with two weeks to go in that match. Jon Diso was again strong for Forest with a 601 set while Gary Duran paced Herzog with a 597 set.

In the ‘B’ match, **Linder’s Insurance** and **Tito’s Handmade Vodka** were both sitting 4 games out of first and looking to move into contention. Linder’s came out striking with a 61-pin first game win, but it was all Tito’s from there as the Vodka guys took a 4-1 win. Tito’s moves to 20 wins and is tied with Herzog Insurance just 2 games back with 5 points still up for grabs next week. Jason Buenviaje led Tito’s with a 579 set and Arnold Cheesman stroked a nice 543 set for Linder’s. Tito’s will face Bowlium who is mathematically a game short with one week to go.

Century 21-My Real Estate and **Bowlium** battled in the 5-6 match with the two teams looking for a sweep to give them a chance in the last week. Century 21 came out huge the first game winning by 97 sticks, but it was all Bowlium from there as they took game two by 97 to get even for totals then finished them off by 154 for the 4-1 win. Bowlium sits at 18 wins and is a game shy of the action with the top two teams sitting at 22 and 20. David Schiada and Joe Jimenez tied to lead Century 21 with a 532 set while Ramiro Garcia finished strong for Bowlium with a 589 set.

Keystone Lanes and **DV8** were in the middle of the matches with Keystone looking to stay alive in the overall wildcard race. Keystone took game one, but it was all DV8 from there as they won games two and three but fell short for totals giving Keystone the 3-2 win. Keystone sits 9 back of the wildcard leader but just 6 back of second

with 10 points still up for grabs. Herbert Jones led Keystone with a 579 set while Ashkan Tahvildaran’s middle game helped him lead DV8 with a 561 series.

Los Altos Trophy and **Threadworks** met up in the 9-10 match. Los Altos came out strong and dropped a close third game for the 4-1 win. Michael Lindsey managed 547 to lead Los Altos while Eric Snow paced Threadworks with a 548 set.

Professional Approach, **Three Olives Vodka**, **Bowling Guys** and **Don Julio Tequila** rounded out the action on Monday. Professional Approach took a 4-1 win over Three Olives dropping the final game by just 2 sticks. Bowling Guys got the sweep over an undermanned Don Julio Tequila who couldn’t put up a fight with three blind scores. Matt Schermerhorn was huge for Professional Approach with a 617 series, Kevin Jones paced Bowling Guys with a 519 set, Michael Montano led Three Olives with a 510 set and JT Diso put up 436 as the lone man on the lanes for Don Julio.

In the round-winners matches, **Cal Bowl** remained on top as **J.A.T.** moved up to battle them on the shot that Cal Bowl won their round on. Cal Bowl’s three and four bowlers were 1-2 in the league with Leonard Ruiz Jr’s 647 set and Ramon Torres’ 628 set leading them to a sweep over J.A.T. David Yamauchi put up a nice 604 set for J.A.T. but it wasn’t nearly enough. Cal Bowl will stay in the top match and face Sysco next week on the house shot.

Sysco was looking to bounce back after a rough three weeks dropping to the third spot and facing **Buddy’s Bowling Supply**. Buddy’s came out strong and took the first game but it was all Sysco from there as they cruised to a 4-1 win and moved back into the #2 spot passing J.A.T. With the losses, Buddy’s is now trailing 3rd place J.A.T. by 11 points with 10 to go so they have locked themselves into the #4 seed for the roll-offs. Gabriel Martinez again led Sysco with a 567 set while Buddy Lucas was high for Buddy’s with a 549 series.

Side pots went to Michael Lindsay (212) and Sol Cericos (214) for \$57 each with the Super Pot going to Leonard Ruiz Jr. (234) for \$171. Financial Advisor’s Pot went to Juan Zavala (242) for \$190 with 2nd Ashkan Tahvildaran (238) for \$100.

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Who will be crowned the round winner next week?

TOP TEN TEAMS ROUND 5

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TOP 10 THIS WEEK

Leonard Ruiz Jr.....	647	Gary Duran.....	597
Ramon Torres.....	628	Kurt Arakaki.....	590
Matt Schermerhorn....	617	Ramiro Garcia.....	589
David Yamauchi.....	604	Danny Wilson.....	584
Jon Diso.....	601	Armondo Ramos.....	580

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