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**Herzog Insurance - 4th Seed**  
Steve Gurrieri, Lee Liu, Chris Marquez, Raul Rosales



**Katie Jakes Bar & Grill - Wild Card Seed**  
Kevin Yamauchi, Jon Brandon, Kurt Arakaki, Brent Shern (not pictured)



**SYSCO - Wild Card Seed**  
Charlie Kinstler, Vernon Adams, John Vanderham, Paul Barraco, Harry Wong (not pictured)

## EBONITE ENDS IN A FLURRY Western Pacific Regains Top Seed Play-offs Start Monday 7:30pm at Del Rio Watch these teams bowl for \$16,000 1st

DOWNEY — After holding on to the top spot #1 seed for 34 weeks, Western Pacific Bowling Supply (Ramon Torres, Gabriel Martinez, Herman Ferguson, and Leonard Ruiz Jr.) got knocked down by the great bowling efforts of **Strike Hard Apparel** (Jeff Carr, John Chapman, Danny Ontiveros, and Paul Varela).

The top seed was up for grabs on the final night of bowling. Western Pacific had to win 2 games and totals to reclaim the top spot. Strike Hard Apparel kept on striking and took the first game and just about locked up the top spot.

Game 2 could not get any closer. It came down to the 10th frame. Strike Hard could not seem to find a mark when they needed it. With a couple of breaks for Western from Ramon Torres they were in position to win the game. Anchor man Leonard needed to mark to win the game. To keep with the excitement factor, he missed the head pin right and left a difficult 1-2-4-10 pin spare. He picked it up and got count to win the

game by 8 pins.

With this gift, Western Pacific proceeded to gain momentum and took a commanding lead through the third game. Totals were separated by a measly 15 pins. Again, the top seed came down to the 10th frame. A couple of open frames and 3 big strikes in the 10th by Danny Ontiveros to bring Strike Hard back in contention to get the top spot. Both anchor bowlers working on open frames in the 9th. Leonard needs a mark to lock it up and leaves a split as the crowd was gathering to see what the drama was all about. With this open, Paul Varela now needs to get 2 strikes to earn the top spot for the chance at \$16,000.

Paul was human after all and came in light and left the 2 pin, after a great bowling night and a 700+ series effort. Western Pacific claimed the top spot, and Strike Hard will have to do just that to get back to the title match. Action begins on May 30th.

Del Rio Lanes is the place to be Monday, May 31 for the start

of the Ebonite Invitational Roll-Offs! Come watch the best of the best bowl for a ton of money in every match. The team that works the hardest and wants the championship the most will surely put on the best show. The first team winning 2 out of 3 games will then advance to the next match worth an extra \$2000 to the team.

Here's a break down per match, per team: 6th \$4,000; 5th \$6,000; 4th \$8,000, 3rd \$10,000; 2nd \$12,000 and 1st place \$16,000. The first match between SYSCO and **KATIE JAKES BAR & GRILL** takes place at 7:30 p.m. on the leagues version of the U.S. Open Lane Condition. Members of SYSCO are Paul Barraco, Harry Wong, Charlie Kinstler, John Vanderham and Vernon Adams. Bowlers on **KATIE JAKES** are Kurt Arakaki, Kevin Yamauchi, Brent Shern and Jon Brandon.

The winner of that match will meet **HERZOG INSURANCE** (Chris Marquez, Lee Liu, Raul Rosales and Steve Gurrieri) later that night and

that will be on the House Shot.

The winner of that match will meet Monday, June 3 with **J.A.T.** (David Yamauchi, Ken McElvaney, Larry Campbell and Matt Jones), the lane condition is the Shark Pattern.

Then on that same night, **STRIKEHARDAPPAREL.COM** challenges the winner of continued on page 8

## ROD WOLFE Bowls 300 in 28th Season in Same League

by Frank Weiler

RIVERSIDE—Rod Wolfe started bowling over thirty years ago and twenty-eight of those years have been bowled in the Starlighters League. The league started at the old Tava Lanes in 1979 and now continues at Arlington Lanes. The long time secretary of the league is NITA SCHMIDT. Nita is an old school league secretary, efficient, knowledgeable, and hard working.

Wolfe is a great bowler, averaging 204 in league play. He has been a two plus bowler for years now, with highs of 300 (game) and 743 (three game series). Rod bowled his first 300 game in 1999 in another league and in March bowled his second perfect, in the Starlighters League. How many years have you bowled in the same league? Let me know if you beat Rod's 28 years in one league.

Rod would like to thank **KEN BURNETT** of Grand Terrace for drilling his bowling balls for years, and doing a great job. He also would like to thank Nita Schmidt, his long time league secretary, for being a great friend. By the way, Nita is a member of the Citrus Belt Hall of Fame.

Both Rod and Nita want to thank the Bowling News for supporting Riverside bowlers. They realize that the Bowling News is our window to the bowling world.

## ABTA MEMORIAL SPECIAL AT WEST COVINA

**\$5,000 Min. 1st & Up to \$10,000 Guaranteed fully 1st w/Bonuses**  
Thurs/Friday/Saturday & Sunday • Each Day is Separate Qualifying  
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WEST COVINA — The ABTA will bowl it's Annual Memorial Event this weekend May 27-28-29-30 at popular WEST COVINA LANES in West Covina with a top prize of \$5,000 minimum ABSOLUTELY GUARANTEED 1st Place and up to \$10,000 GUARANTEED / NO MIN. 1st with bonuses.

The Special Event (four days) will have 4 separate qualifying days with 1 in 5 1/2 making the board daily.

There is a Special Thursday eve. squad. ONE Only at 9:40 PM which will take 1 in 5 bowlers to the semis. Friday May 28 Qualifying at 9:30 & 11:00 PM. Saturday May 29 at 12:00-1:00-2:30-4:00-5:30-7:00-8:30 & 10:00 PM and on Sunday May 25 (last day) at

12:00-1:00-2:30 & 4:00PM is last regular qualifying squad.

RE-Entry Only Squad is at 6:00 PM. The first entry in this event is \$87 on site with re-entries at lower rates of \$74, \$64 and \$57.

Bonuses in this Annual Events are big as the Cash -N- Carry will pay \$110-\$1, and can net you as much as \$3,300 max. Thursday night qualifying One Squad only is a \$650 Bonus winning the event. There is a Friday night qualifying bonus of \$500 if you win the event.

Other bonuses are \$300 for qualifying Saturday from Noon through 5:30 PM. There is a bonus of \$200 for wearing your ABTA logo shirt. There is a participation bonus of \$500 if you have bowled 29

quads since May 30, 2009.

New members are allowed up to 209 Average and can join for only \$10 and Ladies 49 + and Men 55+ as always receive a free membership.

It is a must to check in EARLY!

The shot will be a tougher with lower scores, but fair to all!

See our AD, and info in this paper for more info or Call the ABTA at 562-868-7164 or web site [www.abta1.com](http://www.abta1.com).

Make Plans / reserve your rooms for the ANNUAL LAS VEGAS OPEN July 1-2-3-4 at the South Point room rates of \$72/Fri- Sat and only \$42 other nights must be reserved through the ABTA by June 12 or sooner for a bonus reserve now!

## BOWLING NEWS HONOR ROLL

NAME	SCORE	DATE	CENTER
MIKE FIELDS	804	05-16-10	CAL OAKS BOWL
JOHNNIE ENGLEHART	815/300	05-17-10	CANOGA PARK BOWL
MIKE MADERIC	300	05-18-10	FOREST LANES
MIKE BENNETT	806/300	05-19-10	HARLEYS SIMI BOWL
CAROLYN SCHERZBERG	702	05-19-10	CANOGA PARK BOWL
PHIL NEMCHEK	300	05-19-10	HARLEYS SIMI BOWL
IAN MARKSTRUM	300	05-21-10	LINBROOK BOWL
DON MOSER	815	05-20-10	CAL OAKS BOWL
DUSTIN OLLUM	300	05-20-10	CAL OAKS BOWL
JAMAR BROOKS	300	05-21-10	SANDS BOWL
DAVE LOKE	300	05-21-10	JEWEL CITY BOWL
ALYSE MCGINNES	798	05-21-10	VALENCIA LANES
MIKEY VILLARREAL	300	05-21-10	KEYSTONE LANES
JOEY MARTINEZ	300	05-22-10	CAL BOWL
CAL MOPPINS	300	05-22-10	CAL BOWL
DEBBIE AYERS	300	05-23-10	CAL BOWL
NATHAN BISHOP	868/300	05-23-10	CAL BOWL
JONNY CADDY	804	05-24-10	CAL OAKS BOWL

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## Mark Your Bowling Calendar !

ABT Western Regional	Thur-Mon	May 27-31	Sam's Town
ABTA Memorial Special	Thur-Sun	May 27-30	BRN West Covina Lanes
NLAC Adult/Youth Dbls	Sunday	May 30	Valencia Lanes
PCB	Saturday	May 29	Santa Clarita Lanes
PCB Adult/Jr Pro Am No Tap	Saturday	May 29	Santa Clarita Lanes
Team No-Tap	Friday	May 28	Santa Clarita Lanes
WCST	Sat-Sun	May 29-30	Mission Hills Bowl

# WCST Lowers Regular Divisional Age Limit to 40 to 59

*Super Seniors are Ages 60 & Up • Limited Spots For Next 3 Events*

by Dick Sanders

The WCST Ebonite Singles will be coming up next weekend, May 29-30, at Mission Hills Bowl in Mission Hills, California. We are starting to re-build the Regular Division Bowlers now, with lowering that divisional age from 45 to 59, to 40 to 59.

Ladies are 40 to 49, and the response is getting better. Men Super Seniors are still 60 & up, Ladies 50 & up. On Saturday, May 29, 2010, Qualifying begins at 12:00 Noon, Bowlers will bowl 10 straight games. Entry Fees are \$175.00 for current WCST Members, and guests to add \$15.00. Extra money action, High Game & Series Side Pots and Brackets are optional, and will pay separate cash places for Regular & Super Senior Divisions. Finals, on Sunday, May 30th for both divisions, start at 8:30AM. The tournament will pay one cash place for every three entries in each division. There are limited spots available. Call the WCST Office at anytime at 760-363-8141, or my cell phone at 760-792-4596 or show up for Check In Time: Saturday, May 29, 2010, by 11:30AM. Computer users, click onto [www.westcoastseniortour.com](http://www.westcoastseniortour.com), SCROLL DOWN INFORMATION PAGE, for full details of these tournaments & current sign-ups.

Limited spots still left for the WCST Ebonite All Star Doubles, at AMF-ValleyView Lanes, June 5-6, and for Santa Fe Lanes, WCST Ebonite Singles, June 12-13. Sign-Ups, are also starting to come in for Cal Bowl, Lakewood, CA, WCST Ebonite Singles, June 26-27.

## WCST EBONITE SINGLES MISSION HILLS BOWL, MISSION HILLS, CA MAY 29-30, 2010

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# The Natives Were Restless in Reno

*But, there's a light at the end of the tunnel*

by Mary Lynly

RENO—"I have to compliment you, you have done your homework," said Thor Lundgren, USBC Attorney who handled the legislative session, adding, "Congress could take a lesson from you." The delegates at the 5th Annual Meeting of the United State Bowling Congress did indeed do their homework approving 14 amendments and rejecting 16. The dialogue at the microphones was thoughtful but firm and the 1049 voting delegates let it be known that they were not receptive to amendments that "shoved things down their throat."

Most contentious among them was forcing associations to merge by 2011 and allowing amendments to general playing rules, adult league rules and adult tournaments every other year. State Associations long to do things for their members but with \$1 per year dues for State associations it is difficult and attempts to raise it were rejected. Approved was an amendment to send bank statements to the league president. When was this removed and why? Also, soundly rejected was a bylaws proposal allowing USBC to alter, amend or repeal bylaws (except with respect to membership dues) and general playing rules, league rules and tournament rules at times other than at the annual meeting.

Things got a little heated when Gary Beck of Killer "B" Promotions and owner of the Teen Masters brought up the subject of SMART not being

fully funded. Beck has been on the hot seat about not giving SMART some scholarship monies because USBC/SMART refused to show him a current SMART financial report. The only financial report available was from August of 2008. There had been some heated dialogue concerning this issue and the USBC Auditor spoke on their behalf which unwittingly brought out the fact that SMART was, indeed, 3 million under funded – apparently due to stock market loss. The Chief Financial Officer was in the room, would you not think she would address the subject?

Of interest, at the end of the convention an announcement was made that, as of March 10th, the SMART Scholarship Fund monies would now be managed by an independent board of directors with knowledge of bowling and financial matters. Seems logical that Beck's inquiries and that of others prompted the move.

We knew Andrew Cain of Phoenix, Arizona as the Team USA stand out and now PBA tour bowler, but who knew he was that bright and articulate young man who sat as part of the panel during the legislative session? He was excellent in responding to the delegation.

Once again the bowlers presented a large check to the Susan B. Komen Bowl for the Cure fund. The \$1,161,707 check brought the total raised by bowlers for SBK to nearly nine million dollars. Although this is a worthy effort, what

began as a one time donation has catapulted into an annual event and my question is – what has this effort done for bowling? Have we seen any recognition for bowling? I wonder how many organizations give nearly one million to a charity annually.

Keith Hamilton, Vice Chair of the Bowling Hall of Fame and Museum, gave us some exciting news in that a new exhibit in the hall will be a tribute to the Professional Women's Bowling Association. The new goal for the Hall is Two million. Storm, Tri-Properties Hotel Casinos (Eldorado, Silver Legacy and Circus Circus and Pat Cinello were recognized as \$50,000 Diamond contributors.

"You can't expect to get what you want in life if you don't work for it" said The Alberta E. Crowe Star of Tomorrow Heather D'Errico of Rochester, NY. Andrew Koff of Miami, Fla was the recipient of the Chuck Hall Star of Tomorrow award. Both were outstanding as athletes, academic achievement, extra curricular activities and community involvement. Blair Blumenscheid of Columbus, Ohio and Kevin Russell of Markham, Ill were named Youth Ambassadors of the Year.

Recognition awards went to Harry Stewart, Coon Rapids, MN – Helen Baker Outstanding Association Volunteer Award; Jamie Brooks, Wylie, TX – Proprietor of the

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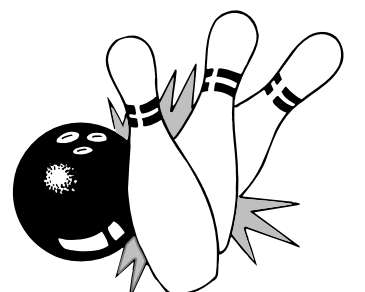
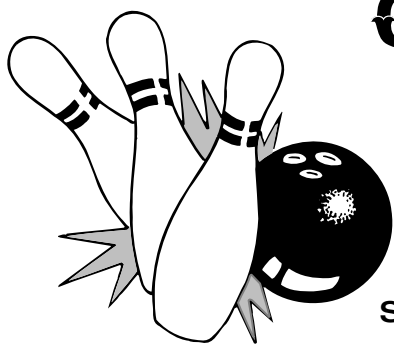
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**Santa Clarita Lanes - Saugus, CA**  
**Saturday May 29th, 2010**  
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**Start Time:** Qualifying Roll call 8:30 AM & Bowl at 9:00 AM  
 Finals will start 1/2 hour after end of Qualifying

**Entry Fee:** PCB Members - \$150; Non-members - \$175  
 \$10 Late fee for paying on-site.

**Cash Ratio:** 1 in 4 will cash in each division

**Dress Code:** Collared or mock neck shirt required. No hats, t-shirts shorts or jeans. Women may wear skirts (Name on back not required).

**Format:** 8 games of qualifying; top 1 in 4 in each division will bowl round robin match play finals. Total pins plus bonus will determine final standings.

**Sidepots & Brackets:** Sidepots & brackets will be offered.

**Pro-Am Event:** Santa Clarita Lanes is having a Pro-Am on Saturday night at 6:00 PM


All bowlers will be required to be available for Pro-Am event on Sat night  
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All players must be current USBC members. USBC #: \_\_\_\_\_



**"2010 Schedule"**  
**June & July to be determined • August 21-22 - Del Rosa Lanes - Trio Event**  
**November 20-21 - Mission Hills Bowl - Mixed Doubles Event**

## SUMMER OPEN TRIO

- ANY 3 PEOPLE (NO MAX ENTERING AVERAGE)
- WEDNESDAYS BEGINNING MAY 26<sup>TH</sup>
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# "Updates"

by Ferenc Schulz, Tournament Chairman

BAKERSFIELD—This year's Open Championship Tournament, hosted by Golden Empire USBC got off to a smooth start May 8th with the Opening Ceremonies taking place at the Team Center, AMF Southwest Lanes. Following a beautiful presentation of the colors by the Bakersfield High School ROTC,

Al Hoffmann, President of California USBC Association after greeting the bowlers and guests, introduced Harvey Hall, Mayor of Bakersfield, who extended a warm welcome to all who were visiting their city. President Hoffmann also introduced Don Cohen, Manager of the Convention and Visitors Bureau, who reiterated Mayor Cohen's sentiments.

As customary a "Joe Bowler" was selected to throw out the first ball. This year, the honor was given to Wayne Tanaka of Ridgecrest, who was donned with a Cape and Crown for the occasion. Wayne lined up; started his approach; began the delivery of his ball; and then something terrible happened! Wayne's ball caught in part of the cape, resulting in him rolling it straight into the right gutter! In spite of the embarrassment he may have suffered, Wayne was a good sport with the one consolation he had .... that that terrible moment ensured that the oil on the lane was not spoiled by his first ball!

Although overall the bowlers had a difficult time with the "shot", some great bowling scores were seen. In the Team Event A-1, Metals III of Paso Robles rolled the highest score of 2760. In the Doubles Event Gerald Swacker of Strathmore rolled the only Honor Score with a 298 game his third game and with his partner David Rojas, topped the leader board with 1456. And by the end of the day, in the Singles Event there was a three-way tie for First between Idell Love from Palmdale, Donna Johnson of Cerritos and Nelson Beasley of Reedley, all scoring a 739 series. This tournament will run eight more weekends (with exception of Convention Weekend

June 12-13) finalizing the weekend of July 24-25, with Team Event at AMF Southwest Lanes and Doubles & Singles at Regency Bowling Center.



LAS VEGAS TRAVEL LEAGUE  
By Alice Meglemre


LONG BEACH — This reporter has been working on the 2010-2011 Vegas Travel league rules since the league ended it's 53rd season in March. Things are shaping up nicely with a few surprises in store for members.

We will be writing some columns this summer to prepare for our 10 a.m. Monday, July 19 meeting at Cal Bowl. We are happy to report all but one team is filled for the new season.

There are openings for two bowlers on the same team now available and you may call me at (562) 423-1567 for more information.

Some sad news came this month in the passing of Jay Haggerty's daughter, Kathy, and we join all of her friends in extending sympathy to her and the family.

Until we have some more news for our Vegas gang, have a nice Memorial Holiday and I hope you are bowling a summer league at one of our sponsoring centers.



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8	5	7	2	6	3	4	9	1
9	1	3	5	4	8	2	7	6
7	8	1	4	3	9	6	5	2
4	2	9	7	5	6	1	8	3
3	6	5	8	2	1	7	4	9
1	9	4	3	8	2	5	6	7
5	3	2	6	7	4	9	1	8
6	7	8	1	9	5	3	2	4


## Bowlum 6 Gamer Results

Thank everyone for coming out this month. The scores were high. Congratulations to the 3 guys who shot 300 games. Hope to see at the next 6 gamer. - Herbert Jones - Bowlum Manager

Name	+/-	Game #1	Game #2	Game #3	1st Block	Game #4	Game #5	Game #6	2nd Block	Total
MICHAEL GRAY	12B	1475	248	237	222	707	300	209	768	1475 1ST \$380
JOSH BANCHARD	3A	1457	265	238	243	746	227	227	711	1457 2ND \$200
DENNIS HORAN	12D	1445	216	269	300	785	203	201	256	660 1445 3RD \$120
JASON KING	5C	1345	173	300	247	720	186	212	227	625 1345
KEVIN WESTERMAN	9A	1334	240	266	185	691	203	197	243	643 1334
ZARIN REISHMAN	11C	1310	254	200	209	663	184	243	220	647 1310
BOBBY CAMPAGNALE	11A	1294	202	205	240	647	246	178	223	647 1294
ANDY MORAN	7A	1312	199	235	212	646	199	220	247	666 1312
DAVID DITTLINGER	1C	1267	217	233	202	652	211	193	211	615 1267
RON TALBOT	9C	1222	203	158	242	603	235	211	173	619 1222
MARK FISHER	4B	1237	210	189	224	623	243	180	191	614 1237
KEN ODRA	10B	1260	181	193	269	643	200	197	220	617 1260
HOWARD STUCKEY	7C	1180	181	198	222	601	185	247	147	579 1180
PAULA VIDAD	6B	1247	168	225	191	584	214	215	234	663 1247
DAVID BROWN	5A	1221	178	160	199	537	247	226	211	684 1221
JIM LESIUK	2B	1245	210	202	195	607	152	248	238	638 1245
MIKE VANDEHEY	1A	1205	246	204	161	611	190	202	202	594 1205
ARNOLD CHEESMAN	8B	1170	161	211	168	540	247	188	195	630 1170
DAVID FERRO	3C	1207	192	170	190	552	181	240	234	655 1207

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JUNIORS.....LANES 41-60

Bowl 3 games anytime lanes are available.

High 3 game score at the end of the tournament (Sunday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>) will be landlord of that lane.

Handicap will be 90% of 220 for handicap and junior divisions.

Before you bowl, pay \$15 for adults, \$10 for Juniors (no coupons or passes).

Bowlers can qualify more than once, but highest score will be official score for the roll-offs. The 2<sup>nd</sup> highest score would then be landlord of that lane.

Bowler will use highest book average or highest verifiable house average of 21 games or more.

High score will be posted for each lane on house board.

Each landlord in their division will roll-off on Sunday, August 29<sup>th</sup> for "Landlord of the House".

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## El Presidente Wins at Brunswick Foothill

Memorial Special This Week at West Covina

\$5,000 1st Place up to \$10,000 Absolutely Guaranteed

ALL POTS / BIG Pots Carry Over this week

Match Game is \$3,500 • Match Series Est \$2,200 • 3-6-9 is \$1,200

Separate Qualifying All Four Days • Sunday Evening Finals

FONTANA — Danny Guevarra, one of our Most Liked and Faithful Supporters did it up big winning his 4th ABTA Title at popular Brunswick Foothill Lanes in a Special Event before our Big Annual Memorial Event this weekend at West Covina Lanes.

The scoring was good and making the cut were Men +90 and the ladies +53 to 99 make the semis. Also added were Super Seniors Vic Garcia and the McMichael duo, Joan and Richard.

A fine turnout of 256 bowlers saw 69 bowlers cash to a \$6,800 Prize fund and Big Pots/Brackets and more all day long! The Semi-finalists take the floor, of which all would cash. The top 16 to advance to the single elim finals with 3 women min guaranteed to the top 16.

The scoring was contentious with a nice +97 to make the top 16 for the men and the 3 guaranteed women chipped in at +78. The Gentleman from Carson led the field with a big +177. In second place was Ian Cabading at +142. Danny will sit out for the title and Ian to enter into the second round of the top 16 finals, which included 4 women.

The first round went. We had Noli Sosa, Danny Eguilos, Mike Nakunz, Tony Tran, Mikko Miller.

Pablo Castro and Vic Garcia lose out. They received checks of \$105 each in 10-16th places.

Round two had Ian Cabading, Julie Nguyen, James Borillo and

Roger Amparo lose out and get checks of \$115 in 6-9th places.

Round three got hot as Mary Robles edged female counter part Patricia Lin 217-204. Art Windsor downed Steve (don't call me Dave -) Domon in a slugfest 265-244. Steve and Patricia were 4th and 5th and \$125 with Art vs Mary for the right to bowl for the title.

The semi final match was on and Art prevailed in a 231-199 win over the likeable Ms Robles. Mary was 3rd and \$205 in her ABTA debut and performed very well! Sophia was 3rd with fine bowling and Art off to the title game vs El Presidente!

The title game was on. Art led but missed the 10 pin. Guevarra marked and after 4 frames Art struggled and Danny clean with a double then opened the 5th but Art began a nightmare with opens in the 5-6 frames. Danny led by 25 pins and could not make up the difference. He tried his most but Guevarra is the winner in a 187/211-139/182 count and along with the title a nice \$2,900 payday and deservedly so. Great bowling by a Great Guy, ABTA Member and a friend. Danny is Most deserving to say the least. Nice bowling by Arthur Windsor an faithful ABTA Memeber for 30 Yes, 30 Years!! -)) and a fine guy also! And what else can we say about Mary Robles who did so well in her first ever ABTA Event. Same for Patricia Lin and Mr. Domon.

ABTA Notes: Tourney Hi

Qualifiers were men Noli "299" Sosa +227 and Sophia Kim led the ladies +183, and they will get paid entries for the fine bowling.

The Doubles were headed by James Alarcio and Bedell Vasquez 1510 \$160. Bedell/Gina Velarde in 2nd 1504 \$1490. William Garrett in 3rd and 4th with Mike Moore and Ken Morris \$130-\$120. We paid 23 places and \$1,640 in the doubles.

The 3-6-9 was NOT hit this week, as Jason Buenviaje missed on shot 3. So we will go for \$1,200 this weekend!

The Match Game of \$3,500 was UNmatched with a 123 game drawn by El Presidente. The Match Series, also UN matched at 692 so we have BIG POTS this weekend in the Memorial Special for sure. Carryovers make 'em big folks!. Series is estimated \$2,200 for only \$2.00 to enter. You can't top that!

Danny Guevarra is from Carson. He enjoyed the drive to Foothill esp. after the final result --)) He is married to a beautiful lady Yoly, and kids Michelle, Rochelle and Danny Jr. and a grand daughter Maya. Special thanks to ABTA for a great event and Brunswick Foothill Lanes and lovely wife/ SPONSOR for support. Danny says let's try this place again!! And we will according to Mgmt there.

Art Windsor is from West Covina and used a 900 Global Bounty Hunter drilled by Ben Mach at Westminster Lanes. He's married to Icilma and a son Shawn



"El Presidente" Reigns / Wins at Brunswick Foothill Lanes (L—R) P. J. Buckner (Foothill Mgr) Jennifer Robles, Daughter of Mary Robles (3rd), Danny Guevarra (Champion) \$2,900 and Arthur Windsor (Runner up) \$550.

who is also an ABTA member. Special thanks to Bob Smith over the years, Deb, Bobbie and of course the Support of Mr Super Sr. Lonzell Burnett who was on hand at Foothill.

Mary Robles hails from Fontana, and used an Ultra Zone drilled by Tony Robbins. She is married to Michael and kids Jennifer Bryan and Billy. She thanks her friend Robert Mendoza for suggesting her to try out the ABTA, and Family, Jennife, Ton, Emilio, Chris and R. J. for support.

It was great to return to Foothill after so many years. It is a very clean and classy center and everyone has a great time!

Special Thanks to GM Leanna and the staff. Yes mucho thanks to Janice Meloon, Foothill Desk lady/Supreme who talked up our Event and one of our finest members/Supporter for years. According to Leanna and Janice we can be returning there on our next schedule. The staff there is super and friendly. It is a great place for our tournaments. Kudos to all there! It is History folks as Danny Guevarra enters the archives as

our latest champion.

This week's winner of the 900 Global ball (our Sponsor) was Matt Garcia who wins the popular Break Point Ball. He thanks 900 Global for the gift! We are already raffling Las Vegas Rooms, a High End Ball and Bag weekly at the Tournament. Win Yours 6 tickets for \$5. This week's winners are found on the payoff results. Alvin Francisco is the winner for two nights at the South Point for our Las Vegas event there. Get Your Las Vegas Room Reserved

Please!

Join Us for the Big Memorial Event this week. May 27-28-29-30 See our ad and story for info. \$5,000 min 1st ABSOLUTELY GUARANTEED and up to \$10,000 with Bonuses It's a good one, lots of fun and More. Check-in Very Early. The following Saturday June 5 we return to La Habra "300" in a one day even. Las Vegas rooms are due, get em in NOW. See You all at West Covina. Check-in EARLY!!!!!!

## ABTA AMERICAN BOWLERS TOURNAMENT ASSOCIATION (at Foothill Lanes) May 22

1 Danny Guevarra	777 \$1,100.00	2 Ginalynn Velarde / Bedell Vasquez	1504 \$140.00
Cash & Carry	\$1,700.00	3 William Garrett / Mike J Moore	1501 \$130.00
ABTA Shirt	\$100.00	4 William Garrett / Ken Morris	1497 \$120.00
2 Art Windsor ss	700 \$550.00	5 Don Chung / Sean Nguon	1484 \$110.00
3 Mary Robles	678 \$205.00	6 Giang Huynh / Don Chung	1483 \$100.00
4 Steve Domon	718 \$125.00	7 Erick Lam / Michael Hudson	1474 \$90.00
5 Patricia Lin	686 \$125.00	8 Vuong Do / Michael Kong	1467 \$90.00
6 Roger Amparo	742 \$115.00	9 Jimmy Wong / Michael Kong	1457 \$80.00
7 Jullie Nguyen	706 \$115.00	10 Michael Kong / Wilson Cheung	1454 \$80.00
8 James Borillo	706 \$115.00	11 Pablo Castro / Willie Parawan	1452 \$70.00
9 Ian Carandang	697 \$115.00	12 Eric Grider / Vuong Do	1451 \$70.00
10 Noli Sosa	742 \$105.00	13 Giang Huynh / Jimmy Wong	1448 \$60.00
11 Danny Eguilos	721 \$105.00	14 Erick Lam / Lonzell Burnett	1444 \$50.00
12 Mikko Miller	719 \$105.00	15 Vuong Do / (Alpine) Tony Tran	1443 \$50.00
13 Tony (Alpine) Tran	710 \$105.00	16 Eric Grider / Dunisha Wright	1439 \$40.00
14 Vic Garcia (SS)	702 \$105.00	17 William Garrett / Bryan Moore	1437 \$40.00
15 Pablo Castro (SS)	701 \$105.00	18 Jimmy Wong / Holden Au	1435 \$40.00
16 Mike Nakunz	700 \$105.00	19 Ronald Sanchez / James Borillo	1434 \$30.00
17 Mamerto Jablan	695 \$97.50	20 Jack Trongale / Ginalynn Velarde	1433 \$30.00
18 Angel Chau	693 \$95.00	21 Giang Huynh / Ada Wong-Hum	1432 \$20.00
19 John Wei	690 \$92.50	22 Jonathan Barraca / (Alpine) Tony Tran	1431 \$20.00
20 Giang Huynh	689 \$90.00	23 Andrew Lung / Sean Nguon	1424 \$20.00
21 Jack Trongale (SS)	685 \$87.50		
22 Chris Shankin (60%)	683 \$51.00		
23 Frank Robeniol Jr.	680 \$85.00		
24 Eric Grider	679 \$82.50		
25 Erick Lam	678 \$80.00		
26 Tony Tang	673 \$77.50		
27 Darren Garcia	673 \$77.50		
28 Juan Castellanos	670 \$75.00		
29 Ginalynn Velarde	668 \$75.00		
30 George Covarrubias	668 \$75.00		
31 Holden Au	663 \$72.50		
32 Jonathan Barraca	662 \$72.50		
33 Vuong Do	657 \$72.50		
34 Ada Wong-Hum	653 \$70.00		
35 Joshua Navarro	652 \$70.00		
36 Ken Morris (BP)	650 \$68.75		
37 Ping Romero	650 \$68.75		
38 Michael Villareal (RH)	648 \$67.50		
39 Richard McMichael (SS)	647 \$67.50		
40 Bedell Vasquez	646 \$65.00		
41 Eric Bruno	642 \$65.00		
42 Orlando Hernandez	638 \$65.00		
43 Jeanette Chang	635 \$62.50		
44 Donovan Chung	634 \$62.50		
45 Wilson Cheung	632 \$62.50		
46 William Garrett	629 \$60.00		
47 Kristine Soliman	624 \$60.00		
48 Jamescart Alarcio	621 \$60.00		
49 Dunisha Wright	620 \$59.00		
50 Thomas Smith (SS)	620 \$59.00		
51 Mike Moore	618 \$58.50		
52 Jose Acosta	618 \$58.50		
53 Kerry Lucka	616 \$58.00		
54 Don Eide (SS)	616 \$58.00		
55 Terry Hodgson	613 \$57.00		
56 Tessie Sosa	613 \$57.00		
57 Pilbert Colian	612 \$56.50		
58 Roman Fonseca (60%)	612 \$34.00		
59 Ran Wei	610 \$56.00		
60 Jojo Jasmin	609 \$55.50		
61 Joan McMichael	609 \$55.50		
62 Leestar Walker	605 \$55.00		
63 Willie Parawan	604 \$55.00		
64 Jimmy Wong	602 \$54.00		
65 Sonia Coronado	599 \$54.00		
66 Michael Kong	597 \$54.00		
67 Jason Sunberg	582 \$53.00		
68 Sean Nguon	577 \$53.00		
69 Jason Buenviaje	557 \$53.00		

FINANCIAL REPORT  
Cut Scores: Men: Sat + 90 Women: Sat + 53  
Super Seniors:  
Vic Garcia, Richard McMichael, Joan McMichael  
High Qualifier (Free Entry)  
Men: +227 Noli Sosa  
Women: +142 Gina Velarde  
3 - 6 - 9 : Jason Buenviaje  
Match Game: 123 - No Winner  
Match Series: 692 - No Winner  
900 Global Ball - Break Point Matt Garcia  
ABTA Shirt Adam Drodz  
ABTA Shirt Edrich Miller  
Regular Entry John Gonzales  
Regular Entry Kevin Balding  
1 Box Hada Patch Thumb Tape Tony Leograde  
High End Ball Chris Kelly  
High End Ball James Borillo  
2 Nights Las Vegas Alvin Francisco  
Prize Fund 255 \$6,787.00  
Paid Entries 26 @ 53 \$1,378.00  
Optional Sidepots \$1,539.00  
Doubles \$1,640.00  
3-6-9 \$50.00  
Shirt & Trophy \$88.00  
Cash & Carry \$1,700.00  
Total Payout \$23,597.00



Sosa Pounds a "299" at Brunswick Foothill  
Noli Sosa is congratulated by ABTA's Director Faye Josef at Brunswick Foothill after firing a near perfect 299 game in the ABTA Event. A slammed solid 10 stopped Noli from perfection. He will receive an Annual Award in the Big July 4 Las Vegas Event at South Point.

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# ABTA Memorial Special

Thursday - Friday - Saturday - Sunday

May 27-28-29-30 \$10,000 1st with Bonuses & Cash-n-Carry

One Big Squad Thursday 9:30PM \$5,000 Min 1st Place \$2,500 2nd Place

\$650.00 Bonus if winning

Thursday Special of 1 in 5 to make the Semis One Big Squads Only Check-in Early

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Reduced Entry Fee: \$50 pay \$2,500 1st Re-Entries are \$47/\$44

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• \$650.00 Special Thursday Squad

\$500.00 if qualifying Friday Squads & Winning • \$300.00 qualifying Sat. Squads 12:00-1:00-2:30-4:00-5:30

\$500.00 if bowled 29 or more squads since May 30, 2009 • \$200 with ABTA logo shirt

Cash-n-Carry pays \$110-\$1 in this special event up to \$3,300

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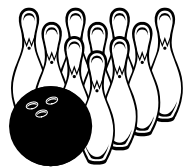
Thursday: 9:30 PM 1 in 5 to Semis • Fri: 9:30 & 11:00 1 in 5 to Semis

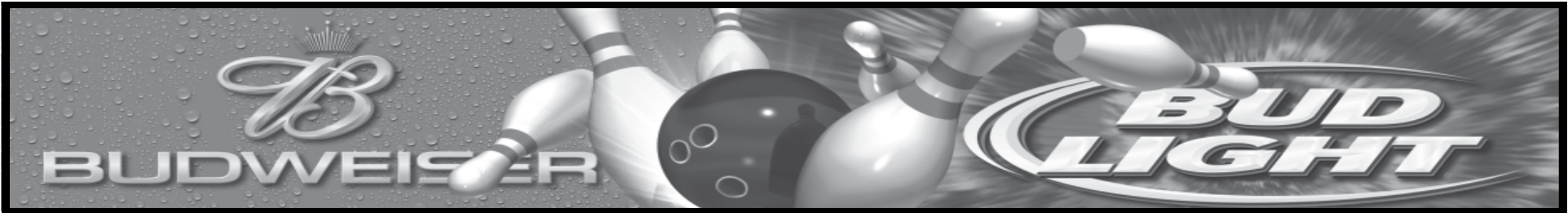
Sat: 12:00-1:00-2:30-4:00-5:30-7:00-8:30 & 10:00 • 1 in 5 1/2 to Semis

Sun: 12:00-1:00-2:30 & 4:00 1 in 5 1/2 in Semis • Re-Entry at 6:00 • 1 in 5 1/2 to Semis SemiFinals 8:00

3-6-9 Roll-off is at 7:45PM • Top 32 to the Single Elim Finals • 7 Women to Top 32 Finals (min)

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Lanes 25-32

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9:00pm  
Lanes 17-24

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Lanes 25-32

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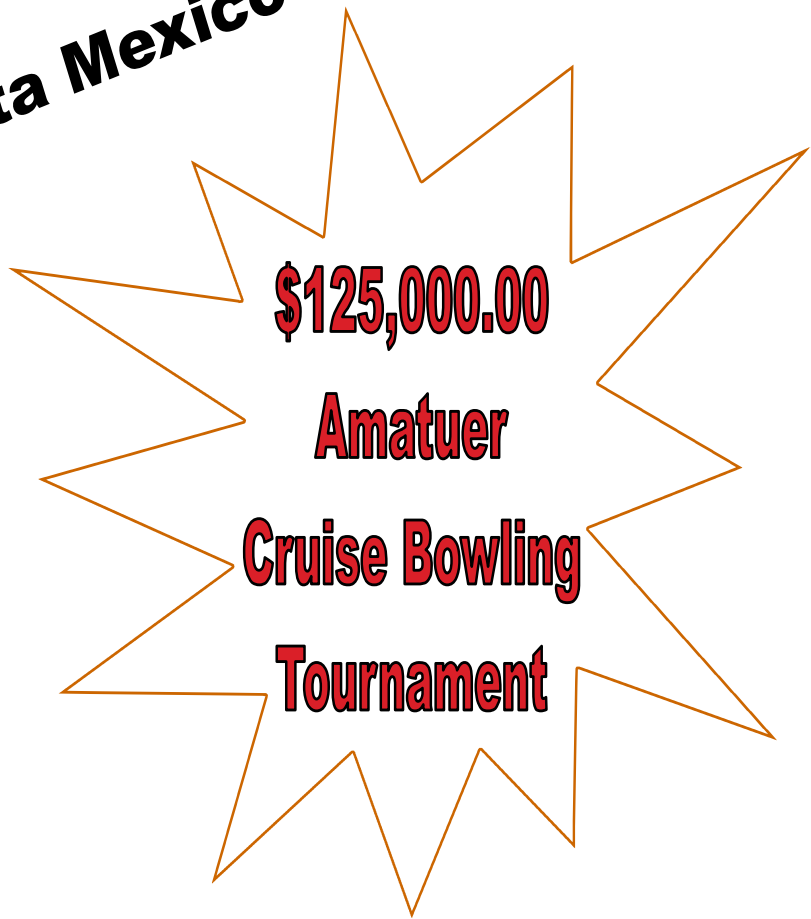
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# CAL BOWL BOWLING REPORT

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LAKEWOOD — The bowlers are getting a little break before they start their Summer Leagues here at Cal Bowl. Some of the Winter Leagues are still dwindling down. During the meantime practice, practice, practice.

Here's our Cal Bowl Bowling Report for this week...

### RAMONA LADIES

Shirley Davis 177, Dollie Bristow 143, Joyce Robertson 156, Nancy Hamilton 160-169, Eulalia Salcido 173, Becky Carroll 163-152, Merrie Slagley 178, Marci Hansen 174-163, Lee Theiss 189-176-168, Almyra Perrizo 183, Sue Spencer 163, Roni Kuester 143, Julie Grabinski 166-174-176/516.

### CAL BOWLEROS

Lee Theiss 224-213/597, Agnes Blaisdell 528, Mary Smyth 523, Mattie Wylie 513, Pat Bates 502, Carole Fischer 500, Betty Moss 202.

### CAL STARS

Leona Belletti 168-194-170/532, Aida Macabuha 164-127-214/505, Roycie Murren 168-142-197/507, Hedy Schoner 137-182-174/491, Mattie Wylie 192-150-154/496, Pat Orr 180-147-172/499.

### SENIOR MENS TRIO

John Dunn 200-198-235/633, Jimmy Hamilton 202-283-226/711, Phil Hylton 277-209-196/682, Charles Gleason 266-233-266/765, Carl Labana 172-224-235/634, Curmit Foster 204-243-216/663, Joe V. Swift 206-268-201/675, Roy Tyler 227-211-236/674, Art Diemert 204-222-191/617, Ed Palma 126-233-265/624, Pat Kinard 238-232-192/662, Doug Johnson 267-258-213/738, Terry Brent 190-258-248/696, James Tipton 207-274-259/686, Al Williams 169-238-206/613, Rich Kelly 236-203-194/633, Fale Sula 219-210-194/623, Clark Vanden Berg 205-202-196/603, Jim Burke 214-226-224/664, Rudy Munson 243-244-234/721, Archie Stull 245-195-229/669, Ellis Houston 223-146-247/616, Mauro Pindilla 243-199-217/659, Herman Martin 227-214-266/707, B.J. 178-174-267/619, Steve Ritchie 211-207-184/602, Ed Cabs 180-258-248/686, Rich Llaneta 237-244-211/692, Ben Jones Sr. 242-182-190/614, Jim Plante 203-204, Terry Binuya 210, Wayne Brown 237, Rey Santos 210-210, Don Boaz 215, Rey Culp 203, Chuck Ashton 213, Ray Staten 223-215, Harold Fariss 211, Ken Seiple Sr. 235, Josh Hudson 206, Pre Collier 205, Ron McClain Sr. 208, Ivory Herd 206, Joe Matthews 211, T. Fatui 232, Ning Barcelona 210, Rollee De Guzman 215-205, Ralph Wingert 207, Andrew Morton 235, Roosevelt Lewis 212, Bob Sneed 213, Jun Daus 211, A. Ruiz 278, Ed Brown 212, Geno Shaw 201, Al Cowens 209-209, Rusty Campbell 202.

### YOUNG AT HEART

Linda Kinney 171-155-205/531, Milton Donerson 225-199-181/605, Ike Sanders 201-224-192/617, Tua Sula 183-190-169/542, T. Fetul 174-155-181/510, Fale Sula 210-218-181/609, Eva Hammons 88-108-87/283, Josh Hudson 201-210-189/600, Ben Jones Sr. 203-153-136/492, Ron McClain Sr. 124-179-167/470, Walter Millsap 186-231-172/580, James Kennard 168-171-160/499, Jessie Lane 119-150-118/387, Joe Brown 143-171-191/505, Bea Sueki 152-171-181/504, Jim Young 170-132-178/490, Art Diemert 211-191-196/598, Willie Burkhalter 180-133-153/466, Frances Walker 182-180-170/532, Glenn Merchant 223-192-224/639, Willie Young 172-137-218/527, Willie Creer 186-155-168/509, Tom Petway 200-188-195/583, Gene Hammons 137-222-155/514, Albert Stephens 147-141-144/432, John Brider 159-142-150/451, Theresa Harrison 128-110-124/362, Shirley Fields 112-114-133/359, Ellis Houston 203-194-279/676, Art Nelson 138-172-138/447, Leroy Canady 114-158-126/398, Albert Burnett Sr. 162-153-171/486, Glenn Wright 166-171-158/495, Vern Willey 192-178-167/537, Nancy Hamilton 164-146-136/446, Loretta Ringor 136-151-126/413, Fred Contreras 227-209-125/561, Don Jackson 120-159-161/440, Earl Hullett 209-148-218/575, Sandy Plante 116-141-114/371, Jim Plante 200-226-228/654, Mary Spencer 135-153-167/455, Margo McClain 159-192-169/520, J.J. Scott 193-175-190/558.

### JUNIORS

#### Bobcats

Chris Bartlett 189, Alexandria Gonzalez 103, Bryan Wong 100, Aaron Wong 125, Emily Jenkins 92, Sabrena Callihan 116, Larell Woods 186-170/471.

#### Classified

Kaitlynn Soto 165, Alec Aldapa 220, Myles Rascon-Lahr 237-203-235/675, Henry Parades 194-183, Glen Young 197, Daniel Brown 202, Daniel Martinez 218, Chris Johnson 157-169.

### ADULT-JUNIORS

#### Juniors

Alan Hicks 164, Ashley Zastrow 137, Alex Aldapa 204-236-245/685, Nolan Smith II 217-216/610, Chris Johnson 158, Ronald Lewis 221-214/613.

#### Adults

Paul Mehl Jr. 236-236-235/707, Matt Mesa 201-203, Rey Santos 228-219/628, Gabriel Martinez 214, Gregg Aldapa 211-204-206/621, Nolan Smith Jr. 204-207-244/655.

## EBONITE

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the J.A.T. / ?? match on the Cheetah Condition.

The championship match, when we crown the League Champions is set for June 14 and they will use all of the patterns. WESTERN PACIFIC BOWLING SUPPLY will be going against the winner of the STRIKEHARDAPPAREL.COM / ?? match.

So everyone make plans to be here at Del Rio Lanes in Downey on Monday, May 31 to see the exciting conclusion of an exciting and challenging season.

## Canoga Park Bowl

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WINNETKA — It seems like the month of May just began and here we are in the last week of the month. Time goes by too fast when you're having fun bowling here at Canoga Park Bowl. This is also the first 3-day holiday weekend before the start of Summer Vacations. Have fun and keep it safe.

**Couples For Christ:** Gerry Galvan 247/697, Helen Ventenilla 200/523, Raul Ventenilla 245/609, Phillip Gayatin 232, Bert Araneta 221.

**River Maniacs:** Congratulations to Johnnie Englehart on his "300" game and "815" series bowled on May 17. Sharon Weger 204/606, Dale Rubin 257/725, Barry Simon 714, Bob Heyd 714, Ray Stoy 687, Lucy Tralla 234/603, Vince Koeller 268, Anthony Pavlowsky 247, Dan Onestinghel 246.

**Short 'N Sweet:** Russell Staten 213/509.

**Scratch Ladies Travel:** Sweeper Scores—Patti McVicker 213/569, Jonna Barr 236/561, Carole Mueller 204/550, Helen Layfield 534, Rosie Duran 532, Georgia Garey 202.

**Tuesday Pick-A-Ball (4-games):** Stu Teichner 244/884, Linda Mannheim 202/718, Larry Friedman 237/874.

**Comedians:** Vince Koeller 246/704, Sharon Weger 572, Ray Stoy 270/697, Jackie Feinberg 220, Kevin McBride 238/636, Mike Pavlowsky 232/601, Russ Gothrick 246/601, Mary Becker 203.

**Copper Bucket:** Steve Borosich 275/601, Becky Ruiz 188/476, Rusty Yeager Jr. 247, Sean Tucker 232.

**Wednesday PBA Experience Singles (4-games):** Dave Schaffer 224/781, Jeremy Paulsen 202/726, Kevin Gross 224/724, Stu Teicher 762, Tiffany Paulsen 207/741, Mike Wilson 710.

**500 Classic:** Petra Kaun 238/707, Patti Ehart 211/595, Connie Wannomae 212/561, Marsha Williams 209/554, Georgia Garey 204/549.

**Thursday Pick-A-Ball Doubles (4-games):** Chip Minot 278/963, Marja Lopees 527, Shavondra Miller 168, Ryan Simonian 221, Matt Neiswanger 220.

**Vegas 4 Fun:** Richard Guzman 276/702, Pam Fountain 195/568, Al Thoburn 226/650, Joel Seguin 226/640, Jun Tumacay 251/633, Robert Spengeman 611, Lloyd Banks 225.

**SFVCC Nikkei:** Art Wake 225/636, Tami Shiotani 203/529, Don Kobayashi 243/603, Sho Kadonaga 608, Ken Shinbashi 225/602, Tosh Morita 600, Noriko Fukunaga 525, Eriko Docherty 504, Katsuko Fujita 502, Stan Date 221, Yoshi Kawamura 221.

**Viva Las Vegas:** Steven Herndon 679, Kaye Kai 246/561, Tad Schweitzer 268/674, Jeff Johnson 259/664, Duncan Clarke 256/655, Mikhael Malta 646, Kathy Litzenberger 524, Jeremy Paulsen 247.

### SENIORS...SENIORS...SENIORS...

**49'Ers Senior Trio:** Carolyn Scherzberg 257/676, Richard Greenzweight 234/669, Mary Lauer 219/580, Dale Simpson 247/567, Tom Tucker 550, Ernest Gisondi 214.

**Funtimers:** Carolyn Scherzberg 248/702, Steven Herndon 268/781, Al Reiswig 268/661, Mel Neiditch 249/641, Rick Kopper 266/632, Richard Greenzweight 613, Connie Wannomae 217/570, Karen McDonald 193/563, Helen Layfield 173/508, Maria Volkert 177/464, Bill Ross 258, Laura Hicks 173.

**39'Ers Senior Trio:** Sweeper Scores—Ron Doll 247/692, Carolyn Scherzberg 214/562, Darlene Redman 223/503, Steven Herndon 278/672, Dave Folck 277/687, Mel Neiditch 637, Bob Husby 233/633, Mary Lauer 196/548, Lucy Tralla 211/516, Eloise Valencia 515, Tom Roberts 241, Patricia Carpenter 182. Summer League Meeting May 27 at noon. League starts June 3 at noon.

### JUNIORS...JUNIORS...JUNIORS...

Summer Leagues will start June 5. Come on over, make new friends and have fun bowling here at Canoga Park Bowl.

**Sutter Goldminers:** Allan Aguilar 121/324, Zackery Koons 114/295, Leo Estrada 99/237, Hector Sibrian 85/177.

Enjoy your Memorial Day holiday. See you next week.

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## JAMIE CASTELLO Leads Team To Scratch League Title At Del Rosa Lanes

by Frank Weiler

SAN BERNARDINO - JAMIE CASTELLO bowled back to back 245 games in the semifinal and final games of the step ladder finals of Del Rosa Lanes premier scratch league. The result was two team wins and the league championship.

So what's so special about 245 you ask? Well, try to bowl 245 on a PBA like sport pattern, under roll-off pressure, for eight thousand dollars.

That's what Castello did. Hopefully that clarifies the difficult circumstances he and the other top Del Rosa bowlers faced.

Other than a 201 bowled by BETH MENDOZA, Jamie's two deuces were the only 200s bowled in the final games. When no one can bowl 200, and you go plus 45 per game, it is huge. What Castello did on this difficult "sport shot" was HUGE. He carried his team, SAUL'S PRO SHOP, on his shoulders to the league championship and \$8,000.

Our congratulations go out to Jamie and his teammates RON BONNEAU, ERIC GRIDER, and WILL KOLBOW. Thank you BOWLING NEWS for supporting Citrus Belt bowlers.

## RENO

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Year Award; Tina Martin, Novato, CA – Joyce Deitch Trailblazer Award. Youth Award winners were: Jim Zebehazy Leesburg, Fla – Kerm Helmer Horizon Award; Donald Armstead, Philadelphia, PA – David Dahms Coach of the Year Award and Karl Nickolai, Waterford, MI – Youth Volunteer of the Year.

Bios on only four names were offered by USBC to fill the four open spots on the board of directors and the delegation was not happy with what they felt was a "shoo" in. They expressed their desire to have information on all candidates so they could make informed decisions. Ask and ye shall receive. Bios on all candidates running from the floor were on the chair of each delegate prior to elections. The final tally saw the following elected: (in order of votes received) Carolyn Doran Ballard - Keller TX, Michael Italia – Warrington, PA, Mark Martin – Waterford, MI and Deanna Rose – Fairport, NY.

Regional Managers will once again come on the scene. Doing away with the Field Reps was something felt by all association officers. Those knowledgeable people you could have a one on one with to help with problems were considered too expensive. Apparently the powers that be realize the importance of these people and it was announced that this service will be restored. Four Regional Managers will serve the 3100 associations: Barbara Armstead, David Bartlett, Jim Zebehazy and Mike Larson.

Several announcements about the progress USBC is making came from the very affable CEO Stu Upson who, in my opinion, could be the light at the end of the tunnel. Upson spent nine months analyzing problems and seemed to have a good grasp of what needs to be done although admitting getting bowling back on its feet is still a work in progress.

Concerning technology (website) he said, "We just got too fancy. We'll get it fixed and they will work with membership to get the right thing done." It appears that they will take a stab at offering the social media "Facebook" "Twitter" and the like in an effort to give membership the things they like, the way they like. He says they did not forecast tournament participation correctly; The Greendale building is still not sold; There will be no dues raise as he feels this would increase the decline; Women's rings will be reinstated; Magnets will be given for one more year and then gone (to great applause); There will be new (better) membership cards. USBC will tighten its belt.

The U.S. Bowler will be on line only but U.S. Youth Bowling will be mailed. Bowlopolis is successful and now in 900 centers. What is in store for the future? Building reserves; The PBA Summer Series; Tournaments; TV; Publications; US

Women's Open and PBA Women's Series. Upson said they felt they had been placing too much emphasis on the elite bowler and would be getting back to their core membership and work on a more "unified look" with their logos. They will work on creating products their bowlers want and changes will be made by input from constituents. Also in the works being proposed for consideration is Associate Membership.

Upson asked that we start now to work with our centers on National Bowling Week which will be held in August. He says he has a great passion for our sport and a sense of our history but believes we can also be burdened by our history. He spoke of the importance of honoring our contributors.

BVL, Inc. is part of the combined federal campaign. ReCreation, who has entertained us many times, gave a stirring presentation for the audience. BVL helps support the ReCreation entertainment troupe. Unfortunately, National BVL is now requesting ALL funds raised in associations be donated to the National fund or they will not be recognized. As you know, California has always given a certain amount to National and disbursed the remainder in our state which has the most VA and Military hospitals and Outreach Centers. Too bad, as I believe we will continue to do our thing – National BVL's loss.

President Jeff Boje bowed to new president Darlene Baker who assisted in various presentations. Boje was emotional in his farewell saying, "I have enjoyed being your president." He then forgot to adjourn the meeting but Baker brought him back to the dais and assisted in the adjournment.

From this reporter's vantage point, it appears that Stu Upson "gets it" and his relaxed demeanor and good humor are good for what ails USBC.

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**Swinging Trios:** Charles Warren 214.

**Lunch Bunch:** John Occhipinti 233-203/616, Ozzie Randolph 206.

**Summer Rogues:** Chuck Weeks 224-200/611, Steven Branch 211, Cathy Ware 211, Michael Byrd 206-208, Ray Acosta 201.

**R.C.R.C.:** Tito Lassalle 204.

**3's Company:** Karen Bagnall 202-226/619.

**Executive Doubles:** Bob Mendoza 210-205-258/673, Rich Heid 244-231/648, Rey Ortiz 226-232/647, Stan Evans 225-219/641, Tom Gonzales 216-241/638, Lisa Somma 223-201/607, Rita Sparks 201.

**Just 4 Summer:** Ken Reser 268-226-210/704, Tomy Wallick 231-202-222/655, Ed Olivas 212, Chas Schaeffer 209, Lee Hayward 206, Susan deGraaff 212.

**Angels/Dodgers (No-Tap):** Dan Drysol 238-241-284/763, Dan Ferreira 229-244-243/716, Bob Awalt 253-264/682, Paul Shellenberger 223-300/681, Rich Childers 223-217/600, Mary Ann Avila 200.

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**Vegas Party:** Steve Sparks 256-244-235/735, John Conway 290-237/712, Lenny Huber 256-245/691, Jerry Joines 276-233/668, Tony Banks 237-223-202/663, Mark O'Donnell 245-209-209/663, Debbie Baker 220, Judi Sanchez 202.

**4-4 Vegas:** Dino Chavez 225-213/619, Neil Butschke

204-202/605, Mike Peterson 212-201/603, Gregg Sietsema 221-203, Sandy Batalon 214/601, Kim Davisson 201.

**Family & Friends:** Bill Swanson 205-238/614, Dave Meno 212, Bill Cole 207, Cheryl Munson 216.

**Double Daters:** Shawn Oslund 225-254/662, Shane Oslund 258-202/649, Gary Oslund 248/612, Tim Cordell 245, Scott Smith 242, Traci Sodal 225.

**Gambler's Anonymous:** Ken Williams 245, Thomas Mobley 234, Alan Bloom 213, Cornel Jurca 203, Larry Tackett 202, Rhiannon White 201.

**Sunday Coffee Club Tournament:** 20 entries. 1st place: Steve Sparks & Donny Peterson 1858 \$90, 2nd Monica Path & Lenny Huber 1834 \$60, 3rd Greg Haxton & Allan Ray 1832 \$30. Sidepots—Paid \$20 per game. Game 1: Lenny Huber 260, game 2: E.J. Rogers 234, game 3: Monica Path & Allen Gutierrez 277, game 4: John Conway Jr. 247. Doubles—Paid \$45 per game. Game 1: Monica Path & Steve Sparks 495, game 2: E.J. Rogers & Steve Sparks 489, game 3: Allen Gutierrez & Greg Haxton 533, game 4: Tim Blough & John Conway Jr. 520. Handicap Series: Steve Parks 955 \$34. Scratch Series: E.J. Rogers 925 \$24. Super Pot: Tim Blough 245 \$55. Roll Over Sidepots: Three Peat Pot: \$528, Reserve Pot \$116, Clean 40 Pot \$20, Match Game \$194, High Game Bank (Game 1 - \$32, Game 2 - \$25, Game 3 - \$25, Game 4 - \$54).

**Senior No-Tap:** Results of May 18th. 39 entries @ \$10=\$390. 39 lineage @ \$5.25=\$204.75. 39 prize fund @ \$4.75=\$185.25. 35 3-6-9 @ \$1=\$35. Place Money—1st Don Gardner 810 \$35, 2nd Terry Brent 799 \$27, 3rd Jerry Knight 798 \$21, 4th Rod Cantrell 785 \$15, 5th Jim Ellis 779 \$11, 6th Ed Hermance 774 \$8. Sidepots—Game 1, hdcp: 1st Gary Pagett 299 \$9, 2nd Carl Adinolfi 293 \$7, 3rd Don Gardner 288 \$5. Game 2, scr.: 1st-2nd (tie) Rod Cantrell and Don Gardner 300 and \$10 each, 3rd Ed Hermance 286 \$6.25. Game 3, hdcp.: 1st John Munson 301 \$9, 2nd-3rd (tie) Gary Oslund and Terry Brent each with 278 and \$6. 3-6-9 Carryover Amount \$167. Added \$35. New Total: \$202.

Monday, May 31 is Memorial Day. Make it a good one.

## Adinolfi Answers The Call & Dials Up A 979 Number in Rocky Marsh Doubles

by Joy McGregor

ANAHEIM—Linbrook Bowl's popular Rocky Marsh Doubles league started their first summer session with some very HOT scores.

Carl Adinolfi started his Friday morning in fine fashion tossing 246-278-195 and 259 for a league-leading 979 series. Nice bowling Carl!

April Anderson subbed for her mother and did her proud as she fine-tuned her bowling to the tune of 192-220-287 and 237 to tally a fine 936 set. Janine Ditch hasn't lost a beat after being off for the majority of our fall 590 Classic. We welcome her back and she just proved you can't keep a good woman down by stroking consistent games of 233-232-236 and 230 to post 933. Super bowling Janine!

Juan Sandoval came to play and entered the 900 Club on games of 247-210-196 and 256 to record 909.

Don Gardner rounds out the 900 Clubbers with his 236-234-192 and 242 to tender a nice 904.

More HOT scores: Mike Caballero 245-898, Larry Green 268-895, Don Gut-Omen 236-887, Tony Chaco 234-884, Jim Moore 243-879, Rey Ortiz 257-873, Shawn St. Andre 247-857, Miguel Rosales 248-846, Marie Barbush 223-845, Anderson Alcaraz 244-841, Terry Brent 278-838, Rich Heid 244-830, Frank Bellinder 226-823, John Phillips 228-817, Alan Bloom 223-813, Kantral Williams 233-807, Rose Williams 244-805, Hong Kha 236-804, Johnny Munson 267, Ed Hermance 243, James Blythe IV 236, Roberta McNaught 226, Fred Voysey 222, Tony Angulo 225, Tim Blough 215, Dick McKenzie 214, Don Lorentzen 214, Ron Douglass 213, Nicole Abbott 212, Aaron Wilson 211, E.J. Rogers 205 (with his right hand) and Janet Anderson 205.

I would like to take this opportunity to express my gratitude to everyone for their generosity and the many, many sympathy cards offering comfort, encouragement and friendship to me in the loss of my precious daughter. I am forever grateful. Linbrook is home to the most caring individuals; my extended family. Thank You! Until next week...



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**PINZ ADULTS**

Your face.  
**Tavern Guild:** Ed Dusseau 243/679, David Quam 237/659, Jim Howell 235, Gary Brumburgh 225.

**Twilighters:** Dan Coffelt 248/703, Arnel Adordionicio 258/639, Robert Adelman 232/672, Michael Hoit 614, Jim Moore 234, Dan Price 224.

**Kings and Queens:** Ross Goldman 258/660, Brandon Dziengielewski 242/659, Kevin Collins 237/657, Wayne Roberts 633, Jeff Coggins 235/612, Edwin Marfil 246.

**PINZ JUNIORS**

Your face.  
**Adult Junior:** George Parker 300/683, Treven Goldsmith 258/675, Damond Taylor 198/573, Matt Parker 244/566, Max Korn 202/528.

**Senior Scratch:** Nikolai Berk 278/939, Treven Goldsmith 247/860, Max Korn 221/823, Natalie Kato 247/802, Mario Vargas 207/739.

**Junior Stars:** Angelo Costa 138/325, Samantha Vargas 109/290, Kayla Arriaga 106/280, Alex Lemus 176/276, Bryndon Baker 103/274.

**Pee Wee:** Andrew Parker 89/159.

**PINZ SENIORS**  
Your face.  
**Happy Timers:** Gary Olsen 191/532, Ruth Swick 154/433, Russ Romo 196/501.

**Joslyn Seniors:** Ross Romo 188/491, Joyce Rabinowitz 160, Barbara Abell 427, Nelson Hicks 182/496, Seiki Tluczek 167/425.

**Breakfast Club:** Myrna Schiffman 167/461, Bernie Filosa 171/437, Charlene Gaffney 159/435, Marion Weis 434, Donna Klein 421, Christine Srark 166, Dorie Crofts 159.

**Pin Pals:** Karen Collier 170/447, Judy Kautz 155/436, Ellen Engel 178/416, Diana Bassi 151/404, Shelly Djergian 154/384.

**Coffee and Donuts:** Nancy Kato 213/593, Elayne Klein 182/520, Hildegard Miller 178/500, Sandy Feder 211/453, Donna Klein 449, Annie Block 175.

**Bowler of the Week:** Your face.

**Quote of the Week:** Your face.

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