

Parker Bohn III and Frank Weiler

PBA and IBMA Join Forces For Chuck Pezzano Scholarship Fund

by Frank Weiler

LAS VEGAS — Next week the International Bowling Media Association (IBMA) will conduct it's annual meeting at this years International Bowl Expo at the Mandalay Bay Hotel and Casino. At that meeting Frank Weiler will present a check for \$150 to IBMA President KEITH HAMILTON for the Chuck Pezzano Scholarship Fund. The money was raised as a result of bowling ball donations from PBA (Professional Bowlers Association) stars PARKER BOHN III, LIZ JOHNSON and WES MALOTT.

Last December the PBA World Series of Bowling was a success at every level. Great organization, great preparation, great competition, great performances and great memories. TOM

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Behind the scenes at the World Series an effort was underway to raise money for the IBMA Chuck Pezzano Scholarship Fund. Scholarship committee member Frank Weiler met with Bohn, Johnson and Malott and obtained autographed balls which were used to solicit and obtain donations for the Pezzano Fund.

The Chuck Pezzano
Scholarship Fund is named
and dedicated to the memory of Chuck Pezzano, the
Dean of Bowling Writers.
Mr. Pezzano was a sports
columnist for the Patterson,
New Jersey Morning Call
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Vazquez Wins PBA50 Northern California Classic for First PBA50 Tour Title

Weber's Consecutive Win Streak at Four Ends

BRENTWOOD, CA

– Noel Vazquez of Sacramento, Calif., won the
PBA50 Northern California Classic presented by
MOTIV Wednesday for his
first career PBA50 Tour title and in the process ended
Pete Weber's record run of
consecutive PBA50 Tour
titles at four.

Vazquez, who has won two PBA regional and six PBA50 regional titles, defeated Weber 255-224 in the title match at Harvest Park Bowl.

"I'm shocked and at a loss for words," said the 56-year-old Vazquez. "To bowl against the greatest bowlers in the game is unbelievable and something you only dream about."

Vazquez, who qualified third for the finals, took an 11-pin lead in the fifth frame and then threw five consecutive strikes which were too much for Weber, who was the finals top qualifier, to overcome.



General Manager Sherry MacKenzie, Champion Noel Vasquez and Proprietor Jim Wangeman

"I just had to keep thinking to stay within myself and make the shots I'm capable of," Vazquez said. "You bring your "A" game and win or lose you can take satisfaction that you did your best.

"I'm pretty goal oriented," Vazquez added.
"That's what helped me win my regional titles and it helped me get this win. I've always kidded my friends that if I won a national title I'd retire but I'm rethinking

that right now."

Vazquez's previous best PBA50 Tour finish was 11th in the 2015 Suncoast PBA Senior U.S. Open.

Weber, a 37-time winner on the PBA Tour, which includes a record-tying 10 majors, was trying for his ninth career PBA50 Tour win. His streak of four wins started with the UnitedHealthcare Sun Bowl In The Villages in April which was followed by wins in the Mooresville Ford Open,

Johnny Petraglia BVL Open and his second consecutive Suncoast PBA Senior U.S. Open win.

"My hat is off to Noel," said Weber, who is the defending PBA50 Player of the Year. "He broke the streak by bowling great and deserved to win."

Vazquez reached the title match by beating Ty Dawson of Sunnyvale, Calif., who was also making his first finals appearance, continued on page 9

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Elite Bowler Rick Stine Rolls a Powerful Number but There's a Surprise to It

WINNETKA - After Rick Stine blasted seven straight strikes to begin his first game last Tuesday, he called his hot start "unexpected" and "abnormal." Unexpected and abnormal?

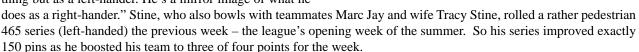
Isn't this the Rick Stine who has clocked 18 perfect games and five 800 series?

Isn't this the Rick Stine who has crushed an 845 series? Isn't this the Rick Stine who blasted a perfect game at age 18 just six months after taking up the game? Well, yes, but he accomplished all those feats right-handed.

Stine changed things up last week in the "Guys and Dolls" league at Winnetka Bowl by bowling with his off hand. Stine, a 53-year-old Porter Ranch resident, does this from time to time to increase the enjoyment of the game – though his teammates sometimes encourage him to stay right-handed where they surmise he can bolster his team best with his stratospheric 230 average.

So Stine, who is uncommonly modest, will be bowling the "Guys and Dolls" summer session as a left-hander. And he provided a thrill last week by scoring a left-handed personal best 257 in his first game. Stine, a smooth-rolling machine as a righty, finished with a stirring 615 series lefthanded by tacking on games of 203 and 155.

Marveled teammate Ellie Koops: "He does the same thing but as a left-hander. He's a mirror image of what he



"It's for fun now," Stine said. "I know what I can do right-handed and sometimes I just want to find out what I can do left-handed. It's an excitement generator for me. It's fun when you do well. I want to see if I can bowl above 185 [for an average] and use my knowledge as a right-hander and transfer it left-handed."

Told he did a pretty good impersonation of Bryan Alpert, the national United States Bowling Congress ambidextrous record holder and manager of Corbin Bowl, Stine laughed.

"He's crazy [good]. He's skilled," Stine said. "He can absolutely roll the ball. It would take me years to impersonate that. It's part of his blood. You have to have a passion to be as good as he is."

Stine, a "Guys and Dolls" favorite because of his low profile despite a high average, makes it clear he is definitely not ambidextrous. He's just out to have a good time.

"My fear is embarrassment - on the way to the line, I'll drop the ball or roll it in the gutter," he said.

Stine added that scoring a 257 left-handed was a definite highlight for him.

"I just felt like I had a lot of luck," he said. "I felt really fortunate. That's what makes it exciting. A 257 is really a big number for me. I likely won't achieve that again. "I was doing my best not to fall down at the line. It was fun to watch the ball travel to the pocket. Every single ball was an adventure. Getting the first seven [strikes] was like winning



Ellie Koops helps Rick Stine celebrate his 257 as a left-hander at Winnetka Bowl. Photo by Fred Eisenhammer





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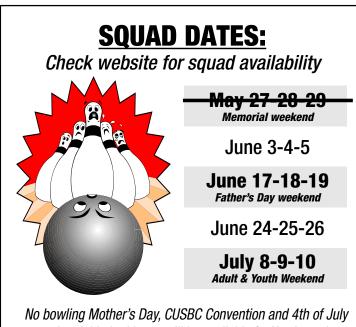
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Darrow Tiongco Wins Third ABTA Title at Bowlium Lanes Steven Alford 2nd \$500 - Christopher Slack 3rd \$200

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MONTCLAIR - Long time member, Darrow Tiongco won his third championship at Bowlium Lanes. He was the top qualifier and had the luxury of resting to see who will challenge him for the title match.

The qualifying cut scores were Men +83 and Women +70. Top qualifiers in qualifying receive a paid entry to any regular tournament were Tres Catalasan +164 and Tess Dizon +150.

Super Seniors added, two men and one woman, Teddy Villaroman +74, Ely Cruz +69 and Kerry Lucka

The first game in the semis, Men +9 and Woman +8 with Darrow leading the pack with a +75. Second game, Men and women combined +29, and Darrow keeping his lead with a +117, followed by Steven Alford +101 and Bedell Vasquez +98. Third game's cut went up a little with Men and Women +47 and Darrow with his steady

bowling stayed on top with a +151 and Steven Alford 2nd with a +137.

The matches in the single eliminations went underway, placing 10-16 Annie Liao 60%, Justin Taino, William Ele, Darren Pascual, Norma Gaddison, Teddy Villaroman and Edmond Del Mundo \$100

In 6-9th Bedell Vasquez, Kerry Lucka, Ricardo Baca 60% and Greg Velarde \$105 each. Finishing in 4th and 5th Tres Catalasan and Pedro Cintron \$110 each.

Steven Alford and Christopher Slack survived their matches to vie for the right to bowl for the championship. The shot was semi tough and Chris couldn't execute while Steven found his stride and threw a total of seven strikes to advance easily. Chris bowled wellin 3rd place.

championship match started with Steven sparing the first two frames but opened in the 3rd frame and Darren answered with a three bagger, spare, doubled opened in the 7th frame but he had a comfortable lead due Steven not striking, spared all the way to the tenth and finally a strike on his last ball with 163/205 game. Darren with his calm and steady bowling, spared 8th and 9th, caught a split in the 10th but he never lost his lead and won handily 196/238. Darren took home \$1,800 and Steven received \$500 for second place.

Darren Tiongco is from Newhall, used his 900 Global / All In, drilled at Cal Bowl Pro Shop. He's single and wants to send his best wishes to Bob's good health and recovery. (Bob will be at CAL BOWL SATURDAY) he's doing

Steven Alford is from Carson, used his Columbia/ Encounter drill by Gil Avil at Avil Pro Shop. His girlfriend, Mikala was on hand to cheer him on, but his Dad George and Uncle Ronald



Darrow Tiongco wins 3rd Title at the Bowlium \$1,700

Darrow Tiongco stepped up and won his third ABTA title in fine style as he downed upstart Steven Alford in the title game in a big 232-198 win to take home a tidy \$1,700. He as Stephen is very deserving and both are fine gentlemen as is Chris Slack who finished third. (L-R) Arnold Angoncillo, Steven Alford 2nd Place \$500, Darrow Tiongco Champion \$1,700, Deb Sanders ABTA Director, Chris Slack 3rd \$200, Conrad Amado and Analiza Agoncillo our consummate ABTA Director.

who usually bowlmwith him couldn't make it.

Chris Slack a 2 time champion is from La Mirada, used his Roto Grip/Asylum drilled by Billy Myers. He's married to Lisa, one son Christopher, Jr.

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July 9th

July 16th -Keystone 1pm, 2:30 pm, 4 pm, 6 pm West Covina 1pm, 2:30 pm, 4 pm, 6 pm July 23rd -

Bowlium Lanes - June 19th, 2016 Darrow Tiongco from Newhall Cash & Carry Steven Alford from Carson Christopher Slack from La Mirada Tres Catalasan from Long Beach
Pedro Cintron from Rancho Cucamonga Kerry Lucka (SS) from Perris \$105.00 Ricardo Baca (60%) from La Habra Greg Velarde from Mira Loma \$63.00 \$105.00 Annie Liao (60%) from Rowland Heights 722 713 \$60.00 Justin Taino from Chino Hills \$100.00 William Ele (SS) from Long Beach
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FINANCIAL REPORT

CUT SCORES: Saturday Men: +83 Women: SUPER SENIORS: Kerry Lucka +37, Teddy Villaroman +74, Ely Cruz +69 High Qualifer (Free Entry)

Men: Tres Catalasan +164 Women: Tess Dizon +150 3-6-9 John Armenia

Match Game: 282 NO WINNER NO WINNER

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NATIONAL DEAF BOWLING NEWS

by Connie Marchione

PCDWBA HELPS CELEBRATE PCDBA'S 75TH ANNIVERSARY TOURNAMENT WITH 10 TEAMS OF WOMEN BOWLERS

HENDERSON — For the 75th anniversary Pacific Coast Deaf Bowling Association tournament held on June 27-30 at Sunset Station Hotel's Strike Zone Bowling Center, the men of PCDBA has its companion Pacific Coast Deaf Women's Bowling Association running their tournament separately with 10 teams of women bowlers. The 40 women bowlers will be bowling their own 69th anniversary tournament along with the men's 26 foursome teams, making a total of 144 bowlers on the lanes.

PCDBA Secretary-Treasurer Edward Bazan, San Jose affirmed along with 26 men teams, there are 104 Singles, 56 Doubles, 55 Deaf Masters and 27 Senior Master s entries. Bazan's counterpart PCDWBA Secretary-Treasurer Wendy Spanton, Vacaville reports with 10 teams, others are 38 Singles, 19 Doubles, 10 Deaf Queens and 13 Senior Oueens.

The host sponsor, Hawaii Silent Bowlers with its Co-Chairpersons Eric and Dina De la Pena and Nicky Rivera and Sharlyn Chang have scheduled a No-Tap Doubles tournament for early comers on Monday June 27 from 5 PM till 11 PM in Sunset Station Hotel's Strike Zone Bowling Center. On Tuesday evening June 28th reserved for both organization's General Meetings at 6 PM. Wednesday June 29 is Poker Night from 5 pm to 11 pm in Hotel's Santa Maria Room an second floor. Thursday June 29 is Banquet Dinner/Entertainment/Awards Night for these who purchased tickets.

The dinner will be Hawaiian style buffet type with non-alcoholic drinks. There will be a cash bar for your own alcoholic drinks.

Here Are Some More Amazing Feats

by Fred Eisenhammer

Want to talk more about a "Dutch 200" game – a wonderfully freakish occurrence in which a bowler alternates strikes and spares en route to a 200 game?

I didn't think so. That topic has pretty much been covered with four recent stories in the California Bowling News. So we'll avoid any more talk of a "Dutch 200." Or all the "Dutch 200" record holders.

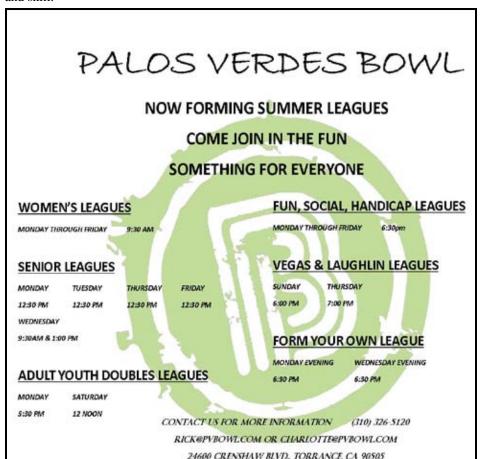
But one of the fun parts about bowling is that so many memorable events and moments can take place at any time. And one doesn't have to be Pete Weber or Walter Ray Williams Jr. to achieve such a feat.

Here are some distinctive performances culled from the United States Bowling Congress record book:

- Can you believe a player bowled a record eight consecutive duplicate games? How is that possible? Yet, Stan Kodish of Toledo, Ohio, turned the trick in one day in 1988. He kept shooting a 202. The next highest is six by Lawrence Buller of Corpus Christi, Tex., in the 1992 USBC Open championships. His score was 180. Simply amazing for both of them. Talk about being in a rut.
- Californians are scattered throughout the USBC record book. Bill Bunetta of Fresno holds one of those marks for being the oldest person to roll consecutive 300 games. He did it on Oct. 25, 1995, and he was 76 years old.
- Staying on the subject of age, Gene Scala of Jericho, N.Y., holds the men's record for being the oldest league bowler. He earned that mark by participating in his league in 2012 at age 107. A Californian is tops when it comes to the oldest women's league bowler. Maude McIntyre of Fresno was 103 during her league competition in 1002

Many of the USBC records are listed as unofficial, but it still gives bowlers a level to chase. The USBC website can be found at bowl.com.

Records and recognition: It's something that bowlers can shoot for regardless of age and skill.



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\Laura Coury, Stacey Tarantino, Ann Egan and Jaye Rettedal are the "Girls With Balls" and they have an infectious enthusiasm. Photo by Fred Eisenhammer

Bowling Gets a Shot in the ArmWith Increasing Recognition

by Fred Eisenhammer

WINNETKA – Something remarkable is taking place in the world of bowling. Perhaps you've noticed.

It seems the taunts, the barbs and the snubs directed at bowling have abruptly stopped. In its place is admiration for the game that is the most popular participant sport in America

All of a sudden, there is recognition that bowling is an integral part of Americana – and has been for a long time. It's being appreciated and respected seemingly in never-beforeseen fashion.

Suddenly, this game that virtually anyone can play is being universally saluted. The raves have been coming from everywhere. This esteem is being manifested in movies, books and songs – all paying tribute.

It's funny, but it seems as if was just yesterday that Hollywood icon Susan Sarandon took a below-the-belt potshot at bowling in an effort to promote her newly opened worldwide ping-pong social clubs.

Remember her acerbic comment?

Talking about the virtues of ping-pong, Sarandon said her game stood apart from bowling because "you don't have to wear someone else's shoes."

That was not a soulful thing for Sarandon to say. No doubt, she heard about it. Since then, she hasn't said a cross word about bowling. Perhaps she realized that both sports could flourish at the same time. Perhaps she realized that bowling wasn't going away. Perhaps she feared a bowlers' boycott of her future movies.

Whatever the case, what we're seeing now is not a stream of putdowns but an ocean of applause for bowling.

Everywhere you look, someone is paying respect to the game.

Last year a critically acclaimed movie, "Sex, Death and Bowling," popped into people's radar and got its share of viewings. This was a comedy-drama with a moving story and a first-rate cast of Adrian Grenier, Selma Blair, Drea de Matteo and Mary Lynn Rajskub.

Handkerchiefs were needed for this emotional and sentimental movie with a bowling setting. Who would have thought that bowling could create such emotion?

Even the publishing world has paid homage. Just recently, a novel called "Midnight Bowling" was released that spins a coming-of-age story with bowling as the backdrop. Quinn Dalton's book bestows honor to bowling's past and the lure it's held on people's lives.

The music industry has noticed too. Bowling got a plug (perhaps unwanted?) from a song with this inane title: "I Don't Know Whether to Kill Myself or Go Bowling." The ditty earned a spot on many lists for the "best of worst country-western song titles."

It seems all at once people have come to acknowledge that bowling has a magnetic appeal that tightly bonds friends and family.

If you want to view bowling at its finest, watch the team of Laura Coury, Ann Egan, Jaye Rettedal and Stacey Tarantino in action this summer at Winnetka Bowl. Their team is known by the amusing and provocative name of "Girls With Balls." The four bowlers are longtime friends who have been crashing the lanes on Tuesday nights for summer league play for more than a decade.

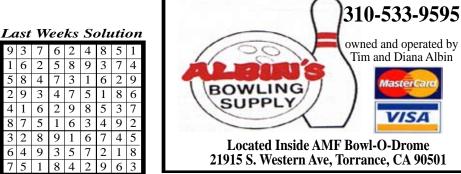
After spending nine months away from the sport, they come back and knock down strikes like it's child's play. Their enthusiasm is genuine; the fun is unmistakable. They're the loudest ones on the block.

Those who watch can't help but find their emotion infectious and irresistible.

There's no doubt: More people are paying notice that bowling is going places and has an honored past. The sport has won new appreciation.

There are no turkeys in this game – unless it's those three straight strikes that bowlers

are piling up.





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BURBANK — I hope all the bowling fathers and fathers of bowlers had a great Father's Day! Remember in this heat wave, not only do you want to stay hydrated and cool but so does your equipment. Especially those bowling balls, people.

Extreme temperature changes can cause serious damage to your ball so don't leave them in your car trunk.

Have a great week and stay cool!

Sunday Night Hdcp: (scr) Randell Williams 267, Jo McMahon 164, Chris Martinez 692, Danica McMahon 513. (hdcp) Angel Zarate 281, Raylin Rivera 252, Nate Wong 745, Ruth Sanchez 683

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Monday 690: (scr) Dylan Jimenez 234, Glenda Nale 191, Setu Molia 646, Cheryl Mikels 543. (hdcp) Dave Brubaker 256, Kristen Lyon 226, Win Kato 746, Patty Shaffer 669.

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44 Blue Productions: (scr) Rasha Drachkovitch 179, Gillian Weiner 125, Jim Westrick 473, Judy Bracero 337. (hdcp) Dave Luce 237, Gina Becconsall 228, Dan Holechek 588, Julie Merson 590.

Orbits: Congrats to the League Champions, 3 Gals & A Baby comprised of Mel Varrenti, Megan Hazzard, Joyce Hill Carolyn Lollar and Baby Mason. High Hdcp Game went to Jan Levitt 271, High Hdcp Series to Megan Hazzard 700, Team High Hdcp Series 1872 to 3 Gals & A Baby And Team High Game 662 to We R XXXcelent Bowlers.

ICF No Tap: Bernie Baima 314, John Pemberton 276, Josie Pemberton 301, Rita LeBlanc 258, Kelly McDonough 699, Barbara Liberto 682.

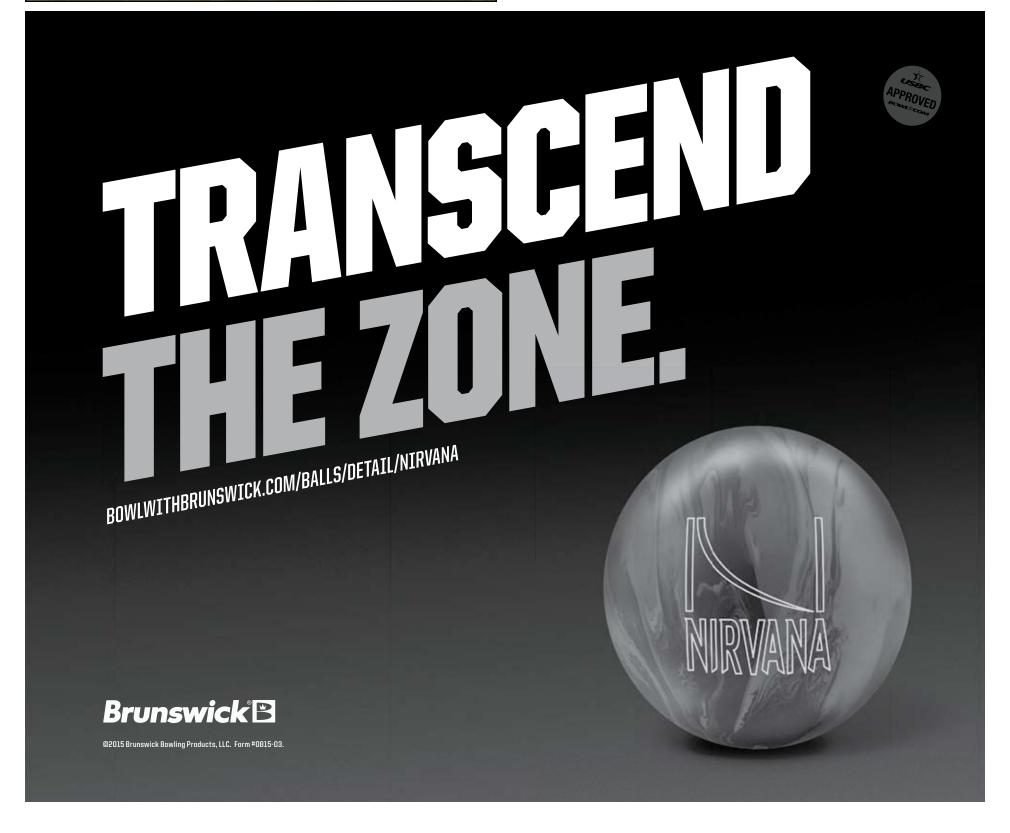
Holy Bowlers: (scr) Steve Szekely 199, Tracy Chow 171, Jeff Ellis 380, Melissa Procanik 307. (hdcp) Scott Jones 462, Lisa Gallagher 443, Bill Wickershiem 250, Kelly Ben Miloud 251.

Guys & Dolls: (scr) Mike McMahon 248, Cortney Lyon 187, Dylan Jimenez 623, Cheyenne Landers 540. (hdcp) Roger Desgroseilliers 273, Peggy Eklund 252, James Marquez 789, Colleen Simpson 656.

Wed. Night Hdcp: (scr) Adam Lew 262, Sheilah Faller 193, Don Smallwood 707, Susan Cortez 536. (hdcp) Chris Williams 269, Nikki Angstadt 255, John Haegele 850, Dandy Hubbard 730.

Senior Foursome: (scr) Bob Rosenblum 206, Marie Menez 191, Ed Bugayong 546, Kathy Temple 458. (hdcp) Raymond Garcia 276, Kathy Lilliquist 246, Jesse Menez 657, Diane Sorem 635.

Thursday 890: (scr) Don Smallwood 248, Rose White 202, Brad Wilson 644, Agnes Cotangco 507. (hdcp) Shelby White 285, Sue Hutchens 266, Johnny Aboyte 737, Cristy Bennett 681. These are the best for this week, so until next time...keep the ball rollin'!



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213-195, in the semifinal.

In the opening stepladder match two-time PBA50 Player of the Year and eight-time PBA50 Tour winner Ron Mohr of Las Vegas defeated Brian LeClair of Delmar, N.Y, 256-238, who was trying for his second title. In the second match, Dawson defeated Mohr 279-235 to advance to the

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- 3, Ty Dawson, Sunnyvale, Calif., \$2,700.
- 4, Ron Mohr, Las Vegas, \$2,200.
- 5, Brian LeClair, Delmar, N.Y., \$1,800.

Stepladder Results

Match One - Mohr def. LeClair, 256-238. Match Two – Dawson def. Mohr, 279-235. Semifinal Match – Vazquez def. Dawson, 213-195. Championship – Vazquez def. Weber, 255-224.

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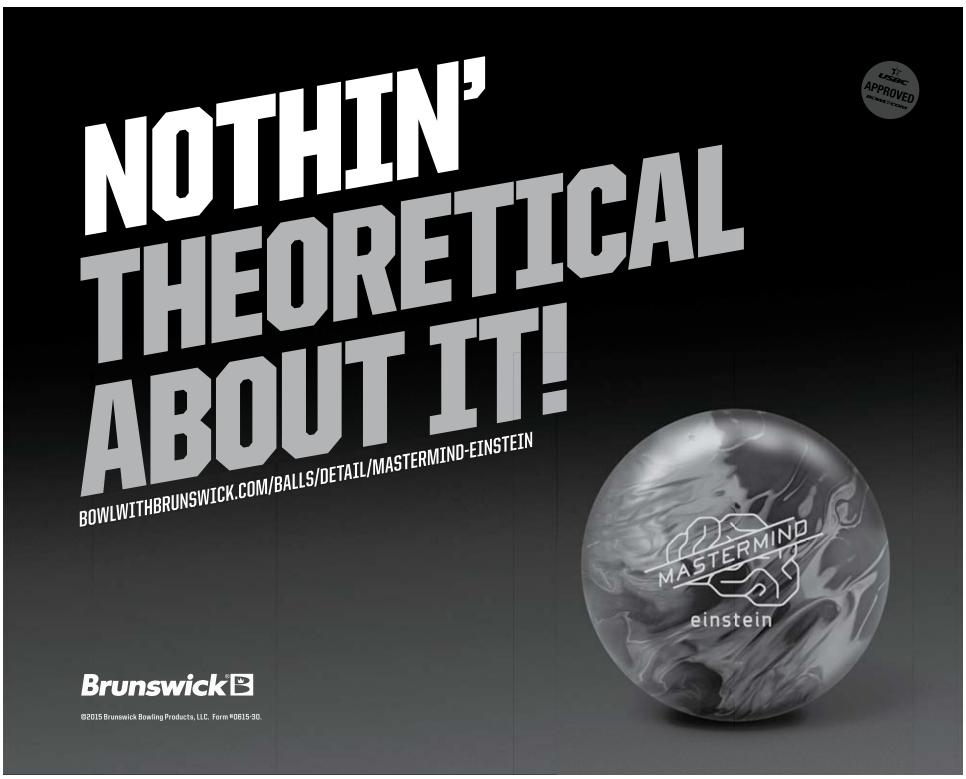


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Orange County USBC Annual Senior Singles Tournament

by Joy McGregor

FOUNTAIN VALLEY — JULY 30 & 31, 2016 at FOUNTAIN BOWL, 17110 Brookhurst St. in Fountain Valley is THE place to be.

There will be two squads each day l0AM & 1PM. This is a 4-game singles tournament and handicapped at 90% of 220. The deadline for guaranteed entries is JULY 26 SO YOU HAVE PLENTY OF TIME TO GET YOUR ENTRIES MAILED TO THE OFFICE: P.O. Box 4396, Garden Grove, 92842. Please, if you want to bowl together, send entries in same envelope!

On-site entries will only be accepted upon lane availability!! All entrants MUST be 50 years of age by July 30. Please also adhere to ALL rules pertaining to this tournament, we certainly do not want to disqualify anyone; all rules are on back of the "green" entry flyer!

This is a very popular venue and we are hoping to make this year a whopping success!!!! The cost is still only \$25 and that is quite a bargain these days...you will have all the camaraderie and FUN you can handle so....come on down to FOUNTAIN BOWL and into the "cool" AC and have a ball.

Remember men and women may bowl together but are categorized in their age division. Winners in each age classification receive a free entry into the 2017 CUSBC Senior Tournament. Entry fees must be paid by the bowler to CUSBC and will be reimbursed to the entrant upon proof of participation.

Get your entries in early...lookin' forward to seeing y'all at FOUNTAIN BOWL.

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newspaper for over sixty years.

He was the newspapers lead sports columnist writing five lead columns and three bowling columns a week. His bowling columns were extracurricular and done voluntarily. Chuck wrote about bowling when he didn't have to but because he wanted to. He did so because he loved our sport.

He also was a great bowler. He was a professional bowler who was a charter member of the PBA in 1958. He served as PBA Historian for decades and was elected to the PBA Hall of Fame in 1975. The PBA Media Room is named in his honor.

Chuck Pezzano was special. Special for bowling. He was one of very few full time sports columnists who wrote about bowling and bowlers. Most city newspaper columnists have no interest in bowling. Chuck was different. He took every available opportunity to promote the sport of bowling. He was and still is a bowling icon, one of a kind.

Mr. Pezzano was a charter member of IBMA, a professional organization whose members represent all aspects of communications that cover bowling. In short, IBMA is bowling media. Members are artists, authors, bloggers, broadcasters, cartoonists, columnists, commentators, copy writers, graphic artists, illustrators, photo journalists, publicists and writers. IBMA is the successor of the former BWAA (Bowling Writers Association of America).

About the Pezzano Scholarship Fund. Every year IBMA awards up to three scholarships totaling up to \$3,000 to deserving students. The scholarships are reserved for college age students with GPAs of 3.0 to 4.0 who are bowlers and involved in communications including electronic and print media, public relations, radio and television.

I would like to offer my sincere thanks to Parker Bohn III, Liz Johnson and Wes Malott for participating in this event. They were very gracious and cooperative during the World Series while under a great deal of pressure to perform on the lanes and earn a living.

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