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San Fernando Valley Bowling Association Record Set

BURBANK—On Sunday August 1st, 2010 at Pickwick Bowl in the city Burbank bowling in the Sunday Vegas League, 21-year-old Ryan Hinchcliffe set the San Fernando Valley Bowling Association 3 game series record with an astonishing 876 total. His games of 300-278-298 bested the previous record set by Jim Frachtling at Corbin Bowl more than a decade ago. Ryan amazingly, has only been bowling for 11 months, never picking up a ball prior to setting foot in Pickwick Bowl just under a year ago. Just a couple weeks prior, Ryan had broken through for his first 800 series on games of 274-288-269 for what seemed then like an amazing 831 total. It shouldn't go without mentioning his 300 game in the 876 series was his first.

Ryan, who's not always had an easy go in his young life, found bowling to be his panacea. His immediate interest in the sport quickly turned to obsession, bowling any chance he could. Ryan would and has continued to bowl 3 or 4 different times during the day, bowling as many as 10-15 games throughout almost every day. He continues to experiment with different technique including with and

without his thumb and now his amazing 2 handed delivery.



Ryan Hinchcliffe 876 Series

Early on it was apparent Ryan had a deep desire to compete. After just his first couple months, Ryan decided to join the PBA Experience league we offer on Tuesday. Taking his lumps for the first few rounds, Ryan became extremely competitive, even going down to the last week in a couple rounds, bowling like a seasoned veteran with a chance to secure a spot in the coveted roll-offs. He didn't make it in the end, but not dissuaded continued to work and practice. The practice and perseverance has paid huge dividends so far. I personally can't wait to see where this incredibly talented kid from Burbank takes his bowling skills next.

U.S. Boys Shine At World Youth Championships Simi Valley's Devin Bidwell Captures Two Silvers

HELSINKI, Finland - The United States boys settled for the silver medal in team event Saturday after a high-scoring battle with Korea at the 2010 World Tenpin Bowling Association World Youth Championships.

Junior Team USA fired a game of 860 in the gold-medal match, but it wasn't enough as the Koreans got ahead and

never relinquished the lead in shooting 892 at Tali Bowl. The Korean girls also won the team gold medal.

Craig Hanson led a balanced effort from the Americans with a 226 game and was followed by Jake Peters (222), Devin Bidwell (211) and all-events gold medalist Andrew Koff (201). The Koreans were led by Ju-Young Kim with

237, while Hae-Sol Hong shot 235, Jong-Woo Park had 221 and Seung-Hyeon Shin had 199.

"There's a little disappointment, but you can never be unhappy when you bowl well, and all four guys bowled really well today," Peters said. "We feel we bowled the best we could, and they bowled better."

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TeamUSA earns both gold and silver in the Boy's Doubles

OROVILLE—The California State Queens concluded their qualifier through the CA Women's State Championships that were held at Nu Generation Lanes in Yuba Sutter. Qualifiers used their scratch Doubles and Singles scores to fill 16 seeded positions directly into the State Queens finals to be held August 14-15 at Tyme to Bowl Lanes in Oroville. Tona Porcayo was top qualifier through the Championships with a score of 1,419 followed by Leanne Hulsenberg with 1,328.

The last person to make the cut was Bobbi Supernor with a 1,143. Tona will also receive a bonus award for being the top Championships event qualifier. The past 2009 champion, Andrea Snyder will also be in attendance to defend her title from her free berth directly into the finals.

For those that did not qualify, we urge you to compete in the Last Chance Squad to be held Saturday, August 14 - 9am at Tyme to Bowl Lanes. The remaining finals spots will be filled from this squad to complete the field of 32. The cost is \$150 to enter, but if you

bowled in the Championship qualifier, the price is only \$120. And, if you already qualified from the Championships but want to "practice" in the Last Chance squad, the cost is only \$50 to pace. Note that the finals oil pattern will be a USBC Sport Certified condition.

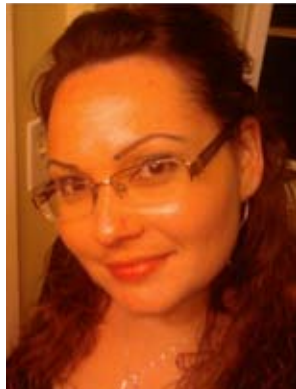
The California USBC Association is guaranteeing a prize fund of \$17,000 for this event paying 32 places. The board approved the payout last September in the last ditch efforts of preserving this long time historical event. First place will be \$1,500 + \$300 National USBC Queens entry + berths into the 2011 & 2012 State Queens Finals (\$2,100 value). Second place will be \$1,350 and third place will be \$1,200 GUARANTEED!

Along with the bonus awards of High Qualifier from the Championship Qualifier, High Qualifier from the Last Chance Squad, Highest game in the Last Chance Squad, Highest series in the Finals and Highest game in the Finals, we will be offering bonus awards for 300 and 800 sport honor scores for the finals as well as referral fees for those that bring in multiple

by Lynn Matsubara

entries. We are confident that with the guaranteed funds, the bowlers will come, but we still need you, the bowler's help in getting more participants to attend. We want the entries back up and need everyone's support.

Unfortunately, if the participation numbers do not significantly increase for 2010, the format WILL be modified for 2011. If the numbers still do not increase by 2012, the event will just have to fold. We are trying to keep this event alive, but we need everyone's help to promote this event. You can download the entry form online at www.CalUSBC.com and



Defending Champion Andrea Snyder

you can also view the results of the Women's Championships Queens qualifier online as well.

Please pass on this information to other high averaged females that you think may be interested. We would like to see this event grow.

Also remember that scratch youth females (190+ average) can also participate as long as they sign a youth scholarship waiver prior to entering the Last Chance Qualifier. For more information regarding this event, please email us at matt@calusbc.com or call 818-292-5001.

Note: The 2011 Queens event will be held at Buena Lanes in Ventura. A Queen's weekend will be held June 4-5 (Friday: D/S; Sat: Team) so that bowlers will not have to travel twice. Any female adult can sign up for the Women's Championships and pick that same weekend to bowl. It is not closed to only Queen's participants.

Last Chance Qualifier: Saturday, August 14 at 9am. **Tyme to Bowl Lanes**, 4010 Olive Hwy., Oroville, CA 95966, (530) 538-0111.

World Bowling Record Broken

by Jim Goodwin

PLANO—In a typical 30 week bowling league session, a bowler will roll a total of 90 games over eight or nine months. Imagine rolling more than 600 games – in one week. 649 to be exact; a total of 124 hours and 45 minutes of bowling over a span of only six days.

That's what 24-year-old Stephen Shanabrook did the week of July 12 at Plano Super Bowl in Plano, Texas to break the Guinness World Record of bowling for five days and two hours, previously held by 32 year old Stuart Ridley of New Zealand. Shanabrook bowled for five days and almost five hours, and if the verification process goes as planned, the record will be confirmed in about a month.

Shanabrook, a graduate of the University of Texas with a degree in Sports Management,

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BOWLING NEWS HONOR ROLL

NAME	SCORE	DATE	CENTER
JOHN BENNETT JR	300	07-26-10	CHAPARRAL LANES
CHRIS ABING	300	07-27-10	WESTMINSTER LANES
KEVIN S. FATHERREE	813	07-28-10	CORBIN BOWL
RAMIRO GARCIA	300	07-28-10	CAL BOWL
OSCAR GRIJALVA	300	07-28-10	EL CENTRO
RUSTY PERKINS	300	07-28-10	WESTMINSTER LANES
EMMERSON WAFER	300	07-28-10	CAL BOWL
MICHELLE SILVER	299	07-29-10	MAR VISTA BOWL
MARCY SMITH	750/298	07-29-10	CHAPARRAL LANES
KEN DEGROFF	300	07-30-10	JEWEL CITY BOWL
LUIS MEZA	300	08-01-10	KEYSTONE LANES
DAN LABRECHE	803	08-02-10	JEWEL CITY BOWL
ANDREA SNYDER	721	08-02-10	FOUNTAIN BOWL
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JUN YAMZON	300	08-02-10	JEWEL CITY BOWL

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	6:00 PM	Monday Night Football	Any 4	13-Sep
		(Beer & Jerseys Included)		
	6:30 PM	Mt. Commercial	Mixed 4	13-Sep
	6:30 PM	Judson Baptist	Mixed 4	13-Sep
Tuesday	9:30 AM	Capri-OLA	Ladies 4	7-Sep
	1:00 PM	Young at Heart	Seniors 4	7-Sep
	5:00 PM	TNT	Mixed 3	7-Sep
	6:30 PM	Elks Invitational	Mixed 4	7-Sep
Wednesday	9:15 AM	Willows	Ladies 3	1-Sep
	1:30 PM	Parks & Rec	Seniors 3	1-Sep
	6:30 PM	Wednesday Vegas	Mixed 5	1-Sep
	7:00 PM	Del Rosa 840 Classic	Scratch 4	1-Sep
Thursday	Noon	Afternooners	Seniors 4	2-Sep
	6:00 PM	S. B. County	Any 5	2-Sep
	7:00 PM	Happy Gamblers - Laughlin	Any 4	2-Sep
Friday	11:30 AM	Golden Goodies	Seniors 4	3-Sep
	6:30 PM	Good Times - Vegas	Mixed 5	3-Sep
	6:30 PM	Friday Gamblers - Vegas	Mixed 4	3-Sep
Saturday	9:00 AM	Junior Bowling	Ages 5-21	11-Sep
	5:30 PM	Immanuel Baptist	Any 4	18-Sep
	6:30 PM	Saturday Vacationers - Vegas	Any 4	11-Sep
Sunday	1:00 PM	Slot Busters	Mixed 4	12-Sep
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You'd Never Believe It...

by B.A. Campbell

LA HABRA—I was sitting between George Miyoda and Sam Castrovinci (their wives adjoining them opposite me) at the OC Installation and Hall of Fame Banquet in La Habra last Saturday. After the dinner came the dessert, a luscious-looking cake, and Sam said he has to watch it, he's had bypass surgery.

George volunteered that he's had bypass surgery too. After their comparing procedures, I began to think I was at the banquet of General Hospital. But then the conversation turned eerie. Sam said he's 82...George admitted the same. They shook hands at their mutual good fortune. Sam said he was born in February...George said he was too.



Sam Castrovinci & George Miyoda

Then Sam said he was born February 6th-- and George said he was too. Sam looked at his compadre at the table a bit warily... was George putting him on? George's wife Marge and Sam's wife Marilou chimed in almost simultaneously, saying that's amazing...and Sam and George shook hands heartily.

We all know the odds are closer than the lottery that you'd find someone in your bowling team, league or center that has the same birth month and day. But to be in your eighties, sitting at a bowling banquet, meeting a fellow OC bowling associate and having the same exact birthdate is a trick I haven't seen performed before.

Thanks to both fellows for making a distinguished event a mysterious one!

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by Dick Sanders

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VENTURA—Buena Lanes, Ventura, and the WCST Ebonite All Star Doubles is the scheduled event for the Labor Day Week-End, September 4-5. This year we will have a maximum field of 42 teams only, which will mean two teams to each pair of lanes. Entry Fee: \$400.00 per team, with the Senior age bowler, that is not a WCST current Member, will add \$15.00 to his individual entry fee. The All Star age bowler, does not pay a guest fee. This will be one squad on Saturday, September 4th, of 8 straight team games, starting at 11:00AM. Age Divisions: Senior: Men: 45 & above, Ladies: 40 & above. All Stars: Men: 44 & under, Ladies: 39 & under. Partners: 2 Seniors may bowl together. An All Star, must bowl with 1 senior. No two All Stars may bowl together. Extra money action, all optional and paid in separate categories. High Game Side-Pots: Team, Senior & All Star. Same for Series blocks, and Brackets. Tournament will pay one team cash place for every 3 team entries.

Finals: Sunday, September 5th, 10 teams bowling, 10 straight team matches, starting at 8:30AM

Note: If less than 40 teams entered, then finals, will be 8 teams. Bowling 8 straight team matches.

At the time of this article, there are only 15 team openings/ Call the WCST Office now at 760-363-8141. or my cell phone: 760-792-4596. You may also make

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World Record

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works as a Rehabilitation Technician at Baylor Regional Medical Center in his home town of Plano. He hopes to one day be a Radiologic Technologist for a major hospital. Meanwhile, he will continue his education, enjoy bowling in his league, and keep volunteering his time on projects like the Komen Race for the Cure and tutoring young students at the library.

Shanabrook didn't enter into his latest venture on a lark. It was meticulously planned months in advance, and, working with the bowling center, he lined up sponsors like Brunswick, who furnished customized bowling balls and shirts, others who provided food, water, energy drinks, video camera work, and all the things he needed to get through the days, and the wee hours of the mornings. Every roll of the ball was video taped by a film crew and the center security cameras.

The Guinness rules were strictly adhered to; bowling at least five games per hour; and keeping “within the spirit of the game” at all times. He was allowed only a five minute break every hour, so he accumulated them for longer breaks. He was allowed two hours sleep every day, but only took one 120 minute sleep break on the final day to give him the push he needed for the finish. He survived the rest of the week on ‘cat naps’ in a meeting room near Plano’s lane 1.

The toughest part? “Probably between 1:00 and 3:00am,” he said. Although the 48-lane center is open 24-hours, it was very quiet in the

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12:00-1:00-2:30-4:00 & 6:00 PM Semis 7:45

ARCADIA—In our return to Bowling Square we had a nice turnout of 209 bowlers, and saw 55 bowlers with cut scores of men + 76 and the Ladies chipped in at a matching +76 take the floor for our semifinals. The three Super Seniors added to the board this week were Ely Cruz (+72), Vic Garcia (+56) and for the women it was Vicki Holiwell (+40).

During our Qualifying squads, the top qualifier for the Men was Alejandro Vela with a +187, and for the women it was Viviana Valverde with a +128. Each will get paid entries into a future regular ABTA event. Alejandro being the top seed would draw the Match Series this week and he drew a 451 that was not bowled by any of our bowlers this week. So next week we will estimate the pot to be at \$700 for that 3 game series.

For the 3-6-9 qualifying this week, the ones that made it saw William Garrett be the last one left in the roll off to go for the \$2,100. He was not able to get the 5 in a-row, so he got a consolation of \$50 and we will go for \$2,200 next week at Valley View Lanes.

In the doubles this week, we had 133 groups get into the doubles, with 20 spots paid out. The top prize this week went to Henry Hoang and Jimmy Wong with a 1443 for \$140. In 2nd place was Billy Chao and Michael Leung at 1441, with Alvin Francisco

and Annaliza Agoncillo, both groups would get \$110. The low to cash was 1403.

In the semis we saw Alvin Francisco lead the field with a +187 to sit out and bowl for the title. Behind Alvin was Marvin Galsim, Sr at a +153, he would sit out the first round of match play. It took a +80 for the men and a +68 for the women to make the Top 16 single elimination match play finals.

Our top seed Alvin Francisco would draw our match game this week. The Match Game this week was 179, and it was matched by 3 fine individuals. The winners were Andrew Lung, Greg Reed and Allan Calabio. They would each get \$1,166 dollars for that 179. We still have several back up pots, so this week we have another \$3,500 pot.

This week we had 8 new bowlers join us, and 1 returning member. Lets welcome these new bowlers to the club, Art, James, Jessica, Patrick, Scott Maison, Scott Maksutapal, So and Tiffany. We saw two of them be first time cashers.

This brings us to our Match Play finals now, and in the first round 14 bowlers would take the floor. In the first round, the 7 losers were Deborah Sanders, Glen Dantes, Fred Go, Kalaya Frizzelle, Julian Conwi, Alejandro Vela and Andrew Lung, and they would receive checks of \$100 each. In the second round, the losers were

Jimmy Wong, Samson Kong, Christina Cheung and William Au and each would get checks of \$105. In round 3 we saw Michael Leung bowling John Gonzales on lanes 15 and 16. In this match, Michael would get the better of John in a close match that went down to the 10th frame with a 200 to 187. In the other match we saw Frank Frias bowling our number 2 seed Marvin Galsim, Sr on lanes 7 and 8. This also was a close match and went down to the 10th frame, but Marvin pulled it out 237-225. So Frank and John were 4th and 5th getting checks for \$110 each. So our semi-final match was set to be bowled on 13 and 14, we had our 2nd and 9th seeds into the top 16 bowling each other, both were favorites in our weekly horse bets.

This match was close throughout the match, but Marvin would prevail with a score of 220 to 212 during this match and send him to his 1st title match in the ABTA. Michael would finish in 3rd place for \$205 this week. This week the horses paid \$36 for all of you that bet on Marvin making all the way to the title match.

The title game is set and would be bowled on lanes 11 and 12 this week. Marvin would be looking to join his two sons into the winner circle as both Marvyn Jr and Godfrey had won previously in the ABTA. Alvin being the top seed elected to have Mar-



Champion Galsim Joins Sons as an ABTA Champion (L-R) Michelle Leung, Michael Leung, 3rd, Annaliza Agoncillo, Alvin Francisco, (runnerup) \$550, Marvin Galsim Sr, (champion) \$2,900, sons Godfrey, Marvyn and Linda Galsim.

vin start the match first. In this match Alvin would start slow, opening in the 1st and 3rd frames to stake Marvin to a lead that would be hard to recover from. Alvin would get a double in the 4th and 5th frames to see Marvin counter with his own in the 5th and 6th frames. In Alvin's portion of the 6th he would open and Marvin would take it from there to his first title match. Alvin finishing with a 156/193 and Marvin getting the win this week with a 185/216. This great bowling by 2 good guys and a well-deserved title for Marvin, again joining both his Sons. Marvin would take home \$1,100 for the first place and an additional \$1,700 in the Cash and Carry. Plus Marvin was wearing his ABTA shirt for another \$100, giving him a total prize on the day of \$2,900, nice going Marvin Sr. Alvin would take home a nice \$550 check for his 2nd place finish.

Champion Marvin Galsim, Sr is from Glendale and is Single with 2 sons, Godfrey and Marvyn Jr. and daughter Li-ane. He used a Cell Roto Grip drilled by Brandon McGinnis. He thanks his friends, the Hilvanos and Salagrosos along with his family and friends at Jewel City bowl.

Alvin Francisco is from Long Beach and used a Invasion drilled at Cal Bowl by Josh. He would like to say thank you to Liza for coming out to bowl with him at all the tournaments and a special thank you to Bowling Square and the ABTA Staff.

Michael K. Leung is from Rowland Heights and used a Awesome Finish drilled by Billy Chao. He is married to Michelle. He would like to say thanks to his wife Michelle for all her support and to David Quon and the Mao-Liu League bowlers who were there to cheer him on.

This week the weekly ball sponsor winner of a 900 Global Ball was Julie Nguyen and she got the Long Shot. Each time you bowl you get a free ticket for this prize given away by our Sponsor 900 Global. This week we were again selling the raffle tickets for a chance at a Vegas Room in January and other prizes. This week we saw a regular entry won by Alejandro Vela, a 3 Ball Storm Bag won by Rey Josafat. This week we had a high end bowling ball and the winner was Michael Kong. The 2 nights in Las Vegas would be won by Sol Cericos. The rest of the results can be seen in the payoff sheet in this paper. Remember to check in early at Valley View Lanes, as

it gets busy there. The address is 12141 Valley View Blvd. in Garden Grove Phone there is 714-898-2507, or check our website (www.abta1.com) to link to address via mapquest.

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16	Alejandro Vela	694	\$100.00	19	Jimmy Wong / Vuong Do	1407	\$20.00
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34	Pablo Castro	642	\$38.50	<div>FINANCIAL REPORT</div> <div>Cut Scores</div> <div>Men: +76 Women: +76</div> <div>Super Seniors:</div> <div>Ely Cruz, Vic Garcia, Vicki Holiwell</div> <div>High Qualifier (Free Entry)</div> <div>Men: Alejandro Vela +187</div> <div>Women: Viviana Valverde + 128</div> <div>3 - 6 - 9 : William Garrett</div> <div>Match Game: 179 - Greg Reid, Andrew Lung, Alan Calaibo</div> <div>Match Series: 451 - No Winner</div> <div>RAFFLE</div> <div>900 Global Ball - Long Shot/Julie Nguyen</div> <div>2 Nights Las Vegas Sol Cericos</div> <div>3 Sotrm Ball Bag Rey Josafat</div> <div>Bowling Ball Michael Kong</div> <div>Regular Entry Alejandro Vela</div> <div>Prize Fund 209 \$5,488.75</div> <div>Paid Entries 19 @ 53 \$1,007.00</div> <div>Optional Sidepots \$1,092.00</div> <div>Doubles \$1,330.00</div> <div>3-6-9 \$50.00</div> <div>Shirt & Trophy \$88.00</div> <div>Cash & Carry 1,700.00</div> <div>Match Game \$3,500.00</div> <div>Total Payout \$23,165.75</div>
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Citrus Belt's MARTY NAKUNZ Passes Away

by Frank Weiler

HIGHLAND - MARTY NAKUNZ, "TUFFY" to his family, died a few weeks ago in Las Vegas while participating in an AMATEUR BOWLERS TOUR Tournament. He passed suddenly, just after qualifying for the finals. Marty has been a regular at ABT tournaments in SoCAL and Las Vegas for about twenty years. He was a friend to all and a gentleman in the true sense of the word.

Marty was born in 1939 in Texas and joined the Air Force in 1962, after graduating from the University of Texas. He attained the rank of full Colonel and retired after twenty-five years. He then worked as an auditor for Riverside County for twelve years.

Next to bowling, Marty loved soccer. He was the president of the Corinthians Futbol Club of Highland, California.

Nakunz is survived by his wife Roberta ("Bobbi") of forty-five years and three children: Amy, Debbie, and Michael. Mike is a 230 average scratch bowler who led the Nakunz family bowling team, with his dad, at ABC and USBC National Tournaments for twenty years. Marty had seven grandchildren.

Marty was a friend of mine since 1986, when we worked together and bowled as teammates at Norton AFB, in San Bernardino. Marty always had a big smile for everyone even when he tapped or opened. He was a positive guy who loved bowling and brought a "can do" attitude to the lanes. Marty loved bowling so much that he once passed up a job promotion rather than quit bowling.

His commander offered a promotion if Marty would quit his evening bowling leagues and volunteer for overtime work. Marty said no. His commander was shocked. If Marty had quit bowling, he may have retired as a General Officer. Marty told his bowling buddies about this offer with no regrets.

Marty carried a high average of 203, and bowled a certified 300 game in 2008. He had numerous 700 series and won several ABT tournaments. Marty was a true champion on and off the lanes.

More than one hundred friends, mostly bowlers, attended Marty's funeral service celebrating his life. E-MAIL TRIBUTES may be sent to his family through Palm Mortuary (palmmortuary.mem.com or palmmortuary@mem.com) until October 15th. Please share your memories of Marty with his family. The Nakunz family is grateful to the BOWLING NEWS for celebrating Marty's life and all Citrus Belt and ABT bowlers.

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Orange County Salutes New Officers and Hall of Fame Inductees

by B.A. Campbell



Morgan Wong



Virginia Norton



Everett Nishikawa

LA HABRA—Saturday, July 31st was a celebratory day for the Orange County USBC. At 4:30pm, the open-play bowlers at La Habra 300 Bowl saw nearly 80 well-dressed people applaud as 2010 Hall of Fame inductees (Virginia Norton, for Superior Performance, and Morgan Wong, for Meritorious Service) ceremoniously had their pictures hung on the “Wall of Fame” on the con-course of the bowling center.

The celebratory atmosphere moved over to the La Habra Elks Lodge, where, after a tasty dinner, the packed room watched as the newly elected Orange County USBC Directors were sworn in. Everett Nishikawa was presented with the 2010 Officer of the Year award for his perpetual service as league secretary and officer in both leagues and tournaments; Virginia Norton, though unable

to attend, was honored for her superior performance and achievements in bowling; and, behind a “screen” of previous Hall of Fame inductees. Morgan Wong was honored for his Meritorious Service over the years to Orange County bowling. An enjoyable evening was had by the attendees, and to Virginia, Morgan and Everett, a hearty Congratulations!

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KELLY KULICK Should Have Won Two ESPY's!!

by Frank Weiler

SAN BERNARDINO - KELLY KULICK should have won this years ESPY Awards as Best Bowler and Best Female Athlete. The bowler award should have been a landslide in her favor. So why didn't she win either award a couple of weeks ago? In short, name recognition, television exposure, and the lack of respect for the sport of bowling.

Whenever fan voting determines the winner of anything, NAME RECOGNITION is everything. Baseball all star voting attests to this. Every year the top vote getters are long time stars no matter their current performance.

Derek Jeter was one of the top vote getters this season even though he is only batting about .275. Some thirty years ago Barry Larkin played in the shadow of Ozzie Smith for years. Even after Larkin became the best shortstop in the National League, the fans still voted the Wizard of Oz (Smith) the starting all star shortstop. Smith and his name were just better known than Larkin and his moniker.

So Kulick didn't stand a chance because of the name game. Walter Ray Williams, Jr., simply the best known bowler in the world. He had a great year and nearly every bowler knows him. Say "Walter Ray" and ninety per cent of all bowlers know who your talking about. He is probably the only bowler identifiable by his first (and middle) name only. He is the "Tiger" of bowling. Say "Kelly" and most bowlers don't know who you are talking about. So what chance did Kelly Kulick have with the voting fans?

Another factor in favor of Williams is television exposure. He has had a ton. He was on television more than Kulick last year and probably has been on six or more televised bowling events or PBA tournaments a year for the past twenty years. Now Williams is on the ESPN Classic television network nearly every week.

Another factor, which is not measurable, may be male bias. There may be twice as many men who watch sports than women. The number of men watching the ESPN sports network is probably twice the number of women who watch.

My guess is that the vast majority of those voting for the ESPY awards are men. Also, sad to say, many men have a "SUPERIORITY COMPLEX ." Many men will not vote for a woman as best bowler. In this case, they are wrong. Dead wrong.

So why should Kulick have won two ESPY awards? Because she may have had the best season any bowler has ever had, and because she beat the boys!

Kelly won a record four major tournaments this past year, and was the first woman in history to win a men's national tournament. To boot, her national tournament win was a men's major championship. As far as I know, until Kelly won this seasons Tournament of Champions (T of C) no woman had ever won a tournament on any men's national sports tour. I don't think anyone in the national sports media has really comprehended what Kelly has accomplished. Not only was her winning of the T of C a first, not only was it historic, it was one of the greatest accomplishments in sports history.

To understand what Kulick did, think of Lorena Ochoa win-

ning the Masters Tournament in Augusta! Think of Serena Williams beating Roger Federer for the men's Wimbledon tennis championship! If Lorena or Serena did that they would be hailed as the greatest female athlete of all time. Imagine that.

Instead, because bowling gets no respect, Kelly Kulick couldn't even win an ESPY in her own sport. Kulick's photo should have been on the covers of Sports Illustrated, ESPN the Magazine and The Sporting News. Her photo wasn't.

When it comes to best female athlete, I believe all of the above apply.

BOWLING GETS NO RESPECT and KELLY KULICK IS THIS YEARS BEST FEMALE ATHLETE. By the way, how come there is no ESPY for Best Female Bowler?

World Record


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early mornings. "At the end of day one, I was exhausted after being up for more than 24 hours, because I planned my sleep schedule to get only one hour per day to maximize the breaks I got. I was also feeling a little sick that day, but I fought my way through it, and once I got some food in my system, I was able to re-focus my energy."

Shanabrook credited friends and family to his success. "My support group really helped me through the tough times. If they saw I was struggling, they would bring me some food, or a power drink, or talk to me to keep me going."

He described the whole process as about 30% physical and 70% mental. "I felt like I was in good shape physically, but every person who tries something like this finds themselves at that physical wall, and you have to have the mental ability to go through the wall and keep going."

Shanabrook doesn't expect to become world famous for his amazing accomplishment, but he earned a little money for his charities, and he gained a lot of self-respect and confidence to go on to bigger things. "Something this challenging is huge, and to come out on top proves that if you set your sights high, you can go in that direction."



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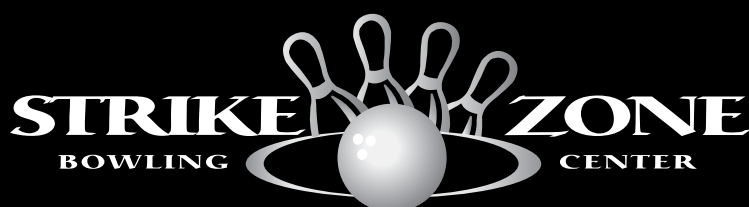


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