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# Duke Earns PBA50 Player & Rookie of the Year

# Johnny Petraglia Takes Super Senior Player of the Year honors

long for PBA Hall of Famer Norm Duke to make an impact on the PBA50 Tour. In his rookie season on the tour for players ages 50 and older, the 37-time PBA Tour champion from Clermont, Florida, became only the second player to earn PBA50 Player of the Year and Rookie of the Year in the same season.

Despite the great season Duke had, it was two other PBA greats – Walter Ray Williams Jr. and Pete Weber – who led the PBA50 Tour statistical races, claiming the top spots in average, earnings and competition points over the course of the 11-tournament campaign.

Duke, who won two titles in 2014 including the Sun-

presented by Dexter for his first major, joined fellow hall of famer Tom Baker (2005) as the second player to earn the PBA50 Tour's top awards in the same year. Pete Couture, Mark Roth, Wayne Webb and Williams have also won both honors, but not in the same vear. Duke also joined Webb. Williams and Roth as players who have earned both the PBA Tour and PBA50 Tour Player of the Year crowns. In addition to his two victories, Duke had three other top-five finishes in the seven tournaments he entered, including second-place finishes in the Dayton Classic presented by Roto Grip and Pasco County Open to win Player of the Year and Rookie

on points awarded for championship round appearances. He finished second in average (233.63), fourth in competition points (141,226) and fourth in earnings (\$33,940).

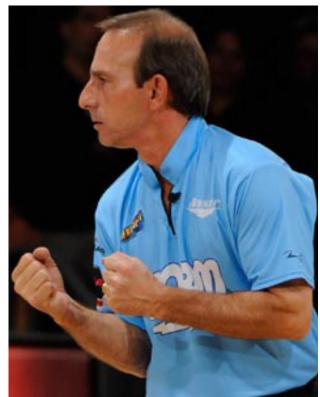
Williams, another twotime winner in 2014 including the USBC Senior Masters for his first PBA50 major title, fell short of his third straight PBA50 Player of the Year title, but he did manage to repeat as earnings (\$45,313) and competition points leader (196,062) for the third consecutive year. He also had eight other top-10 finishes including third-place finishes in the Grants Pass Open presented by Track and Pasco County Open.

Weber, who won one title and had seven other top-10 finishes including runner-up finishes in the Senior U.S. Open and Miller High Life Classic presented by Columbia 300, led the average list for the second year in a row, scoring at a PBA50 Tour-record 234.79 pace for 268 games for a one-plus-pin lead over Duke (233.63). Weber finished second in competition points (178,220) and third in earnings

a record fifth PBA50 Player of the Year crown, also won two titles, but a second-place finish to Williams in the seasonending PBA50 Treasure Island Resort & Casino Open presented by Hammer ended his bid to overtake Duke. Baker, who turns 60 Sept. 12, finished second in earnings (\$37,980), third in competition points (166,737) and ninth in average (226.01).

By virtue of finishing in the top eight in competition points, Williams, Weber, Baker, Duke and four others in the top eight earned paid entries into PBA World Series of Bowling VI and a berth in the PBA50 Tour Finals which will result in a berth for two players in a PBA Challenge telecast on ESPN. Hall of Famers Parker Bohn III and Amleto Monacelli. two-time PBA50 Player of the Year Ron Mohr and three-time PBA50 Tour winner Harry Sullins also qualified for the finals. Those eight will bowl an eight-game round-robin match play event on Friday, Oct. 24, to determine the PBA Challenge finalists.

Adding to his lengthy portfolio of PBA honors, PBA Hall



of Famer and the 1998 PBA50 Rookie of the Year Johnny Petraglia earned Super Senior Player of the Year for players 60 and over as competition points leader among his

60-and-older peers. He had three top-10 finishes including a second-place finish in the PBA50 Dick Weber Super Senior Classic presented by

Johnny Petraglia

#### **ABTA LABOR DAY EVENT AT CAL BOWL AUG. 28-29-30-31** \$5,000 Min 1st to \$14,500 1st with Bonuses

LAKEWOOD — The Labor Day Event will have a separate qualifying board each

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the semis each day. BONUS's if winning the event and qualifying that night are: Thursday night \$500. Squads on Thursday are at

8:30 & 10:00 PM. Friday there is a \$200 BO-NUS if bowling and qualifying on that night, squads at 7:30-9:00 & 10:30 PM.

Saturday there is a \$150 Bonus if bowling and qualifying during the squads at 12:30-2:00-3:30 & 5:00 PM. Saturday squads continue at

6:30-8:00-9:30 & 11:00 PM. The FINAL DAY is Sunday with qualifying squads at 12:30-2:00 & 3:30 PM. The board is finalized after 3:30 pm squad, then a RE ENTRY only at 5:30 PM taking 1 in 7.

You must have previously bowled in the event to bowl the Re-Entry squad.

Semi-Finals are at 7:30 and you can begin to CHECK IN at approximately 6 pm on Sunday, after the Re-Entry squad has begun bowling.

Super Seniors will be added after the final regular squad on Sunday at 3:30 PM.

The Re-Entry Squad 5:30 PM and 3-6-9 and Semi Finals to follow at 7:45PM.

YOU cannot bowl in the Re-Entry Squad unless you have already bowled in the event, as it is a RE-ENTRY.

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# **The Kegler Scratch Match Point Trios League** at Gable House Bowl

TORRANCE — Attention all competitive bowlers! The Kegler Scratch Match Point Trios league starts up again on Tuesday September 9th at Gable House Bowl in Torrance.

The league bowls on a different oil pattern every 3 to 4 weeks, with varying lengths and difficulty levels

We are still looking for individuals and teams to join us. 585 is the team entering max. New bowlers to the league get 15 pins off of their "House Shot" book average.

Gable House has offered to add \$1,000 to the prize fund with a minimum of 8 teams. (We have 8 teams finishing up the Summer session right

If you've bowled a match play format league before, you know how much fun it is. If you haven't, you should join us this season and find out what you've been missing

The league bowls Tuesdays at 7pm, with the league meeting starting at 6:30pm on Sept. 9th. Check out our ad on page 11 for more details. If you have any questions, please drop an e-mail to Kevin Gallagher at Mappag@gmail.com.

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#### **PINS AND PUNS**

...Bowling has been fortunately immune from many natural disasters but recently the Eastern United States had to alter league and tournament activities because earthquakes and a hurricane—all in the same week.

There's an oft told tale about a bowlers in Japan who had a string of strikes and when the final ball was rolled an earthquake hit. All the pins went down but the question remained whether the bowler or the quake caused the final pinfall. Every possible witness had left the building.

...Slow bowling is still a problem in bowling and the pro and high average bowlers take the most time. In most cases they just wait for too many lanes to clear before they bowl. There have been six game blocks of bowling that took longer than it takes to fly across the country. But don't just blame the higher averagers. Many of the lower averagers are busy chatting or watching TV and must be reminded when it is their turn.

Remember, most of the greatest bowlers took little time once they set themselves for trips to the foul line.

...There once was a bowler who was annoyed because every time he was ready to roll his opponent would suddenly cough loudly.

"You cough one more time when I'm about to bowl and I'll punch you out", said the bothered one. There were no more coughs

At the end of the match the would be puncher presented his foe with a bill for \$50.

"What's that for?" said the startled loser.

The winner smiled as he noted, "I cured your cough, didn't I."

...Bowling Halls of Fame, on all levels, are usually criticized of not electing enough persons to their Halls—or too many. What are the extremes in other sports? In women's pro golf in some cases you need 30 titles, while on the flip side the boxing Hall often honors 20 new inductees in a single year. That's what makes Hall of Fame committees so important, figuring out what is best for our particular Hall. The main attribute should be domination in any sport in the years in which you competed. A talent in one era likely would have been a talent in any era.

...A bad tournament bowler is a person who now carries copies of scoresheets where his money used to be.

...Somewhere along the line every great was an unknown. A win or steady stellar performances make an unknown a known. Future success and recognition depends

on future wins. Seldom is there more than a few lucky wins. It is too hard to practice luck.

...Did you ever notice that the bowlers who keep telling other bowlers that it is only a game is always the bowler who is winning.

...A 1914 edition of Spalding's "How To Bowl" advised women bowlers, "A woman should dress properly. A short walking skirt, shirt waist and low heeled shoes make an excellent combination. Every garment should fit loosely, and allow freedom of action to the muscles."

That was good advice nearly 100 years ago—and still is.

...I repeat, how many bowlers who kick the rack, would kick the rack if the rack could kick back? And I wonder what the bowler who kicks the ball return would do if the bowling center owner kicked the bowl-



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#### **FINAL 2014 PBA50 TOUR STATISTICS**

COMPETITION POINTS	Events	Points
1, Walter Ray Williams Jr., Ocala, Fla.	11	196,062
2, Pete Weber, St. Ann, Mo.	9	178,220
3, Tom Baker, King, N.C.	11	166,737
4, Norm Duke, Clermont, Fla.	7	141,226
5, Parker Bohn III, Jackson, N.J.	9	127,703
6, Amleto Monacelli, Venezuela	8	122,012
7, Harry Sullins, Chesterfield Twp., Mich.	10	112,101
8, Ron Mohr, Las Vegas	11	109,007
9, Randy Pedersen, Clermont, Fla.	8	101,024
10, Jack Jurek, Lackawanna, N.Y.	5	100,145
11, Bryan Goebel, Shawnee, Kan.	11	95,956
12, Wayne Webb, Columbus, Ohio	10	89,398
13, Brian Voss, Centennial, Colo.	6	85,004
14, Kenny Parks, Hammond, Ind.	11 10	83,146
15, Mike Dias, Lafayette, Colo.	9	79,869
16, Don Breeden, Clive, Iowa	5	78,788 78,701
17, Mike Edwards, Tulsa, Okla.	8	78,701
18, Darron Peters, Temecula, Calif. 19, Lennie Boresch Jr., Kenosha, Wis.	8	73,240 68,846
20, John Petraglia, Jackson, N.J.	9	58,039
20, John I ettagna, Jackson, IV.J.	7	36,039
AVERAGES (Min. 125 games)	Games	Average
1, Pete Weber, St. Ann, Mo.	268	234.79
2, Norm Duke, Clermont, Fla.	215	233.63
3, Jack Jurek, Lackawanna, N.Y.	164	232.42
4, Walter Ray Williams Jr., Ocala, Fla.	314	232.14
5, Parker Bohn III, Jackson, N.J.	222	231.99
6, Bryan Goebel, Shawnee, Kan.	279	227.77
7, Randy Pedersen, Clermont, Fla.	201	226.44
8, Brian Voss, Centennial, Colo.	194	226.03
9, Tom Baker, King, N.C.	310	226.01
10, Amleto Monacelli, Venezuela	216	225.84
11, Don Breeden, Clive, Iowa	199	225.82
12, Harry Sullins, Chesterfield Twp, Mich	. 263	225.60
13, Ron Mohr, Las Vegas	278	224.95
14, Kenny Parks, Hammond, Ind.	269	223.17
15, Mike Edwards, Tulsa, Okla.	157	222.29
16, Mike Dias, Lafayette, Colo.	205	221.14
17, Wayne Webb, Columbus, Ohio	233	221.00
18, John Petraglia, Jackson, N.J.	172	220.66
19, Lennie Boresch Jr., Kenosha, Wis.	203	219.98
20, Kevin Croucher, Grants Pass, Ore.	163	219.29
EARNINGS	Titles	Total
1, Walter Ray Williams Jr., Ocala, Fla.	2	\$45,313
2, Tom Baker, King, N.C.	2	\$37,980
3, Pete Weber, St. Ann, Mo.	1	\$35,145
4, Norm Duke, Clermont, Fla.	2	\$33,940
5, Jack Jurek, Lackawanna, N.Y.	1	\$25,155
6, Amleto Monacelli, Venezuela	1	\$23,560
7, Parker Bohn III, Jackson, N.J.	1	\$22,290
8, Harry Sullins, Chesterfield Twp., Mich.	0	\$19,198
9, Ron Mohr, Las Vegas	0	\$18,842
10, Brian Voss, Centennial, Colo.	0	\$15,795
11, Randy Pedersen, Clermont, Fla.	0	\$15,750
12, Wayne Webb, Columbus, Ohio	0	\$15,034
13, Mike Dias, Lafayette, Colo.	1	\$14,995
14, Bryan Goebel, Shawnee, Kan.	0	\$14,455
15, Kenny Parks, Hammond, Ind.	0	\$13,895
16, Mike Edwards, Tulsa, Okla.	0	\$13,150
17, Don Breeden, Clive, Iowa	0	\$11,255
18, Lennie Boresch Jr., Kenosha, Wis.	0	\$10,195
19, Dale Eagle, Laguna Niguel, Calif.	0	\$10,030
20, Darron Peters, Temecula, Calif.	0	\$10,025

#### PBA50 CAREER EARNINGS (as of Aug. 15, 2014) (Includes PBA50 Tour and PBA50 Regional earnings)

	Titles	Earnings
1, Dave Soutar, Bradenton, Fla.	7	\$586,370
2, Gene Stus, Taylor, Mich.	11	\$522,885
3, Dale Eagle, Laguna Niguel, Calif.	12	\$504,833
4, Gary Dickinson, Edmond, Okla.	12	\$499,345
5, John Handegard, Nacogdoches, Texas	14	\$455,788
6, Teata Semiz, Hopatcong, N.J.	8	\$453,933
7, Ron Winger, Las Vegas	5	\$445,583
8, John Hricsina, Franklin, Pa.	7	\$438,437
9, Pete Couture, Titusville, Fla.	9	\$429,712
10, Tom Baker, King, N.C.	12	\$392,895
11, Robert Glass, Lawrence, Kan.	9	\$350,003
12, Roger Workman, Kenova, W. Va.	3	\$344,877
13, John Petraglia, Jackson, N.J.	8	\$298,145
14, Bob Chamberlain, The Villages, Fla.	4	\$275,140
15, Dave Davis, Murphy, N.C.	5	\$269,636
16, James Brenner, Bettendorf, Iowa	3	\$266,250
17, Dick Weber, St. Louis	6	\$255,398
18, George Pappas, Charlotte, N.C.	2	\$239,003
19, Timothy Kauble, Marion, Ohio	1	\$234,437
20. Steve Neff, Homosassa Springs, Fla.	6	\$226,850

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# **NATIONAL DEAF BOWLING NEWS**

by Connie Marchione

#### SO. CAL DEAF TRAVELING STARTS ITS 55TH SEASON SEPT. 7 AT KEYSTONE 1 PM

NORWALK — To start its 55th year Southern California Deaf Traveling League had only 14 bowlers attending it's Sunday afternoon meeting at Keystone Lanes. That number along with 3 others wanting to bowl in but could not attend the meeting, makes 17, enough for the league to continue it's 2014-2015 season with six teams of trios. Although the one team with a bowler short will have to find a bowler to fill in as soon as possible.

In this meeting all three officers, President Ed Abakumoff, Vice-President Sharon Caldwell and Secretary-treasurer Bob Taylor were re-elected for another term without opposition. Also a proposal to allow normal bowlers of deaf member-parents with sign language ability to join as members was passed to start next year.

The 16 bowling dates and sweepstakes date were selected for the 2014-2015 season along with the 8 selected bowling centers, each to travel two times to during the season. This travel season begins with Keystone Lanes on Sunday September 7 at 1:00 PM.

Earlier in the meeting Vice-President Caldwell notified the members the shocking news that the bowling husband and wife members, Andy and Anita Lorenzo will not be with us. Recently during this summer Anita under went surgery for cancer and presently going through chemotherapy. This came as a surprise and the members prayed and wish her a speedy recovery.

Andy Lorenzo is a staunch long time league member and his wife Anita is a great addition as a member not so long ago. The league misses them and hopes they will return when Anita gets well.

This Traveling league needs one deaf or hearing-impaired bowler with 140 or better average. One with interest to join please contact League President Ed Abakumoff on internet, Abakumoff@aol.com right way before Sunday Sept.7.

### **Pennant Chases in Random Places**

ANAHEIM — Recently when bowling a tournament on a Sunday, I wandered into the lounge to see if they had the Angels game on one of the TVs. I found 4 TVs in the lounge, all of which were showing a pre-season football game. I politely asked the bartender if it would be possible to get ONE of the TVs switched to the Angels game. She answered nicely that the person at the front desk controls all the TVs. Great. So I strolled over to the desk and asked the attendant if he could please put the Angels game on one of the TVs in the lounge. His response: "Ummmmmm, let me check." He disappears.

I go back to my lanes and leave another 10-pin with my ball that is smudged black from the pin setting equipment, miss it, and go back to my post on the concourse. After about 10 minutes pass, I go back to the lounge (which is boiling hot, AC is not working) and find the same pre-season football game on all 4 TVs. Back to the desk. The guy says "Yes it's on" after checking his small screen behind the front desk. I go back to the lounge and find the same pre-season football game on all 4 TVs. At this point I give up and just check the score on my phone or on the 5-inch screen perched behind the front desk. After all, the Angels are in a pennant race with the best record in baseball at this point. No need to watch, right? Pre-season football is way more important, correct?

Fast forward to Monday evening and I go out to dinner with my better half. We walk in and get seated near the lounge where we can see the TVs. After I sit down I scan the lounge area and look at 5 TVs as I'm trying to spot the Angels game. What do I see? Another pre-season football game being shown on all 5 TVs scattered across the lounge area. Are you kidding me? Now I'm just laughing at the situation. Both establishments I speak of are in cities that border Orange County. It's not like I'm in Porterville asking to see a southern California first place baseball team play. The last time I checked, Los Angeles didn't even have a football team.

Why do I have to watch PRE-SEASON football when we have a pennant race heating up? I can't imagine how difficult it would be to see the Angels if the "other" team was being broadcast on all cable networks. Instead of complaining to corporate about the bowling center or the restaurant, I decided to vent to my fellow bowlers. Go Halos!

Verdugo Bowler



August 30th

Check in: 12:00pm

Triple Challenge Tournament

1/t Game Regular 2nd Game 9 Pin No-Tap 3rd Game 8 Pin No-Tap

Singles Event

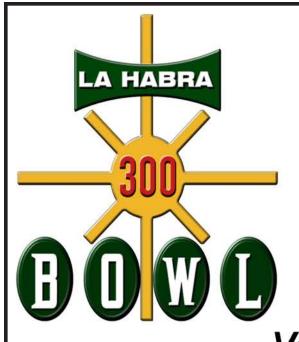
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**SEPTEMBER. 01, 2014** 

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(July 19 Oak Tree Lanes begins the 6 events)

Thursday, Aug. 28: \$600 BONUS 8:30pm &

Friday, Aug. 29: \$200 BONUS 7:30pm, 9pm

& 10:30pm Saturday, Aug. 30: 12:30pm, 2pm, 3:30pm,

5pm, 6:30pm, 8pm, 9:30pm & 11pm

Sunday, Aug. 31: 12:30pm, 2pm, 3:30pm

(Final Regular Squad)

5:30pm is Re-EntrySquad Only

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# **Jamescart Alarcio Wins Five Matches For His First ABTA Championship**

Wendy Soo Hoo Bowls 470 for \$3,745 Match Series 3-6-9 will be \$3,000 • Match Game est. at \$5,000 • Match Series est. at \$3,750 ABTA at Cal Bowl for Annual Labor Day Event Starts Thursday Night

WEST COVINA —We returned to West Covina Lanes where 246 bowlers came out for a great day of bowling. 151 bowlers showed up for the final squad at 6 pm. Optiona Side Pots paid 3 places Handicap \$325 (\$125, \$105, and \$95). The cut scores were +88 for the men and +64 for the women. The Super Seniors added to the board (two men and one woman) Ben Bagaoisan at +85, Manny Loria at +83. For the women it was Wendy Soo Hoo +41. Super seniors are men 63 and over, and for the women you just need be a young 55. That would give us 53 bowlers making it to the semi-finals, to cash and/ or go on and win the event.

High qualifiers for the tournament were Sol Ceri- $\cos$  for the men with a +199. For the women it was Angela Lung with a +125. They will get a paid entry into a future regular ABTA event.

As customary, our high qualifier drew the Match Series number which was 470. We had one lucky bowler who matched that score, Wendy Soo Hoo!!, She takes home the \$3,745 dollars, nice going Wendy!! We will estimate the pot at \$3,000 at Cal Bowl.

Memo Rosales was the last person left to go for the 3-6-9 pot, missed on his second shot, and received a \$50 consolation. Since it is not broken, 3-6-9 stays at \$3,000, with the backup pot at \$1,900.

In our optional doubles, in first were Sol Cericos and Stan Por with a 1588 for \$190. Finishing in second place was Du Quach and Jo Jo Barcelona with a 1486 for \$180. There was a total of \$2,600 paid out in doubles. 36 paid spots with low to cash of 1399. In our Mystery

doubles, we paid out eleven escart Alarcio. It was a close places. Finishing in first was Sol Cericos and John Armenia with a 505 for \$120. Total paid out was \$650 with a low score of 478.

During the semi-finals, Vuong Do started with a 289 first game. He did not stop there and continued to bowl good. After three games it was him leading the field with a +180. In second was Marife Catalasan with a +156. The low for the men was +103 and for the women it was +42. Top Seed Vuong had the honor of drawing the Match Game worth \$1,735. Vuong drew a 208. After a review of all the scores bowled, we had NO ONE match that score and will carry the pot over to Cal Bowl where it is estimated at \$5,000.

This would bring us to our top 16 Match Play finals. In the first round, the seven losers were Giang Huynh, Du Quach, Stanley Tam, Anthony Borci, Memo Rosales, Samson Kong, and Stan Por. Each will get \$105. In the second round, the four losers were Leslie Gabriel, Annaliza Agoncillo, Dennis Kelsey, and Sean Nguon with each of them getting checks of

In the third round, it was Jo Jo Barcelona and Will Samson finishing fourth and fifth for \$120. In the semifinal match, it was Jamescart Alarcio vs Marifee Catalasan for a chance to advance to the title match and face top qualifier Vuong Do. It was close all the way down to the end. It was Jamescart that would advance with a 260 to 242 win and be the horse winner for \$142 with Marifee Catalasan finishing in 3rd place for \$205.

The title game was set with the top qualifier Vuong Do vs the eleventh seed Jam-

match, but in the end, it was Vuong who could not hit this pair at all, and Jamescart would go on to win his 1st ABTA championship with a 164/212 to 175/200. Jamescart took home \$1,000 for the victory and an additional \$1,600 for Cash and Carry for a total of \$2,600. Vuong would take home \$500 for his second place finish.

Champion Jamescart Alarcio, who is one of our avid weekly supporters lives in Pomona and used a Lane-1 drilled by ABTA Member Memo Rosales. He is single, and would like to thank God for all His blessings, his parents, brother for their support and West Covina Lanes. He would like to encourage other bowlers to bowl ABTA the BEST tournament club.

A special thanks for all the cheers for his 1st win, which is very special to him. Jamescart is surely One of the Good Guys! He is a softspoken complete gentleman who is liked by all. He let his bowling speak loudly Saturday Eve in his first ABTA win. Great Bowling by a very nice Man.

Runner-up Vuong Do is from Anaheim and used a 900 G;pba; Network, drilled by Ben Mach at Westminster Lanes. He is single but taken by a pretty ABTA member Julie. He would like to thank his family, Ben Mach, Julie, and all his friends at ABTA.

Third Place was Marife Catalasan who is from Long Beach and used a Hammer Flare drilled also by Ben Mach. She is married to another one of our fine bowlers Tres Catalasan, a Tough Guy, who is back to bowling after breaking his leg in a motorcycle accident a few months ago. They have three chil-



first ABTA Title in Fine Style at West Covina Lanes. A nice \$2,600 payday for the Humble Gentleman. (L-R) are Will Samson 4th \$125, Vuong Do Runnerup \$500, Jamescart Alarciao (Champion) \$2,600, Marife Catalasan 3rd \$200 and Bob Smith ABTA Tournament Director.

Aimee. She would like to thank Tito Alan for giving her the ball, her number one supporter Tres, the Eguilos, Cunanans, Josfats, Agoncillos, and a special thanks to her family for all their sup-

The winner of the Sponsor ball from 900 Global was Ray Gaunt. The raffle winners this week were Louis Evans and Tres Catalsan for \$10 brackets, Tomas Chavez won a 900 Global Ball, Pablo Castro won a Regular Entry, and winner of the Labor Day entry was Lucky Willie Parawan.

This Weekend—4 Days -Aug. 28-29-30-31, Thursday thru Sunday Night. We visit the popular Cal Bowl for our Annual Labor Day event worth a possible \$14,500 with Bonuses. Squads start on Thursday night at 8:30 pm with final squad at 10 pm.

Friday there are squads starting at 7:30 pm with the final squad at 10:30 pm. Saturday starts at 12:30 pm with the final squad at 11 pm. Sunday, we have squads at 12:30 pm, 2 pm, and the final regular squad at 3:30 pm. The board is frozen afterward with 1 in 7 taken to semis. There is one re-entry squad at 5:30 pm, which is a separate board. Semis start at dren and one granddaughter, approximately 7:30 pm.

CAL Bowl is located at 2500 Carson easily accessed from the 605, 91 or 405 freeways. The Phone there is 562-421-8448. You can check our website (www. abta1.com) for schedule and

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\$5,500 for first place and up to \$14,500 with bonuses at this event, starting on August 28 and finishing on August 31. See flyer on our website or Facebook page.

The following week Sept. 6 we visit Chaparral Lanes in San Dimas. ONE DAY!

Its history folks as Jamescart Alarcio enters the archives as our latest cham-

Thank you for being an ABTA member!

# **ABTA**

#### West Covina Lanes - August 23rd



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10	Anthony Jilek Du Quach /	1459	\$110.00
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13	Samson Kong Anthony Jilek /	1452	\$90.00
14	Chris Marquez Angela Lung /	1450	\$80.00
	Du Quach	1445	\$80.00
15	Henry Sanchez / Marvin Crowder	1437	\$70.00
16	Memo Rosales / Jason R. Fowler	1437	\$70.00
17	Stanley Tam /		
18	Samson Kong Dennis Kelsey /	1432	\$60.00
	Marvin Crowder	1426	\$60.00
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FINANCIAL REPORT CUT SCORES: Men: + 88 Women: + 6 SUPER SENIORS: Wendy Soo Hoo (41), Ben Bagaoisan (85), Manny Loria (83) High Qualifer (Free Entry) Men: Sol Cericos +199 Men: Sol Cericos +199
Women: Angela Lung +125
3 - 6 - 9: Memo Rosales
Match Game:208 - NO WINNER
Match Series: 470 - Wendy Soo-Hoo
RAFFLE WINNERS Sponsor Ball Labor Day Entry 900 Global Ball Ray Gaunt Willie Parawan Tomas Chavez Pablo Castro

\$10 Brackets Louis Evans Prize Fund 246 \$5.545.50 Paid Entries 24 @ 57 Optional Sidepots Doubles \$1,368.00 \$1,561.00 Mystery Doubles Match Series Cash & Carry 3-6-9 Shirt & Trophy Total Payout

\$33,167,50

Regular Entry \$10 Brackets



TWO PROUD PARENTS FOR SURE AT ABTA

Marina Vallejos and Art Ouzenian are the proud parents of Abigail Rose Ouzenian. This Beautiful Girl was Born August 9th, she is two weeks old in the picture, our newest ABTA member! Art has been ABTA member many years, a past Champion and One of the Good Guys. He and Marina deserve to be proud! Good Luck to all, God Bless.



Send The Money!! Wendy Hits Match Series - 470 for \$3,745! Wendy Soo Hoo's score was drawn by Hi Qualifier Sol Cericos. The LUCKY lady got a nice \$3,745 for her 470 Series. She is most deserving and an ABTA Regular! Congrats!

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# CHUCK PALMER INSPIRES

fection is complete. Chuck Palmer has rolled a perfect game. Chuck Palmer has bowled his first 300 as his 80th birthday ap-

Mr. Palmer started bowling at the age of nineteen and has been plying the lanes ever since. YES by golly, Chuck has been bowling since mid 20th century. YES by gee, Chuck started bowling when General Eisenhower was President. YES by gum, Chuck has been a kegler since gasoline was 27 cents a gallon! His long journey has INSPIRED family and friends, especially his comeback after leg and ankle surgery.

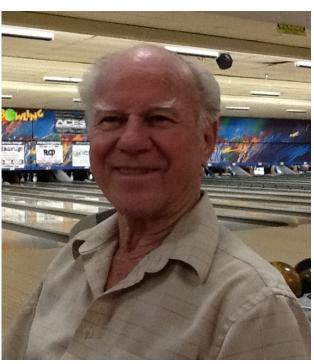
Chuck was introduced to "THE GREATEST SPORT IN THE WORLD" as a high school pin boy in Flint, Michigan over six decades ago. He set pins for free, working for tips. FREE, TIPS only, wow! I am surprised because he deserved at least the TEN CENTS a game I was paid for setting them up in 1960. Chuck never bowled when he was setting pins, waiting until he settled in the Golden State.

Palmer moved to California after graduating from high school. He came alone and lived with his sister while working for Houston Fearless Sheet Metal Company for 90 cents an hour. He worked hard and soon was able to purchase a black 1949 Mercury convertible. That Mercury was "hot." It was streamlined and boasted broad band white wall tires and was fast to boot. It played a big part in his becoming a bowler and winning the heart of future wife Nita. Why? Because in California back then a young man needed a gas driven chariot to bowl and to date.

It all started with bowling. Chuck wanted to date Nita and Nita's family bowled. So Chuck joined her family bowling, just for fun. Bowling was his avenue to Nita. Bowling was the avenue to winning her heart. His bowling story is a LOVE STORY.

Chuck, Nita and the in-laws bowled at Boardway Bowl in Santa Monica. It was a ten lane center at a time when many centers only had four lanes. A time when lanes were alleys and alleys were made of real wood.

Since those dating days Chuck and Nita have been bowlers. Over the years Chuck developed into a scratch bowler with a smooth accurate stroke. He still averages in the 190s, though he is entering his eighth decade. He prefers using older bowling balls, especially his Brunswick Nexxus. He told me the newer balls are too aggressive. Palmer prefers balls he is familiar with and can be controlled at the back end.



Chuck Palmer

Chuck was knocked out of bowling several years ago after breaking his leg and ankle. His injuries were so serious it looked like he would never bowl again. THANK GOD for the doctors at the UCLA Ronald Reagan Medical Center. They developed the ankle replacement procedure that allowed Palmer to bowl again. Chuck was one of the first to have an ankle replaced and may be the first to bowl on a replaced ankle. He has been working on his game since surgery and is now back to scratch scoring.

Chuck's hard work has paid off. Bowling on a new ankle and with a rejuvenated game he recently bowled his first perfect game. Tremendous story, unbelievable and inspiring to me and all who know Chuck. The perfecto was rolled in the Guy Johnson 565 Senior Scratch League and witnessed by President PHIL GALVEZ.

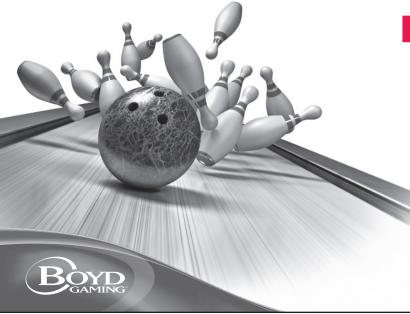
CHUCK PALMER INSPIRES. His story from injury to perfection is inspirational. His comeback from down and out to scratch bowler is inspirational. His love story, from loner to family man is inspirational. CHUCK PALMER INSPIRES.



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# Visalia's Chuck Lavinder Emerges as Third Champion of Central Valley Masters Tournament

BAKERSFIELD — The Central Valley Masters (CVM) Tournament Club held their third handicap tournament on Sunday, August 17, at Regency Lanes. With another \$1,000 up for grabs for winning the event and an excellent showing of competitors in the past two events, the bowlers again came out to compete including both past champions, Matt Jones and Dan Long.

The CVM committee decided to try something different with this tournament and offer an Optional Doubles event as well.

The first qualifying squad saw an elated Nickolai Loredo of Fresno, bowl a 300 which not only secured him a spot to advance but he won a new bowling ball (courtesy of The Bowlers Edge Pro Shop) and \$100 (courtesy of Regency Lanes)! Bakersfield's Craig Dowd bowled a 299 game as well in this squad.

The tournament drew 85 entries. And the excitement was in the air as the Top 16 advanced to a single elimination bracket final and the two prior champions rose to the top. But, the day belonged to Chuck Lavinder as he became the event champion. The Handicap Doubles event was won by the team of Carlie Medina III & Sean Ambrose. Medina also won the Optional Singles Scratch Series with his 816.

The CVM is now working on their next event which will take place the weekend of October 4-5 and will be a 2-day tournament that will be held at Regency Lanes. This is also the weekend of the 8th annual Don Glover Masters and the intent is to give bowlers from all over the state an opportunity at not one but two tournaments in Bakersfield that weekend. CVM is even going to up their first place guarantee to \$2,000 and guarantee second at \$1,000 for this big weekend! For further information, email CVM at info@centralvalleymasters.com, like them on Facebook or contact Rick at (559) 202-9987. Mark this weekend on your calendar now to be in Bakersfield for bowling!



Chuck Lavinder (L) receives Central Valley Masters trophy from John Curtis, CVM Director (R)

#### **Central Valley Masters Tournament Results**

1st - Chuck Lavinder, Visalia (\$1000)

2nd - Chris Gregory, Bakersfield (\$550) 3rd - Dan Long, Bakersfield (\$400)

4th – Matt Jones, Winnetka (\$250

5th – Mike Curtis, Bakersfield (\$200)

6th - Nickolai Loredo, Fresno (\$150)

7th – Diz Francisco, Bakersfield (\$130) 8th – John Curtis, Bakersfield (\$100)

9th - Carlie Medina III, Bakersfield (\$95)

10th – Tim Henson, Bakersfield (\$90)

11th - Robby Britton, Fresno (\$85)

12th - Kiel Jordan, Fresno (\$80)

13th – Jeff Ellington, Bakersfield (\$75)

14th - Stephanie Sanders, Bakersfield (\$70)

15th - Darin Fox, Bakersfield (\$65)

16th - Sean Ambrose, Bakersfield (\$60)

**Optional Singles Scratch Series** 1st - Carlie Medina III (816) \$200

2nd – Dan Long (\$95)

3rd – Diz Francisco (\$75)

4th – Sean Ambrose (\$65) **Optional Handicap Doubles** 

1st – Carlie Medina III & Sean Ambrose (\$300)

2nd – Chris Gregory & John Curtis (\$160)

3rd – Dan Long & Matt Jones (\$100)

4th - Ed Eguia, Fresno & Nickolai Loredo (\$80)



Carlie Medina III and Sean Ambrose (r) Congratulations to Central Valley Masters Champion Chuck Lavinder for winning the event Aug. 17 at Regency. Congratulations to Carlie Medina III who was the scratch champion as well as won the Doubles with Sean Ambrose.

#### Winnetka **Bowl**

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WINNETKA — Congratulations to all the league champions of the Summer Leagues that have ended. Time sure went by fast and I'm sure it will feel that way with the Fall Leagues. Thank you supporting Winnetka Bowl (formerly Canoga Park Bowl) and welcome to the new bowlers.

River Maniacs: Johnnie Englehart 269/785, Elizabeth Fonvergne 269/687, Jeremy Pearson "300"/762, Vince Koeller 770, Louis Fonvergne 277/741, David Abaraba 282/736, Monise Kelly 258/647, Lucy Tralla 206/577, Marsha Martinez 514, Rosie Bates 496, Scott Englehart 262.

Comedians: Our league champs, Team #7, Bob Husby, Mike Mignogna, Sam Mannino, Ben Markofsky, William Tidemanson. Michael Pollack 270/694, Erica Pollack 234/624, Ray Stoy 236/644, Russ Gothrick 622, Andrew Ibrahim 232/611, William Tidemanson 610, Ellen Eckard 208/557, Susie Rothenberg 523, Michelle Jones 440, Irma Giles 438, Michael Mughadai 246, Christopher Ibrahim 234.

**500 Classic:** League champs, Team #5, Farol Brifman, Pat Peskin and Candy Adams. Petra Kaun 233/585, Farol Brifman 202/559, Connie Wannomae 199/548, Cindy Dominguez 546, Teresita Avila 522, Jeanne Ehlers 200, Ursula Bronner 199.

SFVCC Nikkei: Sweeper Scores—Gary Yamamoto 236/689, Noriko Fukunaga 266/613, Tak Kokubo 254/659, Shoji Takeshima 245/640, Yuki Matsuba 225/584, Stan Date 223/577, Sandra Yamamoto 244/605, Tami Shiotani 219/594, Laurel Nakamoto 453, Kyoko Watanabe 412. Fall League starts Sep-

#### **SENIORS**

The Senior Leagues have ended and we congratulate the league champs. Now to get that ball polished and ready for the Fall Season.

49'Ers: League champs, Team #11, "Lucky Shots", Curtis Litzenberger, Kathy Litzenberger, Les Charbonneau. David Folck 280/700, Carolyn Scherzberg 240/594, Curtis Litzenberger 222/614, Tom Tucker 603, Richard Greenzweight 600, Philip Lanni 234/587, Barbara Vaccarello 192/510, Temmy Walker 501, Mary Lauer 484, Delia Lowe 483, Rick Dobris 256, Michael Chaney 224.

Funtimers: League champs, Team #7, "3 Odd Balls", Ellie Alliston, Richard Alliston, Richard Greenzweight. Bill Robb 245/648, Carolyn Scherzberg 212/608, Richard Greenzweight 229/641, Mel Neiditch 608, Ron Doll 221/606, Al Reiswig 605, Connie Wannomae 196/525, Karen McDonald 503, Liz Rogers 500, Carole Peire 450, Bernhardt Roth 231, Michael

39'Ers: League champs, Team #2, "LAMODE", Elvera Deonik, Mary Moheban, Philip Lanni. Richard Greenzweight 237/642, Carolyn Scherzberg 228/602, Larry George (LH) 630, Jerry Kanowitz 244/620, Ron Doll 241/626, Al Reiswig 244/613, Helen Layfield 200/521, Mary Lauer 512, Carole Peire 510, Edie Goldberg 202/493, Philip Lanni 242.

Again we congratulate all the champions of the Summer Leagues. If you haven't signed-up for a Fall League do it now... you don't want to be left out.



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# **Got An Interesting Story About Bowling or Bowlers?**

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# **Los Angeles Senate Battle of the Sexes Tournament**

NORWALK — On Saturday, September 6, 2014, the Los Angeles Senate of TNBA will be hosting their annual Battle of the Sexes Fund-raiser and Bragging Rights tournament in Norwalk

This tournament will feature 24 men's teams against 24 women's teams to determine who will win the Battle of the Sexes! Each team will consist of 4 bowlers of the same sex and after three games of bowling the top men's team will matched against the highest scoring women's team for a special two game roll of to determine who will be crowned the champion along with the \$1,000 top prize the loosing team won't loose too much receiving \$500 (based on 48 team entries). additional

The entry fee is only \$35 per bowler and there will be tons of side action to participate in as well. Side pots, Round Robin Sweepstakes, Team Eliminator, Brackets, as well as Bill Rhodman win-a-spots. The check in is 10:00 am and bowling begins at 11:30am Please call to get your team in otherwise you may be left out as this tournament has sold out for the last few years! For more information see the ad in this weeks paper or contact Dewann Clark @ 310-846-4590.

# TNBA **High Competition League**

TORRANCE —As the winter season is about to begin .... consider joining the most exciting and highest pay off ratio league in all of southern California! The High Competition Doubles League - a 100% TNBA participation league.

We have made special arrangements with AMF Bowl-O-Drome to co-sponsor our league and they will be contributing an excess of \$12,000 to the prize fund (based on 48 teams of doubles) We will be paying out whopping \$10,000 (or \$5,000 each) to the first place doubles team and \$600 minimum to the last place doubles team.

Most leagues don't pay their league champions \$300 each and that will be the minimum for 48th place! For more information please see the ad in this weeks paper or either contact Dewann Clark @ 310-846-4590 or Necole Johnson @ 562-728-7210 ASAP.

Team spots will be held on a first come first served with deposit basis with a maximum of 48

The deadline for team rosters is September 1st! League meeting and start date will be Thursday, September 11th at 6:30/7:30 respectfully. So don't be left out and sign up now!

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Meeting Thurs 9/11/14 @6:30pm

League Starts 9/11/14 @ 7:30pm

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- 7:30 starting time (miss traffic, & finish at a decent time)
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- 420 team max (reasonable even for super high averager)
- 32 Weeks, 4 round, 8 weeks/round
- Round winners receive bonus \$ for each round
- Round winners guaranteed a top 5 position
- Win multiple rounds finish even higher in top 5!
- Top 5 teams roll off for grand finale winner
- league will be either a 24 tm or up to 48 teams
- If over 24 teams, each doubles tm will be pared up to form a fantasy 4some for additional prize \$
- \$12,000+ added to prize \$ by Bowl-O-Drome

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LAKEWOOD — Let's take a look at this week's Cal Bowl Bowling Report and see who the champions are of the Summer Leagues. We congratulate all the winning teams!

Corona Ladies: Diana Howard 540, Lorie Rienstra 507, Shirley Dohrman 503, Caroline Stewart 197/496, Dianne Gardner 494, Anita Anglin 480, Georgia Vail 477. Side-pot winners—Game One: Dianne Gardner/Audrey Louis 214; Game Two: Kay Lockhart/Terry Terrazas 180; Game Three: Caroline Stewart 228.

**Practice:** Dennis Ingram 621, Matt Ceballos 393, Laura Ceballos 520.

Big Bear: Champions, "Y'All Listen Good" won by one game! Mark Fowler 269/696, Ken Seiple Jr. 256/665, Billy Anderson 258/664, Jimmy Hamilton 242/662, Ed Cabs 658, Chris McIntosh 236/655, Emmerson Wafer 651, Al Fagafa 651, Chris Slack 249/645, David Patterson 623, Sid Nakagawa 248/622, Robert Cervantes 258/612, Todd Cary 605, Michelle Criswell 242/641, Joyce Charles 213/628, Debra Gipson 210/579, Ella Wilson 570, Allisen Sutton 231/559, Cathy Anderson 543, Janalee Hagan 531.

**Grandma's/Grandpa's:** Tight at the top! Or a "possible" tie with "Betty and the Boys". Figure that one out. Billy Williams 219/594, James Kennard 225/580, Jim Lewis 213/531, Chuck Ashton 491, Donna May 197/506, Mattie Wylie 491.

Mega Vegas Sunday: James Talley 256/740, B.J. Harlan 258/716, Clarence Wynne 244/628, Ronald Fortune 624, Carlos Mejia 587, Corey Bonner 585, Roland Cousins 206/542, Michelle Allen 487.

**Fil-Am Bowlers:** Rick Llaneta 289/730, Bob Selner 279/673, Rudy Tumaneng 257/665, Randy Antazo 234/658, James Borillo 245/650, Chris Abing 238/642, Royce Angeles 629, Joe Knapp 233/618, David Burchman 606, Jojo Jasmin 246/600, Jean Colian 207/581, Shirley Owens 216/534, Emily Burchman 516.

**Laughlin Bowler Bears:** George Parker 246/692, Paul Wells 215/593, Jonathan Gale 230/591, B.J. Harlan 236/577, Steve Brode 208/573, Jaime Grabinski 226/570, Cindy Radcliffe 476.

Vegas Crackpots: Carl Stokes 256/675, Mario Hull 227/663, Alwyn Woods Sr. 248/652, Sean Lemon 232/631, Brandon Owens 225/631, Bobby Prince 233/626, Billy Williams 247/621, Ronald Lewis 608, Nate Williams 225/608, James Kennard 597, Ellen Myers 223/619, Allisen Sutton 222/619, Teka Williams 539.

Young At Heart: "Chosen Ones" are league champs by one! Bob Sneed 245/649, Ed Hansen 236/645, Willie Burkhalter 226/626, Walter Milsap 234/626, Al Fagafa 221/618, Ellis Houston 585, Frances Walker 196/547, Mary Smyth 500.

**Recycled Teens:** Boylee Inocente 204/591, Jojo Jasmin 238/584, Jim Burke 567, Ralph Montgomery 224/564, Ed Palma 201/548, Ken Seiple Sr. 201/540, Wil Panton 200/540, Divina Buhay 185/509, Lillie Darden 502.

Pin Heads: Greg Kelly 255/638, Chuck Appleberry 211/567, Don Louis 204/563, Bruce Brown 528, Barneisha Hull 235/600, Stacy Kelly 210/554, Pamela Johnson 471.

Kings and Queens: Emmerson Wafer 298/757, Curtis McCann 268/698, Jerry Cant Jr. 246/689, Gerald Williams 276/684, Alton Arnold 246//667, Matt Mosley 275/665, George Harper 618, Nathaniel Hampton 607, Michelle Criswell 268/631, Bridgette Wade 232/604, Annette Smith 213/593, Della Douglass 201/549, Carolyn Jones 211/549, Donna Owens 523.

Senior Men's Trio: Curt Soares 267/734, Herman Ferguson 268/733, Ed Cabs 255/707, Chuck Blais 256/707, Walter Milsap 697, Ray Staten 259/697, Boylee Inocente 687, Larry Gray 683, Jacob Culpepper 262, Ray Staten 259, Dion Morris Sr. 258, Sonny Dew 256.

Alley Oops!: Paul Wells 491, Julie Grabinski 505, Shirley Davis 430, Teresa Mortensen 313. Side-pot winners—Game One: Linda Watkins 251; Game Two: Suzi Hoffman 238; Game Three: Linda Watkins 239.

**Cal Bowleros:** Annie Maae 556, Cathy Wyatt 539, Jessica Antes 213/536, Carole Fischer 520, Bheth Alcayde 515. Side-pot winnrs—Game One: Marie Collier 219; Game Two: Jessica Antes 213; Game Three: Cathy Wyatt 241.

Cal-Mega Vegas-Tues.: Edward Newby "300"/740, Ivan Clarke 267/684, Le'Star Walker 269/671, Terrance Allen 258/661, Rick Vieville 233/638, James Lesure 234/631, Eric Motschwiller 235/624, Clarence Wynne 244/604, Marcel 225/595, Alex Robles 225/592, Nickey Jennings 224/541, Cecily Fong 523, Brenda Doss 507, Kathy Johnson 210/505, Della Walker 506.

Sierra Bugs: Shonna Hernandez 213/580, Cathy Wyatt 484. Side-pot winners—Game One: Mattie Wylie 225; Game Two: Joann MacKnight 175; Game Three: Debbie Christensen 212.

Marcus Lemons Vegas Outlaws: Vern Adams 265/770, Lorenzo Spencer 267/762, Jello Gray 268/751, Emmerson Wafer 279/736, Paul Staff 707, Mike Villarreal 278/692, Amodd Christian 269/675, Marquita Ferrette 249/682, Phylissia Smith 618, Diann Donaldson 247/612, Crystal Barker 245/591, LaJeana Harris 220, Felecia Tripp 220/583.

Funsters: B.J. 235/665, Fred Guray 242/634, James Kennard 224/625, Ed Brown 243/621, Al Fagafa 220/616, Tim Lafarga 227/598, Horace Kinney 249/598, Joe Herrera 596, Linda Kinney 200/550, Christy Estimo 531, Danna VanHorn 508, Luz Cruz 505, Gladys Karson 502. Side-pot winners—Men: Game One: Fred Guray 262; Game Two: Ed Brown 243; Game Three: B.J. 239.Women: Game One: Mattie Wylie 263; Game Two: Danne VanHorn 182; Game Three: Linda Kinny 240.

#### JUNIORS

(High Scratch Series)

Classifieds: Semaj Lewis 512, Chris Borillo 460, Shavon Love 526.

Mini-Bees: Mason Dropkin 128, Jackson Tyner 121, Genasis Flores 60.

**Bobcats:** Nolan Fox 426, Nick DeLucca 383, Anthony DeLucca 375, Kameron Agulto 364, Kevin Tate 351, Jaylen Hornback 345, Rian Fitzgerald 312, Amon Todd 304, Allyson Wallace 369, Chloe Spiegel 364, Latasha Love 316, Maggie Mariani 280, Natalie Ahumada 222, Jasmine Higgins 159.

**Happy Rollers Too:** Pamela Okamoto 323, Sheryl Murray 282, Mary Piaschick 252.

**Happy Rollers Forever:** Mark Algiers 413, Travis Jenkin 394, Mike Hallstrom 381, Wanda Kinard 367, Diane Mallett 333. Cheryl Demaree 326.

Adult Youth Match Point: Adults—Don Kennedy 584, Matt Mesa 582, Ricko Dyczewski 558, Janet Love 457, Maria Kennedy 383. Youth—Semaj Lewis 556, Alan Hicks 444, Christian Borillo 436, Shavon Love 530, Lindsey Dyczewski 464, Morgan Kennedy 380.

Have a great week of bowling!



# Pickwick Bowl 921 Riverside Dr. Burbank, CA 91506

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BURBANK — This month I have bowled a few tournaments and the one thing common to them all is the number of balls on the return. As the game(s) go on, they seem to be reproducing right in front of the bowlers. When counted, the ratio of balls to each bowler begins to number three to one. I am astonished as I add them up and realize there are two more than there were two frames before! I ask myself what is happening and why is it happening. I look around and see that to go along with those balls are bags. Big bags! The two ball bag is dwarfed by the appearance of larger, multi ball bags holding 6 to 8 balls each. Ah ha! It becomes clear how all this started with the advent of the spare ball concept. Not an extra ball as a spare, but a ball used only to pick up spares. Tricky, huh?

My mind trails backward to a kinder place for me, the past. When I started as a youth bowler, there were few balls to choose from. Certainly not much in the way of color

and nothing less than 12 pounds. The balls were rubber based and I was in my teens when the exciting news of the plastic Columbia Pearl was broken. And they came in colors! The first release was minimal, gold and silver and maybe a blue. The plastic surface added new challenges to the old laquered wood lanes. In those days they were your one and only ball. (Yes, we really did have to learn to do it all with just one ball!) Now they are used as "spare" balls and rarely as a strike shot ball. You might hear a bowler say "This shot is forcing me to use my plastic ball!" Oh the horror!

The bags we used for our one and only ball were simple in design, sturdy, held one pair of shoes and if you were lucky, an extra pair of socks! It definitely did not have pouches, velcro add ons or any kit bag. Today they are collectors items, rarely in good shape and nearly extinct. In contrast, I now use a two ball bag. It holds my usual strike ball and a spare. Not a spare ball, a spare strike ball. I simply cannot warm up to the other kind of spare ball. I tried, but to no advantage to me so I gave up and went back to the stuff I learned when I had my one and only ball. The reality is, I am a loyal one ball gal!

That's all for now so until next time, keep the ball rollin'! **Fall Bumpers:** (scr) Alex Lee 97/177, Benaiah McElroy 77/151, Alexis Walker 77/144.

**Fall Preps:** (hdcp) Lucas Ojeil 163, Madison Joneson 169, Zack Nelson 438, Danielle Swaisgood 440.

Fall Juniors: (scr) Peyton Reisch 215,/562, Tucker Joneson 186/475. (hdcp) Anthony Duffy 234, Chance Van Hook 641

**Sundy Night League:** (scr) Sylvester Foster 258, Vickie Maas 174, Val Hoag 746, Ashley Higgins 545. (hdcp) Terron McElroy 273, Kelli Samarjian 237, Ryan Hinchliffe 812, Cynthia Estrada 643.

**Senior Swingers:** (scr) Ed Bugayong 227, Barbara Teitel 198, Larry McDonald 560, Cres Cruz 496. (hdcp) Dick Bay 269, Esther Bugayong 250, Marvin Robbins 716, Susan Jones 662.

Monday 690: (scr) Travis Mikels 266, Cathy stevens 237, Dennis Brown 675, Glenda Nale 595. (hdcp) Win Kato 258, Cheryl Mikels 235, Ron Molder 690, Debbie Martenson 604

**Wed. Night Hdcp:** (scr) Mark Flores 247, Sheilah Faller 194, Mahesh Vansia 670, Kristine Contangco 542. (hdcp) Darshan Shah 280, Gigit Reyes 262, Robert Banaag 784, Stephanie Fenwick 681.

**Senior Foursome:** (scr) Dan Carone 186, Marie Menez 158, Bob Rosenblum 508, Lydia Gantt 463. (hdcp) Al Fama 237, Dorothy Schmitz 216, Richard Brown 665, Barbara Toitol 667



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# The Perfect Game by Steve Felege

Editor's note: Bowlers have something in common with bears, an annual hibernation period. For bears it's the harsh winter months; for bowlers it's the summer. This proves the wisdom of bears, but makes one wonder, "If they're so smart, why did they chose to play in Chicago?" But I digress. Last week, we were treated to an article written by Lance Pound concerning the addiction to high scoring conditions and its effect on the status of our sport. I couldn't wait another month for Steve to wake up, so tonight I called his wonderful wife Beth and asked her to pour a bucket of ice-water over his carcass. Apparently it's a very "in" thing to do these days. Surpris-

Steve: AAAGH!!! WHAT THE.....!!!!

Beth: Sorry, honey! Carol's on the phone and I knew you'd want to talk to her.

Steve: Ice-water! Really?!

ingly, she was happy to oblige!

Beth: It was her idea. She said it was important. Here, just talk to her. I'm going back to sleep.....by the way, you were snoring again.

Carol: Hey Stevie! Sorry to disturb your hibernation but I have something I need to talk to you about.

Steve: What hibernation? It's 1:00 AM here!

Carol: Oh, yeah. I keep forgetting that. I guess the ice-water was a little over-kill, huh.

Steve: Never mind that. What's so important that.....

Carol: By any chance did you read last week's edition of the Bowling News?

Steve: No! In fact, later today I'm going out to buy a big bird so I can line his cage with it! Ice-water at 1 AM! Are you kidding me!

Carol: Settle down, Bucko. Log on to The California Bowling News and click on "Archives." Select the August 21st edition and read the article on page 11 by Lance Pound titled, "Low Scores Drive Bowlers Away.

Steve: Right now?

Carol: Sure! I'll wait.. 10 minutes later

Steve: Hello.....Carol?

Carol: ZZZZZZZZZZZZZZ

Steve: Hello? HELLOOOO!!! IS ANYBODY THERE?

Lillian: Hello! This is Lillian. How can I help you?

Steve: Lillian, this is Steve .....

Lillian: Oh, HI! How are you? We haven't heard from you in a while. Carol says you're hibernating.

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Carol: I heard that! So what did you think of the article? Steve: I applaud Mr. Pound for putting pen to paper and having the chutzpa to make his opinion known. I wish more bowlers had that kind of

Carol: But do you agree with what he says.

Steve: Absolutely! But......

Carol: But ..... what?

Steve: He made a couple of points that bothered me.

Steve: Frustration with low-scoring lane conditions. That's the most common complaint in bowling today. Carol: I certainly hear it a lot!

Steve: Scores are a reflection of a bowlers ability to adapt to conditions. That's always been the case. All bowlers need to understand that high scores are created; they don't just happen. When they do, it's because their delivery matched the lane condition.

Carol: Well said! That's why I call you.

Steve: I think it's more accurate to say he was frustrated because he couldn't adjust his delivery to match the condition presented to him..... and apparently he had a lot of company!

Carol: So, why does that bother you?

Steve: He missed out on an opportunity to enjoy the spirit of true bowling competition: bowlers on the same lanes, on identical conditions, at the same time. His article mentioned that others walked off rather than be embarrassed by their scores. That's a shame because any condition can be solved. Even if you can't, you can win with a score of 160 if your opponent rolls 159. On any condition, it's the cream that rises to the surface and he seems to have forgotten that. As Chuck Pezzano has written many times, "Winners never quit, and quitters never win!

Carol: Point taken. What else bothered you?

Steve: Based on his article, he's an experienced veteran league bowler with more tournament experience than the average "Joe". Despite that, I believe he may be the victim of, what I refer to as, "standard-shot-itis".

Carol: Your gonna have to explain that one.

Steve: Most league bowlers compete one night a week. They bowl in the same house, on the same conditions, week after week, year after year. As they mature and become more consistent, they experiment less.

Carol: That's a bad thing. Right?

Steve: Not at all! On their own, all bowlers develop a "standard shot." In other words, they become comfortable delivering their ball the same way every time because they know what to expect.

Steve: But problems occur when they face changes. They throw their standard shot and don't get the expected result. If they have become creatures of habit, they are so committed to one delivery that they can't or won't adjust. These bowlers blame everything but themselves because making excuses is easier. That is "standard-shot-itis.'

Carol: And the cure is .....?

Steve: Practice.

Carol: But Lance made the point that few people have the luxury of being able to devote endless hours to practice.

Steve: If you think of every shot as practice, then by his own admission he's already spent the better part of a lifetime practicing, and so have many of his bowling associates.

Carol: I guess you could think of it that way.

Steve: The takeaway is this: when the majority of bowlers practice, they practice what they already do well. The key to improving, is to practice what you DON'T do well, even if it's just during the pre-league warm ups. Carol: So what do you advise

Steve: Lance, there are two parts to your game; one is physical, the other is mental. Like most league bowlers, you already have a great physical game, so focus on the mental one.

Carol: "BORRRING!" Steve: Carol, the only bowlers that never get frustrated are the ones who just don't care. The fact that Lance still gets angry proves he still has a passion for this game. It's bowlers like him that prove this sport has a future. For him to stick with it, he needs some direction and I'm trying to

provide that. Carol: Keep going.

Steve: First, he needs to read the first couple paragraphs of Chapter 2 in, "The Essentials of Bowling: Second Edition."

Carol: Do I detect a little self-promotion?

Steve: Not at all. I wrote that little manual specifically for frustrated bowlers like Lance. You printed it from cover to cover a couple times. I'm sure Lance can find it in your archives, free of charge. I think it'll be worth his effort.

Carol: I'll see if Dean can reference it for him.

Steve: Why not just let him find....

Carol: HEY DEAN!!!!!!!! WHEN DID WE PRINT CHAPTER 2 OF STEVE'S BOOK?

Dean: October 6, 2011!

Carol: There! That wasn't so hard. Was it?

Steve: Wow! What a memory!

Carol: Yeah....that's why I keep him around. Now, where were we?

Steve: Next, I think Lance should order a copy of John Jowdy's, "Bowling Execution". Chapter 2 is titled, "Reading and Adapting to the Lanes." In plain English, John Jowdy covered the subject like no one else could. Every bowler seeking "elite" status needs a copy of this book!

Steve: I would point out John's comment in his preface. The last paragraph reads: "My suggestions are based on modern principles and

techniques that have been tested and proven on the PBA tour. This book is directed to serious bowlers who prefer to compete on conditions that demand quality shots; it is not for bowlers who remain content in posting unrealistic averages on blocked lanes.'

Carol: Rest in peace, John. 8:00 AM (EST!)

Beth: Good morning "Sleeping Beauty!" I was wondering how long you were going to sleep today.

Steve: Yawn! G'mornin......any coffee in this joint?

Beth: There might be a cup or two left.

Steve: Good! I've got to finish part two before next week. Feel free to

Comments or questions? news@californiabowlingnews.com

# **Keystone Adult/Jr No-Tap**

NORWALK — We had a great turn-out for the Adult-Junior No-Tap with 54 bowlers taking their shot in helping the kids to earn a little extra scholarship money for school.

#### **RESULTS**

1650 1st Samantha Klevin & Dejah Pope 1587 2nd EZ Johnson & Roger Chavez Jr. \$40 each Greg Jackson & Andrew Chan 1575 3rd \$32 each

Gina Haynes & Devien Gutierrez \$25 each 1558 4th Camille Howard & David Howard III \$19 each 1527 5th

1520 6th Tommy Walsh & Sydney Haynes \$13 each Thanks to everyone for coming out. See you next time.





# \$20,000 1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE \$12,000 2<sup>ND</sup> PLACE

3<sup>RD</sup> PLACE \$10,000 • 4<sup>TH</sup> PLACE \$8,000 • 5<sup>TH</sup> PLACE \$7,000 6<sup>TH</sup> PLACE \$6,000 • 7<sup>TH</sup> PLACE \$5,000

Team & Individual Spots Available Starts September 8th.... for our 29th year!

New Bowlers Receive 25 Pins Off Non-Ebonite/Sport Averages

Team Maximum Entering Average is 785

Maximum entering average for previous Ebonite bowlers is 210

Maximum entering average for new bowlers to the league is 205

(Maximum entering average applies AFTER the 25 pin drop is given, meaning that bowlers above 230 can still come in at 205)

One more Monday until the league starts... free practice session from 7pm until 9pm for bowlers that want to join the Ebonite Invitational but don't have a team yet. This will let you see who else is interested, and possibly scout out a player to fill a team or put one together.

Practice will take place on September 1st. From 7pm till 9pm.



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