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## Marv Sargent Leads Fontana's Best

by Frank Weiler

FONTANA – Lee Fitzgerald's Senior Handicap Trio League is Fontana's best. Lee organized the league about a half decade ago and has grown it to forty teams. The league would be larger if Foothill Lanes had more than forty lanes.

The league is Fontana's best because Lee recruited the best bowlers in northern San Bernardino County to compete in the steel city. The league is loaded with PBA competitors and tournament champions.

The league's TOP FIVE men are:

- |                   |               |
|-------------------|---------------|
| 1. Marv Sargent   | 240 (average) |
| 2. P.J. Buckner   | 229           |
| 3. Dan Farnsworth | 226           |
| Mike Reynolds     | 226           |
| 5. Mark Neimann   | 221           |

Dan Farnsworth's perfect 300 is the high game to date and P.J. Buckner's 736 is the high series.

The league's TOP FIVE Women are:

- |                     |     |
|---------------------|-----|
| 1. Kay Cook         | 209 |
| 2. Mary Robles      | 205 |
| 3. Rolann Karper    | 194 |
| 4. Lavonya Williams | 181 |
| 5. Pacita Baker     | 178 |

Kay Cook's 255 is high game to date and Rolann Karper's 689 is the high series.

So far scoring has stabilized this season with averages and scores comparable to last year. Last season saw a majority of averages dip but bowlers have now adjusted to the new lane conditions and are starting to do better. Congratulations to Fontana's best and thanks to the BOWLING NEWS for supporting CALIFORNIA BOWLERS.

## APPLICATIONS BEING ACCEPTED FOR 2017 TONY REYES COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD

The PBA is now accepting nominations for the 2017 PBA Tony Reyes Community Service award, named in honor of the late PBA Tour player in recognition of his service to the bowling community. The award recognizes a current PBA member who performs extraordinary community service over the course of a PBA Tour season. To be eligible, the nominee must be a PBA member in good standing.

For a nomination form and additional information click on <http://www.pba.com/Corporate/Awards>. The deadline for submissions is Dec. 18.

Reyes, a popular PBA Tour titlist, died in late September 2012 of injuries sustained in a traffic accident near his home in San Bruno, Calif.

Past winners of the award have been **Parker Bohn III** of Jackson,

N.J., in 2013 for his work primarily with two charitable endeavors he established – the Striking Out Sandy fundraiser and his annual Parker Bohn III Scholarship Tournament; **Missy Parkin** of Laguna Hills, Calif., in 2014, for her work in organizing the Baby Reesa Foundation fundraiser which supports families with children born with Krabbe Disease; **Ed Godbout** of Felton, Calif., in 2015, for establishing several charitable initiatives in Reyes' name including the Tony Reyes Memorial Scholarship and the Tony Reyes Memorial Youth/Adult Doubles Tournament, and **Rhino Page** of Orlando, Fla., in 2016, for his involvement with the Thomas Cacioppo family in New York in raising more than \$225,000 to combat the debilitating digestive tract disorders Crohn's and Colitis.



Mike Hahn celebrates his 300 game amid a crowd of well-wishers minutes after bowling the first perfect in his career. Hahn finished with a 720 series at Winnetka Bowl. Photo by Fred Eisenhammer

## 6 Years Later, Mike Hahn Makes The Jump From 290 To Perfecto

by Fred Eisenhammer

WINNETKA – Six years ago, Mike Hahn turned in the game of his life by stringing 11 strikes after an opening spare to finish with an oh-so-close-to-a-perfect-game 290.

At least that was the game of his life – until last Tuesday night.

That's when the 61-year-old right-hander from Reseda blasted a 300 in the second game of a sizzling 720 series (226-300-194) during league play at Winnetka Bowl. It also marked Hahn's first 700 series.

"When he got his third strike, I told him he was going to bowl a 300 game," said Ellie Koops, a member of Hahn's opposing team that night. "He said, 'I've been close, but it's never happened.'"

"Now it happened. I willed it on him."

Hahn finished his perfecto with a no-doubt-about-it rocket in the pocket before being mobbed by a 50-person throng that included teammates Carol Tucker, John de la Rionda and Joe Curry and opposing teammates Rick Stine, Tracy Stine, Marc Jay and Koops.

Hahn tacked on a strike in the first frame of his third game to wind up with a streak of 17 strikes, which included strikes in the final four frames of his first game. "In the second game, he was in a zone," Curry said.

Coincidentally, Curry has bowled two perfect

games and both came on the same pair of lanes (23 and 24) as Hahn's perfecto. "That's a magical pair of lanes," Curry said. "It's got good karma for us."

Hahn admitted that he found inspiration from the opposing team. "Going in, I knew I had to bowl well," Hahn said. "When you bowl against the Stines, they push you to a higher level. I had to keep up with the Stines."

Rick Stine is an elite bowler with 22 perfect games. Tracy Stine, Rick's wife, is another formidable bowler who blistered a 267 in the fall season.

Hahn engaged in a gun-slinging duel with Rick Stine in the magical second game. Rick matched Hahn strike for strike for the first seven frames before losing his shot at his own perfecto by leaving a split in the eighth frame. Rick, who rolled a 300 the previous week, finished with a powerful 711 series.

One thing lost in the 300 is that Hahn was uncertain whether he actually was going to bowl that night. He arrived at Winnetka Bowl sporting a sore knuckle in his right hand and told Curry he had doubts he could bowl. But after consulting with Rick Stine, Hahn went ahead, moving his approach to the right. "Rick gave me directions on how to bowl that night to accommodate my sore knuckle," Hahn said.

How excited was Hahn after he finished his perfecto?

"It was a great experience. Are you kidding?" he said. "It was like a grand slam in the World Series."

Hahn, a 175-average bowler, is one of the favorites around his league because of his fun-loving and approachable style. Even though he received an endless stream of congratulations, Hahn still needed a few hours for it to sink in as to what he had accomplished.

"I woke up at 2 in the morning, and I thought, 'I really got a 300.' " he said. "It really happened."

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# Why I Stopped Watching Football - Part 4

by Dave Williams

Bet you thought it was over, and so did I, until I started reminiscing about the many acquaintances that I made during my time at American Recreation Centers (ARC) and the Mels Bowl properties.

One of those individuals was Nadine DiLeo, whom I first met in 1989, when she was serving as the Food and Beverage Manager at Mels Southshore Bowl in Alameda, California.

She had come to California from Brooklyn, New York, to attend college, and called upon her Aunt Annabelle Kashatus, an employee of Mels, to see about a part time job.

Nadine advanced quickly at Mels under the tutelage of Jeannine McMillan, the General Manager of Mels, and one of the best in the ARC system at mentoring potential new management candidates.

Beginning as a weekend employee and part time book-keeper, Nadine showed tremendous skills and was promoted to Food and Beverage Manager when Beverly O'Connor advanced to General Manager at another famous San Francisco Bay Area center, the high scoring Golden Gate Lanes in El Cerrito, California.

Along with attending one of the most demanding universities in the nation and acting as Food and Beverage Manager at Mels, Nadine was also married with a one year old child!

Upon graduation from the university, Nadine left ARC in 1991 and returned to Brooklyn, eventually settling in Piscataway, New Jersey. A friend knowing of her bowling background, recommended that she apply for the management position at Stelton Bowling Lanes in Piscataway.

Nadine was immediately hired and in 1995 began a management relationship with Stelton Investors LLC that lasted until 2011. It was during those years that I had a chance encounter with Nadine as I was preparing to board a plane headed back to California to visit my parents.

We shared memories of ARC and Mels Southshore Bowl, and how curious it was that both of us had surfaced in the bowling business, but on the opposite end of the continent.

Not long after that fateful airport meeting, I left Nationwide Bowling Corporation to form my own company, 300 Bowling Creations LLC, in Edison, New Jersey. Nadine was one of the first proprietors that I called upon to offer marketing support, and my relationship with Stelton Bowling Lanes continues to this day.

In 2011, Nadine decided to try something different and opened a Yo' Fresh Yogurt Shop in South Plainfield, New Jersey. She called upon me to assist with her marketing efforts, and I soon learned that selling yogurt is not much different than selling bowling.

But yogurt wasn't her thing, and by 2016 Nadine was back in the bowling business with John Fatigati at their Parkway Lanes facility in Elmwood Park, New Jersey, a bowling center once owned by Hall of Fame bowler Mark Roth.

John is the United States Representative for Switch Bowling Equipment and a third generation bowling proprietor, operating most days out of his main location, Jersey Lanes, in Linden, New Jersey.

John and Nadine make quite a team as they also serve the bowling proprietors in the state of New Jersey; John as President, and Nadine as Executive Director.

While Nadine is relaxing she has found time to raise seven children (three biological) and three grandchildren. Nadine says that all of her kids have worked in the bowling business while growing up, with her youngest son Vinny still involved in web development for a number of bowling centers at "Get Webzy."

Yet another Mels Bowl connection of mine is with Joe Kashatus, who is now the General Manager of Stelton Bowling Lanes. Joe, the son of the aforementioned Annabelle, probably doesn't remember our initial meeting when he was running around Mels Bowl as a young toddler.

Today he manages a most unique bowling center with a fascinating history. Stelton Lanes opened as the 38 lane Brookside Lanes, with a giant bar featuring the likes of Twisted Sister (their first paid appearance was reportedly at Stelton Lanes) and Frank Zappa.

As time went on and lifestyles changed, Brookside Lanes removed 12 lanes and the giant bar area overlooking the lanes, to make room for a strip mall at the front of the property that still includes a Quick Stop Convenience Store, Food Architects Catering, Crown Fried Chicken, a bakery, deli and bagel shop, a nail salon and the upscale Al Dente Restaurant.

The remaining 26 lanes now known as Stelton Lanes feature a more manageable bar/lounge area, snack bar, pro shop and two attractive "community rooms" for birthday parties and corporate events.

"Unlike most bowling centers today, we've scaled down our bar operation and focused more on league bowling," states Kashatus. "We are in a unique position between an AMF and a Brunswick center, that have both converted to more of a club atmosphere."

The result has been an increase of seven new leagues over the past two years, as well as individual bowlers, and a number of new summer camp programs. "We miss the corporate parties," says Joe, "but the league business is much more predictable and provides a steady flow of revenue and profits."

"I remember my formative years at Mels Southshore Bowl," says Kashatus. "I was a member of their youth programs from ages 5 to 12, and every year we would have bake sales, rummage sales and fundraisers, resulting in a trip to Disneyland for all the kids at the end of the season."

Joe dreams of having that happen at Stelton Lanes, with a trip to Disney World in Florida at season's end. He's placed a lot of focus on youth programs which fill most weekday afternoons, Saturday mornings and Sunday afternoons. He's most proud of the Sunday Adult-Youth program, patterned after the one he bowled in at Mels Bowl, which has grown to 18 teams in just the past two years.

Nadine got Joe started in the bowling business as a Birthday Party Host at the age of 14. He climbed the ladder at Stelton Lanes from Party Host to Snack Bar Attendant, then Desk Person, Assistant Manager at age 20, and finally the General Manager at age 28.

Joe, now 34, remembers being at Mels Southshore Bowl when the Loma Prieta Earthquake struck "on October 17th, 1989, at 5:04PM," says Kashatus. "It measured 6.9 on the Richter Scale and accounted for 63 deaths."

As a result of that experience, Joe has a very interesting philosophy of life: "We are all just one decision away from an entirely different life."

Both Nadine and Joe have decided to stick with bowling and continue the tradition that started the "Why I Stopped Watching Football" column, first with memories of the San Francisco 49ers and professional bowler Dick Weber (April 13th edition), followed by the Mels Drive-In connection (June 8th edition) and finally the Mels Bowl phenomenon (July 27th edition).

What's next? There's rumors that a fourth trilogy of Star Wars films will be coming after Episode IX, so stay tuned. Paraphrasing what Princess Leia once said, "Somebody has to save (bowling)."



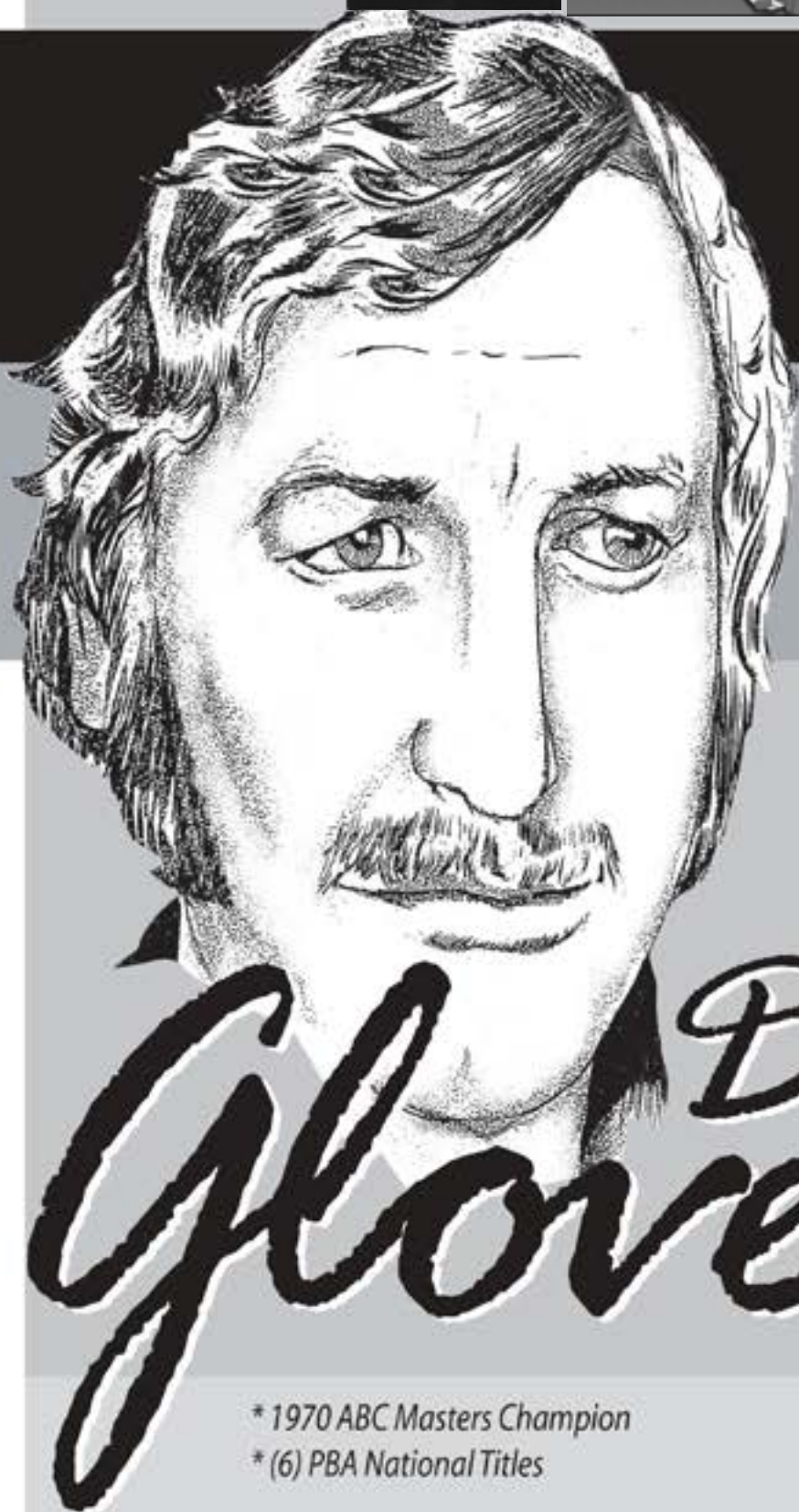
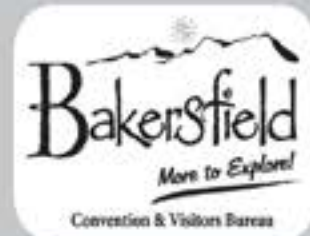
Joe Kashatus (left, of Stelton Lanes, Piscataway, NJ) and Nadine DiLeo (Parkway Lanes, Elmwood Park, NJ) continue a lifelong devotion to bowling that started at Mels Southshore Bowl in Alameda, CA.



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# The Awards Just Kept Rolling In for Nancy Milner

by Fred Eisenhammer

WINNETKA – For Nancy Milner, the trend was her friend at the “Guys and Dolls” league summer awards banquet at Winnetka Bowl.

“They called me up for one award,” remembered Nancy, “and I think it was for ‘Most Improved.’ Everyone high-fived me and as soon as I sat down, they just kept calling me again . . . and again . . . and again. I was shocked. I was just there to support everyone else who was there.”

Nancy was honored with four individual awards that night as she completed her first full year in league bowling.

In addition to “Most Improved,” Nancy posted the league’s top women’s handicap series of 758 (with a 509 scratch) and won United States Bowling Congress patches for rolling a 180 game and a 500 series.

“I wasn’t expecting anything, trust me,” said Nancy, laughing. “This made it all worthwhile.”

A couple of weeks later, Nancy rewarded herself “for winning all the awards.” She went on Amazon.com and bought a snazzy, psychedelic bowling ball for \$99. She got the ball drilled at Winnetka Bowl on a recent Saturday afternoon and hit her average of 135 with her new ball in her first practice later that day. In league play the following Tuesday, she found her stride and rhythm even more and posted higher scores.

“She was very happy with her ball and that’s good,” said Tom Martino, who practiced with Nancy. “She shined on the lanes and so did her ball.”

Nancy, a 54-year-old North Hollywood resident, is absolutely thrilled with her new ball – so much so that she went on the Internet to compare it with her previous one.

The old ball, Nancy said, “was more polyester, more plastic.”

The new one is “more polyurethane. I think I got a good ball. I’m so excited about it. Once I break it in, I think I’ll be OK with it.”

After her memorable summer season, Nancy is holding on to a modest objective. She wants to roll a 200.

“If I get a 190, I’m sure I can push it a little farther,” she said.

Most important, Nancy says, “I just want to have fun. I bowl with a great bunch of people.”



Nancy Milner, with her new snazzy bowling ball, carted away four awards for her performance in Winnetka Bowl’s summer “Guys and Dolls” league. Photo by Fred E.



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# Xframe Bowling Tournament Club

Narciso Wins Second  
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LaGuardia is Runner up \$750.  
Teodosio is 3rd \$375. Wynn is 4th

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One of the Good Guys Henry Narciso won his second Xframe title in fine style downing upstart Dom La Guardia 239-207 to take home a nice top prize of \$1,500 for his performance at Cal Bowl.

The turnout was light 111, entrant’s due to Las Vegas and Palm Springs Events. The bowlers were still compensated with a \$3,750 prize fund plus \$875 in bonus rewards. 28 bowlers took to the lanes for the Elimination Finals in hopes of making the top 16 with the top seeded #1 in the Title Game. Cut scores to the top 16 were +61 Men and +55 Ladies. Henry Narciso was top seed +1. The other 15 to bowl one game with the top 4 advancing to a one game shootout for the right to meet Narciso in the title game.

The One Game Roll-off saw Dom LaGuardia tops to bowl Henry for the title. Finishing 3rd was a friendly newcomer Hartley Teodosio \$375, Kelly Wynn was 4th \$150, Brandon Chandler 5th \$125.

The title game was on and Henry won out in a 239-207 margin as Dom lost his shot. All scores include handicap. It was a great tournament, lots of fun at Cal Bowl.

Thanks to all who participated and we hope to see you Saturday at popular Action Lanes in El Monte.

The Match Game \$2,050 was drawn by Mr. Narciso. 175 was the number (ZERO WINNERS) so we estimate the Match Game at \$2,700 at Action Lanes Saturday.

Henry Narciso resides in Baldwin Park this is his second Xframe Championship. He’s One of the Good Guys and a loyal Xframe supporter. He used a Menace-Roto Grip drilled by Memo at Chaparral Lanes. Henry is single with one son Henri.

***Narciso Wins Second Xframe Title at CAL BOWL \$1,500***  
*LaGuardia is runner up \$750, Hartley Teodosio 3rd \$375. Kelly Wynn 4th \$150. (L-R) Eric Snow of Cal Bowl, Harley Teodosio, 3rd. Director Bob Smith, Henry our Champion \$1,500, Dom LaGuardia runner up and Jeff Taino, Director: Henry Narciso stepped up and won the latest Xframe Event at CAL BOWL in a fine performance. The turnout was lighter due to Las Vegas events and also Palm Springs. We paid \$3,570 prize fund and also \$875 in bonus payouts. Congrats to Henry and all who bowled well. We are hosted this Saturday by Action Lanes in El Monte. See our ad for further info. Oct. 7 we will bowl at Bowling Square Lanes in Arcadia.*

Dom LaGuardia is from El Monte married to a very Pretty Lady Zenny, with 3 kids Justin, Jayzel, and A.J.

He used a Brunswick Zone drilled by Memo Rosales at Chaparral Lanes.

Hartley Teodosio is from Northridge, and married to Laura. He used an Ebonite drilled by Chuck at Matador Lanes, he did very well in his first Xframe event.

Action Lanes is our host Saturday, located at 10534 Lower Azusa Rd. in El Monte, easily accessed from the 605, 10 and 210 freeways. Phone is 626-350-8831.

The following week Oct. 7, we visit Bowling Square Lanes in Arcadia.

Thanks to all, and special thanks to Cal Bowl and Staff for the great help there as usual. CHECK IN EARLY AT ACTION PLEASE!!! Thanks for being an Xframe member. Until then!



## Xframe Bowling Tour

### SATURDAY September 30, 2017

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# Xframe

## Cal Bowl - Sept. 16, 2017

	Name	Score	Prize	Bonus
1	Narciso, Henry	745	1000	500
2	LaGuardia, Dom	682	500	250
3	Teodosio, Hartley	692	250	125
4	Wynn, Kelly	655	150	
5	Chandler, Brandon	687	125	
6	Quach, Du	670	125	
7	Cabatbat, Reynante	706	90	
8	Lalas, Evelyn	661	87	
9	Garcia, Jessica	681	85	
10	Suase, Shaun	688	82	
11	Phan, John	703	80	
12	Lubag, Ammie	674	78	
13	Ele, William	654	76	
14	Silva, Leo	720	74	
15	Alford, Steven	697	70	
16	Jo, Young	661	68	
17	Flores, Patrick	644	65	
18	Pascual, Darren	640	60	
19	Mendoza, Victor	635	55	
20	Mendoza, Ricardo	632	50	
21	Barcelona, Mien	624	50	
22	Kong, Samson	618	50	
23	Santos, Rey	610	50	
24	Marcella, Cezar	600	50	
25	Borillo, Romeo	596	50	
26	Zamora, Freddy	591	50	
27	Pamintuan, Jaimee	579	50	
28	Barcelona, Jojo	542	50	

#### FINANCIAL REPORT

##### CUT SCORES:

Saturday:	Men: + 76	Women: + 38
Senior:	Men: + 60	Women: + 33

##### HIGH QUALIFIER (FREE ENTRY)

Men: Pascual Darren +146

Women: Jamiee Pamintuan +61

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# HELLER SCORES BIG AT THE CAMELLIA IN RENO

by Don Surdich

RENO – Over 200 women 500 club members from Northern California and the Valley made the trip to the National Bowling Stadium in Reno recently for the Sacramento’s 500 Club Annual Camellia City tournament. It was a handicap no-tap tournament and featured Classic, A, B, C, and D divisions according to their averages. Members of our Merced/Atwater Women’s 500 Club did well in Reno. Leading the way was Kim Heller of Gustine who rolled a score of 834 for first place in the A division singles and \$118 in prize money.

She finished up with an all-events score of 1,583 for another first place in the A division and \$42 in prize money. In the A divisions of the doubles had Mary Mullings and Julie Wescott in fourth place with a 1,453 for \$44 each. Local club President, Debra Taliaferro had an A divisions all-events score of 1,462 and took home some cash. Great bowling ladies.

**SHOOTING STARS** Ernie Pinheiro a 244/649, Dan Erreca a 256/684, Nevora Nush a 254/646, Jerry McMillian 226, Joe Powers 593, Jim Mullings 278, LaDonna Stone 232, Neill Barcellos 290, Dennis Borges 197, Mike Giordano 690, Charli McMillian 164, and pro-shop manager at McHenry Bowl Jason Walton rolled games of 300-237-268 for a 805 at the bowl.

**MODESTO WOMEN QUEENS** The 3rd Annual Modesto Queens Tournament hosted by the Modesto USBC is set for Oct. 7-9 at Yosemite Lanes. There is a guaranteed money of \$2,000 for first place. One qualifying squad will be rolled on Saturday, Oct. 7 at 2:30 p.m. of six games across 12 lanes. The top bowlers will return on Sunday for the final round double eliminations format, with two game matches. The number advancing will depend on the number of total entries. There is a strict dress code during the Queens. The entry fee is \$125, and the Queens is certified by the USBC.

**BATTLE AT BLACK OAK** Come roll with the pros during Black Oak Lanes as they hosted their 12th Annual Battle at Black Oak Lanes on Oct. 6-8. On Friday the lanes will be holding their pro-am tournament from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. They are offering some great packages for bowlers during the pro-am. Package A is \$150 which includes the new Hammer Black Widow Gold, tournament entry fee, and a T-shirt. The weights for the Black Widow are from 12lb to 16lbs. Getting your ball drilled is free; inserts and a thumb slug are extra. Package B is \$50 for your entry fee and a T-shirt. You roll three games of 9-pin no-tap with three different professional bowlers. The pros start their tournament on Saturday morning at 8 a.m. with the first squad and the second squad rolls at 5 p.m. Sunday morning at 9 a.m. the pros start their round robin elimination rounds. The tourney ends at 2 p.m. Come up and have some fun with the pros from all over the West Coast competing.

**NO TAPPERS AT YOSEMITE LANES** Our local scores were sparse as we only had Linda Roach from Bellevue Bowl taking a high game pot and a series winner in the women’s. Bob Heller, who now bowls at McHenry Bowl took second place in the men’s high series with a 852 missing first place by four pins. He also placed in the high game pot. Betty Gerritsen from McHenry Bowl took first in the overall women’s series. Up next for senior no-tappers are a one man and one woman at McHenry Bowl this Friday at 1 p.m. Remember, they always have a pot luck lunch. So, bring some goodies.

**FROM SIERRA LANES TO BOWLERO** Bob Rodriquez, a reporter for the Fresno Bee send me some information of a major change in the bowling scene in Fresno. AMF Sierra Lanes in Fresno received a major makeup like you have never seen. Flat-screen, high-definition monitors at the back of the 48 lanes and about the lane machines, and monitors above the lanes with black lights. New menu are listed on the monitors with specials of shareable appetizers. The old Sierra Lanes that most of us used to roll in during the Cal-State Championships and the Silver Foxes Bowling Club tournaments. If you’re not a bowler, the 50,000-square-foot has a arcade packed with games, including the Worlds Largest Pac-Man, the Walking Dead, Mario Kart and billiards. Work is under way to open a Bowlero in Visalia later next month. More next week on this Bowler Fresno. *Don Surdich is the Sun-Star’s bowling columnist and can be reached at 209-777-1111 or via e-mail at desurdich@aol.com.*

## PBA REGIONAL UPDATE: TACKETT WINS IN TROY, OHIO

TROY, OH – EJ Tackett of Huntington, Ind., defeated Graham Fach of Canada, 279-237, to win the PBA Rex & Griffin Bigelow Memorial/M & D Blacktop/BW3’s Central Open presented by Hammer at Troy Bowl Sunday for a \$5,000 first prize and his sixth PBA Central Region title.

In the semifinal match, Fach downed Chris Via of Springfield, Ohio, 265-247, to advance to the championship match. AJ Johnson of Oswego, Ill., started the finals by eliminating Matt Sanders of Evansville, Ind., 267-206, but then lost to Via, 270-245.

The tournament was dedicated to PBA Regional competitor Kyle Bigelow’s father, Rex, who died of leukemia a few years ago, and to Griffin Bigelow, Kyle’s infant son who died from heart complications when he was 6 months old.

- Jakob Butturff of Tempe, Ariz., posted a 7-0-1 match play record and knocked down 3,964 pins Sunday to win his 11th career regional title in the PBA Ken & Kathy Fowler Auto Centers Open at Yokayo Bowl in Ukiah, Calif. Butturff, who earned \$2,000, defeated PJ Haggerty of Roseville, Calif., by 303 pins for his second win of the year after a PBA-record nine regional victories in 2016. Haggerty had a 5-3 match play record and 3,661 total pins for his 16 games including match play bonus pins.

In the companion PBA50 Open, Derek Gregory of Chowchilla, Calif., went 7-1 and knocked down 3,575 total pins to top Craig Miller of Tracy, Calif., by 92 pins for his second PBA50 West Region title.

- The PBA Regional calendar for the Sept. 22-24 weekend includes the PBA/PBA50 Millsboro Lanes Doubles in Millsboro, Del.; the Florence Bowling Center Central Open in Florence, Ky.; the PBA50 Rocky Mount South Open at Rocky Mount (Va.) Bowling Center; the Liberal Kansas Southwest Open at Ayr Lanes; the PBA and PBA50 Mockingbird Lanes doubleheader in Omaha, Neb., and the PBA West/Northwest TSI Inc. Open presented by Onsite Express at Paradise Lanes in Tacoma, Wash.

- The PBA Regional schedule for the Sept. 29-Oct. 1 weekend includes the PBA50 Mel Westrich Memorial Central/Midwest Open at Delphos Recreation in Delphos, Ohio; the PBA50 Spartanburg South Open at Paradise Lanes in Spartanburg, S.C., and the Killeen Southwest Open at Hallmark Lanes in Killeen, Texas.

- For complete PBA Regional schedules, rules and entry information, visit [pba.com](http://pba.com), open the “schedules” tab and click on PBA Regional Tours to find the event(s) in your area...and remember, you can follow “live scoring” for all PBA Regional events on pba.com (easily accessible for Apple device users using the new PBA app).

- Fun Fact: Did you know that for the 22 events held during 2007-08 PBA Tour season, there were 10 titles won by players age 40 and over, and the average age of the winners was 36.5 years? In 2017, through 20 events, there have been zero titles won by players 40 and older... and the average age of the winners is 28.15 years.

## FANS INVITED TO EXPERIENCE BOWLING AT ITS BEST AT PBA WSOB IX

RENO – For bowling fans, it doesn’t get any better than attending the ultimate bowling event – the GEICO PBA World Series of Bowling IX, and thanks to PBA’s presenting sponsor, Eldorado Reno Properties, two Ultimate WSOB Fan Experience Packages will make the adventure easy and affordable.

For those who would like to watch the world’s greatest bowlers compete for nationally-televised titles in the sport’s premier showcase Nov. 17-19 at the National Bowling Stadium in Reno, the Ultimate Fan Experience packages will provide participants with lodging, transportation to-and-from the airport, and VIP seating for all of the TV finals. Options include a two-night “Strike” package and a three-night “300 Game” package. Prices depend on the accommodations each fan prefers, but the basics of each package include the following:

- STRIKE PACKAGE (starting at \$200)**
  - Two (2) nights’ accommodation at Silver Legacy Resort & Casino.
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  - Two VIP tickets to all ESPN shows including the PBA World Championship.
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  - Official WSOB t-shirt.
  - Round trip transportation to and from the Reno-Tahoe International Airport and Silver Legacy.

To enroll in the GEICO PBA World Series of Bowling Ultimate Experience Fan program, visit: [www.pba.com/tickets](http://www.pba.com/tickets).

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As always \$1,000 in Guaranteed 1st Place. \$500 2nd place and \$250 3rd. Top 3 places can be elevated 50% to \$1,500 1st, \$750 2nd and \$375 3rd for only \$10 extra for the Xframe Bonus.

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Action Lanes is located at 10534 Lower Azusa Road in El Monte, park in front or back of the center. Phone there is 626-350-8831. It is a great place to bowl.

For information feel free to contact Bob 562 228 3960, Jeff 909-702-3369 or Vuong 714-622-0842.

Thank you all for the memberships, we will always do our best with honesty and pay-offs second to none.

Again it is great to see our old friends come to join us. It is very heartwarming!! Until then.

REMINDER: Please try to check-in early, it will be greatly appreciated.

Note: (Oct. 7 Bowling Square Lanes / Arcadia.) Thank you and hope to see you Saturday at Action Lanes. Once More Please DO YOUR BEST TO CHECK IN EARLY.

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# PBA Unveils Library of 16 New Lane Oiling Patterns for GoBowling! PBA Tour’s 60th Anniversary Season

## *New Dragon, Chris Paul patterns added to library of challenges that will test players’ skills*

CHICAGO – The Professional Bowlers Association has announced plans to introduce a newly-revamped library of 16 different lane oiling patterns for the GoBowling! PBA Tour’s 60th anniversary season, creating a wide variety of challenges to test player skills at the highest level.

The lane maintenance program, pioneered by the PBA more than 40 years ago, has been reviewed in depth and modified to take into account current technology, PBA Deputy Commissioner Kirk von Krueger said in announcing the new patterns.

Several of the revised patterns will make their debuts during the GEICO PBA World Series of Bowling IX, presented by Eldorado Reno Properties, in Reno, Nev., Nov. 7-19. WSOB IX is collectively the opening event of the 2017-18 GoBowling! PBA Tour schedule.

“The new library of lane oiling patterns will include eight animal pattern lane conditions and seven ‘legends’ patterns, three of which will be used as major championship patterns, plus the Chris Paul pattern,” von Krueger added. “Each pattern has specific characteristics including the distance oil is applied down the lane, how it is applied across the lane and the volume of oil applied to each lane.”

Two new named patterns will debut in 2018. The “Dragon” is a 45-foot pattern in the animal pattern library that figures to provide a high level of difficulty for PBA players. And for the first time, the PBA will have an official “house shot” design named in honor of the PBA’s long-time celebrity bowling partner, Chris Paul, that is likely to become the PBA’s highest-scoring pattern.

The library of lane oiling patterns was designed by PBA Head of Lane Maintenance Sean Parry with the assistance of Brunswick, PBA’s Official Lane Maintenance partner. The oiling patterns will be used exclusively throughout the GoBowling! PBA Tour, PBA50 Tour and PBA Regional program’s 2018 seasons. Illustrations of the 16 revamped oiling patterns along with more detailed information can be found on pba.com under the Lanes and Equipment tab. Each pattern’s name will be followed by a number indicating the length of the pattern in feet as it will be applied on a 60-foot lane.

The new Cheetah 33, Chameleon 39, Scorpion 42, Shark 45 and Earl Anthony 42 patterns will debut at the GEICO PBA World Series of Bowling IX presented by Eldorado Reno Properties in Reno in November. The Go Bowling! PBA Tour’s 2018 Big February events will feature the Don Johnson 40 pattern at the PBA Tournament of Champions in Akron; the Carmen Salvino 44 at the Barbasol PBA Players Championship in Columbus, Ohio, and the Dick Weber 45 at the Go Bowling! PBA 60th Anniversary Classic in Indianapolis. The Mark Roth 42 will be used for the Roth/Holman PBA Doubles Championship in Columbus and for the PBA League competition in Portland, Maine.

In addition to the new Dragon 45, the oil pattern library also will include the Wolf 33, Viper 36, Bear 39 and Johnny Petraglia 36 patterns. The Badger 52 will be removed temporarily from the rotation. Plans for the use of these patterns will be announced later.


“For decades, the PBA lane maintenance program has helped define the greatest players in the sport of bowling,” said PBA CEO and Commissioner Tom Clark. “This revised menu of oil patterns and the strategy of their release and implementation is in line with our core values, including integrity, complete transparency and recognizing both challenges and opportunities advanced technology presents. Most of all, we are proud of these diverse conditions that will demand a combination of player skills.

“Along with the distinct characteristics of the bowling centers and lane beds where the PBA conducts competition, these patterns will be a platform for champions while entertaining and educating fans.”

In addition to providing physical definitions of oiling patterns, the PBA uses visible blue oil on most telecasts, allowing fans to see the oil pattern and how the pattern changed during competition, providing another layer of education to the sport’s challenges.

“The PBA recognizes that every oiling pattern will present a different challenge depending upon the type of lane surface, weather conditions, the viscosity of lane conditioning oil and other factors,” von Krueger said. “Every condition is also subject to change due to bowling ball traffic during competition which moves the oil around.

“But defining the physical aspects of each pattern is a valuable tool for players, tournament hosts and fans. Solving those characteristics is the challenge that makes bowling such a great sport.”



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1975 - PART 1

by Carol Mancini

Bowling was VERY alive in seventy-five. Let's share some fun facts and a little fiction.

- P.B.A. Stars of the day that bowled the Tour Stop at **BOWLING SQUARE** were BARRY ASHER, EARL ANTHONY, CARMEN SALVINO, JAY ROBINSON, LARRY LAUB and DICK RITGER. EARL ANTHONY won.
- Bowlers made New Years resolutions; lose weight, quit smoking and raise their average. Sounds like the same one for the last 42 years!
- BUD HORN of **PARK BOWL** had a new claim to fame. The family receipe for cole-slaw was a hit in the coffee shop.
- JAMES SCOTT was bowling at **COVINA BOWL**. His first game was 135 second game 138 for a 2 game total of 273. His third game WAS a 273.
- DICK WEBER was looking for a center in So. Calif. to buy.
- KAREN WALLS was on "Bowling For Dollars." She made a few dollars and showed off the highest back-swing ever seen on the show.
- Two new centers were under construction. One in Placentia and one in Northridge. What 2? Watch for the answers.
- **IMPERIAL BOWL** hosted a 10 game KWIK-E-THON. Did managers sit around in the bar thinking of tournament names??
- GLENN ALLISON was spotlighted in January. A fact brought to light was an exhibition match in Indiana where he dazzled the crowd with games of 259, 300, 300.
- Robby's Wrist Positioners ad listed 68 pro shops and centers where the device could be purchased. All in So. California.
- Mayor Bradley proclaimed the week of January 17, "Bowling Week".
- True or false? BARRY ASHER was an "extra" on the Lassie T.V. Show?
- SIMEON PROPHET was de-throned as "King of the Hill" by JIM MORRIS at **SANTA ANITA**. Two gentlemen on the lanes.
- MABLE McDONALD rolled the first 700 (for females) using a Robby's. 32nd over-all.
- BILLY MYERS opened up his own Pro Shop at **EASTLAND BOWL**.
- BOB LOMAX spear-headed the ABA Tournament Club for many years all over So. California - - - even a few shots in Las Vegas. Was Bob a bowler? Or just an organizer?
- **KING PIN LANES** owner got desperate and hired Frank DeMascio. FRANK had retired from Tiger Enterprises and over-saw the remodeling at **KING PIN**.
- W.I.B.C. had members in 24 countries.
- **GABLE HOUSE BOWL** jumped into the tournament game with their version of the "LOUSY BOWLERS".
- Well, did you know there was another club around? So. California Chinese Bowling Club was around for 10 years and finally made the paper.
- W.I.B.C. returned 700 entries for Indianapolis. They were dated after December 31, the cut-off date.
- Pretty VICKIE MYERS was crowned Queen of the San Fernando Valley Assn. JACK BINGHAHM, **WOODLAKE BOWL** manager presented her trophy.
- DAN MOYNIHAN took over one reign (not full set) at **KEYSTONE LANES**.
- HAL FISHER got a title at **PRO 300 BOWL**.
- DICK AGGERS and the KTT was jumping from bowl to bowl every week-end, CANOGA PARK to RIVERSIDE. They had something for everyday. 7-in-a-row pot, lots of ways to cash. A normal weekend of entries was 250! Solid, week after week. \$500.00 for first place was guaranteed.
- Donna Adamek was Calif. WIBC "Star of Tomorrow" for 1975.
- Need to practice your game? **RODEO BOWL** offered 3 games for \$1.25.
- **PICO RIVERA BOWL** was re-named **PICO RANCHO BOWL** and Ole', they named RUDY HINOJOSA "TOP HONCHO". That was his fifth move in 10 years.
- JED ALLEN (**who?**) was host of "Celebrity Bowling". At least there was local viewing!
- DAN MUSTARD scraped in the loot at **BEL AIR LANES**. For 10 games he averaged 205. He won a total of \$150.00. Sidepots paid \$14.00. **BEL AIR** was happy with the 39 bowlers.
- THE BOWLING NEWS HAD SPECIAL COLUMNS THAT LISTED BOWLERS: FIRST 200, TRIPPLICATES, A 700 HONOR ROLL, CURRENT WEEKLY EVENTS, SPLITS,

HOROSCOPE, ASSOCIATIONS NEWS, GOSSIP, WANT ADS, AND HOUSE COLUMNS. 16 PAGES OF NAMES AND NUMBERS. SEEMED LIKED EVERYBODY KNEW EVERYBODY.

- EX BOWLING NEWS OWNER Jess Dudley BOUGHT **PORTERVILLE LANES** and was running the "Paul Bunyan Singles Classic." In March these squad organizers filled the lanes: (old friends of Jess) WESTERN COLUMBHIA, JIM MORRIS, BOBBE NORTH,-NICK MANCINI, ART GODDARD AND RUSS JOHNSTON. WHAT'S THE CHANCES OF SQUAD ORGANIZERS THESE DAYS? WHERE'S THE ACTION?
- Dan Sweeney (**LA MIRADA BOWL**) WAS BOWLING ON LANES 3 & 4 IN FRONT OF THE LOST AND FOUND CLOSET. The lock was broken and he decided to fix it while he was bowling. You guessed it! He locked himself in and they had to break the door down to get him out .
- JONI MCKENZIE made the front page 3 weeks in a row. Picture and pin count was great.
- A.B.C. SANCTION CARDS were \$3.50.
- 15,000 men bowled the State Tournament in Stockton. State tournaments are still being rolled in Stockton.
- ROBBY ROBINSON SPONSORED Jack Andolina when he gave the PBA Tour a try.
- AL TRIPP opened a Pro Shop in **ENCINO BOWL**.
- WELL, WELL. Dick Marquis was the head honcho at **EASTLAND BOWL**. He jumped five times in six years.
- MICKEY CURLEY started her reign at **LA HABRA 300**. SHE WAS THE "QUEEN" HER ENTIRE CAREER. THANKS TO HER, THE CENTERS WALLS AND SHOWCASES FILLED WITH HALL OF FAME MEMORABILIA.
- GLENN HANNA won the Washington Singles hosted by the Nagy's. (What a tradition!)
- Dick Stoeffler was named "Executive of the Year" by the Bowling Writers.
- The 'ORDER of the "Sticky Tongue" was awarded to Bill Person when he won 50,000 Blue Chip stamps at **GRAND CENTRAL BOWL**.
- **NORTHRIDGE LANES** at Tampa amd Nordruff was being built and suppost to open for summer leagues.
- The "75 Grant Classic was supported by over 120 squad organizers.
- **AGNES DUFFY** and **MERLE MATTHEWS** were inducted into the California W.B.A. Hall of Fame.
- The team of FRANK DE MASCIO and RUDY HINOJOSA HEADED UP OPERATIONS OF THE BEAUTIFUL NEW **WESTBROOK BOWLING CENTER** in Garden Grove.
- MIKE BONTA captured the LABA Masters Crown. Ted Wagner was the President and WEB SHERIDAN kept the books. Web was more then an official. He was a leader, friend, instagator, organizer, and all around good guy.
- Talk of Bowling becoming an Olympic Sport was starting to spread. The objections were many!! Pure athletes don't receive money, or kick the equipment, or steal the shoes, or smoke, or write bad checks, or not show up, or get a sub, or buy new equipmnt, or pay entry fees. The arguments went on for years and it still hasn't happened.
- ED HARTNETT was the 25th man inducted into the Southern California Bowling Hall of Fame.
- The five women inducted into the same Hall were Pearlie Heller, Dottie Holmes, Myrle North, Betty Phillips and Lucille Ware.
- ROBBY ROBINSON - WRIST POSITIONER - kept track of the 700's registered by bowlers wearing the glove.
- The C.W.B.A. State Tournament was held at **UNIVERSITY LANES** in San Diego. (My doubles partner got taken off the lanes for being drunk. I wondered why she was late!)
- Does anyone remember the name VIRGINIA PARK? TEACHER, BOWLER, WINNER, AND LATER TO BE known as \_\_\_\_\_'s mother.
- The Azusa Tournament Club ran their 11th annual "Pin Pal Mixed Doubles". The tournament club continued long after **AZUSA BOWL** closed.

*PART I covered the first 6 months of 1975. Part II will be coming your way as soon as I can dig up the good stuff". If you remember the good stuff, give me a call.*

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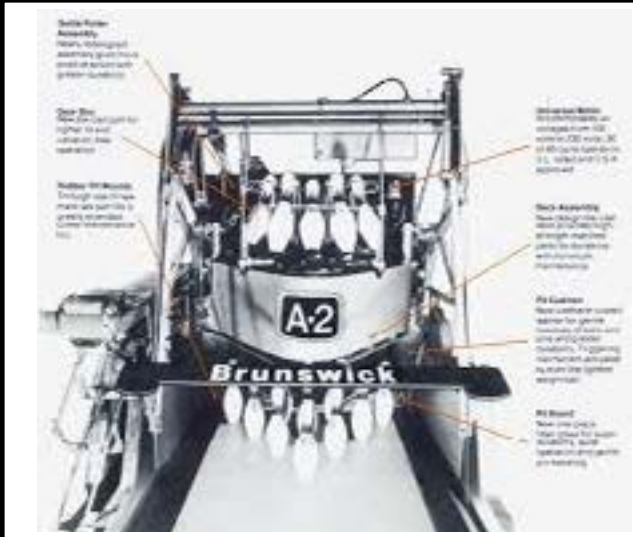
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by Ed Saleh

BURBANK – There are a lot of rumors flying regarding the future of Pickwick. This is about all we know at this point: The owner wants to develop the land into a huge area much like that of the Americana in Glendale or the Grove in the Fairfax District. It would include eateries, businesses, residences and multi level parking. That means lots of cars & people flooding the Rancho residence area. Rancho residents are far and away against it. So am I. And so the war is on. It means a lot of E.I. reports, re-zoning maybe and convincing the locals. It could happen in months, years or never. No one really knows. My plan is to enjoy what is the here & now. I suggest you do the same.

**Sunday Night Hdcp:** (scr) Tim Hackett 264, Ester Bugayong 166, Herschel Green 694, Cynthia Estrada 464. (hdcp) Sylvester Foster 290, Vickie Maas & Kim Evon 231, Terron McElroy 725, Danica McMahon 682.

**Monday 690:** (scr) Roger Desgroseilliers 233, Joyce Hill 235, Cory Neill 678, Glenda Nale 525.

**LA Metro Telco:** (scr) George Chatigny 222, Crissy Gianfaro 188, Arturo Toro 575, Judy Lamb 464. (hdcp) George Vanderveen 276, Kathy Lilliquist 255, Ron Bularz 672, Rita Gonzales 672.

**Orbits:** (scr) Jan Levitt 163, Cathy Stevens 136, Catherine Noonan 456, Helen Vincent 389. (hdcp) Cindy Claire 199, Diane Tait 186, Rilla Raad 519, Cres Cruz 514.

**Guys & Dolls:** (scr) Ara Aprahamian 247, Michelle Davis 159, Setu Molia 653, Peggy Eklund 533. (hdcp) Brian Hannick 272, Colleen Simpson 243, Jimmy Jebejian 765, Danica McMahon 762.

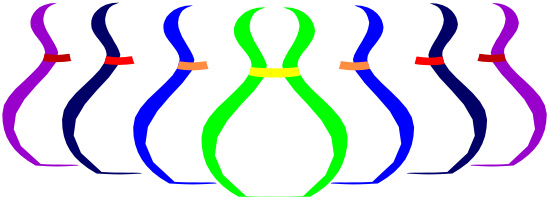
**JPL Bowling:** (scr) Deliverence 174, Taylor Ortega 104, Brandon Rothrock 473, Rita Flores 293. (hdcp) Jesse Wigfield 219, Stephanie Smith 204, Chang Herrick 634, Michelle Tomey 499.

**Wed Night Hdcp:** (scr) Michael Fajardo 269, Alexis Arnold 215, Will Pesnieski 716, Amber Ball 540. (hdcp) Allan Hessler 282, Laura Baltazar 283, Rick Rice 659, Sheilah Faller 649.

**Senior Foursome:** (scr) Ron Stearns 190, Kathy Temple 162, Richard Andersen 508, Lydia Gantt 472. (hdcp) Dan Carone 249, Marie Menez 229, Ed Bugayong 659, Seiki Tluczek 631.

**Thursday 890:** (scr) Aaron Hodges 269, Danielle Reid 192, Brad Wilson 641, Olivia Tillers 509.

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



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**Club 55:** Scr:626 Tony Thousand, 573 Dick Kakuta, 534 Mary Hoagland, 453 Kathy Williams, 224 Albert Delos Santos, 199 Li, 167 JoAnn Cunningham, 147 Marietta Simonson.

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**Crazy 4 Vegas:** Scr: 678 Jon Stein, 607 Lance Clifford, 466 Nancy Jimeno, 396 Lynn Floria, 245 Shaun Spivak, 219 Edward Anonas, 162 Brenda Leonard, 145 Myra Rosales.

**Chamber & Friends:** Scr: 678 Bobby Nakatani, 590 Mike Bennett, 542 Clara Lotton, 481 Heidi Boothe, 215 John Boothe, 205 Jim Harrison, 179 June Grothe, 158 Noy Harrison.

**Young @ Heart:** Scr: 604 Dave Kaan, 568 Pierre Prudhomme, 508 Amy Abalos, 467 Penny Martinez, 243 Tony Thousand, 208 Bob Marcelo, 200 Mary Hoagland, 172 JoAnn Cunningham.

**Let it Ride:** Scr: 638 Desmond Warren, 622 Mr. Taco Trujillo, 522 Mrs Bubba Row, 463 Nasty Split Acevedo, 233 Scott Cocheroll, 222 Duck Butter, 171 Jessica Rabbit Wood, 168 Cece Vanthiel.

**Filam Keglers:** Scr: 691 Memo Rosales, 644 Brian Behounek, 586 Kelly Manuel, 509 Elvie Yee, 246 Thom Bragger, 237 Frank Hernandez, 209 Sylvia Serrano, 185 Estela Ventanilla.

**Vegas Gamblers:** Scr: 564 Larry Leach, 491 Carlos Vendiola, 463 Francis Vendiola, 352 Brenda Leonard, 187 Ron yeoman, 149 Eliot Curland & Jerry Burton, 146 Kim Curland, 115 Mary Leach.

**TBYBP Jr/Adult Turtle Crew:** Scr: 430 Mathew Wang, 109 Mark Wang, Adult - 451 Bryan Dorn, 303 Alice Wu, 165 Michael Wang.

**TBYBP Pin Heads:** Scr: 410 Andrew Maston, 394 Kyle Yonezawa, 365 Erynne Jones, 354 Aaliyah, Christian, 111 Simon Lunsford, 109 Nicholas Voyagis, 129 Jessica Oliva, 86 Isabella Wang.

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**SUNDAY – Vegas Rollers:** Derek Lee 279/699, Richard Delgado 233, Sheldon Schapiro 623, Sylvia Robinson 219, Alexis Gioia 206. **Wally's Vegas Cruise:** Jerry Bolanos 202, Erik Sanchez 202, Erin LaBrada 236/626.

**MONDAY – Lake Parkers:** Brian Parker 268/667, Larry McCurry 236/642, Al Scudellari 225/627. **Golden Awards:** Carl Brooks 256/633, Jim Erickson 241, Martin Enderle 601, Randi Hein 206, Jenny Campbell 204. **Whittier Elks:** Dave Thomann 237/612, Mike Cornelius 222, John Wackeen 200.

**Gamblers Fun:** Mark Vasquez 220, Barry Hofstetter 219, Erik Sanchez 219/607.

**TUESDAY – Glenbrook Gals:** Naomi Rex 180, Mickey Rizzuto 172. **Friendly Seniors:** Andy Bott 199, Inez Pisarello 174. **Pedagogues:** Larry Bell 191, Jim Walker 182. **Ageless Wonders:** Tom Denker 199, Dave Hansen 198, Dave Zeidman 198. **Guys & Dolls:** Bill Kessler 257/657, Nathan Hornung 232, Brandon Webb 224, Gilbert Gissendanner 224, Ines Otbo 189.

**WEDNESDAY – Silver Foxes:** Everett Freywald 241/611, Martin Enderle 233/619, Jackie Head 206, Randi Hein 191. **American National Can:** Roger Stites 254/692, Jeremy Carmichael 252, Michael Thompson 235/699, Dick Taylor 235.

**THURSDAY – Early Birds:** Mary Beth Thompson 236/615, Ann Rubin 202, Karen Balicki 192. **Sunset Rollers:** John Contreras 180, Marian Horton 196. **All Schools:** Larry Bell 200. **Frank's Gold Cup:** Marlow Dinger 280/723, Richard Tucker 278/739, Kevin Jones 257/708, David Pisani 257, Max Maldonado 257.

**FRIDAY – Vegas Gamblers:** John Van Metre 279, Rick Vanderhaar 270, Joe Jimenez 265/686, Ken Maxey Jr. 265/716, Tee Delgado 235/603, Amanda Stewart 222, Jackie Lotspeich 207.

Until next week, GOOD LUCK and HIGH SCORING!

**TBYBP Rug Rats:** Scr: 162 Damien Donlucas, 92 Ladoo Hiranandani, 73 Harley Murga, 89 Alex Avila, 54 Robert Moriel, 39 Danica Hawkins.

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FOREST LANES 1ST PLACE AFTER WEEK 3

by Mike Cammarata

DOWNEY – Forest Lanes and Three Olives Vodka had matching 9-1 records after two weeks, and faced off against each other on the top pair of lanes in the third week of the young season. Forest Lanes took the first game, 865-793 to grab the early lead. In game two, things got away from Three Olives Vodka quickly, as the Forest Lanes team just kept striking. Forest posted a 1022 in the second game to open a huge lead for totals. Three Olives managed to take the final game, salvaging one of the five. With the four wins, Forest Lanes is now 13-2 and sits at the top of the field heading into week #4. Eric Espinoza led the pair, shooting a 290/729 set for Forest Lanes. DeeRonn Booker, also of Forest Lanes, added a 721 series to help.

Next up for Forest Lanes will be the Tito's Handmade Vodka team. Tito's stated the night at 8-2, and took four out of five from The Bowling Guys to move into second place. Raul "Spanky" Rosales led the way for Tito's Handmade Vodka with a 269/672 set. John Struckman had the high series for The Bowling Guys, posting 245/649.

SYSCO used great bowling from Gabriel Martinez to earn a 3-2 win over Bowlium. Gabriel started his set with a perfect 300 game, leading SYSCO to a 976-758 win. SYSCO didn't take another game, but Bowlium wasn't able to make up the total pins deficit. In game two, Gabriel continued striking, with the front seven, on his way to a 276 game. He lost the line a bit in game three, but finished with five in a row to post a 224, hitting 800 on the nose. Paul Barraco added a 259/702 set for SYSCO. Billy Myers Jr. led Bowlium to their two wins, shooting a 279/687 series.

Buddy's Bowling Supply squared off with Century 21—My Real Estate on the next pair. Ray Minter of Buddy's Bowling Supply led all shooters on the pair with his 254-255/721 series. Val Wise helped out with 250/668 and Buddy Lucas rebounded from a tough second game finishing with a 259. Those scores all helped Buddy's to a 4-1 win in the match. Dan Gartin led Century 21 with a stepladder set of 234-235-236/705 in defeat.

The next pair of lanes saw a matchup between Threadworks and Linder's Insurance. Vernon Adams was the top scorer on the pair, leading Linder's Insurance with 259-256/721. Unfortunately for Vernon, that only earned his team one win. Threadworks took four out of five in this match, led by the 258/720 scoring of Paul Varela. Butch Jackson added a 694 set as well.

Herzog Insurance won all five games from J.A.T. in convincing fashion, taking total by over 300 pins. Gary Duran was the top shooter, posting a 265-236-253/754 set. Chris Hefner was not far back, adding a 235/720 series. JT Diso was subbing for J.A.T. and led the team with 237/646.

The Professional Approach matched up against Don Julio Tequila on the next pair. The match was close throughout, as the Pro Approach took the first two games but held only a 44 pin lead for series. Don Julio came back to win the final game, and did it by 63 pins to take totals as well, for a 3-2 series win. Matt Schermerhorn of the Professional Approach team led the pair with 268/705. Juquata Neal of Don Julio started slowly, after arriving for the match late, but came on strong with 268-245/702.

Keystone Lanes took four out of five points from DV8. Keystone took the first two, and had a big lead for totals heading into the third game. DV8 pulled out a close win in the finale, 856-839, but weren't able to make up the total pins difference. Eddie Van Daniker of Keystone Lanes led the pair with 248/703. Herbert Jones helped Keystone Lanes as well, adding in a 256/682 series. Nacho Vega was the top scorer for DV8, in a subbing role for Sam Hitchcock. Nacho shot a 247/697 set.

Cal Bowl had gotten off to a terrible start after two weeks, but got four much needed wins in the match against Los Altos Trophy. Aarik Torres led Cal Bowl with 267/744. Nick Rodriguez had the high score on the pair, in a losing effort for Los Altos. Nick shot a 257-277/244/778 series, but just didn't have enough help to get more than one win on a high scoring pair.

The first sidepot of the night went to Gabriel Martinez for his perfect 300 game. Leonard Ruiz Jr. took the second sidepot with a game of 278. In the third game, 258 was enough to win \$171 for Paul Varela in the super pot. The Financial Advisor's Pot was won by Eric Espinoza. He won \$190 for his 290 game. 279 was enough to win Billy Myers Jr. \$100 for second place.

The high scores will continue next week as the house shot round will pass the half way mark. Come on down to see the action at Del Rio Lanes on Monday night at 8:30 p.m. Some of the best bowlers in So Cal will be on the lanes, and Forest Lanes will be taking on Tito's Handmade Vodka on the top pair for the league lead.

TOP TEN TEAMS			
Forest Lanes	..... 13	Herzog Insurance	..... 9
Tito's Handmade Vodka	..... 12	Threadworks	..... 9
Three Olives Vodka	..... 10	Bowling Guys	..... 9
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TOP 10 THIS WEEK			
Gabriel Martinez	..... 800	Ray Minter	..... 721
Nick Rodriguez	..... 778	Vernon Adams	..... 721
Gary Duran	..... 754	DeeRonn Booker	..... 721
Aarik Torres	..... 744	Paul Varela	..... 720
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