## November 9, 2017



# Rhino Page Wins 2017U.S.Open 

LIVERPOOL, NY -
hino Page captured his first career major championship after defeating top seed Jakob Butturff of Tempe, Arizona, in the title match of the 2017 U.S. Open, 256-222.
Page struck on eight of his first nine deliveries during the championship round Wednesday at Flamingo Bowl, winning his sixth career PBA Tour title, the coveted green jacket and $\$ 30,000$ top prize. The stepladder finals of the 2017 U.S. Open were broadcast live on CBS Sports Network.
"I don't know if I can put it into words," said Page, a 34 -year-old left-hander. "As I looked down as I was holding the trophy, I almost started to cry. It means everything to me and makes
mer want to work even hardto win more.
Page and Butturff matched each other shot for shot for the first five frames of the title match, but Butturff was unable to strike in the sixth and seventh frames, leaving and converting a pair of single pins. Butturff, a 23 -year-old left-hander, opened in the eighth frame after leaving the $4-6-10$ split as Page continued to strike through the ninth frame. Page sealed the victory with an eight count on his first shot of the 10th frame

A ball change in his semifinal win against 2013 U.S. Open champion Wes Malott of Pflugerville, Texas, gave Page the look he needed heading into the title match against Butturff, who averaged more than
 223 throughout the week at Flamingo Bowl. Page defeated Malott, 226-155.
"I was going back and forth with two balls that were counter opposites," Page said. "One was a little faster off the friction, and the other was a little slower. It became evident in the

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happened with ball motion, I knew where to go next, and that made me extreme ly confident.
Butturff led the field affer 56 games by 617 pins, including bonus pins, and he found a similar fate as several others who have held sizable leads heading into the title match. He earned $\$ 15,000$ for the run-ner-up finish.

United States Bowling Congress and PBA Hall of Famer Earl Anthony led the 1979 and 1980 U.S. Open by 578 and 551 pins, respectively, only to finish as the runner-up, while twotime U.S. Open champion Walter Ray Williams Jr. led the 1993 event by 537 pins before falling in the title match.

This was by far one of the best journeys I've had
in my career," said Butturff, a Team USA member who now will head to Hermosillo, Mexico, to represent the United States at the QubicaAMF World Cup. "Second place at the end of the day is always the roughest, especially when you are leading a tournament by two games. At the same time, I put my foot down and I struck as much as I could this week. I bowled an OK game on TV, and Rhino just bowled a better game.

Malott earned his spot in the semifinal after picking up a 2-10 split in the 10th frame to lock up his match against Canada's Graham Fach, 186-179.

In Wednesday's opening match, Fach rolled seven consecutive strikes on continued on page 8


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## ThePeriectCoach:Pari4 <br> by Steve Felege

Bowling appears to be a simple game, but if it is, why is success so hard to achieve? Because it relies on a complex human machine which is poorly designed for this sport, both physically and mentally. There is nothing natural about swinging a heavy ball from one side of a torso and rolling it, with precision, to a pocket 60 feet away
If you remember your first attempts at this sport, they were probably awkward. Practice made you better, but only to the extent natural talent allowed. The fact is, physical training only creates the "muscle memory" necessary for your improvement. But such practice without proper direction can do as much harm as good.

Consider the phrase, "Practice makes perfect." That doesn't necessarily apply to bowling since "Practice makes permanent." In other words, while practicing solidifies the things you do well, it makes the flaws in your delivery permanent as well.

What are those flaws? If you remember that your ball travels a line to the pins, then flaws can be defined as any part of your technique that takes your ball off that line. Flaws create inconsistencies that desperately deserve disposal from your delivery.* Eliminating them is critical to enabling you to hit the second arrow, or any target, over and over again as we discussed in last week's, Perfect Game article. That, in turn, is the key to higher scores. Let's get started.

Your delivery can be broken down into five basic skills: the stance, push-away, arm-swing, and release coordinated with a short walk.** Executed properly, these create the accuracy necessary to attain any level of bowling prowess you desire. How? By putting your ball on that all-important target-line and keeping it there!

This week we'll describe how to position yourself into an effective STANCE. This skill is mportant because it aims both you and your ball. Executed properly, it puts the ball directly ove the target-line, sets up a consistent delivery and ensures an effortless transition to the next skill. A flawed stance does almost none of this. The following are the elements which compose a most effective stance:

Begin by picking up your ball and moving to the exact spot on the approach established by
last week's lesson.***
Stand upright and relaxed. Face the arrow you have chosen to target
Insert your fingers into the ball, then the thumb
Take a deep breath, relax, and focus on the following.
Keeping your feet close together, shift most of your weight to one foot; use the other foot for balance.
Dip the ball-swinging shoulder straight down to a comfortable level (do not force it down) Anchor your elbow to your side.***
$>$ Aim your forearm directly at the second arrow (or whichever target you have chosen).
Rotate the ball to position your delivery-hand underneath it, but support its weight with both hands. You are now ready to begin your approach.

Well, there you have it. These are the elements of an effective stance. Notice how many of them position the ball in the right place; directly over the target-line. Now get in front of a full length mirror and coach yourself into this posture (you don't even need to have a ball or be at a bowling center). It will take a while to get comfortable with it, but your efforts to make these changes will be rewarded. Join us next week when we will discuss the most ignored skill in bowling: the push-away

* Correcting flaws is a priority because bowling is a game of accuracy/consistency.

Any mistake made on the approach is amplified by the length of the lane.
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## Boston Red Sox Star Mookie Betts to Return to PBA's World Series of Bowling



RENO, Nev. - Boston Red Sox star Mookie Betts began thinking about competing in the World Series very early in the year, but as much as he wanted to return to bowling's version of the classic event in Reno, he would have preferred playing in the Major League Baseball fall classic.
World Series title, winning their Americaston's bid for another World Series title, winning their American League Division Se-
ries, 3-1, the 25-year-old Betts was free to begin full-scale preparations for his alternative plan, competing in the GEICO PBA World Series of Bowling IX, presented by Eldorado Reno Properties, Nov. 7-19 at Reno's National Bowling Stadium. WSOB IX kicks off the 2017-18 Go Bowling! PBA Tour.
"I hope I can do a little better than I did last time," Betts said do a little more, but it's not like I have it down pat. But I can use my experience from last time. We'll see.'
Betts, who made his debut in Professional Bowlers Association competition during the 2015 WSOB VII in Reno, has been eagerly awaiting the chance to try it again.
"Bowling has been a part of my life forever, so it isn't going away,", he said. "I like to compete, but I also know I need to get better.'

Since the baseball season ended, Betts said he's been practicing regularly, in part to get his right hand toughened up a bit for to daily grind of two five-game qualifying blocks. His goal is day. In his WSOB debut in 2015 , Betts field of 195 on any given qualifying games - nine each on four different animal patterns. His life as a professional athlete has evolved during the past two years. In 2016, when he played a starring role in helping the Red Sox to the American League playoffs, Betts hit for a .318 average with 31 home runs and 113 RBIs., winding up runner-up in the American League MPV voting. He was named MLB's Defensive Player of the Year, won Silver Slugger and Gold Glove honors, and earned the first of two straight berths in the MLB All-Star Game.

His star continued to rise 2017, when he again played a pivotal role in helping the Red Sox win the American League East Division title and earned another trip to the All-Star game. On Nov. 7 he ll find out if he will win back-to-back Gold Gloves for
his stellar play in right field.
As brilliantly as he has
As brilliantly as he has played in the Major League Baseball arena, Betts remains grounded to his bowling roots, started by And he has proven to be a sponge in soaking up knowledge in whatever sport he plays.

Is there any relationship between bowling and baseball? played baseball in front of thousands of people, so I've learned to get over those little moments pretty quickly. It's the same in bowling. If things aren't going well, you get your focus back and get back on track.

Betts will join a sold-out field of world-class bowlers from 27 different countries for five-game qualifying rounds at 11 a.m. and 5 p.m. (Pacific time) in the PBA Chameleon Championship presented by Reno Tahoe on Wednesday, Nov. 8; the PBA Shark PBA Chanship presented by Xtra Frame on Thursday, Nov. 9; the PBA Cheetah Championship presented by PBA Bowling Challenge Morpion Championship presented by GoBowling com on Sun Scorpion Chay 12
day, Nov.

If Betts finishes among the top 25 percent of the field after 40 combined games on the four animal patterns, he'll advance to PBA World Championship cashers round on Nov. 13 and 14. If he finishes among the top 16 in any of the four individual animal pattern events, he'll advance to single-elimination match competition on Nov. 15 and 16.

All of the preliminary rounds will be live streamed on PBA's Xtra Frame online bowling channel. For subscription information, visit xtraframe.tv. WSOB IX concludes Nov. 17-19 with finals live streamed on ESPN3 (and also recorded for Sunday telecasts on ESPN beginning Dec. 10).

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National Bowling Stadium, Reno, Nev., Nov. 7-19
Tuesday, Nov. 7
10 a.m. - PBA Chameleon 39 and Shark 45 practice session.
1 p.m. - PBA Regional and PBA50 Challenge finals, 8
15 p.m. - PBA50s round robin match play.
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## Wednesday, Nov. 8

11 a.m. - PBA Chameleon Championship presented by Reno
5 p.m. - PBA Chameleong 5 games.
5 p.m. - PBA Chameleon Championship presented by Reno Top 16 after 10 games advance to Chameleon Round of 16 match play on Nov. 15.
Thursday, Nov. 9
11 a.m. - PBA Shark Championship presented by Xtra Frame
5 p.m. - PBA Shalifying, 5 games Championship presented by Xtra Frame 5 p.m. - PBA Shark Champio
Top 16 after 10 games advance to Shark Round of 16 match play on Nov. 15.

Friday, Nov. 10
Noon - PBA Cheetah 33 and Scorpion 42 practice session.

## Saturday, Nov. 11

11 a.m. - PBA Cheetah Championship qualifying, 5 games 5 p.m. - PBA Cheetah Championship qualifying, 5 games. play on Nov 16 games advance to Cheetah Round of 16 match Sunday, Nov. 12
11 a.m. - Pepsi PBA Scorpion Championship, 5 games
5 p.m. - Pepsi PBA Scorpion Championship, 5 games Top 16 after 10 games advance to Scorpion Round of 16 match play on Nov. 16. Top 25 percent of field after 40 combined qualify ing games on Chameleon, Shark, Cheetah and Scorpion patterns advance to PBA World Championship cashers' round on Nov. 13
Monday, Nov. 13
1 p.m. - PBA World Championship cashers' round,
5 p.m. - PBA World Chameleon 39 pattern;
5 p.m. - PBA World Championship cashers' round,
Tuesday, Nov. 14
1 p.m. - PBA World Championship cashers' round,
five games, Cheetah 33 pattern.
5 p.m. - PBA World Championship cashers' round, five games, Scorpion 42 pattern.
Top five after 60 combined qualifying games on Chameleon Shark, Cheetah and Scorpion patterns advance to PBA World Championship steplad
noon ( 3 p.m. EST).

Wednesday, Nov. 15
11 a.m. - PBA Chameleon Championship presented by Reno Tahoe qualifying Round of 16 , best of five games single-elimination match play.
1:30 p.m. - PBA Chameleon Championship presented by Reno Tahoe qualifying Round of 8, best of three games single-elimination match play.
Four winners advance to ESPN Chameleon Championship presented by Reno Tahoe finals on Nov. 18.
3:30 p.m. - PBA Shark Championship presented by Xtra Frame Round of 16, best of five games single-elimination Round of 16 ,
match play.
6 p.m. - PBA Shark Championship presented by Xtra Frame Round of 8, best of three games single-elimination match play. Four winners advance to ESPN Shark Championship presented by Xtra Frame finals on Nov. 18.
Thursday, Nov. 16
11 a.m. - PBA Cheetah Championship Round of 16, best of
1:30 p.m. - PBA Cheetah Championship Round of 8 .
$1: 30$ p.m. - $\begin{aligned} & \text { best of three games single-elimination match play. }\end{aligned}$ Four winners advance to ESPN PBA Cheetah Championship finals on Nov. 18
3:30 p.m. - Pepsi PBA Scorpion Championship presented by GoBowling.com Round of 16, best of five games single-elimination match play
6 p.m. - Pepsi PBA Scorpion Championship presented by GoBowling.com Round of 8, best of three games single-elimination match play. Four winners advance to ESPN Go Bowling! Scorpion Championship finals on Nov. 18.

Friday, Nov. 17
6 p.m. - USA vs. The World team event (live on ESPN3) 7:30 p.m. - National Bowling Stadium pro-am

Saturday, Nov. 18
Noon - PBA Chameleon Championship presented by Reno
Tahoe semifinals and finals (live on ESPN3).
2:30 p.m. - PBA Shark Championship presented by Xtra Frame
4:15 p.m. - PBA Cheetah Championship presented by PBA PBA Cheetah Championship presented by PBA
Bowling Challenge Mobile Game semifinals and Bowling Challenge Mob
finals (live on ESPN3).
6 p.m. - Pepsi PBA Scorpion Championship presented by GoBowling.com semifinals and finals (live on ESPN3).

Sunday, Nov. 19
Noon - PBA World Championship stepladder finals (live on ESPN3)
3:30 p.m. - World Bowling Tour Men's and Women's WBT Finals presented by PBA (live on ESPN3).


# Yfirame Bowling Titte at Oak Tree lanes $\$ 1.500$ Tril Vo is Rumner Up \$ $\$ 750$ - Vicicor Mendoza 3rí $\$ 375$ Five Bowlers Share S1,145 Match Game with 145 Score 

DIAMOND BAR Danny Reece Jr. stepped up and won his first Xframe Title at Oak Tree Lanes as he downed upstart Tri Vo in the title game 236-202 taking home $\$ 1,000$ for his fine effort. He did not enter the bonus.
The turnout was decent, 120 entrants/2 squads, with a nice $\$ 3,056$ Prize Fund plus $\$ 875$ in bonuses.
Cut scores to the Semifinals were on the lower side with Men +61 and Ladies +47. Seniors: Men +58 , Ladies at +45 .

26 bowlers took to the lanes for the finals hoping to make the top 8 finals. The top qualifier would sit out and bowl for the title.
Hi qualifier was Dan Reece Jr. with a Super +136 / 736. Mr. Reece would sit out and bowl for the title with the bowlers from 2nd
to 8th place. They bowled not get in the bonus. He one game to advance to the bowled very well. top four. Finishing 5th-8th were Nick Lee 251, Alan Libao 231, Sylvia Serrano 228 and Sun Sundara 175. They cashed accordingly.
Round two saw Tri Vo tops, with a 248 to advance to the title game vs Reece with Victor Mendoza 211 Patrick Flores 205 and Nick Lee rounding out the top 5.

The title game was on and two of the Good Guys would bowl for the Big Bucks'. On a seemingly tougher pair, the match was close but Reece found his mark with a three bagger and pulled away. Tri seemingly could not find his comfort on this pair and Reece wins in a 235-202 game (all scores include handicap.) Danny would take home $\$ 1,000$ as he did

Tri Vo took home $\$ 750$ in 2nd Place with a great showing. Victor Mendoza, the Pride of Chula Vista was 3 rd and $\$ 375$. Twen-ty-Six Bowlers cashed at Oak Tree.
Five bowlers hit the \$1,145 Match Game (3rd Game Scratch) with their 145 Game.
Veronica Boone, Rosalie Borillo, Beatriz Marquez, Dom La Guardia and Ferdinand Recolasco. They each got $\$ 229$ for their $\$ 5.00$ entry.

Danny Reece Jr. hails from Alta Loma and he used a Red Legend Hammer drilled by Chris Hagin at Deer Creek Lanes. His pretty mom Glenda was on hand to see his first title. Danny is well liked and a fine bowler. His late Father


Danny Reece Jr. stepped up big time and won his first Xframe Title at Oak Tree Lanes downing upstart Tri Vo 235-202. Danny won \$1,000. (he did not enter the bonus). He bowled very well. His mother Glenda was on hand and very proud. (L-R) Xframe director Bob Smith, Tri Vo Runner up \$750, Danny's proud mother Glenda, Champion Danny Reece Jr., Victor Mendoza 3rd $\$ 375$ and Jeff Taino Xframe director.
Danny Reece Sr. who was ter Mariana of whom he EVENT NOV. 22-23-24well known in our tourna- is very proud. He used a 25 ments is smiling down from Code Black Storm drilled above and very proud of by Jason Witt.

Thanks to Oak Tree for the hospitality! It was nice to bowl there and we will return soon. Lots of fun there!
We will bowl SAT-
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his way to a 259-222 win against USBC and PBA Hall of Famer Norm Duke of Clermont, Florida. Duke was in search of his 39th national title and third U.S. Open title, winning the green jacket in 2008 and 2011.
All competitors at the 2017 U.S. Open bowled 24 games of qualifying over three days to determine the 36 players advancing to the cashers' round. After eight additional games, the field was cut to the top 24 players for round-robin match play.

The five finalists for the stepladder finals were determined by total pinfall, including bonus pins, for 56 games.
The U.S. Open was the fourth of five major championships on the 2017 PBA Tour schedule and is conducted jointly by the USBC and Bowling Proprietors' Association of America. Network; the Billiard and Bowling Institute of America; and the International Training and Research Center.
2017 U.S. OPEN
At Flamingo Bowl, Liverpool, N.Y.
Wednesday's results
FINAL STANDINGS
1, Rhino Page, Orlando, Fla., 482 (2 games), $\$ 30,000$ 2, Jakob Butturff, Tempe, Ariz., 222 (1 game), $\$ 15,000$ 3, Wes Malott, Pflugerville, Texas, 341 (2 games), $\$ 12,000$ 4, Graham Fach, Canada, 438 (2 games), \$10,000 5, Norm Duke, Clermont, Fla., 222 (1 game), $\$ 8,000$ STEPLADDER RESULTS
Match One - Fach def. Duke, 259-222
Match Two - Malott def. Fach, 186-179
Semifinal - Page def. Malott, 226-155
Championship - Page def. Butturff, 256-222

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Brian, an Alpine resident, bowls in a league at that 40lane facility and he got a huge shock when he listened from a distance to an ongoing awards presentation that was designed to create drama and surprise - with the name of the 300 bowler being named at the end.
First, Valley Bowl was announced as the site of the perfecto. "Hey, I remember that place," Brian thought.
Then the league (Steve Balga Singles League) was announced. That triggered another response from Brian. "I said to the guy next to me, 'I bowled in that league.' Even at that point, I never suspected it was for me," Brian said.
After being presented the ring, Brian searched his memory. "I wasn't even aware that I had any outstanding awards," said Brian, adding that he was "amused" by the ceremony. "This wasn't my first ring and hasn't been my last, " he said.
Trying to explain what happened to the ring, Graves conceded that it was just misplaced. The office has relocated many times and a batch of commemorative rings somehow got lost in the shuffle. Brian's ring was one of many that had gotten misplaced. Graves says she has contacted other bowlers whose rings were discovered. Some of those rings, Graves added, were even older than Brian's.
"It wasn't a deliberate act. It was accidental," said Graves about the ring mix-up. "Very embarrassing.
For his part, Brian made light of the delay when he announced on Facebook that he finally got a ring that he wasn't expecting:

Thursday night, I was presented with my 300 ring for a game I bowled at Valley Bowl on April 8, 1996. It only took 21 years, but I finally got it.

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More scores, happenings, and stories from the last third of ' 76.

- San Diego finally got their own page in the C.B.N. Stories, scores and ads were welcomed. Great shooters in San Diego. And what a host for the State Tournaments!
- The name HANK MARINO may only be known is the history books, but he was the best in So. Calif. His obit in 1976 read "Won ABC Doubles in 1916, won Peterson Classic in 1925, in 1935, 36, 37, 38, Match Game champ, All Events Title 1936 Olympic Games and Hall of Famer in 1941
- BAR TULANIAN made the headlines four weeks in a row. Winner - Winner - Winner
- Winner. We missed him when he moved to Las Vegas.
- Anybody know where EDGE HILLS LANES was located?
- DEBBIE STEWART was crowned California State Queen.
- EDGE HILLS LANES was in Banning. Anyone know where BANNING is? Hint: Morongo?
- DAVE FRAME, Baldwin Park, won the PBA Buffalo Open. Banked \$6,000.00.
- WONDERBOWL DOWNEY was home to the "Southpaw Singles."
- Latest bowlers helper was the "Bach Oval Thumb Grip." Almost guaranteed you to increase your average, have a more secure grip and give you better lift. Oval fingergrips was a surprise!
- A segment of "Starsky and Hatch" was filmed at RODEO BOWL.
- COVE BOWL hosted a "Mr. Bowling" Tournament. \$16 entry fee included sidepots and
a lobster dinner.
- AZUSA BOWL had STEVE FESTA at the helm. He was young and had a lot of ideas for fun events, such as "Family Doubles, Lousy Bowlers Masters, 4 different No-Taps and Grand Masters." More about STEVE in years to come.
- DUH - - - The WOODLAKE house column was written by WOODY LAKE.
- PANORAMA BOWL'S gimmicks for their 10 gamer included a $\$ 2,225$ prize fund, free breakfast, and 20 free bowling balls.
- LOU RESNICK passed away in August, 1976. He and FRANK DE MASCIO owned a car wash before buying TRIANGLE BOWL (later named LUCKY LANES.) The duo ended up purchasing EAGLE ROCK, BEVERLY BOWL, MIDTOWN BOWL, SOUTH BAY and MONTEREY PARK LANES. The group was titled under TIGER RECREATION.
- A few new ads popped up from unheard of centers like: SAN BERNARDINO REC. CENTER, YUCCA BOWL, FON-RI LANES, EDGEHILL LANES, SAN-HI, GOLD PIN

FUN CENTER, ARROWHEAD LANES, DUTCH VILLAGE, CHAMPION LANES, REGAL LANES, FRONTIER (San Diego) and SIMI BOWL.

- JACK BRITT tried to sell his centers. Long time -- - no takers!
- Two young guys - - - BILL MARKS and JIM MORRIS, both aged 22, won the State Men's Doubles.
- DORIS HASTEY wrote a very informative weekly spot -- - directions to a bowling center. She included address, phone number, freeway choices and street access. She was the 1976 GPS!
- September 11, the Bowling News staff celebrated the papers 38th birthday.
- Did you ever think of bowling from the "pins" point of view??
- ALVIN LOU (Pro Shop Owner inside PARKWAY BOWL as of 2017) won the Cal-State Masters in 1976. He spent a short time on tour. The crowd loved chanting LOU, LOU, LOU! He and MARVIN SARGENT bowled Juniors together at PARKWAY.
- Seventeen year old JESS STAYROCK rolled a 900 No-Tap in San Diego at LOMITA BOWL. Must have been the hair!
- WALLY KING (THE lane re-surfacing king) became the proprietor of BOWLING SQUARE. Also, part owner of DEL MAR LANES, ALHAMBRA REC., PORTERVILLE LANES and KIRKWOOD BOWL.
- JEFFERSON BOWL'S most fun league was the "Al Jolson B'nai B'rith". You can guess what the teams were named!
- SADDLEBACK LANES hosted "The Challenge of the Sexes" T.V. bowling show. BARRY ASHER came in second to CAROL McHAFFIE! Is a movie going to be made?
- California Women's State Tournament rolled at WAGON WHEEL LANES in Oxnard. Later on the Doubles Champs will be revealed. Stay tuned.
- Someone guaranteed to raise your average 10-15 pins by following his advice in a book called "Bowling Thinking." Strange name. The author's claim to fame was winning his league's "most improved award". Anybody got a copy? Anybody ever see a copy. The author's name was never revealed in the ad.
- EXTRA - EXTRA-- -.The Columbia Yellow Dot is available!
- ERIC SILVERA won $\$ 5,000$ as "Grant Classic" champ.
- BOB LOMAX and the weekly ABA champs made the front page 11 weeks in a row!
- My fingers have walked thru the last part of 1976, See you in 1977


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#   <br> RENO, Nev. - For the third consecutive year, Reno's National Bowling Stadium will <br> Past World Championship winners entered: EJ Tackett (2016), Gary Faulkner Jr. 

be home to the GEICO PBA World Series of Bowling IX, presented by Eldorado Reno Properties, the premier professional international showcase for the sport. WSOB IX will kick off a new PBA umbrella sponsorship agreement with GoBowling.com that will rebrand the Tour as the Go Bowling! PBA Tour.

A record 26 countries will be represented in the multi-event extravaganza that will be highlighted by seven taped ESPN telecasts including the PBA World Championship, the fifth and final major of the 2017 PBA Tour season.
A full field of 195 players will compete in qualifying and match play portions of the WSOB leading up to the ESPN finals which will live stream on ESPN3 while they are being taped on Nov. 17,18 and 19 for telecast on ESPN at later dates.

WSOB IX kicks off new Go Bowling! PBA Tour umbrella sponsorship - The ESPN-televised finals of the four PBA animal pattern championships, PBA World Championship, and the USA vs The World team event will be the first events to air under a new GoBowling.com umbrella sponsorship that extends into the 2018 season. GoBowling.com is the Bowling Proprietors' Association of America's go-to website to help grassroots bowlers locate BPAA-member bowling centers.

The Go Bowling! PBA Tour sponsorship will cover all PBA-televised events on ESPN and CBS Sports Network into 2018, and also will be the headliner for the Go Bowling! PBA 60th Anniversary Classic at Woodland Bowl in Indianapolis in February.

PBA World Championship - The crown jewel of the WSOB is the PBA World Championship stepladder finals which will be taped Sunday, Nov. 19 at noon at the National Bowling Stadium. The World Championship is the fifth and final major of the 2017 PBA

## Tour season.

Other events on ESPN - In addition to the World Championship, ESPN will tape the finals of five other PBA events plus the World Bowling Tour Finals. Ticket prices for ESPN tapings range from $\$ 5$ to $\$ 25$. Bowling fans can also take advantage of GEICO World Series of Bowling IX Fan Experience packages which offer lodging and other perks at Reno's Silver Legacy Hotel and Casino.

For taping times and ticket information at the National Bowling Stadium click here: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/pba-geico-wsob-ix-tv-tickets-tickets-36369894333

For Fan Experience information click on https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2017-ulti-mate-geico-wsob-ix-experience-packages-tickets- 35241700876

Admission for all World Series preliminary qualifying and match play rounds Nov. 7-15 is free.

For a complete listing of ESPN air dates for all WSOB events click on http://www. pba.com/Television
Xtra Frame provides world-wide exposure - Xtra Frame, the PBA's online live streaming service, will provide approximately 100 hours of live coverage of qualifying and match play rounds during the World Series, leading up to the ESPN finals tapings. The subscription-based webcasting service continues to show steady growth in Europe, Asia, Australia and other regions as one element of the PBA's comprehensive social media presence, which also includes international audiences on Facebook, Twitter and YouTube. For Xtra Frame subscription information visit www.xtraframe.tv.
Live coverage for ESPN finals - While ESPN telecasts of WSOB IX events are tape-delayed, fans can catch the finals live through ESPN3 or the WatchESPN app.
An international showcase - The preliminary list of the record 26 countries represented includes: Argentina, Australia, Bahrain, Canada, China, Denmark, Ecuador, England, Finland, France, Germany, Ireland, Japan, Latvia, Malaysia, Mexico, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Puerto Rico, South Africa, South Korea, Sweden, Thailand, Venezuela and the United States. To check the complete WSOB IX roster to find players in your market area, click here: https://www.pba.com/Rosters/Details/2328.

EJ Tackett to defend World Championship title: In 2016, EJ Tackett of Huntington, Ind., made history by winning the PBA World Championship at the National Bowling stadium for his first major title, defeating 2010 World Championship winner Tom Smallwood in the title match, 246-180. The victory helped seal PBA Player of the Year honors for Tackett.

Other PBA Major winners in 2017: EJ Tackett will be trying for his second major title of 2017 after winning the FireLake PBA Tournament of Champions in February. Three-time PBA Player of the Year Jason Belmonte of Australia will be trying for his third major of the season after wins in the Barbasol PBA Players Championship and USBC Masters. Rhino Page of Orlando, Fla. will be trying for his second career major title after winning

## the recent U.S. Open.

Boston Red Sox star Mookie Betts to compete in second World Series of Bowling: Boston Red Sox outfielder Mookie Betts, one of the rising stars in major league baseball, will compete in the PBA World Series of Bowling for the second time in 2017. Betts, 25 , is an accomplished bowler who made it known he wanted to participate in the annual CP3 PBA Celebrity Invitational, a fund-raising event for NBA basketball star Chris Paul's charitable foundation, which led to him being invited to bowl in PBA's WSOB VII in Reno in 2015. In his debut in professional bowling, Betts averaged a respectable 190 for 60 games on four different PBA animal patterns. An injury prevented him from bowling in 2016, but he is returning this year with hopes of improving upon his previous

## performance.

World Series to play deciding role in Player, Rookie of the Year races - With five PBA Tour titles up for grabs, the WSOB is again expected to play a significant role in influencing the 2017 PBA Player of the Year as well as Rookie of the Year races.

With three wins each heading into the World Series, three-time PBA Player of the Year Jason Belmonte and defending PBA Player of the Year EJ Tackett are considered early favorites for Player of the Year honors heading into WSOB IX. The wide-open Rookie of the Year race features one of the strongest field of contenders in PBA history.

PBA Hall of Famers entered: While young players are making their mark this season on the PBA Tour, several of PBA's all-time greats will make their presence known. The field includes five 50 -and-older PBA Hall of Famers - Parker Bohn III, Norm Duke, Amleto Monacelli, Pete Weber, Walter Ray Williams Jr. and newly-elected Chris Barnes.
(2015), Dom Barrett (Dec. 2013), Parker Bohn III (Jan. 2013), Osku Palermaa (2012), Chris Barnes (2011), Tom Smallwood (2009), Walter Ray Williams Jr. (2001, '03, '06), Pete Weber (1989, '98), and Patrick Allen (2005) are all past winners of the PBA World

PBA Challenge Finals highlight other aspects of PBA competition: The PBA50 Tour's op eight players based on 2017 competition points and seven points champions from the PBA's domestic Regional program will compete in head-to-head round robin match play qualifying leading to top-player championships matches in the annual PBA Challenge events to kick off the World Series. Xtra Frame will provide exclusive live coverage of the match play rounds and finals at the National Bowling Stadium on Tuesday, Nov. 7.

PBA Tour events include diverse lane conditions - Four of the World Series events the Chameleon Championship presented by Reno Tahoe, Shark Championship presented by Xtra Frame, Cheetah Championship presented by PBA Bowling Challenge Mobile Game and Pepsi PBA Scorpion Championship presented by GoBowling.com - are named after specific PBA lane conditioning patterns. Each different lane condition requires players to be on top of their games in making the right lane and equipment adjustments to be successful. The ability to consistently perform at a high level on all four lane conditioning challenges will ultimately determine the finalists who will compete for the PBA World Championship.

Each lane condition used during the World Series will be highly visible to spectators and ESPN viewers because blue dye is added to the lane conditioner for the telecasts, giving fans a unique visual reference of what players must navigate when competing in the finals. Fans will be able to watch how the blue oil moves around under the traffic of bowling balls rolled during the competition.

Reno's role in professional howling history - Reno has hosted many topflight bowling competitions since 1977 when the Reno-Sparks Convention Center hosted the American Bowling Congress Championships Tournament for the first time. Since then, Reno has hosted many PBA and United States Bowling Congress events which have been some of the biggest bowling events in history. The National Bowling Stadium is marking its 22nd year of hosting topflight competition after opening its doors in 1995.

Follow the action on pha.com's live scoring - PBA fans will have a number of options for following WSOB IX action as it happens (Xtra Frame, reports on PBA's Facebook page, social media updates by numerous PBA players on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram), and game by game scoring also will be available on pba.com's live scoring feature. A partnership with Lane Talk will provide PBA's ESPN, Xtra Frame and media relations staff with a variety of insightful statistical data to give fans an even more indepth look at the competition and the competitors.
Other special events: A showcase of youth bowling talent will be on display when the Teen Masters WSOB Open conducts doubles and singles events at the National Bowling Stadium Nov. 17-19.

Grassroots amateur adult and youth bowlers can bowl with the pros by entering the GEICO PBA WSOB IX Pro-Am on Friday Nov. 17 at 7:30 p.m. For an entry form and additional entry information contact the National Bowling Stadium at (800) 304-2695.

## GEICO PBA WORLD SERIES OF BOWLING IX

(A part of the 2017-18 Go Bowling! PBA Tour) presented by Eldorado Reno Properties ESPN Finals Schedule - National Bowling Stadium, Reno, Nev.
(All finals will be live streamed on ESPN3 and the WatchESPN app as they happen) All times are Pacific.
Nov. 17, 6 p.m. - USA vs. The World team competition
(ESPN air date Dec. 10, 10 a.m.)
Nov. 18, noon - PBA Chameleon Championship presented by Reno Tahoe USA
(ESPN air date, Dec. 17, 10 a.m.)
Nov. 18, 2:30 p.m. - PBA Shark Championship presented by Xtra Frame
(ESPN air date Dec. 17, 11 a.m.)
Nov. 18, 4:15 p.m. - PBA Cheetah Championship presented by PBA Bowling Challenge Mobile Game (ESPN air date Dec. 24, 10 a.m.)
Nov. 18, 6 p.m. - Pepsi PBA Scorpion Championship presented by GoBowling.com (ESPN air date Dec. 24, 11 a.m.)
Nov. 19, noon - PBA World Championship
(ESPN air date Dec. 31, 10 a.m.)
Nov. 19, 3:30 p.m. - World Bowling Tour Finals presented by PBA
(ESPN air date Jan. 7, 10 a.m.)


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The next generation of PBA stars will be in the spotlight at the National Bowling Sta－ dium in Reno beginning Nov． 7 when one of the strongest PBA Rookie of the Year classes ever will test their skills in the annual multi－event GEICO PBA World Series of Bowling IX，presented by Eldorado Reno Properties．
WSOB IX，kicking off the 2017－18 Go Bowling！PBA Tour series，will be the final op－ portunity for the 2017 ROY contenders to make a statement while it also will be the first step toward 2018 Rookie of the Year consideration for a few others who will be bowling in PBA competition as members for the first time．
The World Series will award titles in four animal pattern stages（Chameleon 39，Shark 45，Cheetah 33 and Scorpion 42）as well as the PBA World Championship．Players who are leading the charge toward 2017 Rookie of the Year honors include Andrew Anderson， Holly，Mich．；Cristian Azcona，a Puerto Rico native now living in Lake Wales，Fla．；AJ Chapman，Manchester，Iowa；Nick Kruml，Downers Grove，Ill．；Matt Sanders，Evans－ ville，Ind．；Kyle Sherman，O’Fallon，Mo．；Zach Wilkins，Barrie，Ontario，Canada，and Zulmazran Zulkififi，Malaysia．

Among the 2017 candidates，Sanders is the only one to win a PBA Tour title thus far， winning the Xtra Frame Billy Hardwick Memorial in Memphis，Tenn．，in late June．
Making their debuts in Reno as PBA members will be two rising stars familiar to all fans of youth bowling，Kamron Dovle，who grew up in suburban Nashville，and Michael Tang of San Francisco．Because the World Series is considered as one event under Rookie of the Year eligibility rules，Doyle and Tang will be trying to get a head start on the 2018 Rookie of the Year race．

Doyle，now 19 and living in Warrensburg，Mo．，began attracting attention at age 11 when he became the then－youngest bowler to record an 800 series．At age 12 in 2010，he became the youngest to cash in a PBA Regional（for scholarship money），and in 2012 at age 14 ，he became the youngest to cash in a PBA Tour event when he finished 61st in the U．S．Open as an eighth－grader．After four terms on Junior Team USA，two on adult Team USA（including winning the men＇s 2015 Team USA Trials），and an abbreviated collegiate career，Doyle has decided to pursue his PBA dreams．
Also vying for 2018 Rookie of the Year honors will be Michael Tang，Doyle＇s two－ time Junior Team USA teammate and a former San Jose State collegiate star，who will join older brother Darren as a PBA member in Reno．The Tang brothers got their first national exposure as finalists in the USBC Masters where Michael won three matches （including a 248－212 decision over his older brother）before losing to Australia＇s Jason Belmonte in the title match，279－212．Combine the talented rookies coming in 2018 with the star－studded rookie field in 2017 with 20 －something stars who have already made names for themselves（i．e．，reigning PBA Player of the Year $\boldsymbol{E}$ Tackett， 2016 Rookie of the Year Francois Lavoie，Anthony Simonsen，Marshall Kent and Sweden＇s Jesper Svens－ son），and you＇ll see why PBA fans are awaiting a fascinating WSOB IX，and an exciting Go Bowling！PBA Tour season in the new year．

## XTRA FRAME AVAILABIE AT NO COST TO BPAA－MEMBER GENTERS

As part of the new Go Bowling！PBA Tour umbrella sponsorship package that of ficially gets underway with the GEICO PBA World Series of Bowling IX，centers that are members of the Bowling Proprietors＇Association of America can sign up for a com－ plimentary Xtra Frame subscription，making PBA＇s exclusive online bowling channel available to their customers at no cost．
It＇s easy：all a BPAA－member center has to do is contact PBA＇s Dave Schroeder （email：dave．schroeder＠pba．com）and after confirming membership，Schroeder will pro－ vide the participating center with its promotional code and activation instructions in time for dozens of hours of coverage of WSOB IX events．
Individuals also can sign up for Xtra Frame＇s full－season or 30－day packages that will include coverage of all preliminary rounds of GEICO PBA World Series of Bowling IX events，presented by Eldorado Reno Properties，Nov．7－16．New subscribers also are automatically entered into PBA＇s monthly bowling ball sweepstakes which awards new MOTIV，Brunswick and DV8 bowling balls to randomly－selected subscribers．To start

## our Xtra Frame subscription，visit xtraframe．tv．

PBA REGIONAL UPDATE：RON MOHR WINS FIRST＂STANDARD＂REGIONAL TITLE
Newly－elected PBA hall of famer Ron Mohr of Las Vegas and amateur partner Scott Halvarson teamed up to win Sunday＇s South Point Member／Non－Member Doubles title Sunday at South Point Bowling Plaza after amateur Justin Ziegler of Henderson，Nev．， won the South Point West Challenge portion of the West Region doubleheader on Friday．

In Sunday＇s title match，Halverson，from Bonney Lake，Wash．，and Mohr defeated non－member Russ Oviatt of Tempe，Ariz．and Jim Pratt of Avondale，Ariz．，428－411，to claim the $\$ 4,000$ first prize．In the process，the 61 －year－old Mohr earned his first＂stan－ dard＂PBA Regional title to accompany the 17 PBA50 titles he＇s won in regional com－ petition．
Halverson and Mohr advanced to the title match by eliminating Craig Spencer of Tempe and Grey Thompson Jr．of San Jose，Calif．，523－401，while Oviatt and Pratt oust－ ed Steve Smith of San Diego and Frank Barefoot Jr．of Las Vegas．401－370，in the other semifinal match
In Friday＇s Challenge event for players who haven＇t won a PBA title，Ziegler defeated fellow non－member Cerell Cardines of Las Vegas，278－181，to earn the \＄2，000 first prize． In the semifinal round，Ziegler defeated Lowell Huber of Westminster，Calif．，248－188， while Cardines eliminated Toby Sambueno of Henderson，Nev．，245－236，to set up the championship match．

Because they aren’t PBA members，neither Halvarson nor Ziegler get credit for a PBA title．
－With the GEICO PBA World Series of Bowling IX，presented by Eldorado Reno Prop－ erties，gathering most of the attention in November，there are still several opportunities on tap for regional players，beginning with a busy Nov．3－5 schedule leading into WSOB IX． Events include the PBA50 Victory Lanes Midwest／Central Open presented by Mattress Firm in Kankakee，Ill．；the PBA and PWBA－PBA Fayetteville South Open at Lafayette Lanes in Fayetteville，N．C．，the PBA50 Dick＇s Pro Shop Northwest／West Open presented by Boulder Falls Inn at Linn Lanes in Lebanon，Ore．，and the one－day Greater Anderson Central／Midwest Open Sunday at Dave Small＇s Championship Lanes in Anderson，Ind．

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－The only PBA Regional event on Nov．10－12 weekend is the PBA50 Gastonia South Open presented by Brunswick at George Pappas＇Liberty Lanes in Gastonia，N．C
－One event is on the PBA Regional calendar for the Nov．17－19 weekend：the La－Z－Boy Central Challenge for non－titlists at Monroe Sports Center in Monroe，Mich．
－Thanksgiving Day（Nov．23）is an American holiday， but it＇s also the day the PBA Japan Region will conduct its Phoenix Rays PBA Japan Bear Open at Sagami First Lanes in Sagamihara，Japan．Over the Thanksgiving weekend，the PBA Southwest Region will conduct its Beaumont Southwest Open at Crossroads Bowling Center in Beaumont，Texas．
－For complete PBA Regional schedules，rules and entry information，visit 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）．
－Did you know that since the inaugural PBA World Se－ ries of Bowling in 2009， 41 different countries have been represented in the field at one time or another．In 2017，a record 27 countries will compete for titles，including first－ time entries from France and The Netherlands．
－Stephen Walker of Batavia，Ill．，is the lucky winner of a new high－performance ball from DV8；Rohert Bledsoe of Merritt Island，Fla．，receives a new high－performance MOTIV ball，and Ruhen Zavala of Helotes，Texas，wins a new Brunswick ball as October sweepstakes prizes for subscribing to Xtra Frame．The monthly sweepstakes is sponsored by the respective PBA Product Registered part－ ners．Monthly winners are selected from among new Xtra Frame subscribers，who are automatically entered when they enroll as a monthly or Xtra Frame Season Ticket（full year）subscriber．
－Claude Perreault is the October winner of a $\$ 200$ Ho－ telPlanner．com certificate，redeemable for future lodging expenses，compliments of PBA＇s official travel partner The monthly sweepstakes is open to anyone who books a hotel through the HotelPlanner．com link on pba．com． Those who book through HotelPlanner．com are automat－ ically entered．

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LAKEWOOD - Congratulations to TOM HILLIG, win ner of the League Fees Raffle held here at Cal Bowl. His prize is great... it pays for his league fees the rest of this whole season. You'll see him bowling in his "Mega Vegas Tuesday". Now he can save all his league fees and use it for some great fun when the league goes Vegas for their sweepers. That's the way to do it!
Let's have some excitement by checking the league sheets to see who made the honor roll last week
V.A.: Joe Morse 552, Raymond Carter 509, Jennifer Anwar 496, Dan Martinez 205, Michelle McGarry 180
Big Bear: Butch White 279/724, Renard Ables 256/719, Sid Nakagawa 685, Jason Jones 257/675, Steve Clark 661, Harold Dubose 238/660, Jamie Carrington 234/658 Mark Williams 258/649, Emmerson Wafer 243/648, Steve Bryant 244/632, John Woods 629, Emeka Williams 628 Chris Abing 618, Sue Cant 217/615, Debra Gipson 212/63 Michelle Criswell 210/587, Carolyn Davis 209/587, Carolyn Davis 209/518, Denise Reid 211/510, Rita Soares 508, Deores Reynolds 506, Anna VonMuegge 518, Vancie Keith 12, Betty Green 509, Lu Anthony 500
Mini Couples: Bill Dennis 722, Danny Peranaki 613, Rick Chambers 522, Avelina Cumbis 542, Emily Burchman 497 Voltaire Cuello 239, Mary Villena 184.
Fil-Am: Rob Kordich 694, Rick Llaneta 686, Roland Sanchez 677, Dan Monzon 267, James Borillo 256, Benjie Calinawan 244, Avelina Cumbis 549, Cara Sanchez 526, Ammie Lubag 526, Tess Santos 209.

GOBBLE, GOBBLE, GOBBLE" No-Tap Tournament Saturday, Nov. 18 at Noon. One for Junior Bowlers.. One for Adult Bowlers. Junior entry fee \$5.00... 8 places pay scholarship money. Adult entry fee \$10.00....plus side action. 1st place $\$ 300.00$; 2nd place $\$ 200.00$; 3rd place $\$ 150.00$. Pre-pay?? Extra benefits. More Honor Scores..

Laughlin Bowler Bears: Brandon Mims 232/617, Katwuan Sauldsberry 243/611, Jonathan Gale 226/599, Dennis Ingram 568, John Ward Jr. 246/561, Jaime Grabinski 237/559, Donna Smith 499, Sandra Williams 471 Mega Vegas Sun: Valula Tunu 242, Don Mathews 224 Shigeo Komuro 222/569, James Mathews 601, Bob John son Jr. 573, Jocelyn Higa 182, Stacy Seeley 178/504, Faye Weaver 169/443, Michelle Allen 437
Young at Heart: Anthony Leavell 266/657, Jimmy Hamilton 213/557, Oritta Steel 223/625, Carla Dean 183, Myra Kremen 524
Recycled Teens: Jim Plante 280/742, JoJo Jasmin 215/600, Boylee Inocente 577, Jorge Fernandez 239/574 Joe DeJesus 213/561, Don Keith 229/552, Jerry Cooks 532, Vince Cervantes 532, Ron Leidholdt 531, Joanne Burke 204/522, Divina Buhay 511, Adela Santos 203/486. Pin Heads: Chuck Appleberry 190/511, Larry Taylor 24/508, Damon Flewelen 503, Ashley Brown 504, Diane Robles 501, Ricky Gonzalez 209.
Cal Bowleros: Carole Fischer 604, Anna VonMuegge 516, Cecilia DeJesus 510, Ruthie Jones 215. Side-pot winners: Game One—Ruthie Jones/Susan Lincoln 224; Game Two-Leona Belletti 211; Game Three-Vedia Moore 237 Sierra Bugs: Ruthie Jones 535, JoAnn MacKnight 504 Becky Salcedo 502, Sharon Greene 497. Side-pot win-ers-Game One: Terry Munson 223. GameTwo: Sharon Greene 195; Game Three: Sharon Barnett 199
Senior Men's Trio: Jerry Cant 289/801, Kevin Gannon 39, Curt Soares 279/712, Steve Clark 694, Tony Leavell 680, Jimmy Hamilton 277, Paul Staff 268
Bowling Buddies: Eugene Carter 529, Rick Ewaskey 430, Dan Ewaskey 172, Christine Ewaskey 469, Irene Mason 468, Merrie Slagley 199, Betty Major 1554.
Funsters: Rick Hunter 727, Boylee Inocente 620, Jim Plante 591, Chris Abing 267, Dan Monzon 236, Josh Hud-
son 222, Odette Dalton 571, Chrsty Estimo 528, Adele Santos 212.
Vegas In May: Kevin MCall 278, Jimmy Daniel 237, Frank Moss 217, Garry Bohanon 689, Kenneth Johnson 647 Arnold Kidd 606, Sonjia Wyatt 609, Serena Jackson 533, Nikki Bryant 504, Erika Dixon 211, Timika Walton 196, Lisa Ross 194.
Vegas Crackpots: Clarence Wynn 297/697, Keyon Gregory 240/685, Anthony Leavell 639, Barnesha Hull 215, Ellen Myers 563, Janet Reece 494, Deborah Abahazy 563, Sophia Owens 553, Ernie Perryman 685, Howard Stephens 24/670, Louis Whitlock 257/667, Ondra Lucas Jr. 242/685. Mega Vegas Sun: James Matthews 280/730, Victor Lewis 235, Elgie Mongl 231/631, Carlos Mejia 579, Jocelyn Higa 179/445, Varina Jordan 412

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Bobcats: Nathan Bergevin 142/411, Noah Whitlock 97/283, Preston Lane 91/228, Ari Munroe 105/275, Iyla 91/2355.
Mini Bees: Mycah 59/104, Donovan Eskridge 43/75, Brielle Dropkins 41/79.
Classifieds: Chris Borillo 245/601, Reymar Santos 190/520, Andrew Valdez 196/513. Ben Pritt 250/488, Kendra Wilson 159/400, Maggie Jenkins 148/425.
More Interesting Notes: New "Practice League" started on Monday, November 6th. Still time to join. Ask about the weekly "benefits". No other league offers this many goodies! Everyone have a great week!!

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## Pickwick Bowl

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BURBANK - Storms are brewing and the clouds are black with rumors! They are raining down daily and my umbrella is in shreds. PICKWICK IS NOT CLOSING! Despite whatever newscast, newspaper article or web feed, NOTHING HAS BEEN WRITTEN IN STONE! So please, until you actually see a sign on the door, do not spread the darkness that doesn't exist.
Senior Swingers: (scr) Marv Poretta 165, Cres Cruz 159, Rick Langer 458, Seiki Tluczek 438. (hdcp) Art Segura 241, Tessie Lampa 227, Raymond Garcia 692, Josie Pemberton 661
Monday 690: (scr) Dave Brubaker 236, Helen Owens 180 Dylan Jimenez 679, Carol Thrasher \& Carolyn Lollar 485. (hdcp) Ron Molder 251, Joyce Hill 235, Dennis Brown 684, Glenda Nale 644.
LA Metro Telco: (scr) Arturo Toro 209, Young-Mi Wathen 165, George Vanderveen 595, Kathy Temple 465. (hdcp) Bill Couch 259, Michelle Marx 258, Jimmy Jebejian 720, Peggy Eklund 693
Disney League: (scr) Will Cerrato 210, Kylene Yonermoto 170, Robert Ferragamo 638, Melanie Fushi 497. (hdcp) Jose Marquez 268, Anne Mendelson 228, Gabe Vicuna 716, Mai Diep 658
Orbits: (scr) Vicki Olivia 162, Jan Levitt 510. (hdcp) Helen Vincent 205, Diane Tait 559
JPL League: (scr) Jesse Wigfield 163, Liz Carey 128, Mason Carney 500, Megan Richardson 392. (hdcp) Shreyansh Daftry 213, Rita Flores 202, Andrew Daniel 633, Amanda Steffy 504
Guys \& Dolls: (scr) Paul Shimizu 245, Janice Haynes 174 Dylan Jimenez 640, Danica McMahon 517. (hdcp) Rick Trinh 273, Kathy Marriott \& Ramona Gardner 233, Jim Viskocil 761, Peggy Eklund \& Trina Moriarity 688.
Wed Night Hdcp: (scr) Anthony Martinez 279, Sheilah Faller 191, Dan Pilgrim 739, Jo McMahon 505. (hdcp) John Hjelmstrom 309, Amber Ball 278, Rob Gibbs 805, Alexis Arnold 743.
Senior Foursome: (scr) Winston Gorriceta 197, Seiki Tluczek 155, Ron Stearns 517, Lydia Gantt \& Kim Rasmussen 429. (hdcp) Raymond Garcia 241, Barbara Teitel 234, Richard Andersen 672, Kathy Temple 666
Thursday 890: (scr) Trevor Wakefield 246, Renee York 179, Dana Rouse 624, Rose White 509. (hdcp) Vartan

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LA HABRA - Check out our weekly No-Tap, Friday morn ngs at 10:00 am. The next Beast's Handicap Eliminator is Sunday, November 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ at 10:00am.
SUNDAY - Vegas Rollers: Ryan Huff 276/700, Andrea Ontiveros 626, Derek Lee 226/624, Phil Padilla 226. Wally's Vegas Cruise: Brian Bendt 245/663, Jason Amaro 235 Richard Yazloff 218, Leo Moreno 616, Suzanne Allison 211 MONDAY - Lake Parkers: Bob Simon 222, Bob Jacob 18, Larry McCurry 212, Kathy Boyett 194, Jackie Glove 92. Golden Awards: Larry Green 246/626, Bernard Dean 244/659 Bill Edwards 235, Jenny Campbell 202, Randi Hein 192. Whittier Elks: Mike Shaw 215/612 Dave Stiltz 213 Andre Riiinders212 Marsha Wackeen 201 Gamblers Fun Rich Pollock 235, Andy Jeske 226/627, Ray Lozano 210/601 Mark Vasquez 210, Beverly Hathaway 232
TUESDAY - Glenbrook Gals: Bridget Steffensen 170 UESDAY Gle Frion Geniors: John Coffensen 170 Rosie Nicol 167. Friendly Seniors: John Cockayne 223 Larry McCurry 216, Irv Cravatt 212, Marian Horton 184 Pedagogues. Vern Harmon 2250561. Guys a Dolls: Jim Hornung Jr. 255, Bill Kessler 222, Phil Brewer 213, Cind Bradshaw 211, Kelly White 200
NEDNESDAY - Silver Foxes: Charlie Juster 257/634, Fred Reinecke 247, Larry Green 246, Ed Jamison 652, Willie Keith 628, Betty Aragon 191. American National Can Jeremy Carmichael 235/620, Michael Thompson 226, Roger Stites 217, Cynthia Rivera 190
THURSDAY - Early Birds: Karen Balicki 224, Donna uergens 222, Leslie Schulte 219. Sunset Rollers: Don Whiteman 221/604, Jay Knight 208, John Contreras 204 Dolores Harmon 190. All Schools: Larry Bell 213, Bob Ward 204, Phyllis Smith 205. Frank's Gold Cup: Scott Kraye 299/726, Brandon Kraye 289/720, Kirk Keith 268/701, Larry Aquino 268.
FRIDAY - Vegas Gamblers: Gary Wingett 289/711, Kevin Jones 279/753, Dexter Harrod 270/766, Steve Harrison 270 Cones 27 Fowler 222, Jonny Clawson 221 Shelly Maxey 215. Until next week, GOOD LUCK and HIGH SCORING!

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ANAHEIM - Ryan Sargent was on his game and his plan certainly came together on games of 232-222-268 for a fine 722 and added 225 to post a league-leading series f 947 . Great bowling partner!
Oh-so-close to joining the 900 Club was Hong Kha. His games were 243-246-195 and 213, creating a nice 897 More Hot Scores: Terry Brent 257-888, Andrea Fredericks 245-857, Juan Sandoval 245-847, Louie Juarez 236846, Mark Guillaume 247-840, Nick Lam 225-831, Ron Douglass 243-828, Janet Anderson 236-824, Rob Roberts 213-813 and Rich Heid 246-800.
Hot Games: Teri Hefner 266, Carl Adinolfi 255, Rita Sparks 236, Orlando Vanegas 236, Dan Milstead 226, Dick McKenzie 226, Don Lorentzen 223, Steve Sparks 216 David Yoeman 214, Rod Cantrell 213, Karen Bagnall 213 Rose Williams 213, Gary Coultas 210, Don Gardner 206, arry Green 206, Willy Bordenave 205, Norm Walker 203, Alan Bloom 202, Dahana Klerer 202, Lisa Grant 202 and Janice Turner 201. Until next week

Oundjian 290, Danielle Reid 267, Vance Bennett 730, Agnes Cotangco 699
Campbell Center: (scr) Gregory Just 218, Beverly MacDonald 161, David Roberts 491, Linda Roach 407. (hdcp) Casey Levy \& Joon Lee 256, Susan Lee 254, George Bero 652. Until next time...keep the ball rollin'
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## Citrus Belt BIL Tournament December 2

by Frank Weiler
SAN BERNARDINO - Let's support our veterans. California bowlers have always supported our veterans in the past and so have Citrus Belt bowlers. So let's keep it up, SUPPORT OUR VETERANS.

Bowlers to Veterans Link (BVL) is Bowling's charity to support our veterans. Every year BVL raises thousands of dollars. Much of the money helps disabled veterans with expenses and necessities not covered by the Veterans Administration (VA).

Bowlers raise money for BVL through league donations, fund raisers and the annual BVL Tournament. It is time again for our BVL Tournament.

This year's tournament will be conducted on December 2 at Arrowhead Lanes on Orange Show Road in San Bernardino. Squad times are at 10 AM and 1:30 PM.

Please consider entering this tournament to support our veterans. For details call the Citrus Belt Association office at 909-381-4599.

THANK YOU to those who participate and the BOWLING NEWS for supporting our CALIFORNIA VETERANS

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- Must be a QubicaAMF Certified Mechanic or become certified.
- Must be able to use lane conditioning equipment.
- Able to lift 50 lbs occasionally and lift and/or move up to 100 lbs.
- Must be able to work evenings and weekends.


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# Br <br> Brunswicke 

3 Teams Tied at 9-1 in 2nd Round of Brunswick Inv.
by Mike Cammarata
DOWNEY - Monday marked week \#2 in the second round of the to the new pattern. Nick Rodriguez topped the pair, leading Los Altos with Brunswick Invitational at Del Rio Lanes. Going into the week, eight teams entered at either 5-0 or 4-1, and all eight of them were matched up against each other. All four of those matches ended with lopsided scores in wins and dropping the other four teams back into the pack needing to climb and dropp And sneaking into contention with a sweep, following a $3-2$ week
is Los Altos Trophy at 8-2.
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Lanes took on Herzog Insurance. This match was all Herzog. Keystone Lanes took on Herzog Insurance. This match was they were way behind in totals going into the final game that it was an easy $4-1$ win for Herzog.
Chris Hefner topped Herzog, leading the pair with $237-234 / 611$, making a nice recovery from a 140 opener. Sol Cericos was the other 600 shooter on the pair, leading Keystone with $235 / 602$
Tito's Handmade Vodka improved to 9-1 by sweeping all five games from Century 21-My Real Estate. Century 21 came in at $5-0$, but leaves In the middre of the pack. Tito's was led bikny Sikens finished with a 234 for Century 21 , but it wasn't enough to earn them a win. Tito's won totals by over 200 pins in this one.
Forest Lanes has recovered from the heartbreak of how round one got Forest Lanes has recovered from the heartbreak of how round one got
way from them to start this round at $8-2$, after back to back $4-1$ weeks. away from them to start this round at $8-2$, after back to back $4-1$ weeks.
This week their match was against Cal Bowl. Cal Bowl got the middle This week their match was against Cal Bowl. Cal Bowl got the middle
game, and held a big lead for totals, but Forest came back strong in the by 31 pins. DeeRonn finished with 680 for the night, easily leading the league. Jon Diso added 229/597 for Forest Lanes. Ramon Torres topped Cal with 207/594.
J.A.T. joins the ranks of 9-1 teams following their sweep over Threadworks. This match was sewed up after game \#2, as J.A.T. opened a big
lead. Threadworks never recovered in game three, losing that one by almost 100 pins. Kurt Arakaki led the pair, pacing J.A.T. with 214/591. David Yamauchi added 209/575.
Los Altos Trophy swept all five games from Don Julio Tequila to improve their record to 8-2 after two weeks. Los Altos won total pins in
this one by over 400 , as the Don Julio team has really struggled to adjust

Buddy's Bowling Supply bowled against Sysco on the next pair. Neither team got off to a good start in week \#1, but with Sysco already having won a round, this was a much bigger match for Buddy's. After two games, Game \#3 was all Buddy's Bowling Supply though, giving them a $4-1$ win in the match. Gabriel Martinez of Sysco led the pair with 227/604, but didn't have enough help on this night with none of his teammates breaking 500 . Buddy Lucas led Buddy's Bowling Supply with 221/559. Ashkan Tahvildaran shot a very nice 246/632 set to lead DV8 to a 4-1
win over Three Olives Vodka on the next pair. Ashkan had help from Sam win over Three Olives Vodka on the next pair. Ashkan had help from Sam
Hitchcock who added a $226 / 595$ set. Bobby Campagnale had 213-224/616 for Three Olives in defeat
Linder's Insurance took four out of five games from the Professional Approach in a match that was much closer than the win total would indicate. Linder's took game 1 ind by 40 pis. Gane 2 was much closer, with the final game, but only by three pins, which wasn't enough to get totals back. Vernon Adams led the pair, helping Linder's Insurance to the victory, with a $205 / 553$ set.
Bowlium easily swept past Bowling Guys on the final pair. Bowlium gets back into the mix, now at $5-5$, while the Bowling Guys are still looking
for that elusive first win on this challenging pattern. Ramiro Garcia was the or that elusive first win on this challenging pattern. Ramiro Garcia was the
top bowler on the pair, leading Bowlium with $216 / 577$ Ralphie Ramirez took the first sidepot of the night with his 230 game. Leonard Ruiz Jr. won the second sidepot with 232. The final sidepot was won by DeeRonn Booker and his 279 game.
Ashkan Tahvildaran won $\$ 190$ in the Financial Advisors Pot, shooting a 246 game. Chris Hefner was second with 237 for $\$ 100$
Five teams will take records of 8-2 or better into the next week of bowl-
ing on Monday night. All of them have to feel good about their start. Will they still feel that way a week from now, or will they be dropped back into the middle of the pack like so many other teams were tonight? Come down to Del Rio Lanes to check out the action on the dry pattern beginning at

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