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AMF Bowling Trys Bankruptcy Protection a Second Time . . . Robin Romeo Wins Senior Triple Crown Shootout

NORWALK — AMF Bowling Worldwide Inc., the world's largest bowling-center operator, filed for bankruptcy for the second time in 11 years with a plan it says will "significantly" cut debt and strengthen its balance sheet.

AMF started out as American Machine & Foundry Co. in 1900 in New Jersey, making equipment for the tobacco industry, according to Harvard Business School archives. Before World War II, the company designed automatic machinery for cigarette-making, bread-wrapping and necktie-manufacturing.

The company introduced the first fully automated "Pin-spotter" in 1946. The device picked up and reset bowling pins with mechanical suction cups, a task previously done by hand. The product was re-introduced in 1951 after the first prototype proved unreliable. About 30,000 machines were installed by 1957.

Other postwar contracts included nuclear reactors and launching systems for inter-continental ballistic missiles. The company also branched out into Ben Hogan-brand golfing gear, Roadmaster bicycles and refrigerator-defrost

timers.

The company at one point owned Harley-Davidson, Head USA sports and Hatteras Yachts. Minstar Inc. bought the company in a hostile takeover in 1985 and AMF Bowling was spun off. AMF Bowling was acquired by the private-equity firm CHS Capital in 2004, according to data compiled by Bloomberg.

The case is In re AMF Bowling Worldwide Inc., 12-36495, U.S. Bankruptcy Court, Eastern District of Virginia (Richmond).

The company listed both assets and debt of \$100 million to \$500 million in Chapter 11 documents filed today in U.S. Bankruptcy Court in Richmond, Virginia. Chapter 11 is the section of the U.S. Bankruptcy Code used by companies to reorganize.

The company, based in Mechanicsville, Virginia, runs about 300 bowling centers with more than 20 million visitors a year. AMF filed for reorganization in July 2001 and exited with a confirmed Chapter 11 plan in February 2002 by giving unsecured creditors 7.5 percent of the new stock.

"With the support of our key financial stakeholders, we

will recapitalize our balance sheet and reduce our debt load and related costs," Steve Satterwhite, AMF's chief financial officer said.

NEW DEADLINE FOR THANKSGIVING BOWLING NEWS

by Bowling Staff

NORWALK — Thanksgiving Day is always on a Thursday. Well, the UPS (United Parcel Service) does not have delivery service on that day or that Friday.

To be sure that your bowling center receives the Bowling News before the holiday we will be going to press on Monday, November 19.

Please e-mail your ads and all copy BEFORE 12 NOON on Monday, November 19.

Thank you for your cooperation.

JOE ENGLISH BOWLS 300 and Leads His Team To The Top

by Frank Weiler

MURRIETA — Joe English anchors the first place team in Cal Oak's Monday 600 Scratch League. As his teams anchor, Joe has won more individual match game points than any other anchor person in the league. Joe takes on the best bowlers in the league and wins 85% of the time. He has won 17 of 20 available match points!

The other night Joe's team was in a close match against DINA DURAN'S second place trio and ended the evening with a team win, because Joe bowled a perfect game and a huge 746 (212 - 300 - 234) set. Joe's big series was the difference and led his team to the top.

Joe used his Storm Marvel Pearl to roll his big score. He is grateful to Joel Ricketts for drilling the ball perfectly. This 300 was Joe's fourth. His high series to date is a 812 (300 - 258 - 254).

Congratulations Joe and thanks to the BOWLING NEWS for recognizing Citrus Belt bowlers.

ARLINGTON — USBC Hall of Famer Robin Romeo, Van Nuys, Calif., won the inaugural Senior Women's Triple Crown Shootout, Presented by the Orleans Hotel Casino in Las Vegas, Nev. The event was held on October 21, at the International Training and Research Center in Arlington, Texas. The single game, single elimination match play tournament was contested during the USBC Senior Queens Tournament.

Only a select group of senior women qualified to compete in the Shootout, based on cumulative qualifying scores from bowlers who participated in the "Big Three" women's senior events in 2012; the National Golden Ladies Classic, presented by the Orleans; the BPAA Women's Senior U.S. Open and the USBC Senior Queens.

As top qualifier, Romeo was seeded into the semi-finals in match play with a total pinfall of 10586 with scores of 3222 (Sr. Queens, 15 games), 3826 (Sr. US Women's Open, 18 games) and 3538 (National Golden Ladies, 15 games). Romeo defeated Dana Miller-Mackie, Albuquerque, New Mexico, 249-204 in her first match and Lucy Sandelin, Tampa, Fla., 243-208 in the final match.

Mike Kaufman, Director of Bowling Operations for Coast Casinos, suggested a Triple Crown for senior women's bowling during a 2011 conversation with Brian Lewis, USBC Managing Director of Tournaments. Lewis was interested in discovering what made the National Golden Ladies Tournament so successful and how that success could be turned into more entries for the Sr. Queens and Sr. US Open. "Boyd Gaming [parent company to The Orleans] has been a longtime supporter of women's bowling going back to 1984 with the sponsorship of the Sam's Town Invitational which was the start of our involvement with the Professional Women's Bowling Association (PWBA). That relationship grew with the eventual umbrella sponsorship of the Ladies Professional Bowlers Tour (LPBT) in the 90's. It's only fitting that we are able to continue that support through our commitment to the National Golden Ladies



Robin Romeo Wins Senior Triple Crown (L-R) Brian Lewis USBC Director of Tournaments, Robin Romeo (Champ) & Mike Kaufman Director of bowling operations of Coast Casinos.

Classic at the Orleans and now with the Senior Women's Triple Crown Shootout. Our aim is to give back to those ladies who supported us through the years," said Kaufman

This is Romeo's second senior title in 2012, having won the Inaugural Senior US Women's Open in Reno, Nev., in June. "I am very excited about winning the Triple Crown shootout" said Romeo. "I first heard about the event in March at the Golden Ladies and thought to myself how cool it would be to win. But then I heard the announcement from BPAA that the regular division of the Women's US Open would award \$40,000.00 for first place and I knew I had a tough decision to make; Bowl the Senior US Open and have

a shot at the TCS or bowl the regular division for a shot at 40 grand? Looks like I made the right decision since I won both inaugural events."

"I want to thank The Orleans and the entire Boyd Gaming group, especially Mike Kaufman, for their continued support of women's bowling. It was great of Mike to fly in and present the check and trophy. I also want to thank USBC, BPAA, ITRC, and Golden Ladies for being a part of the TCS." During the Sr. Queens Dinner on Saturday, October 20, Mike Kaufman announced Boyd Gaming and the Orleans Hotel Casino will sponsor the 2013 Senior Women's Triple Crown Shootout, following the same format.

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BOWLING NEWS HONOR ROLL

NAME	SCORE	DATE	CENTER
HEATHER MORKES	729	11-06-12	BOWLING SQUARE
MIKEY VILLARREAL	802	11-06-12	CAL BOWL
KEVIN McBRIDE	839/300	11-07-12	MISSION HILLS BOWL
ALEX FISHER	300	11-07-12	HARLEYS SIMI BOWL
RENE MEDRANO	300	11-07-12	JEWEL CITY BOWL
SHAWN McCHESNEY	300	11-07-12	HARLEYS SIMI BOWL
PHIL APPELL	800	11-08-12	WESTMINSTER LANES
TIM BLOUGH	300	11-08-12	WESTMINSTER LANES
KEVIN GREAVES	300	11-08-12	CHAPARRAL 300
BLAKE McBRIDE	300	11-08-12	MISSION HILLS BOWL
GINNY MOREAU	704	11-08-12	TUSTIN LANES
JASON NEVILLE	300	11-08-12	KEYSTONE LANES
KENNY ROSEN	300	11-08-12	WESTMINSTER LANES
DON YINGLING	805	11-08-12	SANDS BOWL
ELVIN GODOY	826	11-09-12	LA HABRA "300" BOWL
JEFF KENNEDY	300	11-09-12	LA HABRA "300" BOWL
TOMMY BRANTLEY	300	11-10-12	PALOS VERDES BOWL
KEN DeMAIO	300	11-10-12	ARROWHEAD LANES
HERB JONES	300	11-11-12	BOWL-O-DROME
KATHY ALLEN	787	11-12-12	MORENO VALLEY BOWL
AUSTIN BAGLIO	813	11-12-12	DEER CREEK LANES
JOE MACKLIN	300	11-12-12	MISSION HILLS BOWL

ATTENTION ALL BOWLERS:

BOWL AN HONOR SCORE THIS WEEK & E-MAIL BY TUESDAY NOON

YOUR NAME, SCORE, DATE & CENTER & YOU WILL BE ON THE FRONT PAGE

E-MAIL TO: NEWS@CALIFORNIABOWLINGNEWS.COM

MEN: 300 - 800 & 7-10'S WOMEN: 298,299,300, 700+ & 7-10'S

FOREST LANES King of the Hill

Saturday November 17 at 1pm (check in noon) • **Teams of 4**

Monthly Team Tournament with Optional Doubles • Team Event Entry Fee \$20 per person

Optional 3-6-9 - 179 & Under \$78 - 180 & Over \$140 • Mystery Game 2 Carry Over \$375

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GET THOSE AD'S & STORIES IN BY MON. NOV. 19TH!!

EVENT OR CLUB	DAY	DATE	BOWLING CENTER
ABT SO CAL CITRUS BELT	SUNDAY	NOV. 18TH	COVINA BOWL
ABT SO CAL ORANGE CO.	SATURDAY	NOV. 17TH	VALLEY VIEW BOWL
ABT SO CAL SAN DIEGO	SUNDAY	NOV. 18TH	ADMIRAL ROBINSON
ABTA	SATURDAY	NOV. 17TH	CARTER LANES
ADULT NO-TAP	SATURDAY	NOV. 17TH	KEYSTONE LANES
JAT	SUNDAY	NOV. 18TH	CAL BOWL
JR OR SR SINGLE PRO AM NO TAP	FRIDAY	NOV. 16TH	MISSION HILLS BOWL
KING OF THE HILL	SATURDAY	NOV. 17TH	FOREST LANES
TEAM NO-TAP	SATURDAY	NOV. 17TH	MISSION HILLS BOWL
TURKEY TOURNAMENT	SUNDAY	NOV. 18TH	EMPIRE BOWL
U.H.B.T.	SUNDAY	NOV. 18TH	VALLEY VIEW LANES
W.B.A. MIXED DOUBLES	SAT/SUN	NOV. 17/18	MISSION HILLS BOWL



Valencia Lanes Thanksgiving House No-Tap



Saturday, November 24, 2012

Check- In 5pm

Start-Time 5:30pm

ENTRY FEE
\$125.00 PER
TEAM

Mixed Team Event
5 People Per Team
Open Team Max
Hdcp: 100% of 225


2011-12 Book Average



\$500.00 1st Place
Paying 6 places
*based on 24 teams

50/50
&
STRIKE LOTTO

optional side-
pots

SIGN-UP

(661) 222-9080
ask for Yvette

Empire Bowl's Turkey TOURNAMENT

Sunday
Nov 18th
@
1:00pm
Check in
12:30pm

3 GAMES OF 9 PIN NO-TAP
SEPERATE MEN'S & WOMEN'S
Divisions

100% Payback
Drawing
Optional
Sidepots

ENTRY FEE \$25.00
HANDICAP 90% OF 220
2011-2012 BOOK
NO BOOK AVG-CURRENT AVG
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A game of bowling.

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A game of bowling.

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940 W Colton Ave
Redlands, CA 92374
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Super Bowl Pro Shop
24666 Sunnymead Blvd
Moreno Valley, CA 92553
(951) 247-3900

NATIONAL DEAF BOWLING NEWS

by Connie Marchione

RESULTS OF DEAF SENIOR BOWLERS ELIMINATION TOURNAMENT
AT LAS VEGAS KAUFMAN WINS MEN'S ELIMINATIONS AT THE ORLEANS

LAS VEGAS—The 16th annual Deaf Senior Bowlers of America's prestigious Elimination Tournament drew 50 men aged 55 and up for its 4 games qualifying round last October 10 at the Orleans Bowling Center. The defending champion from New England Ted Thomas led the top 32 men for the match plays with 212-194-202-235 for 843 plus 116 handicap 959 total. In 2nd place was Barry Cossman, Las Vegas with top scratch 919 from 248-193-212-266 and 16 handicap 935. The eventual winner Dennis Kaufman, Hemet, CA placed 3rd with 929. The 32nd low score to qualify was 770 and beside s Thomas, three former champions Walter Holder, TX (2005), Gorman Low, CA (2010) and William Van Spankeren, AZ (1998, 2000 and 2007) also qualified 8th, 23rd and 27th respectively. On the next day match plays Van Spankeren's quest for a fourth title ended in 3rd round. Cossman got ousted in 2nd round and Thomas met and got beat by Kaufman in 3rd round. Lonnie ones, Jr. CA who qualified in 21st place, won his 4 matches without a loss beating Low in 3rd round and Kaufman in 4th round. Meanwhile Mark Nathanson, CA who qualified in 9th place, also had won his 4 matches without a loss met Jones, Jr. in the 5th round. Nathanson beat Jones 213-157 and moved to the title finals. Jones, Jr. went in the losers bracket semi-finals. In the losers bracket 4th round Thomas ousted Low, won in 5th round and again got beat by Kaufman in 6th round. Former champion Holder after losing to Low in 2nd round, had won 4 matches to meet Kaufman in the quarter finals 7th round. Kaufman defeated Holder 231-221 to move in the semi-finals against Jones, Jr. in which Kaufman beat Jones, Jr. 248-171 to get in the title finals against the waiting Nathanson. The finals games were close. Kaufman gave Nathanson his first loss 208-205 that needed another match. In the rematch Nathanson fell behind with opens in 7th and 8th frames but rallied with a strike in 9th and doubled and 7 pins in 10th to force Kaufman to mark in 10th. Kaufman struck and spared for a 235-230 victory for the championship and \$500. Nathanson received \$250 as the runner up, Jones, Jr. got \$150 for 3rd and Holder \$100 for 4th. Prizes ran down to 32nd place.

81 YEARS OLD MARY SICKINGER WINS DEAF SENIOR QUEENS

LAS VEGAS — The 16th annual Deaf Senior Bowlers of America's prestigious Deaf Senior Queens drew 18 women aged 50 and up last October 10 at the Orleans Bowling Center. The surprise winner was the oldest entrant, 81 years old Mary Sickinger of Riverside, CA who has the lowest average 129 of the top 8 qualifiers. The top qualifier was Joan McCowin, TX with 164-204-176-164for 708 plus 192 handicap 900 followed by Hawaiian Younisi Donegan with 856. Three former champions qualified, (2010) Kathleen Seymour, CA 3rd with 825, (2011) Delores McCarty, CA with 822 and (2002) Lyedene Higginbotham, 7th with 796. Sickinger qualified 6th with 810. On the next day's one game match plays Sickinger with her 64 handicap breezed thru 3 rounds winning 3 matches to get in the title finals. Top Qualifier McCowin lost by one pin in first round and in the losers bracket, won 4 rounds matches to get on the title finals against the resting Sickinger. In the title finals both did not do well bowling below their averages and Sickinger became the oldest bowler to win a Senior Queens event by 179-174 score. Champion Sickinger got \$180 while Runner-up McCowin got \$90, Seymour got \$80 for 3rd place and the prizes went down to 8th place.

CAROL MOERS RETIRES AS DSBA SECRETARY-TREASURER, ED ABAKUMOFF REPLACES HER

LAS VEGAS—In the Deaf Senior Bowlers of America meeting, Carol Moers, Denver, CO after 16 years as DSBA secretary-treasurer, declined to run for another term. So Director Ed Abakumoff, Riverside, CA was elected to replace her. Also Ron Loader, Las Vegas was elected to replace Abakumoff as Director. Back in 1997 Carol Moers and Vernon Jones, MN founded DSBA with Moers as Secretary-treasurer and Jones as President. Jones served for 3 terms and was replaced by William Heacock, Buffalo, NY also for 3 terms. James White, TX is serving currently as President.



MONDAY VEGAS LEAGUE

4-PERSON TEAMS

All participants will be eligible for our mid-league raffle!

GRAND PRIZES: iPad MINI | BRAND NEW BOWLING BALL

STARTING DEC 3rd
6:30 PM

30 WEEKS OF BOWLING | \$22 PER WEEK

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The first held at PV Bowl and another the next week in Vegas

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Thanksgiving Team No-Tap

Friday

November 23 @ 7:00 pm

Teams - Mix 5
(Must have one of opposite sex)
32 Teams

First Come First Serve

Entry - \$125.00 per Team

\$600.00 First Place Team

Handicap - 90% of 230

- A. 2011-12 Book
- B. Current Summer 2012 (21 games)
- C. 2010-2011 Book
- D. 175 Blind
- E. House has right to re-rate any bowler

Optional: Side Pots, Lotto, & Shot of Gold

******PREPAID EVENT******



For further information call:
Tom Cristi or Craig Goodman

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ABTA BULLETIN

SANTA FE SPRINGS — The ABTA Schedule Nov17-Feb 2 is now available and is also online www.abta1.com. Please inform us of any address change and phone numbers which are kept confidentially by ABTA. At times we will call you if you hit a special pot and don’t realize.

Prepay the Special Events for a Cash Bonus if you win. If YOU do not bowl you will be refunded in full.

LAS VEGAS ROOMS ARE DUE BY DEC. 29 Friday/ Saturday nights are \$79 +tax, and all other nights are \$45 +tax. CALL South Point Hotel 1-866-791-7626 and use code ABT-0117 for our rates. YOU must call South Point for these ABTA rates. If you have won a room in a raffle or prize we will reserve for you.

Thanksgiving Event Nov. 21-22-23-24 at CAL Bowl. Please notice the Wednesday and Thursday Night Bonuses and Prepaid Bonus. Please Check in early at the Events. You may call if you like to inform us of your desired squad so we can have your information available ASAP.

You may call BOB 562-868-7164, Deb 562-965-6941, Bobbie 712-309-2128 or Greg 626-536 6755 on our cells.

We appreciate your membership and will do our best to direct a fair and honest event with the greatest possible pay-offs.

Sincerely Bob and the ABTA Staff

ABTA SCHEDULE NOV. 10- FEB. 9

562-868-7164

www.abta1.com

Cell-562-228-3960

Check In Early or call for reservations Weekly If desired

Reserve Rooms early/Now for LAS VEGAS OPEN at the South Point Jan17-18-19-20

Reserve Las Vegas Rooms by Dec. 29 for our rate Prepay for Thanksgiving & Las Vegas for Bonus Cash

If YOU do not Bowl You will be Refunded Your Entry

Nov 17 (One Day) Carter Bowl

1501 So. Lemon, Fullerton 714-526-7725
FROZEN HANDICAP (you will not lose pins)
12:00-1:00-2:30-4:00 & 6:00 Semis 8:00 PM

THANKSGIVING SPECIAL \$12,200 w Bonuses

Nov. 21-22-23-24 (4 Days) CAL BOWL

2501 Carson, Lakewood 562-421-8848
\$12,200 1st Place With Bonuses \$5000 Min 1st Place
Wed. 11/21 One Big Squad 9:45 PM \$700 Bonus 1 in 6
Thur. 11/22 7:00-8:30 & 10:00 PM \$500 Bonus 1 in 6
Fri. 11/23 5:00-7:00-8:30 & 10:00 PM \$250 Bonus
Sat. 11/24 12:00-1:00-2:30-4:00-5:30-7:00-8:30 & 10:00 PM 1 in 6 1/2
Board frozen Each Day is Separate Qualifying
RE Entry Only Squad 6:00 PM takes 1 in 6 ½ to Semis)
3-6-9 Roll-off is at 7:45 PM Semi Finals Follow
Top 32 to Single Elim finals- 7 Women Min top 32
See Our Mailer/ Flyer for full Info

Dec 1 Del Rosa Lanes (One Day) Semi Frozen

1499 Highland, San Bernardino 909-886-4675
12:00-1:00-2:30-4:00 & 6:00 Semis 7:45 PM
SPECIAL TBA Stay tuned

Dec 8 TBA or Bye

Dec 15 CHRISTMAS SPECIAL (Gifts/Prizes (1 Day)

West Covina Lanes
675 So Glendora Ave West Covina 626-960-3636
12:00-1:00-2:30-4:00 & 6:00 Semis 8:00 PM
Each entry gets 2 tickets for Prizes/ Gifts

DEC 22 BYE MERRY CHRISTMAS

Dec 29 New Year Special Event CAL BOWL

2501 Carson Lakewood 562-421-8448
12:00-1:00-2:30-4:00 & 6:00 Semis 7:45 PM

Jan 5 (One Day) Bowlium Lanes

4646 E. Holt Ave Montclair, 909-626-3528
12:00-1:00-2:30-4:00 & 6:00 Semis 8:00 PM
SPECIAL to Be Announced stay tuned

Jan 12 (One Day(Linbrook Bowl)

201 So Brookhurst Anaheim 714-774-2253
HANDICAP FROZEN For Las Vegas
12:00-1:00-2:30-4:00 & 6:00 Semifinals 8:00PM

Jan 17-18-19-20

Las Vegas Open at South Point

\$14,000 1st w/Bonuses

\$ 7,000 1st Min

Thursday Jan 17 \$600 Bonus
9:30 PM-11:00 PM & 12:30 AM
Friday Jan 18 \$300 Bonus
12:00 PM-1:00 PM-2:30-4:00-BREAK
9:30 PM-11:00-12:30AM

Saturday Jan 19
12:00-1:00PM-2:30PM-4:00PM-OIL
6:30PM-8:15PM-9:15PM & 11:30 PM
Sunday Jan 20 9:00 AM-10:15AM
(takes 1 in 6 ½)

11:45 AM Re-Entry Only Squad (1 in 6½ to Semi Finals)

** Note: The Sunday AM Squads are Open To Everyone! 1st Time OK **

Sunday 11:45 AM Squad RE Entry Only (You must have already bowled In Event)

3-6-9 Roll-off 1:30 PM Sunday Semi Finals at 1:45 PM

Estimated 110 to Semis/Cash Top 32 to the single elimination finals

Regardless of Entries Min Guarantee

56 Men 14 Women and 5 Super Seniors (added

Jan 26 BYE No Bowling

Feb 2 (One Day) Action Lanes

10534 Lower Azusa Rd El Monte 626-350-8831

12:00-1:00-2:30-4:00 & 6:00 Beat the Board Semis 8:00 PM SEMI FROZEN HCP

12:00-1:00-2:30-4:00 & 6:00 Semis 8:00 PM

Feb 9 Mission Hills Bowl

10134 Sepulveda Bl. Mission Hills
818-361-1221

12:00-1:00-2:30-4:00 & 6:00 Semis 8:00 PM

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ABTA "Tournament"

4-Day Nov. 21-22-23-24 Thanksgiving Special



Cal Bowl

2500 Carson Lakewood, CA (562) 421-8448

Take 605 Freeway to Carson, 3 Miles west,
Or 91 Freeway to Paramount go south 2 miles to Carson, right

GLOBAL

\$5,000 1st min \$12,200 1st with Bonuses

4 Days Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday / check in early

NOV. 21-22-23-24

Brackets--Match Game--Match Series--3-6-9-- Doubles--Side Pots-Horses

Open to new Members up to 209 Avg. No PBA / WPBA

Men & Women Qualify Separately

Guaranteed Min of 60 Men & 12 Women (min) to cash Plus Super Seniors

\$600 if 1st entry paid by Nov. 3 \$ 250 if by Nov 10 \$175 if by Nov. 17

\$700 if qualifying Wednesday Night and winning event

\$500 if qualifying Thursday Squads and winning event

\$250 for qualifying Friday (all Squads) \$200 ABTA Logo Shirt

\$850 bowled 29+ Sqds since Nov 28, 2011 \$400 if bowled in 15 Sqds calendar Year

\$250 using 900 Global Ball in final match

Cash n Carry pays \$115-\$1 in this special event up to \$4,600 (\$1--\$40 entry)

1 in 6 ½ entrants to Semi Finals EACH DAY is Separate Qualifying Board

QUALIFYING SQUADS

Wednesday Nov. 21 \$700 Bonus ONE BIG SQUAD 9:45 PM 1 in 6 to Semis

Thursday Nov. 22 \$500 Bonus 5:30 7:00- 8:30 & 10:00 PM 1 in 6 to Semis

Friday Nov. 23 \$250 Bonus 5:00 – 7:00 - 8:30 & 10:00 PM 1 in 6 ½ to semis

Saturday Nov. 24 12:00-1:00-2:30 & 4:00 last regular qualifying squad Board frozen

RE Entry Only Squad at 6:00 PM (this squad takes 1 in 6 ½ to Semis)

3-6-9 Roll-off is at 7:45 PM Semi Finals Follow

Then the top 32 to the single elim finals-- 7 women Min to top 32

Entry Fees

1st Entry Prepaid is \$91 \$93(onsite)

1st Re entry is \$84/ 2nd/ \$77 all others \$69

Reduced Entry Fees

\$60 pays \$2,500 1st Place

Re Entries are \$55/\$49



American Bowlers Tournament Association

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Danny Guevarra Wins at Action Lanes

Donovan Chung Hits Match Series for \$302

3-6-9 will be \$1,400 and Match Series est. at \$280

Match Game Still at \$3,500

ABTA at Carter Bowl for Frozen Handicap Special

EL MONTE — We returned to Action Lanes where we saw 176 entries come out on Saturday and it turned out to be a good one. Cut scores were good as it took +82 for the men and +32 for the women, on a medium good shot this week. The Super Seniors added to the board (two men and one Woman) were Tom Dahl +58, Ely Cruz +54, and Bobbie McCollum +21 for the women. Super seniors are men 63 and over, and for the women you just need to be a young 55. That would give us 42 bowlers making it to the semi-finals.

The High qualifiers were Greg Kokanour for the men with a big +215 and for the women it was Marina Suos with a +121. They will get a paid entry into a future regular ABTA event. Each week our top seed draws the Match Series, and this time it was worth \$302. Greg drew a 467. We had one bowler that bowled this score and it was Donovan Chung. Therefore, we will estimate the Match Series at \$400 at Carter Bowl event. Shawn Morgan was the last person standing for the 3-6-9. He missed on his first shot so he got a \$50 consolation. We estimate the pot will be at \$1,500 at Carter Bowl.

In our optional doubles, finishing in first were Steve Brode and Edmund Del Mundo with a 1471 for \$130. Finishing in second was Steve Brode and Chris Kelly with a 1462 for \$110. There was a total of

\$1,450 paid out in doubles and 26 paid spots with low to cash of 1384 for the \$5.00 entry.

This would take us to a Special Beat the Board Finals. Where you finish is where you will place. After the first game the top 5 were, in fifth place with a +33 was George Parker, in fourth place with a +37 was Dom LaGuardia, in third place with a +40 was Kelly Wynn, in second place with a +71 was Danny Guevarra, and in first place with a +90 was Melvin Finner. After the second game the top five were, in fifth place with a +72 was Gerry Manalo, in fourth place with a +79 was Du Quach, in third place with a +95 was Steve Brode, and in second place with a +110 was Melvin Finner, and still in first place with a +139 was Danny Guevarra.

After the completion of semi-finals the low for the three women to finish in the top 16 was +48. For the men it was +73. Finishing in fifth place was Gerry Manalo with a +107 for \$110. Finishing in fourth place with a +125 was Steve Brode for \$110. Finishing in third place was John Armenia with a +128 for \$200. Finishing in second place was Melvin Finner. He needed a spare in the 10th frame to win it all but missed the 10 pin to finish with a +136 for \$500. Holding on to first place with a +144 was Danny Guevarra. He will get \$1,000 for first place, and an additional \$1,700 for Cash and Carry to give him a total of \$2,700. Danny was

also your horse winner for \$117 for each of the eleven that bet on him.

Champion Danny Guevarra is from Carson and used a Nano drilled by ABTA Member Charles Weeks. He is married to Yoli, a super ABTA supporter. He would like to thank his wife Yoli for all her support and encouragement, friends at ABTA, Action Lanes for hosting the tournament, along with the ABTA and its Staff, and Action Lanes for Hospitality. Danny has been an ABTA Member many years and is Well-liked and respected by all. They don't come any better. Congrats President!

Melvin Finner, another ABTA regular and one of the good Guys in Second Place, is from Los Angeles and used a Cross Road drilled by Arvo. He is single with three children. He would like to thank Arvo for drilling his equipment, his three kids Keion, Keionna, and Kamryn, R.J., Marvin Crowder, ABTA and its Staff.

Great Bowling "third" by one of the good guys, John Armenia who has been with the ABTA for a long time. They don't come any nicer than John. He could have won with a few breaks at Action.

The weekly ball sponsor winner of a 900 Global Ball was Conrad Amado. Each time you bowl, you get a free ticket for this prize given away by our Sponsor, 900 Global. The rest of the results are in the payoff column in this paper.



El Presidente Wins in ABTA return to Action Lanes (L-R) Melvin Finner, (Runnerup \$500), Danny Guevarra (Champion), \$2,700 Danny's Boss and #1 Supporpter His wife Yoli Guevarra, John Armenia (3rd) \$200, Steve Brode (4th) \$110, Mark Seymour (Manager), Gerry Manalo 5th \$110.

It was great to return to Action Lanes. The atmosphere was great there, the staff was superb and it is a great place for our tournament. Special Thanks to Mgr Mark Seymour for his help and anyone else who contributed. We will return there in February.

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Carter is totally FROZEN Handicap for The Big Thanksgiving Event and our next big event at Cal Bowl. Also you can make Room reservations with South Point for our January 2013 Vegas Open.

Its history folks as Danny

Guevarra enters the archives as our latest champion. Hope to see you at Carter Bowl!

If you have any comments or suggestions, use the contact page on our Website to send comments to us. Thank you for being an ABTA member until then!

See you at Carter for a Good one and Thanksgiving the next week at CAL is a Big One Til then.



Manalo Wins First ABTA title at Keystone. Gerry Manalo won his first ABTA Title at Keystone Lanes Oct. 20 and the picture didn't come out so here it is. The Bowling Manalos are a nice family of fine people who we are proud to have in the ABTA. (L-R) ABTA Tournament Dir Bob Smith, Bo Manalo, Gerry Manalo Champion \$1,850, Pat Manalo, & Nancy.

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25	Bobbie McCollum (ss)	633	\$65.00	
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Cut Scores				
Men: Sat + 82 Women: Sat +32				
Super Seniors:				
Tom Dahl (58), Ely Cruz (54), Bobbie McCollum (21)				
High Qualifier (Free Entry)				
Men: Greg Kokanour + 215				
Women: Marina Suos + 121				
3 - 6 - 9: Shawn Morgan				
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Match Series: 467 - Don Chung				
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On this cool, crisp Veterans Day; we had a very easy drive to Fountain Bowl for our second visit of this season. We would like to thank Kevin for being on site early to open the doors and set up the telescopers. We were greeted with hot coffee to start off our morning. Special thanks to the staff for help getting sub and handicap changes to the rosters. We also welcomed back to the league sub group Norma Payne and Loreda Silk-Hill. It seems that weather has several bowlers fighting health issues. Hoping for a speedy recovery to all of you.

Good strike conditions resulted 25 percent of the bowlers posting series over 500. Our star of the day was Kim Cato rolling 206 and 209 games to score a very nice 607 series. Additional high scores were posted by Terry Jackson with 205/ 573, Doris Lewis shooting 235/572, Dee

ROMEO *continued from page 1*

Final Standings:

1st	Robin Romeo, Van Nuys, Calif.	249/243	\$1000
2nd	Lucy Sandelin, Tampa, Fla.	212/266/208	\$750
3rd T	Dana Miller-Mackie, Albuquerque,NM	268/258/204	\$500
3rd T	Carole Jones, Englewood, Colo.	203/182/215	\$500
5th T	Paula Vidad, Sun City, Calif.	204	\$400
5th T	Terri Ward, Loveland, Colo.	201/186	\$400
5th T	Char Hammel, Las Vegas, Nev.	169	\$400
8th T	Lisa Wasson, Murphy, Texas	194	\$350
8th T	Kristy Witcher, Belfair, Wash.	198	\$35
8th T	Shelley Nell, Silverdale, Wash.	172	\$350

Player Byes based on qualifying scores:

1-game bye: Sandelin, Hammel, Vidad

2-game bye: Romeo

Phipps 210/569, Ella Wilson 214/567, Maxx Paul 563, Vi Wilson 531, Margo McClain 521, Nancy Soto 516, Mary Smyth 512, Mayrt Owens 510 and Mary Dixon 508. Nice bowling ladies!

For the under 155 average, Loreda Silk-Hill rolled the high series of the day with a 494 closely followed by Bert Martinez at a 482 series. Champs of the day in the over 156 average class are listed

above.

As the season reaches halfway, Westminster 2 continues to hold the league number one position with 31 wins and Westminster 1 is in second position with 23 wins. Only one game separates position 3 through 5.

Darlene is out sick. We wish her well and hope she will be back with us soon.

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The Essentials of Bowling is not just another “Bowling: A to Z” book. It is a clear and concise manual that will allow you to take the abilities you already possess and improve them. Because it is primarily for someone who already bowls, I assume that you, the reader, have a basic knowledge of bowling terminology and technique. Even if you do not—if you are a begin-ner, in other words—this book will serve you well as a platform on which to base the game you are about to develop.

Many bowling books and bowling instructors teach the same standard techniques that have been taught for generations. These may be the very skills you are using. The fact that you are looking at this book proves that you sense there must be a better way, and you are right! The techniques in this modest manual are based on sound and rational logic rather than strict adherence to traditional teachings.

The Essentials of Bowling is formatted to make it an easy-to-use reference source. It is a common sense look at the game and the skills it requires. It introduces you to the importance of the basic skills and then describes exactly how to perform them properly. These descriptions, if combined, make up less than one full page of normal text, making it easy for you to incorporate what you are about to learn into a two- to three-second delivery.

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I wish you a lifetime of better bowling!

CHAPTER 1

A True Story

Thirty-two weeks ago, nobody could have predicted that the season would end like this. Here at Eastway Bowling Lanes, the championship of the Sunrisers’ League is coming down to the last frame of the last game of the last week of the season.

The Ten-Pins are leading the Six-Pack by nineteen pins. Mark and Lenny, the last two bowlers, step up to the approach, that fifteen foot stage on which they will perform their final act of this season. Both are capable bowlers, which is why they anchor their respective teams. To say that the two men don’t like each other very much is an understatement. One loves the game; one loves to win. This difference has fueled a growing rivalry over the years.

Lenny, a short, aging overhead crane operator is on lane 1 for the Six-Pack. He cradles his ball with both hands and takes a step back, signaling his opponent to go first, a standard protocol for this game.

Mark, a brash, swaggering, young former marine, steps up onto the approach. He glances up at the electronic scoreboard and, seeing his enviable position, can’t resist taunting his nemesis. “All I have to do here is throw a strike and I close you guys out!” He grins as he prepares himself for battle once more. He’s been locked on to the pocket all game long. He feels his confidence surge. Victory is assured!

Lenny remains calm and focused. He inserts his fingers into his ball, stretches his hand around it until his thumb goes in smoothly, and then reverses the process as he patiently awaits Mark’s delivery.

Up on the approach, Mark takes some extra time to savor the moment. All eyes are on him, and he loves it! In his mind, he pictures the pins exploding as his ball crashes mercilessly through them. He can’t wait to rub Lenny’s nose in the fact that he beat the hated Six-Pack when it counted most—when it was for the championship. Now, he imagines his drill sergeant standing behind him, barking out his marching orders.

“Acquire your target, soldier!”

Target acquired, sir! he says to himself.

“You may fire when ready!” the imaginary officer yells.

Ready! Slowly he slides his left foot forward and takes the first step toward his target. Aim! As he approaches the foul line, he winds himself up like a coiled spring. Fire! Mark unleashes another of his thunderous shots. The ball hits the alley with a loud thunk and churns its way down the lane. He watches with satisfaction as the ball rolls over its intended spot and begins its long, powerful arc toward the pocket. He smiles broadly as he waits for the resounding crash! that will accompany ten pitiful pins reeling into the pit, bringing him the glory that he craves.

Maybe he waited too long. Maybe he put too much rotation on the ball. Maybe he set it down on the lane too soon. Maybe he had slowed his delivery down just a smidge. Maybe . . . ! It doesn’t matter. For whatever reason, all he can do now is watch as, at the last moment, his ball dives up onto the headpin and slices cleanly through the array of pins.

Maybe I’ll get lucky, he thinks, as he watches pins roll lazily around on the deck. Maybe, just maybe . . . , but today there is no luck. “Oh, come on!” he yells at the pins as though they are alive and subject to his commands. As he turns away from them, he puts his hands on his hips and hangs his head in disgust.

“These lanes suck!” he growls. He looks up and glares at Lenny as the pinsetter comes down and picks up his 4-6 split, sweeps the deck clear, and then resets them with tormenting precision.

“Win by whatever means necessary, soldier!” he hears his sergeant command. He switches his strategy to psychological warfare. Mark believes that he can get into Lenny’s head, mess with his mind, and cause him to make a bad shot. He can still take credit for the win when the Ten-Pins claim the trophies. “You still need to strike out to win!” he snarls at Lenny as he steps off the approach to await the return of his ball. Mark doesn’t know Lenny very well.

Lenny didn’t see the results of Mark’s shot. He doesn’t hear Mark tell him that he still needs to strike out, and he doesn’t even glance up at the scoreboard. The diminutive elder statesman of the league, Lenny is physically no match for Mark, but mentally, it’s a different story.

The Lucky Little Leprechaun, as he is affectionately called, steps up onto the approach and places his feet in exactly the same position he has been placing them for the entire game. He looks up and faces his target, the second arrow, making sure that his shoul-ders are squared to it. Next, he removes his thumb from the hole and raises the ball to his lips. He always does this; it’s part of his routine. To most people, it appears that he is giving his ball a kiss, but in reality he is putting a puff of air into the thumbhole. The little bit of added moisture gives him a better grip and keeps the ball from slipping off his hand too early.

Lenny places his thumb back into the ball and, supporting it with both hands, lowers it to his waist. He takes a deep breath as he begins the next phase of his routine, the chant. Stance! he thinks firmly. At this moment, he is no longer merely Lenny, a five foot four inch, 150-pound, blue-collar worker who just can’t wait to retire. He is now a bowler!

In his mind, he quickly runs through his stance checklist:

Face target

Weight on one foot

Shoulder dipped down

Elbow tight to my side

Forearm pointed at the second arrow

Palm under the ball

He is ready! Without hesitation, he confidently takes his first step forward.

Pushaway! Smoothly and deliberately, he begins to push the ball down and away from himself, directing it toward the second arrow. He concentrates on keeping his palm under the ball until his arm is perfectly straight.

Armswing! Using no muscle power at all, Lenny allows his arm to simply drop, while maintaining his firm grip on the ball. He continues to focus on keeping his hand under and then behind the ball as it swings like a pendulum.

Keep the backswing low, he reminds himself. The last thing he wants right now is a high backswing. Not only would it throw off his timing, but it would also twist his shoulders around and take his armswing off his target line. He applies the brakes. The backswing comes to a halt, and the ball begins to move forward. His hand is still positioned behind the ball.

As Lenny’s left foot begins its short slide toward the foul line, the ball nears his ankle and he gives himself one last silent command: Release! He loosens his grip. As the ball rolls cleanly off his thumb, he lofts it out onto the lane with his fingers.

A mere 2.4 seconds have elapsed since he began to take the first step in his approach. He hears a thud as the ball lands and heads directly for its target. That’s a good shot, he calmly thinks. It’s as emotional as bowler Lenny allows himself to get.

There is nothing flashy in Lenny’s delivery. There is nothing fancy in his footwork—no awesome display of power. His whole approach is simple but produces devastating results. His ball rolls true and crushes the pocket! Ten in the pit, as they say.

“Yeah!” yells one of his teammates. “Nice shot, Lenny!” says another. “C’mon man, one more!” pipes another as he slaps him on the back. Just a few short minutes ago, they were all watching what they thought was a whole season slipping away. Maybe it still was, but at least now they felt that there was a chance, and they were all glad that it was Lenny up there giving them that chance. What a difference 2.4 seconds can make!

As he waits for his ball to return, Lenny steps back off the approach to allow Mark to shoot for his spare without distraction. It isn’t necessary but shows respect and good sportsmanship toward his opponent. He stays focused by keeping his head down and staring at the spot on the approach where he will again plant his feet. He barely hears a faraway click as Mark’s second shot picks off the six pin.

An open frame is not how he had planned to end his season, but Mark isn’t quite done yet! “These lanes suck!” he snorts again. He stays up on the approach to wait for his ball. He is stalling, hoping to break Lenny’s concentration, a tactic similar to icing a field goal kicker at the end of a football game by calling a time-out.

Still staring at the approach, Lenny steps up and picks his ball from the return. “You still need two more strikes to win, Leprechaun!” taunts Mark.

Lenny plants his feet. He blows into the thumbhole and repeats his mantra, Stance! . . . pushaway! . . . armswing! . . . release! . . . WHAM! Ten more pins in the pit! His teammates breathe a sigh of relief, smile, and pump their fists. “C’mon Lenny, one more time!” someone says, but he doesn’t hear them. Up on the approach, he looks at the new rack of pins the machine has prepared for him and says to himself, “Focus! It’s just another shot.”

Ka-chunk! Lenny’s ball announces its arrival. He picks it up for his last shot of the season. “It’s just another shot . . . ” he repeats to himself as he plants his feet once again, exactly as before.

Standing on the tiled floor, Mark has positioned himself right behind Lenny. He is still holding his ball, mindlessly wiping the day’s oil and grime from it as he waits for his enemy’s final shot. “Nine to tie!” he chirps and then adds, “Eight . . . youuuuuu loooooooose!”

Lenny ignores him. He has completed his stance checklist and begins his approach. Pushaway! he repeats as he moves the ball toward its target.

THUD! The sound is so loud that Lenny not only hears it—he feels it!

Lenny’s concentration is destroyed! His armswing goes out of alignment, and his wrist position collapses. Instantly, he knows he has to abort this shot! He has to start over, but one of the hardest things for a bowler to do is to stop in the middle of an approach. He squeezes the ball as hard as he can and manages to hang on to it! He swings it up to his chest just as his left foot slides over the foul line.

Red lights flash and bells ring, signaling that the foul line has been violated. Lenny angrily sets his ball back down on the return and asks, “What . . . the . . . hell . . . was . . . that!?” He sees Mark stooping over to pick up the bowling ball he had just dropped “accidentally.”

Mark looks up to see little Lenny standing over him with his hands on his hips. The two men stare at each other for a second, and then Mark breaks into a grin. “Ooooooops!” he says impishly and then adds, “You fouled, man! We win!” He picks up his ball, turns away from Lenny, and then sticks his thumb into it and quickly pulls it back out, creating a resounding pop! Ignoring every protocol of sportsmanship, he does it again—pop!—and again—pop!

The rules state that “a foul occurs whenever a bowler crosses the foul line as he delivers the ball.” Since Lenny never delivered his ball, no foul had occurred, and he knows it. Mark knows it too, but he hates to lose, and feeble mind games are now the only shots he has left.

Lenny is a very good bowler, but he is an even better coach. For over three decades, he has been teaching kids and adults what is important in bowling and what is not. Mark and his pitiful actions are not important.

Technique!—that’s important! Good technique and luck create good results, but one can never rely on luck; just ask Mark.

There is always a heckler in his classes who will invariably chime in with, “I’d rather be lucky than good, coach!” Lenny has a standard response to this. He calls it simply “lesson number 1,” and it is this: “Luck is when preparation meets opportunity.”

It is time for him to listen to his own advice. He is prepared, and this is certainly an opportunity! Without further hesitation, he picks up his ball. He places the big toe of his right foot on the third dot at the back of the approach. He screws his fingers into the ball as tightly as he can, brings it up to his lips, and blows gently into the thumbhole. He stares at his target, the second arrow from the right gutter. He takes a deep breath to relax as he lowers the ball and faces his target.

Pop!

Stance!

Shoulders squared with target . . . check.

All my weight on my right foot . . . check.

Right shoulder dipped down . . . check.

Elbow tight to my side . . . check.

Forearm pointed straight at the second arrow . . . check.

Palm under the ball . . . check.

Pop!

Confidently, Lenny takes his first step toward the foul line.

Pushaway! He deliberately pushes the ball directly toward his target, leaving virtually no room for error. He focuses on keeping his palm under the ball as he feels his arm straighten until the elbow locks . . .

Pop!

Armswing! He shifts his attention to avoiding the use of muscle power as his arm begins its pendulum-like swing. Keep the backswing low, he reminds himself. He begins to apply the brakes and start the forward part of the swing. Hand behind the ball . . . check! he thinks as he begins his slide toward the foul line and the ball nears his ankle.

Release! He feels the ball roll cleanly off of his thumb and lofts it out

onto the lane, his fingers once again guiding it toward the second arrow. That’s a good shot, he thinks. At least I made a good shot.

Lenny gets down on one knee. There is nothing he can do now but watch. It’s a good shot, but is it good enough? Will the ball hit the pocket or jump up on the headpin like Mark’s ball did? Even if it hits the pocket, will it leave a ten pin or, worse yet, leave two pins standing to mock him as the 4-6 split had just done to his opponent?

He watches his ball as it closes in on the pins: it looks good. It looks real good! “Come . . . onnnn.” Wham! “Pack your bag, Mark! We’ll see you next year!”

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39’Ers Senior Trio: Richard Greenzweight 279/711, Carolyn Scherzberg 217/629, Jose Blanco 238/687, Ron Doll 266/671, Howard Rovner 233/651, Al Reiswig 637, Lucy Tralla 216/595, Mary Lauer 194/526, Bev Zietz 183/519, Carole Peire 187/516, John Sanchez 230.

Have a great week of bowling.



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THE PINZ BIZ by Quinndoggy

STUDIO CITY — If my calculations are corrent and they usually are; summer has come to an end and the bitter cold California winter is steadily creeping in. I was born and raised in Montana so I should be able to handle the below zero temps and the blinding snowstorms that are sure to strike the Los Angeles area. However, if you’re a L.A. native that might be bit more difficult. Quite a nasty picture I have painted, no? Have no fear! For any of you Angelites looking to stem the tide of winter woes I know just the cure! Bowling at PINZ!! Bring your friends! Your family! Or if you’re a pathetic loser come all by yourself! Everyone is welcome at PINZ!

ADULTS

I don’t like to refer to you guys as “Adults” because if you’re anything like me then you are really just a child trapped in an adult’s body. That being said, you kids have really been bowling like adults lately. I feel like every time I turn around we have a new 300 game to add to the T.V.s for the whole alley to see. Keep it up girls and boys!

Paramount: Sean Vilbert 566, Eric Zimmerman 552, Phillip Beverly 487, Charlotte Johnson 412, Rebecca Pavia 351, James Ward 238, Steve Weinstein 194, Larry Margolis 186, Erin Humphrey 139, Heather Eades 128.

Tavern Guild: Keane Murakami 632, James Tan 625, Ryan Barbato 570, Carol Clair 443, Jay Johnson 258, Tony Annibale 212, Mary Thomspen 209, Katrina Theophilos 141.

Funseekers: Riff Raff Ferragamo 714, Terry Wainscott 601, Bonnie Perlman 505, Malka Weiss 404, Rani Jerushalmi 259, T, Annibale 235, Lorill Clement 186, Therese Barron 132.

JUNIORS

I don’t like to refer to you guys as “Juniors” because if you’re anything like me then you feel more grown up than most of the grown-ups that are around you. That being said, you Ladies and Gents have really been bowling PBA all-stars lately. If I’m going to stay in the running with you folks I had better put in some extra practice time before work!

Junior Stars: Steven Struthers 407, Roeel Palmon 289, Donovan Sylla 130, Carlos Cisneros 129.

Senior Galaxies: Jordan Kalman 397, Grady Johnson 293, Nick Reid 155.

Have A Ball Saturday: (hdcp. series) Kris T. Harris 550, Jemini Harris 481.

Adult/Junior: Sharon Goldsmith 366, Donovan Sylla 249.

SENIORS

I don’t like to refer to you guys as “Seniors” because if you’re anything like me then you don’t like the stigmas and nicknames that come with growing up. That being said, you guys and gals never cease to amaze. I have the privilege to work in the moining from time to time and I must say, not only are you folks tremendous bowlers but anybody who CHOOSES to get up before 11 to bowl is a winner in my book!

Joslyn Seniors: Allan Lotta 167/482, Gary Olsen 180/466, Don Thorner 461, Lillian Kleinman 138/390, Kathy George 161/385, Pat Olsen 139/381, Yolanda Dragotta 138.

Coffee & Donuts: Stacy Chang 203/533, Elaine Klein 182/523, Karen Wolkoff 169/474, Dori Crofts 171/451.

Senior Social: Art Michener 170/484, Russ Romo 432, Gary Olsen 168/432, Pat Olsen 166/406, Christine Stark 134/382.

Thanks for reading this far down in the article. I’m surprised I managed to keep your attention this long. For being such a loyal reader you win a special prize. QUINN’S QUOTE OF THE WEEK!!

“Crushing victory for Shervin and Quinn is imminent!”



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by Janie

BURBANK — Mid November! I can’t believe how quickly this year is flying by. Now is the time to pick those pumpkins for pie making. Or pick up a can at the store, which is what I’ll be doing.

Monday 690 league is still looking for a couple of bowlers to fill a team. Since it is a 6 PM league, you can bowl and have fun and still get home at a reasonable hour. If this fits the bill for you, call Janie. Now on to some rockin’ scores.

TUESDAY 8 FOR 8 YOUTH LEAGUE: (scr) Christian Gladney 121, Christian Spector 201. (hdcp) Bobby Vidal 162, Christian Gladney 268.

SENIOR SWINGER: (scr) Dick Bay 211, Seiki Tluczek 202, Dick Bay 595, Cres Cruz 486. (hdcp) Fred Rapp 272, Cres Cruz 249, Dick Bay 721, Cres Cruz 651.

ICF MIXED TRIOS: (hdcp only) J.D Quinn 252, Mary Zarycka 244, J.D. Quinn 696, Mary Zarycka 698.

SENIOR FOURSOME: (scr) Gil Carriage 215, Lucia Affentranger 180 Ron Durkee 602, Marilee Bishop 463. (hdcp) Gil Carriage 250, Dorothy Schmitz 247, Danny Buccola 658, Julie Peters 632.

LA METRO TELCO: (scr) Julio Garcia 246, Joyce Hill 187, Mike McMahon 605, Pearl Nale 500. (hdcp) Kevin Bularz 270, Kim Dove 269, Mike Diprima 692, Carol Peterson 730.

Orbits: (hdcp only) Jan Levitt 264, Rilla Raad 651.

GUYS & DOLLS: (scr) George Wood 244, Brandy Barnes 168, Jonathan Pearlstein 665, Debbie Martenson 484. (hdcp) Lenny Kress 291, Jenny Lam 263, Dennis Vejar 694, Lynn Cohen 650.

WED. NITE HANDICAP: (scr) Marco Reyes 277, Laura Baltazar 232, Bing Tuazon Jr. 671, Patty Valdez 617. (hdcp) Berto Parada 272, Helen Lao 260, Eric Protancia 857, Michelle Dominguez 706.

THURS 890: (scr) Don Smallwood 258, Julieta Ward 204, Phil Nunez 712, Ramona Gardner 551. (hdcp) Gary Johnson 302, Patsy Cochran 270, Dan Zeigler 770, Beth Jensen 730.

That does it for now. Until next time...keep the ball rolling’.


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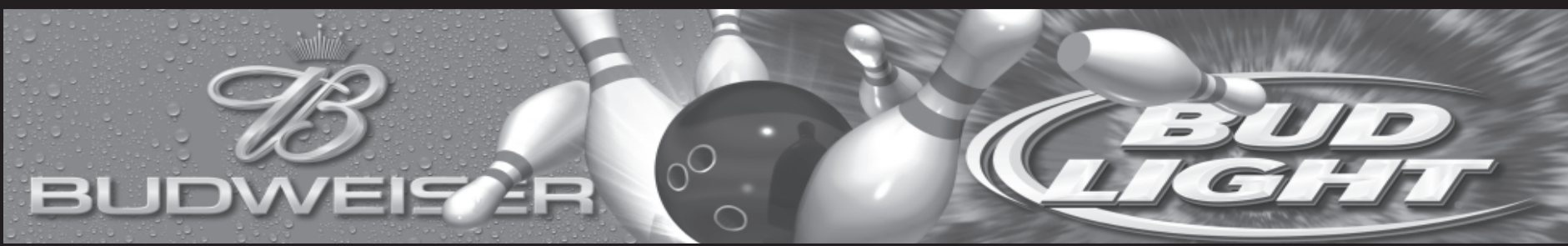
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With 47 entries on Monday, the Financial Advisors sidepot is looking at \$235 in the weekly sidepot and \$9000 estimated for sweeper night. The top three series will get paid, as well as the top 16 games bowled that night. Bowlers are eligible to cash in each game.
Financial Advisors Super Sweeper Sidepot, will be adding \$1,000 to the total collected. If you win 2 Super Pots all season you'll be ahead before we even get to sweepers with the \$9000 payout. 100% of all money collected will be paid out for the season.

SYSCO SWEEPS GJC SERVICES

DOWNEY — The phrase “I hate losing more than I like winning” is a feeling expressed by 99% of the Eboniters. GJC Services’ Mike Cammarata started off the night with 231 (First sidepot winner) and rolled the only 600 in the SYSCO/GJC match up, however SYSCO swept for five big points knocking GJC down to 9th place.
Vernon Adams anchoring the LINDER INSURANCE foursome made three trips to the cashing window—Second game side-pot, the \$1,000 Strike Pot, and the FINANCIL ADVISORS Pot. The JUNIOR AMATEUR TOUR didn’t look like amateurs. Kevin Yamauchi cranked out a 266 to pace his pals to a 4-1 hit to LINDER. ZOOM—right to the second spot and will be challenging SYSCO next week.
“BOWLIUM” boys and “TIFCO” at 10 wins each will be “heads up” on Monday. The number 4 man on each team tacked up 600’s—Arnold Cheesman 639 (BOWLIUM) and Raul Rosales 633 (TIFCO).
Still on the “nasty” pattern, hitting the pocket AND carrying remains a secret. Seems like pro shop owners (and employees) should have the edge—but in this league; talent, knowing their own game, and confidence plays a big part in scoring.
This past Monday night the league averaged 184. 59 guys bowled below their average, 2 raised their average. Of the 189 games bowled, 156 were below average.
Is SYSCO stoppable? Come on down and watch. The action starts at 8:30 p.m.

TOP 10 LAST WEEK
(On the Short Oil Round)

- 707 Deeron Booker
- 675 Keith Laing
- 673 Kevin Yamauchi
- 639 Arnold Cheesman
- 634 Billy Myers Jr.
- 633 Spanky Rosales
- 628 Mike Cammarata
- 622 Jeff Carr
- 610 Vernon Adams
- 609 Bobby Campagnale

Sidepot Winners
Game 1 231 Mike Cammarata
Game 2 234 Vernon Adams
Game 3 266 Kevin Yamauchi
Financial Advisors Pot
234 Vernon Adams

STANDINGS ROUND 2
(Week 3 of 7)

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| Sysco | 14 |
| Junior Amateur Tour | 12 |
| Bowlum | 10 |
| Tifco Industries | 10 |
| Pro Approach | 9 |
| Threadworks | 9 |
| Western Pacific Bowling Supply | 9 |
| Linder Insurance | 8 |
| GJC Services | 8 |
| Kegel \$ | 7 |
| Power House Video Games | 7 |
| A.B.T.A. | 6 |
| Clydes Video Games | 4 |
| A Different Look Cabinets | 3 |
| Herzog Insurance | 2 |
| Ultimate Hdcp. Bowling Tour | 2 |



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| TOP 2 TEAMS ROUND 2 | |
| SYSCO | JUNIOR AMATEUR TOUR |
| Paul Barraco | David Yamauchi |
| Charlie Kinstler | Kevin Yamauchi |
| Gabriel Martinez | Larry Campbell |
| Dean Sanderson | Kurt Arakaki |



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