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ARLINGTON, TEXAS — If you're at Copperfield Bowl in Houston on a Thursday night during the bowling season, you'll likely run into Sean Osbourn.

But, it was an unexpected guest appearance at the center Monday that yielded a recordsetting performance for the 24-year-old right-hander, who became the 29th bowler to roll three consecutive 300 games for a 900 series in United States Bowling Congresscertified competition.

Osbourn bowled as a substitute in Copperfield Bowl's early league session, and then was asked to fill in for someone on the late league. The second half of his evening started with the usual paperwork any bowler must fill out when

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bowling in new league for the first time, but it ended with additional paperwork he never could have expected. "I couldn't believe it - I still can't," said Osbourn, who owned four 300 games prior to Monday. "I wasn't shaking at the end, though. I think I was in shock. It's great and crazy, and I can't believe it happened to me. I love bowling and always have, and this is something I'll never forget."

First 900 In Lone Star State

Osbourn's last 300 and 800 came at Copperfield Bowl in September, when he opened the night with 12 consecutive strikes and added games of 258 and 254 for an 812 series, the third 800 of his career.

That experience definitely helped him Monday after his perfect start, despite impossible-to-avoid

Keystone Lanes in Norwalk to Host 2017 California State Singles Championships

by Fred Eisenhammer

sizable number of bowlers from Fresno took part.

Two youth bowlers won titles – Jennifer Loredo (13 years old) and Ashley Santos (16) – and they were Fresno residents.

Loredo was the champion in the women's 176-andhigher handicap division. Santos took first place in the women's 176-and-lowthoughts of the likelihood of a poor shot or run-ending 10 pin. Neither happened, though, as Osbourn polished off the first perfect set in the Lone Star State, topping the previous mark of 899, shot by Bill Fong of Plano, Texas, in 2010. "I'd never shot back-to-back 300s or two in the same set, so it was a little unfamiliar, but I just tried to keep it going and keep the shots online," Osbourn said. "I felt the same way at the end of the third game, too. But, I was on my good lane. I tried not to overthink it and just throw the ball."

Osbourn's 36-strike string came in the NFL Fall 2016 short-season league. The trios league kicked off its 14-week season in mid-September and is scheduled to run until Dec.12. "It defi-



Sean Osbourn

nitely helped being in a trios league, so I didn't have to wait that long and was able to keep my mind focused," said Osbourn, who comes from a family of bowlers and has averaged as high as 230, which came during the 2013-2014 season. "Being that it was the late league and some teams continued on page 7

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Author: Barb McFadden - Former professional bowler

VENTURA — Hello all, A big thank you goes out to Carol Mancini for inviting me to write a weekly column in the online version of the California Bowling News to tell you about Jackpot Bowling TM (For leagues, tournaments, and open play), the "StrikeIt-Rich! Challenge" TM Game Show made for television (Celebrity and real people version), the video has been killing local tournaments and PBA/PWBA memberships.

I'm Barb, a former professional bowler. You probably don't know me because I bowled competitively in the late 70's and early 80's. It didn't seem possible to have a lucrative future in professional bowling so I hung up my bowling shoes, went back to college, and graduated

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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11 PBA WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP 10 AM

USA VS. THE WORLD 1:30 PM NATIONAL BOWLING STADIUM - RENO bowling centers and league bowling associations signing up daily to support this effort, and the feedback from the troops has been absolutely wonderful. They love it, and we love it." Initial shipments of the lane kits went to 40 bases in Iran and Afghanistan, but continued on page 15

of less than 2,000 in the Northern California foothills.

A strong turnout of 170 entries competed at 24-lane Black Oak Lanes, said tournament director Larry Worrall.

"Overall, the tournament went well. There weren't any problems," said Worrall, adding that a er handicap division. gan

In the men's division, JoJo Barcelona of Lemoore took first place in the 176-and-higher handicap division. He won \$500. Marty Michel of Kingsburg claimed first in the 176-and-lower handicap division. He earned \$230. continued on page 7

game, and app.

As most of you know, competitive bowling has been enduring a slow death for many years. The United States Bowling Congress (U.S.B.C.) had around nine million members in 2003 and today there are only about two million. The seven million member loss from S.D.S.U. in 1990 with a B.A. in Psychology (Also majored in computer programming).

In 2001, my mom was diagnosed with ovarian cancer and dad had a poor memory so I put my life on hold and moved from Los Angeles to Lake Elsinore, continued on page 6





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It's Important to Know the Score

DETROIT - Granted, it had literally been decades since I had stepped inside a major league baseball stadium.

Still, I was shocked this year after I walked through the gates of Comerica Park to watch the host Detroit Tigers face the Chicago White Sox.

Where were all the vendors selling scorecards? There just were none to be found anywhere as I clutched my presumed five dollars for the program and another buck for the pencil to enter my scribbles.

Surely, there was a demand for fans to keep score.

As I recall, fans used to line up to purchase their scorebook filled with photos and stories of their favorite plavers and a middle section that was reserved for recording every play from both teams.

This was absolutely the case with all the White Sox and the Chicago Cubs games that I attended as a teen and young adult. I always bought a program and a pencil as well and then I went right to work denoting each game's play starting with the first pitch.

Not sure if the Tigers' stadium is an anomaly, but it still was a disappointment to not see any readily visible scorecards.

I felt baseball fans, including myself, needed to keep score to really follow the game and extract the most enjoyment out of the action. Furthermore, one never knew if that scorecard would turn into a valuable memento should Justin Verlander happen to hurl a perfect game.

I bring all this up after reading Steven Felege's bowling book, "The Essentials of Bowling. Approaching the Perfect Game."

As I wrote previously about the book, Felege incorporates numerous tips and musings around his core message about the path one needs to take to become a top bowler.

CHINA'S BACK WITH RECORD GROUP OF 10 PLAYERS

For the third year, "graduates" of China's Longmarch Pioneers League have returned to the GEICO PBA World Series of Bowling. This year's record group of 10 players includes three traditional right handers, two lefties and five players who use the "spinner" technique with very light bowling balls, a technique that is popular in Taiwan, Malaysia, Singapore and a few other Asian Rim nations. It's the largest group of "spinner" technicians ever to bowl in PBA competition.

After making its debut with six bowlers in 2014 and seven last year, China continues to pursue its first "casher." But the players who have qualified through the "Pioneers" program created by Longmarch Bowling President Frank Zhao continue to make progress and Zhao is making sure Chinese bowling fans are constantly updated by feeding them video and audio reports on social media on a daily basis. As a demonstration of the progress China is making, Zhiyong Wang averaged 224.5 in the Cheetah round to finish in 26th place – missing the cut to the match play elimination rounds by finishing two pins behind PBA legend Walter Ray Williams Jr.



Here's an electronic scoreboard at work at Corbin Bowl in Tarzana. Photo by Fred Eisenhammer

One of those tips bears mention because it seems so obvious but yet not everyone has gotten the message:

"Learn how to keep score!"

That goes for bowling as well as baseball.

Since electronic scoreboards came into vogue in bowling and elbowed out the need to score by hand, some people have been left out of the learning process of bowling's basic scoring system.

If you don't know how to keep score, you may not realize how many strikes it takes to finish with that memorable perfect game (12 is the answer.)

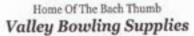
Or you may not know what you need to score at the end of the game to propel your league team to victory.

In any event, a little knowledge goes a long way to increasing enjoyment of any game.

Scoring is really easy in bowling. And once a bowler learns it, he or she realizes not only the importance of striking - putting that X up on the scoreboard - but the importance of stringing those strikes.

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In order to earn trips to the WSOB, Chinese players have to earn their PBA memberships through Zhao's Longmarch Pioneers League, establishing minimum 200 averages, and then they had to finish among the leaders in a national qualifying event.

Once again accompanying the delegation is Guotai Shi, who is Vice Chairman of the Chinese Bowling Association.





2016 WSOB "ANIMAL PATTERN" PRIMER

Since its inception in Detroit in 2009, the essence of the World Series has been a variety of "animal pattern" which not only offer PBA Tour titles, but serve as qualifying stages culminating with the PBA World Championship. In order to win the PBA World Championship, players must demonstrate a high level of consistency across the different challenges the "animal patterns" present.

While oiling patterns on bowling lanes are normally invisible, the PBA helped fans get a visual picture of the differences in playing conditions when it introduced blue dyed oil for televised WSOB events in 2013. The "blue oil" lanes have remained a part of PBA's televised events ever since.

Another major advance in understanding the challenges of bowling came when the PBA gave those varying oiling patterns names. Thus the so-called animal patterns were born, and fans can now relate to the playing surface involved simply by referring to the animal pattern name and knowing peculiar features are involved with that particular oiling pattern. This year's patterns are the Cheetah, Chameleon, Scorpion and Shark. The Shark, making its first WSOB appearance since 2011, replaces the Viper to give this year's World Series a different challenge than they faced in 2015. Here's a brief look at the 2016 animal patterns:

The Cheetah: PBA's description says "A cheetah may look harmless, but this speedster has a dangerous side. So does this pattern - with a fast scoring pace and play near the gutter, there's no room for error." The Cheetah involves applying oil on the lane to a distance of 35 feet. Past WSOB Cheetah champions include Norm Duke (2009), Eugene McCune (2010), Bill O'Neill (2012), Wes Malott (2013), Anthony Pepe (2014) and Parker Bohn III (2015). The Cheetah was not part of the 2011 WSOB.

The Chameleon: "Chameleons change color to outsmart their enemies. To excel on this pattern, bowlers must be versatile in many styles of play." The Chameleon pattern involves oiling to a distance of 43 feet. Past WSOB Chameleon champions include Bill O'Neill (2009), Scott Norton (2010), Jason Belmonte (2011), Scott Norton (2012), Ryan Ciminelli (2013), Mika Koivuniemi (2014) and Jesper Svensson (2015).



The Scorpion: "A scorpion is dangerous and unpredictable, like this pattern. If you can't find the right groove on the lanes, you'll be stung!" The Scorpion pattern involves oiling to a distance of 47 feet. Past WSOB Scorpion champions include Mike DeV-aney (2009), non-member Yong-Jin Gu (2010), Dom Barrett (2011), Tom Daugherty (2012), Tom Smallwood (2013), Michael Haugen Jr. (2014) and Jon Van Hees (2015).

The Shark: "The shark involves a heavy application of oil and is frequently preferred by players who can play the inside part of the lane because abundant oil on the outside part of the lane can lead mistakes into the abyss. Precise shot-making will be rewarded. Miss your target or make an errant release, and you may wind up in the jaws of the beast." The Shark pattern involves a high-volume application of oil to distance of 43 feet. Past WSOB Shark champions include: **Jack Jurek** (2009), **Osku Palermaa** (2010) and **Jason Belmonte** (2011).

The PBA World Championship: A specific oiling pattern, to a distance of 41 feet, is used for PBA World Championship match play and television final competition. Past WSOB PBA World Champions include: **Tom Smallwood** (2009), **Chris Barnes** (2010), **Osku Palermaa** (2011), **Parker Bohn III** (2012), **Dom Barrett** (2013), **Mike Fagan** (2014) and **Gary Faulkner Jr.** (2015).

In addition to the distance oil is applied to the lane for each specific animal pattern, the distribution of oil across the lane varies from pattern to pattern, using sophisticated lane maintenance equipment for precise duplication of oil lane to lane. The oil application influences angles of attack, ball speed and numerous other decisions bowlers have to make. Instead of being able to see the oil on the lane – and how it is moved around as each round progresses – professional bowlers read the motion of their bowling balls as they travel down the lane in order to make adjustments.

The variety of playing surfaces challenges combined with the most talented bowlers in the world are reasons why the PBA World Series of Bowling is the greatest event in bowling.

QUBICA AMF PBA REGIONAL UPDATE: *FINDLING WINS IN BEAUMONT*

Joe Findling from Mesquite, Texas defeated Mark Williams on Williams' home lanes Sunday, winning the 15th annual PBA Beaumont Southwest Open at Crossroads Bowling Center with a 218-182 victory over the PBA Hall of Famer. The victory was Findling's seventh career QubicaAMF PBA Regional title.

Findling led qualifying to claim the top berth for the stepladder finals. In the opening match, Williams defeated **Andy Patterson** of Tyler, Texas, 257-225. He then eliminated **Dylan Macon** from Lubbock, Texas, 233-214, to advance to the championship match. Then, holding a one-pin lead, Williams opened in the seventh frame and Findling pounced, striking in the ninth and 10th frames to secure the \$3,000 first prize.

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CA to take care of both parents. They bowled three times a week at Cal Oaks Bowl in Murrieta, CA so it didn't take long to get back into the game. A year later I won the 2002 PWBA Regional Player's Championship at the Gold Coast Hotel and Casino in Las Vegas and wanted to compete in the PWBA National Tour for one year, but the PWBA folded in 2003.

Frustrated about the loss of the PWBA I made a commitment to do something to improve prize funds for all competitive bowlers and spent more than a decade creating various ways to make bowling more fun and interesting to watch.

The StrikeItRich! Challenge TM game show and Jackpot Bowling TM (For leagues, tournaments, and open play) gets spectators more involved in the game and who doesn't like to win jackpots?

The current goal is to get a producer on board to televise the game show and to have fun with the recently launched "League version" (Jackpot Bowling) at Buena Lanes in Ventura. I'd like to thank the Tuesday night league bowlers for participating and Roger Herd, General Manager of Buena Lanes for giving the project a chance.

I will also be looking for sponsors and could use some volunteers to help film the Tuesday night competitions. If you would like to sponsor Jackpot Bowling or if you are interested in adding Jackpot bowling to your league or tournament, kindly send an email to: mail@StrikeItRichTV.com

Last week's Jackpot Bowling competition at Buena Lanes: A direct link to the video on YouTube: https://youtu.be/st51iB72hkg

JACKPOT BOWLING RESULTS - TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2016

The Tuesday night league is having a blast bowling for jackpots. Division One bowlers (150 & up) had their work cut out for them this week. The fifth challenge, "Get a strike" eliminated almost everyone from the competition except for Doug Stebelton, Brandon Dore, and Justin Sims. The sixth challenge required that the bowlers leave a split. Everyone failed that challenge miserably so they all stayed in the game, but no one could win the \$55.00 progressive jackpot because you have to successfully complete all ten challenges. The second jackpot based on entries was still up for grabs.

The eighth challenge required that the Division One bowlers knock down at least nine pins. Doug didn't make it leaving Brandon and Justin to go head to head for four more challenges ending up in a sudden-death competition until finally, the twelfth challenge; "Must leave one pin standing" ended the game. Justin got a strike and Brandon left only the headpin to win the jackpot. Next weeks' progressive jackpot will be worth \$60.00.

Most of the Division Two bowlers (149& under) made it through the first three challenges, but many had difficulty knocking down at least nine pins leaving Dan Kelly and Zechary Uribe to fight to the finish. They were both in contention to win the \$55 progressive jackpot until the seventh challenge, "Must get a split." Neither bowler won the challenge so they continued to play the game until the ninth challenge, "Knock down at least 9 pins." Dan left a washout, but Zechary completed the challenge to win the game and the Division Two jackpot. Next week's progressive jackpot will be worth \$60.00 in both divisions.

You can check out more videos at JackpotBowling.net (Not .com).

MICHAEL LOERA - BVL Star Performer

by Frank Weiler

INDIO — Michael Loera just turned fifteen and is on a path to bowling stardom. He may be a PBA star before long and is currently gaining tournament experience competing in JBT, Pepsi and USBC tournaments.

Last weekend he rolled a 721 (229 - 213 - 279) scratch series in the Citrus Belt BVL Tournament at Fantasy Lanes. With just two squads left to bowl, Michael has a great chance of becoming a BVL Champion. Just another step on the road to bowling stardom. Michael has been bowling for ten of his fifteen years and has been a two hander throughout those years. He started bowling with his parents (Marcos and Michelle) and now has a book average just a few sticks below 200.



Loera bowls in the Fantasy Lanes youth league on Saturday mornings. The league and the Fantasy youth program is directed by STACY LONG with the assistance of RICH-ARD BOIS.

Over the years the Fantasy youth program has developed several bowlers who have been successful JBT and Pepsi competitors. Michael won his first JBT tournament in 2010 when he was just eight years old. He also won a Pepsi CALIFORNIA State Championship in 2014 and went on to compete in the Junior Gold Tournament in Buffalo, New York.

While working the Citrus Belt BVL Tournament this past weekend I had the opportunity to observe Michael bowl. He definitely has the potential to become a PBA star. He appears to have the physical talent and temperament to succeed. Now it is a matter of dedication and hard work. I will be watching and rooting for him to succeed. Please stay tuned for future updates. **900 Series** continued from page 1

had already left, there weren't that many people around. Those who were left came up to congratulate me, and 5-10 minutes later is when it really started to sink in."

Osbourn had about a week's notice concerning his substitute role in Monday's early league, in which he bowled a less eventful series in the 670s. But, the first session served as a great warm-up and gave him an idea how to attack the oil pattern, even though his record feat would take place on a different pair of lanes.

Osbourn's achievement is pending approval from USBC and would be the 30th USBC-approved 900.

The first USBC-approved 900 occurred Feb. 2, 1997 when Jeremy Sonnenfeld rolled three consecutive perfect games in Lincoln, Nebraska.

USBC-Approved 900 Series (30)

Jeremy Sonnenfeld (R), Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 2, 1997 Tony Roventini (L), Greenfield, Wis., Nov. 9, 1998 Vince Wood (R), Moreno Valley, Calif., Sept, 29, 1999 Robby Portalatin (L), Jackson, Mich., Dec. 28, 2000 James Hylton (R), Salem, Ore., May 2, 2001 Jeff Campbell II (R), New Castle, Pa., June 12, 2004 Darin Pomije (R), New Prague, Minn., Dec. 9, 2004 Robert Mushtare (R), Fort Drum, N.Y., Dec. 5, 2005 and Feb. 19, 2006

Lonnie Billiter Jr. (R), Fairfield, Ohio, Feb. 13, 2006 Mark Wukoman (R), Greenfield, Wis., April 22, 2006 P.J. Giesfeldt (R), Milwaukee, Dec. 23, 2006 Rich Jerome Jr. (R), Baltimore, Dec. 22, 2008 Chris Aker (L), Winnemucca, Nev., Oct. 30, 2009 Andrew Teall (R), Medford, N.J., Nov. 2, 2009 Andrew Mank (R), Belleville, Ill., March 18, 2010 William Howell III (L), Middletown, N.Y., Oct. 21, 2010 Matt Latarski (R), Medina, Ohio, Nov. 28, 2010 Bob Kammer Jr. (R), Crown Point, Ind., Jan. 8, 2011 John Martorella Sr. (R), Greece, N.Y., April 12, 2012 Jimmy Schmitzer (R), Riverside, Calif., April 20, 2012 James Williams (R), Pawcatuck, Conn, April 16, 2013 Joe Scarborough (R), Charlotte, N.C., April 21, 2013 Todd James (R), East New Market, Md, March 18, 2014 Amos Gordon (R), Colorado Springs, CO, April 11, 2014 Earon Vollmar (R), Toledo, Ohio, Jan. 19, 2015 Hakim Emmanuel (R), Stoughton, Mass., Feb. 19, 2015 David Sewesky (L), Dearborn, Mich., Jan. 10, 2016 Dale Gerhard (R), Mill Hall, Pa., Jan. 12, 2016 Sean Osbourn (R), Houston, Nov. 21, 2016**

** Pending formal approval by the United States Bowling Congress.



Keystone Lanes

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Worrall reported that there weren't any 300 games bowled at Black Oak.

Last year, two bowlers blasted perfect games during the California State singles competition at Winnetka Bowl. They were Michelle Silver of West L.A. and Gabriel Ramirez of Monterey Park.

For Silver, it was her 20th perfect game. It was Ramirez's first 300.

Winnetka Bowl had a record 202 entries for the tournament. In 2014, the state tournament was held in Visalia and there were 125 entries. In 2013, the tournament took place in Torrance and there were 178 entries.

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tational is in the books, leaving only one week to go. And, with one week to go, the magic number for Western Pacific Bowling Supply to clinch a spot in the playoffs is one. They hold a $4\frac{1}{2}$ game lead over **DV8** going into the final night, meaning that DV8 would need a sweep to take the round by half a game.

Western Pacific faced Smirnoff on Monday in a battle that would determine who had a chance next week. Smirnoff went into the night four behind Western Pacific and got off to a quick start, taking game #1 by 80 pins. Arnold Cheesman led the way with 238, followed by Vernon Adams with 216. Smirnoff stayed hot, winning game #2 by 58 pins. Vernon Adams stayed hot too, shooting 227 in that game. Game #3 was all Western Pacific though, as they took the game by 141 pins, to pull off the miracle comeback, winning total pins by three! Gary Duran had a 227 in that final game, and Chris Hefner added 214. With the three wins, they increase their lead over Smirnoff to five.

DV8 and Forest Lanes battled on the second pair. With Western Pacific and Smirnoff splitting, the opportunity was there for one of these teams to sneak up to the top pair. DV8 took advantage of it, winning four out of five to move into second place by half a game. Jeff Carr led DV8 with 200-230/577. The four wins puts DV8 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ behind Western Pacific, forcing them to sweep next week to win the round.

Herzog Insurance won four out of five games from Erickson's Food Supply, improving to 19-11 for the round. Danny Ly, subbing for Herzog, topped the pair with 215-226/617. Mikey Villar-real added a 234/596 for Erickson's to help them to their lone win.

Sysco also improved to 19-11 after taking four out of five games from **Parkin's Bowling Supply**. Gabriel Martinez led Sysco with his 563 set. Steve Brode was very excited to get his first 200 of the round, shooting 224 in the third game, essentially throwing rockets to the head pin. Scott Poddig topped the pair in a losing effort for Parkin's, with 209-200/598.

Bowlium got a five game sweep over Linder's Insurance. Linder's stayed close in game in game one, but Bowlium took the

was the top shooter for Bowlium with a 223-213/635 series. Gary Wright added a 233/611 to help out. Brandon Grant posted

a 212-212/600 for Linder's Insurance in defeat. Cal Bowl squared off with J.A.T. on the next pair. Cal Bowl handled the match easily, taking all five games from J.A.T. Ramon Torres was the star of match, shooting 223-235/654, to lead the pair by more than 100 pins over the next closest bowler.

Keystone Lanes swept all five games from Threadworks. Eddie VanDaniker led the way, with a 656 series that was high-lighted by a 290 in the second game.

Los Altos Trophy took four out of five games from Crown Royal. Los Altos was led by Nick Rodriguez. Nick shot a 225/562 set. Dave Schiada led the pair, shooting a 233-201/587 for Crown Royal.

The Professional Approach team and the Century 21-My **Real Estate** team have both been struggling and in need of wins. Century 21 only took one game, but pulled out totals by one pin to win the match, 3-2. Matt Schermerhorn had the big set on the pair, shooting a 209-267/664 for the Pro Approach. Joe Jimenez led Century 21 with 222-211/605.

GJC Janitorial swept all five from Gym W.R.A.T.T. Fitness to round out the matches. Kevin Jones was the only bowler on the pair to have a 200 game, shooting 213 in the second game.

The first sidepot went to Arnold Cheeseman. He won with a 238 game. The super pot in game #2 went to Eddie Van Daniker with his 290 game, earning him \$189. Jon Diso took the 3rd game pot with 234.

Ramon Torres took the Financial Advisors Pot by one pin over Jon Diso, shooting a 235 game. Ramon won \$200. Jon Diso got \$100 for 2nd place.

Come down and watch the final night of the round next Monday at 8:30. Western Pacific Bowling Supply and DV8 will battle for the round. And, as an added bonus, there will be a round end sweeper going on with \$1500 in added money. See you at Del Rio Lanes

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Thursday 890: (scr) Woody Gillis 270, Kristen Lyon 208, Scott Biederman 667, Julieta Ward 513. (hdcp) Steve Szekely 298, Teri Lynn Zihlavski 256, Don Gibbons 762, Joyce Penunuri 682. That does it for now, so until next time... keep the ball rollin'!

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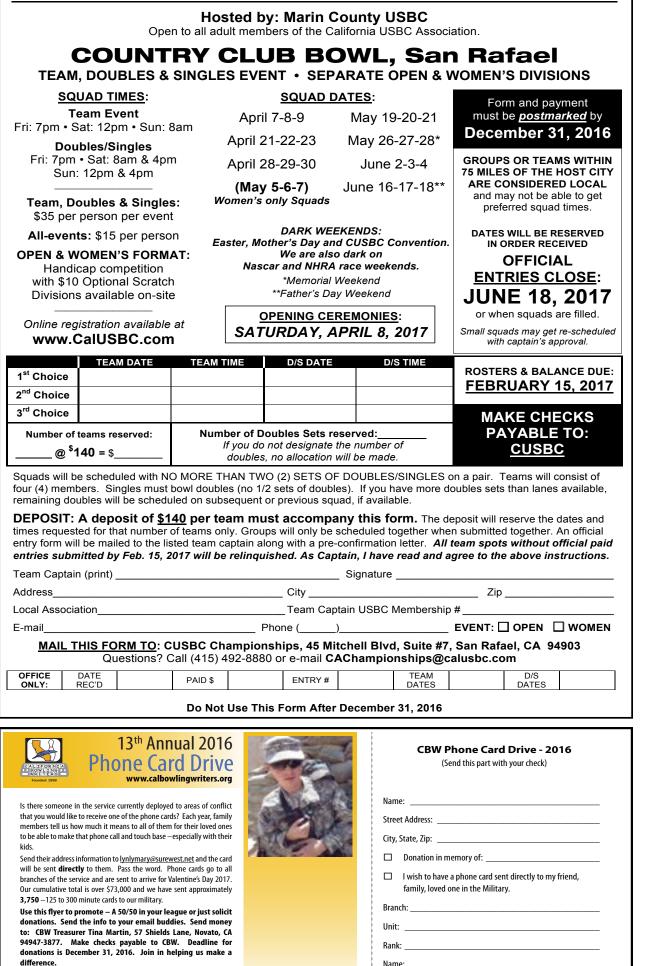
as word of the kits spread, requests for more lanes poured in from individual service men and women in outposts around the globe. Reports from the troops indicate that the lanes are in use on rooftops in Baghdad, along military air-strips, on board ships in the Gulf, and in dozens of camps in the Iraqi desert.

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In California, the bowlers at Tustin Lanes (Tustin, Calif.) have purchased 10 lane kits to support the troops. The program's success has extended beyond the sport of bowling. In fact, campaigns to purchase and ship lane kits have been coordinated by a range of other organizations and businesses. In Tennessee, a Sunday school class raised money to help the effort. In Rockford, Ill., Riverside Community Bank set up a lane in their lobby and encouraged their customers to donate to the effort. "It was a fun way for Riverside to show our community service," reports spokesperson Paula Schweinler. In Kentucky, USBC member "Jo" Wisby explains that after she operated the campaign at a local bowling center, she took the idea to the area Wal-Mart, where the manager eagerly agreed to conduct their own campaign, consequently raising enough money to send over two lanes to the husband of a Wal-Mart employee now on active duty.

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10 for 10: Nolan Smith Jr. 665, Jeffery Shepherd 594, Nolan Smith II 566, Della Douglass 569,

Ebony Hamilton 495, Tim Gray 229, Ron Jay 222, Freddie Guray 205. Cal Bowleros: Karen Witt 223/598, Carolyn Rousseau 225/584, Mickey Gurule 222/558, Carole Fischer 517, Pat Bates 514. Side-pot winners—Game One: Karen Witt 242; Game Two: Carolyn Rousseau 225; Game Three: Pat Bates 244.

Bowling Buddies: Eugene Carter 594, Becky Carroll 468, Rich Ewaskey 225. Marcus Lemons Vegas: Emmerson Wafer 245/679, Greg Thomas 225/652, Eric Bell 228/633, Paul Staff 224/606, Robert Cloyd 604, Arliss Moore 579, Anthony Maxwell 574, LaJeana Harris 279/684, Felecia Tripp 228/591, Diann Donaldson 211/589, Anita Dobbins 212/584, Phylissia Smith 220/576.

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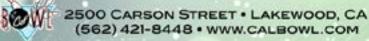




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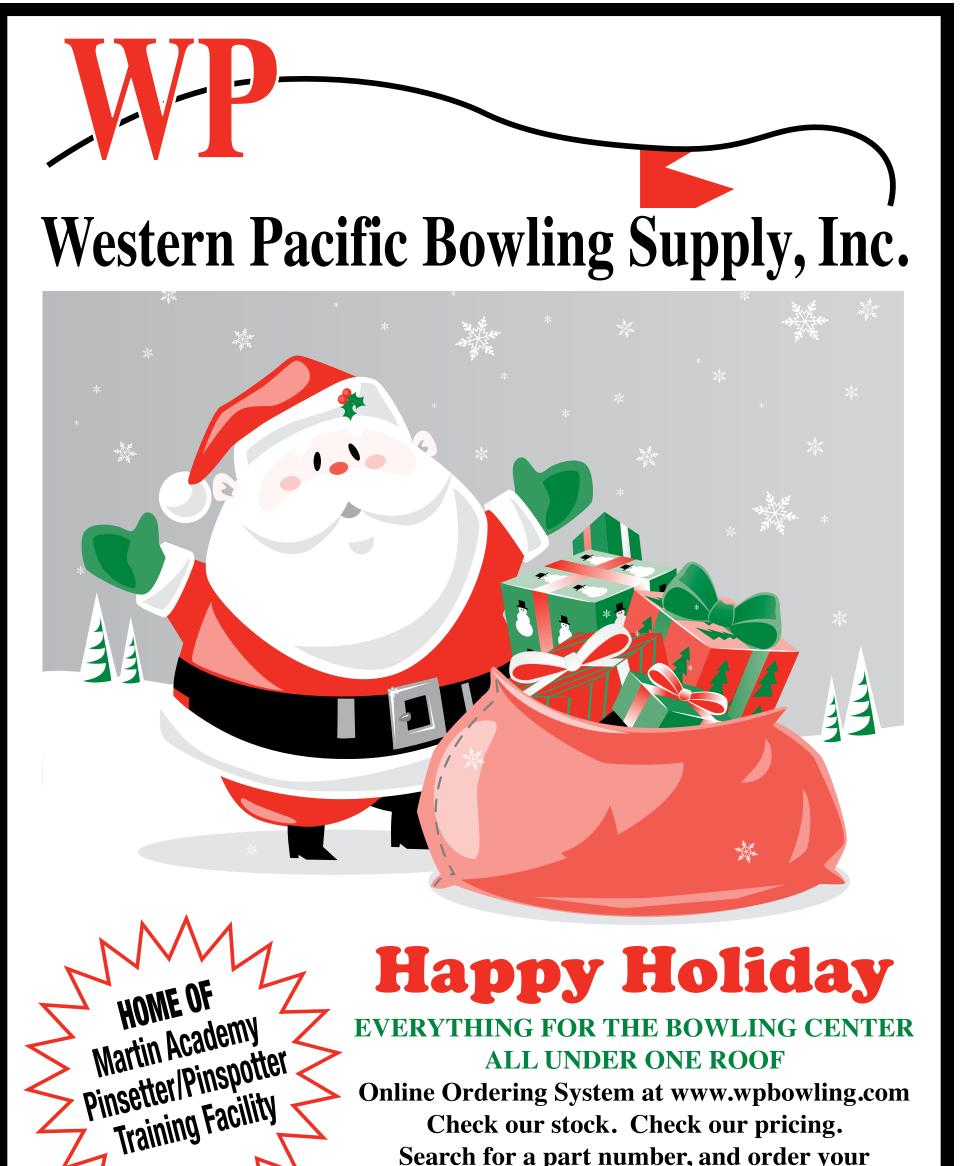
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