

Lasifko, Terry and Polk Win Barnes Thanksgiving Classic at Plano Super Bowl

By: Genie Franklin, Publisher
 PLANO, TX – Plano Super Bowl was the host for the 18th Annual Barnes Thanksgiving Classic Youth Scholarship Tournament.

This year, there were 212 entries competing for \$18,000 in SMART scholarships and Junior Gold qualifiers. The Barnes Thanksgiving Classic has given out an estimated \$330,000 in scholarships.

In the Scratch Division, Jacob Lesifko, of Georgetown, TX, qualified fourth after the semi-finals and moved up the ladder on Sunday after 8 games of match play to claim the Barnes Thanksgiving Classic title and \$2,000 in SMART money.

Noah Raleigh-Turner, from

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Chris Barnes with 184 & Under Champion Caden Terry, 13U Champion James Polk and Scratch Champion Jacob Lasifko

Kepner, Barnes, Anthony Lavery-Spahr, Charles Win SASBA Mixed Foursome



Chris Barnes, Sandi Charles, Phil Kepner and Anthony Lavery-Spahr

By: Kathy King

PLANO, TX – What a tournament, Saturday, Nov. 5 at Plano Super Bowl! The field for the Mixed foursome at Plano just keeps getting stronger

and stronger each year and this year's Baker finals didn't disappoint.

In the first match Team Lecroy (Joe Lecroy, Royce

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Francois Lavoie Wins PBA Firelake SW Invitational in Shawnee, OK



Chelsea Combs with Francois Lavoie

By: Genie Franklin, Publisher
 SHAWNEE, OK – Francois Lavoie qualified fourth after 12 games to head into bracket elimination play last weekend at Firelake Lanes.

Lavoie bested Stu Williams in 3 straight games to advance against Eric Jones.

Jones took the first game, but Lavoie took the next two games to go against number 8

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Stephens, Stephens and Cruz Avoid Strikes to Win Leisha Murr Mixed Trio Baker at PSB



Lusha's Ladies Genie Franklin and Sandi Charles present martini glasses to Champions Jim Stephens, Dimitri Cruz and Michelle Stephens

By: Tyson Branagan

PLANO, TX – Such a fun event in a unique 3 Strikes and You're Out format in the Leisha Murr Mixed Trio Baker Tournament Sunday, November 13 at Plano Super Bowl.

The way this works is the bottom portion of the field each

round (bottom half for first 4 rounds, bottom 3/4 for all ensuing rounds), earns a strike. Once a team reaches 3 of these strikes (4 due to insurance purchased), they are out.

9 rounds later and a one game, 4 team final, saw the

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Plano Sr and Allen HS Bowling Teams Win High School Classic in San Antonio

By: Genie Franklin, Publisher
 SAN ANTONIO, TX – 23 Girls teams and 30 Boys teams kicked off the high school season at Astro Super Bowl in San Antonio last weekend in

the High School Classic.

Three games of team qualifying and then baker qualifying was the format to cut to the top 4 teams in each division for a

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Boys Division Champion Plano Sr. High School Bowling Team



Girls Division Champion Allen High School Bowling Team

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Random Thoughts

Tony Franklin, Publisher



Editor's Note: It was nice to see Tony's banner hanging again after being "retired" for almost 20 years.

If the name of the game is bowling, I sure did my fair share of that this year. This was my first full year as a "Senior bowler" and I planned to compete as much as I could.

I bowled half of the PBA50 National stops with a moderate amount of success. I didn't really perform as well as I would have liked. I think I'm capable

of much more than I showed and that will continue to drive me to keep working hard and learning more.

I truly enjoyed my time at the PBA50 stops. It's a great group of guys and gals and I'm very happy that I got the opportunity to bowl as many as I did. The competition is solid with about a dozen PBA Hall of

Steve Wright/Jay Burgess Win SASBA Member/Member in Allen



Champions Steve Wright and Jay Burgess

By: Kathy King
ALLEN, TX - We had 46 tough teams compete this week at the Member/Member

Doubles at JB's Allen Bowl. Steve Wright and Jay Burgess were in 5th place going into the 14 games of Baker



doubles on Sunday. They shot 269 the first game and moved into 2nd place. They took over the lead after game 2 shooting a 279 and never looked back.

Leading by 43 pins going into the final game they shot a big 278 to seal the deal.

This was Jay's first SASBA title and the 5th for Steve.

Pete Seibel/Joe Lecroy were 2nd, Mike Bailey/Kurt Gengelbach 3rd, John Williams/Walter Ferrier 4th and Tony Lanning/Chris Barnes rounded out the top 5.

December 10-11 is the Annual Christmas Team tournament at Cowtown with HOF and awards ceremony Saturday night.

Thanks to Stacy Starry and JB's Allen staff for hosting.

Fammers that compete week in and week out. To me, the best part was getting to challenge myself against the best of the best and I'm already looking forward to doing it again in 2023.

The focus area for me is hitting the pocket more with fewer open frames, its really as simple as that. It's not that hard, I made it much harder than it needed to be and my focus the last month has been on how to control the pocket more, so that I can be more aggressive.

Bottom line is its nice to have a different pool of competitors to compete against than the youngsters. I've said it a bunch, but the DFW area has some of the best "youngish" talent you will find anywhere out there. It's no easy task trying to

beat them.

The guys in their late 20's and early 30's are amazingly talented; Anthony Lavery-Spahr, Sean Lavery-Spahr, AJ Chapman, Dimitri Cruz...those four...wow.

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The PBA Tour announced that they have teamed up with the USBC to Live-Stream all PBA content on their streaming platform, BowlTV.

This is really a great partnership and we're lucky to have this available to all fans of bowling. So now you have the PBA, PBA50, PWBA, Collegiate, Youth, and lots of stuff in-between all on one streaming service. They announced this week that it will be a \$99 yearly charge if you order by Dec 31st to get all of that amazing content...it's a steal if

you want to watch your favorite bowlers.

BowlTV has the best commentators, but they are very smart in adding the guest hosts which always bring a different flavor. You will never get bored when you have Mike Flanagan and Craig Elliot to listen to.

The PBA tour also announced the details for the 2023 season, make sure to visit www.PBA.com to get all of that content. They will have fewer tournaments than in years past, but are focused on larger prize funds in those events. We will see how that works out...they did that a little last year, but as a fan of bowling, I would always want to see more events vs. fewer.

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USBC NORTH TEXAS Tournament Schedule

Date	Tournament Detail	Location
Sept 17, 2022	Ballard vs The Big "C" Charity Event	Bowlero Euless
Oct 22-23, 2022	Ballard's Bowling Academy Youth Tournament	Cityview
Nov 26-27, 2022	Wild Turkey Mixed Team Tournament - \$2k	Cityview
Jan 21-22, 2023	Mixed Doubles - \$3k added	Red Bird Lanes
Jan 28-29 Feb 4-5, 2023	Youth City - \$3k added	Forum Bowl
Feb 6-19, 2023	Senior - \$1k added	Mail-O-Graphic
April 22-23 29-30, 2023	Ladies City - \$2k added	Bowlero Euless
TBD	Youth/Adult Doubles - \$2k added	TBD
May 6-7 13-14 20-21, 2023	Open City Championship - \$10k added	Plano Super Bowl
July 8-9, 2023	After the Fire Works - Mixed Trios - \$2k added	TBD

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HONOR ROLL



Men

Tony Franklin, Plano Super Bowl	844
Keith Thomas, Jr., Cityview Lanes	836
Geoff Cantrell, Hilltop Lanes	826
Dan Brenning, Tenpins & More	822
Mike Dull, Cowtown Bowling Palace	809
Jon Kehler, JB's Allen Bowl	806
Greg Wolf, Lions Lanes	806
Clint Austin, Forum Bowl	805
David Bullough, Forum Bowl	805
Jeff Vanecek, Killeen Bowlerama	798
JC Mann, Red Bird Lanes	798
Rick Justice, Firelake Bowl	795
Rob Robinson, Hallmark Lanes	789
Elijah Sledge, Western Bowl	770
Earl Adams, USA Bowl	746
Donald Davis, Jr., Terrell Bowl	738
Tommy Davis, Strikz	730

Women

Emily Sallee, Plano Super Bowl	809
Jackie Fisher, Forum Bowl	770
Darline Bryant, Killeen Bowlerama	767
Barbara Shaw, Lions Lanes	748
Brittany Pope, Red Bird Lanes	744
Jackie Fisher, Hilltop Lanes	738
Jaclyn Smith, JB's Allen Bowl	733
Trinity Miller, Cowtown Bowling Palace	716
Cathy Eberly, Strikz	698
Aileen Linares, Tenpins & More	698
Tracey Coward, USA Bowl	694
Cyndi Diche, Cityview Lanes	682
Carrie Wichers, Western Bowl	679
Karin Ciesiolka, Hallmark Lanes	647
Renee Woodford, Firelake Bowl	645
Tina Taylor, Terrell Bowl	602



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At Cityview Lanes

Thomas, Jr. tinsels 836, Diche elfs 682

Chetister 300/822, Thomas, Sr. 300/803, Felps, Schiell 300's

Keith Thomas, Jr. headed the leader boards last month at Cityview Lanes by logging power-packed 269-289-278 = 836 numbers in Mo Vick Matchpoint league action.

Alan Chetister, from the Monday Night Mixer group, finished close behind Thomas, Jr. with an award-winning 300/822 series while Keith Thomas, Sr. finished with a 300/803 Beat the House outing.

Cyndi Diche paced the ladies with a high-flying 217-238-227 = 682 New Beginning set.

Andy Felps and Craig Schiell shared high-game honors with Chetisher and Thomas, Sr. as each recorded award-winning 12-baggers.

HONOR ROLL

Brian Shaw 289, Jack Simpson 749, Pam Candler 234-624, Alma Rodriguez 245-672, Phelgar Mosely 253, Chris Davis 657, Emily Merritt 213-544, Steve Lincoln 290, David Bates 725, Dede King 149-383.

Larry Angelina 278, Richard Perez 702, Jane Roten 193-511, Amanda Franco 259-652, TJ Small 287-713, Cherie Deleon 224-641, Jim Greener 759, Stephanie Brown 267, Mary Brathwait 237-647.

Don Pilliod 257-670, Brian Shaw 268-644, Dee Frederick 200-492, Jane Roten 179-497, David Dewberry 278-687, Linda Berson 200, Gail Richardson 200, PA Dawkins 508, Keith Thomas, Jr. 278-752.

Cherie Deleon 279-672, Dick Ringus 267-728, Peggy Rios 200-543, Mitch Baxter 278-706, Sam Weyant 212-572, Keith Thomas, Jr. 279-784, Alexis Simpson 207-569, John Paul Ashour 278.

Ben Schielock 687, Kitty Reisz 254-606, Keith Hamlin 279, Keith Thomas, Jr. 279-753, June Barker 233-631.

Kam Mostowfi 241-631, Faith Nealon 182-501, Sung Lee 258-676, Tracey Coward 257-694.

Devion Green 219-588, Ladrea Isaac 154-434, Earl Adams 266-746, Cathy Sposito 203-552, David Choate 212-585, Juley Andersen 155-431, Brian Dean 279-714, Aricia Grant 186-521.

SENIORS
Chris Shiroma 195-525, Sandra Girard 164-442.



At USA Bowl

Adams advents 746, Coward candles 694

Earl Adams landed a top-notch 232-266-248 = 746 series in the Jobe's Express league to lead the way at USA Bowl last month.

Tracey Coward had a sterling 257-211-226 = 694 Women's Just For Fun series to lead the ladies scoring race.

HONOR ROLL

Mike Yates 268-740, Megan Montgomery 207-531, Ricardo Martell 279-739, Sekiethia Stewart 187-504,

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best 2 of 3 single elimination bracket.

In the Girl's Division, number 1 seed Warren defeated 4 seed Wagner in 2 games to advance to the championship match.

Second seed Allen defeated number 3 seed East Central in 2 games as well.

In the championship match, Warren and Allen tied the first game with 176 and went into a one ball roll off.

Allen took the win throwing a strike while Warren got 7.

Warren couldn't keep pace with Allen the second game as Allen threw some strikes to take the title 206-165.

East Central defeated Wagner in the consolation bracket.

Clara Campbell of Allen was also named to the Girls All-Tournament Team along with Amber Hill (Warren), Miya Greene (Brennan), and Rebecca Kruithof (Harlan).

In the Boy's Division, number 1 seed Allen defeated number 4 seed Reagan in two games while number 2 seed Plano Sr defeated number 3 seed Bridgeland in two games as well.

In the championship match, Plano Sr took the first game by 4 pins and never looked back, defeating Allen 226-154 for the title.

Bridgeland defeated Reagan in the consolation match.

Noah Raleigh-Turner and Luke Henke of Plano Sr were

named to the Boy's All-Tournament Team along with Jacob Lasifko (Thunder), Riley Tabuyo (Clemens) and Leam Goes (Brennan).

Teams reaching the finals received SMART Money.

Special thanks to Cory West, the Tournament Director, the host center Astro SuperBowl and Glenda Buenrostro and Joe Vito's staff.

Linda Corbett, the center liaison, answered every question and helped coordinate everything as we led up to the tournament.

Thanks to the tournament staff and volunteers. Thanks to all the sponsors and partners that signed on to donate their time, money and products that give this tournament all the

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YOUTH HONOR ROLL

Boys

Robert Davie, Jr., Killeen Bowlerama	825
Jake Sullivan, Strikz.....	727
Andrew Sly, Plano Super Bowl.....	694
Lucas Helka, Cowtown Bowling Palace.....	677
Justin Lucero, Tenpins & More	677
Joseph Munns, Hallmark Lanes.....	671
Jonathan Rosado, Jr., Hallmark Lanes.....	671
Kade Pirtle, Forum Bowl.....	659
Riley Farrell, Lions Lanes	643
Alex Barnett, Firelake Bowl	568
Colton Bennett, USA Bowl.....	521

Girls

Marisa Munguia, Plano Super Bowl.....	656
Caroline Neeley, Hallmark Lanes.....	602
Morgan Hopkins, Lions Lanes	594
Alexia Moon, Strikz	575
Savannah Burgin, USA Bowl	560
Samantha Brown, Forum Bowl.....	556
Kira Vanderlip, Tenpins & More.....	498
Gyanna Simmons, Cowtown Bowling Palace...	485
Alyssa Cheatwood, Firelake Bowl.....	478

North Texas USBC Youth Results

Jake Sullivan headed the NTXUSBC youth bowling last month with a chart-topping 259-256-222 = 727 Youth series at Strikz.

Marisa Munguia led the girls with a stellar 205-231-220 = 656 Showstoppers set at Plano Super Bowl.

Cowtown Bowling Palace – Mason Chapman 225-640, Gracie Hinz 170, Gabby Gann 189-473, Gyanna Simmons 177-469, Grace Gann 127, Logan Trujillo 221, Emily Epperson 121, CY Salazar 212-612, Lucas Helka 257-677, Gyanna Simmons 187-485, Sommer Swiney 161, JR Cain 154-412, Gabriella Rinebold 123-335, Christian Askins 138, Noah Pongratz 136, Troy Gaudette 111-114, Dakota Hardin 94, Dallas Rinebold 92-254, Cristian Dubon 106, Talon Trujillo 89, Jackson Timms 108, Elijah Gaudette 101, Bryson Robinson 83, Landon Trubenstein 89-172, Rileyynn Helka 78-219, Eddie Randall 96.

Forum Bowl – Mason Reed 93-170, Emmy Bachemin 135-234, Ayden Hopkins 83-155, Olivia Huggins 86-162, Kade Pirtle 258-659, Samantha Brown 212-556, Joseph Hamilton 234-649, Sydnee LeClear 183-487.

Lions Lanes, Ennis, TX – Riley Farrell 244-643, Xander Yrlas 182-510, Charlie Rogers 193-501, Morgan Hopkins 234-594, Jez Lobato 116-276, Jez Lobato 94-244.

Plano Super Bowl, Plano, TX – Niko Buddenhagen 126-307, Avery

Hughes 97-282, Oliver Harris, Jr. 187-441, Eviana Scott 125-307, Austin Hamby 163-440, Madeline Zabochnik 139-387, Cooper Findling 246-561, Andrew Sly 244-694, Nico Meinardus 257-676, Sarah Randall 220-597, Jacob Thompson 155-388, Danielle Thompson 116-392, Cole Phan 236-628, Nicole Phan 200-533, Joah Lewis 233-612, Alexia Moon 204-572, Amari Browder 178-512, Bella Rivera 167-476, Luke Henke 223-549, Zoha Calton 211-511, Chris Warren II 227-624, Charisse Graham 218-632, Treavor Thompson 249-610, Brady McDonough 245-663, Yaki Guerrero 167-397, Adrian Salinas 191-530, Madison Damer 195-502, Joshua Batkins (2 games) 110-212, Elizabeth Mullican (2 games) 80-154.

Strikz, Frisco, TX – Tyler Keeton 209-591, Kolin Williams 198-561, Adrian Salinas 201-590, Micah Long 174-517, Keathan Jennings 205-512,

Matthew Sifford 191-506, Christian Wages 243-550, Jakob Haraputczyk 203-490, David Long 173-489, Maximus Rouse 175-482, Joey Maulhardt 184-498, Avery Barnes 164-412, Russ Johnson 180-420, Jake Brierton 182-476, Owen Smullen 186-553, Jonathan Hattar 170-444, Misha Brown 186-460, Enrique Arredondo 192-483, Logan Solis 227-590, Joseph Rodriguez 187-485, Brody Schwartz 194-477, Isaac Llamas 147-410, Trenell Dixon 164-408, Turner Spofford 219-587, Mario Rodriguez 1500-434, Carter Richards 152-445, Mason Richards 159-429, Alexia Moon 205-575, Naiya Okwesa 186-536, Julia Rouse 177-470, Haidyn Erickson 161-406, Jayme Brooks 132-367, Allison Rouse 137-389, Ellie Rouse 133-381, Vanessa Rodriguez 132-360, Ireland Spofford 174-471.

USA Bowl, Dallas, TX – Colton Bennett 212-521, Savannah Burgin 212-560.



Southwest-Area USBC Youth Scores

Robert Davie, Jr. led the Southwest-area USBC youth bowling last month with an award-winning 279-279-267 = 825 Adult/Youth series at Killeen Bowlerama.

Caroline Neeley paced the girls with a sturdy 237/602 Stars of Tomorrow set at Hallmark Lanes.

Firelake Lanes, Shawnee, OK – Alex Barnett 247-568, Alyssa Cheatwood 170-478.

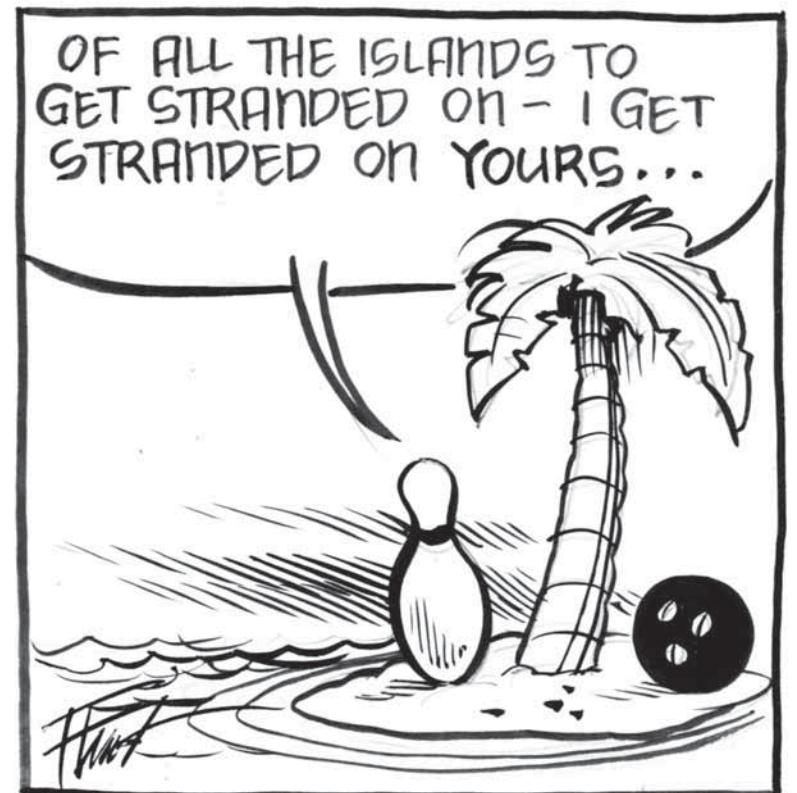
Hallmark Lanes, Killeen, TX – Grayson Lassiter 168-407, Kaydence Jeffers 121-317, Jonathan Rosado 275-671, Kaelyn Sateren 137-369, Caleb Xayachack 146-420, Joseph Munns 243-671, Deja Hasan 280, Tyler Desmarais 161, Caleb Xayachack 435, Jonathan Rosado, Jr. 234-632, Naomi Ortiz 192-515, Coty Lloyd 126-327, Kaelyn Sateren 154-420, Tyler Desmarais 182-483, Kaydence Jeffers 113-285, Solomon Loyd 243, Joseph Munns 610, Caroline Neeley 212-551, Coty Lloyd 127-309,

Kaelyn Sateren 91-251, Justin Linker 441, Benjamin Sayers 142-367, Caroline Neeley 219-533.

Killeen Bowlerama, Killeen, TX – Jonathan Rosado 275-672, Andy Solis 248-647, Thomas Shotwell 211-562, Taylor Brown 216-559.

Tenpins & More, Rio Rancho, NM – Kira Vanderlip 193-498, Reid Meuth 169-491, Lucia Griego 162-419, Gabe Reyes 235-639, Victoria Tallbear 168-431, Justin Lucero 255-677, Naomi Boat 113-316, Dylan Lopez 192-530

Lane Laughter



At Red Bird Lanes

Mann mistletoes 300/798, Pope peppermints 744

JC Mann collected high-game and series honors for the week at Red Bird Lanes with a robust 300-277-221 = 798 Sunday Nite Mixed league action.

Brittany Pope, Mann's league mate, held the top spot for the ladies with a solid 248-239-257 = 744 set.

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Art Fletcher 242-644, Erica Black 194-446, Lauren Cathey 256-697, Paula Kennedy 207-599, Billy Cathey 248-717, Leroy Willis, Jr. 258-703, Carolyn Large 194-506, Cindi Wilson 177-456.

Greg Bell 256-696, Lauren Cathey 247-691, Cyle Johnson 246-718, Angie Fetner 201-599, Deondray Johnson

225-645, Angela Davis-White 171-475, Mel Richards 278-739, Debbie Cathey 224-626.

Phillip White 187-534, Diane Ihle 100-283, Tyree Jennings, Jr. 274-745, Angela Chalmers 243-600, Pedro Silva, Jr. 266-705, Flora Lias 218-522, Clayton Lock 280-784, Lauren Cathey 255-682. Earl Davis 147-260, Stephanie Manka 127-198.

Dustin Tripp 205-590, Tommy Davis 248-674, Scott Noll 247-662, Mike Hayward 255-592, Mike Davis 232-611, Jason Shuffield 226-636, LaMarr Moss 217-628, John Fox 242-668.

Klayton Colgrove 267-658, Chris Marino 226-622, Adrian Salinas, Sr. 213-601, Billie Bennett 218-599, Ron Rankin 237-631, Joe Vulpitta 253-602, Jackson Chin 240-656, Adam Damer 201-594.

Scott Eastwood 226-616, Kevin Higar 248-634, Noah Riegel 246-643, Robert Gorrebeck 220-614, Jeremiah Scanlan 214-603, Derrick Corso 223-639, Anthony Vulpitta 218-628.

SENIORS

Bob Gray 213-592, Connie Johnson 161-466, Tim Johnson 194-557, Donny Segerstrom 208-569, Jeanne Staley 154-453, Bob Staley 205-520, Donna Albanese 205-572, Bonnie Long 168-471.

Debbie Buczek 156-456, Art Arnold 187-575, Lindell Daubresse 203-576, Tomi Howerton 204-507, Joseph Albanese 192-532, Pete Sena 186-481, Dan Walters 180-491, Larry Froning 244-577.

Tom Garriss 192-464, Tom Frazier 169-460.

At Strikz

Davis decembers 730, Eberly evergreens 698

Spofford 298

FRISCO - Tommy Davis hammered out a hefty 194-268-268 = 730 Lousy Bowlerz series to lead the scoring parade for the month at Strikz.

Cathy Eberly, also from the Lousy Bowlerz group, paced the ladies with a tidy 257-248-193 = 698 set.

Spencer Spofford garnered high-game accolades with a near-perfect 298 solo.

HONOR ROLL

Tiffany Emerson 249-671 Candy Torrey 213-628, Steve Ray 228-628, Bobby Pritchard 231-647, Adrian Salinas, Sr. 257-681, Michael Holtfrerich 232-655, Thom Childers 207-592, Jeffrey Purkett 247-595.

Rick Irvine 245-651, Don Ariatti, Jr. 211-591, Mark Timm 248-642, Chad Sigler 203-590, Joe Biasacca 263-660, Jerry Foehser 226-622, Mark Donnelly 212-604, David Ucherek 245-648.

Ignacio Chavez 255-618, Ray Lawrence 255-697, Al Dlhly 246-617, Ray Lawrence 235-593, Al Dlhly 215-601, Jackson Chin 243-594, Kim Lorenzen 206-602, Kevin Brosch 205-597, Kyle Hobbs 242-627.

LaMarr Moss 247-703, Ed Matthies, Sr. 233-623, Rick Irvine 244-701, Spencer Spofford 654, Jodi Lawrence 238-592, Marc Tolkov 231-613, Gerald Walters 244-610, Chuck Vilmont 230-597.

Ron Rankin 245-622, Ryan Rogers 238-598, Eddie Matthies, Jr. 227-653, Ray Lawrence 212-609, Chandler Ritsch 232-633, Julie Bloodworth 243-617, Mark Timm 234-631, Tiffany Emerson 231-619.

Michael McCoy 225-627, Mark Connor 235-653, Mark Johnson 228-600, Kevin Connell 206-604, Loren Tenczar 243-628, David Gregg 214-601, Ray Lawrence 218-596, Alonso Sabido 265-621.

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Plano, Tx., took home \$1,500 in scholarship money and Garrett Andrus, last year's runner-up, claimed third place for \$1,200 in SMART money.

It was a tough field for the girls to compete in, but two girls worked their way into the finals and held their own against the competition.

Miya Greene, San Antonio, put on a show Saturday night leading the semi-finals eventually finishing 4th and Abigail Starkey, Schaumburg, IL, finished 6th overall.

The 184 and Under Division showed some great talent as well. Terry Caden, Rowlett, held off Amber Hill, San Antonio, in the championship match to claim the \$1,000 SMART money.

Hill took home \$800 for her runner-up finish and rolled a high game of 277 in the finals.

In the 13 and Under age division, James Polk took control and never looked back claiming the title by 100 pins for \$800 in SMART money.

Caleb Ebner from Plano, Tx., found himself as runner-up for the second year in a row and took home \$650.

Third place winner Hayden McBride, from Allen, Tx., rolled

221 the final game to finish 20 pins behind Ebner and received \$550.

Many thanks to this year's tournament sponsors 900 Global, Vise, Coolwick, Plano Super Bowl, JB's Allen Bowl, Jamie Brooks, Butch Warren, Scott Craddock, Joyce Claus, Erin DeGray, Susan Lee and the great staff at Plano Super Bowl.

185 & Over Scratch

Finalists

1. Jacob Lesifko Round Rock, TX \$2,000
 2. Noah Raleigh-Turner Plano, TX \$1,500
 3. Garrett Andrus Austin, TX \$1,200
 4. Miya Greene San Antonio, TX \$1,000
 5. Christopher Warren II Plano, TX \$800
 6. Abigail Starkey Schaumburg, IL \$700
 7. Ryan Burgess Houston, TX \$600
 8. Brady McDonough Coppell, TX \$500
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- 9th Nash FitzGerald Rowlett, TX \$300
 - 10th Olivia Philips Bokchito, OK \$275
 - 11th Tyler Galbreath San Antonio, TX \$250
 - 12th Drake Durflinger Liberty Hill, TX \$225
 - 13th Lucas Helka Fort Worth, TX \$200

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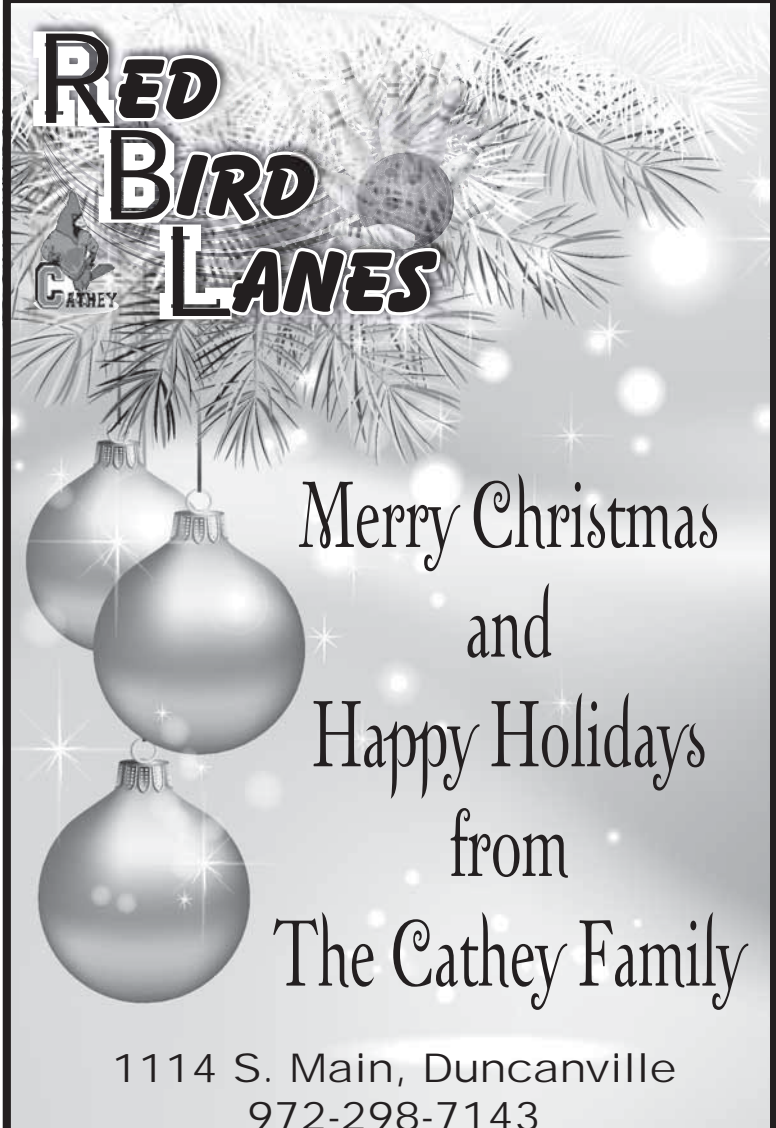
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BowlTV Serves as Home of Professional Bowling in 2023, Introduces New Mobile App



By: Aaron Smith

ARLINGTON, Texas – For the first time, bowling's premier professional organizations in the United States will be available for fans around the world to watch through a single livestreaming service – BowlTV.

BowlTV.com is the multi-channel livestreaming platform of the United States Bowling Congress and will be the exclusive home of the Professional Bowlers Association and Professional Women's Bowling Association in 2023.

A partnership between USBC and PBA is bringing the PBA's full lineup to BowlTV for 2023, which includes coverage of the national tour, PBA50, PBA Jr. and regional competition.

The 2023 PWBA Tour schedule recently was announced, and BowlTV will be providing coverage for all 12 national tour

stops and nine regional events.

All qualifying and match-play rounds leading up to any televised rounds will be featured on the livestream service. Visit PBA.com and PWBA.com to learn more about each organization's television schedule for 2023.

With the additional tour events added to the schedule, BowlTV also will feature a new pricing structure starting Dec. 5. A recurring annual subscription will be \$119.95, but there's an opportunity to save before the calendar flips to 2023.

From now until Dec. 31, 2022, bowling fans can get a recurring annual subscription to BowlTV for \$99.95. After the first of the year, the price will automatically renew at \$119.95.

Current BowlTV annual subscribers will be charged \$99.95 at their next renewal date and annually renew at the same rate with an active subscription.

A monthly recurring subscription now will be \$12.95, with the rate changing on Jan. 1, 2023, for current monthly subscribers. Event tickets still will be available for those

who want to watch select live events. Transaction fees will apply at all price points.

In addition to the full range of professional events, USBC's short-duration events and top-tier youth, collegiate and senior competitions will be featured on the platform. BowlTV also will continue to work with organizations like The National Bowling Association (TNBA) and Underground Bowling Association (UBA) to showcase their regional and national tournaments.

The PBA, PWBA, USBC short-duration and International Bowling Campus Youth Development schedule on BowlTV in 2023 includes:

- PBA Regional Players Invitational, Las Vegas – Jan. 2-5
- Team USA Trials, Las Vegas – Jan. 2-7
- U.S. Open, Indianapolis – Jan. 29-Feb. 4
- PBA Springfield Classic, Springfield, Mo. – Feb. 7-11
- PBA Shawnee Classic, Shawnee, Okla. – Feb. 13-17
- PBA Wichita Classic, Wichita, Kan. – Feb. 20-24
- PBA Jackson Classic, Jackson, Mich. – March 6-9
- ISC and ITC sectional qualifiers, four locations – March 11-13
- PBA Tournament of Champions, Fairlawn, Ohio – March 12-16
- PBA Kokomo Classic, Kokomo, Ind. – March 21-24
- USBC Masters, Allen Park, Mich. – March 26-31
- PBA World Series of Bowling, Wauwatosa, Wis. – April 7-14

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At Plano Super Bowl

Franklin frostys 300/844, Sallee sleigh bells 298/809

A Lavery-Spahr 838, Stephens 806, Adams 804, Gaudette 300/803, Bullough, Collin, Dawson, Godfrey, Hamby, Hendershott, Jarrett, Johnson, Johnson, A Lavery-Spahr, S Lavery-Spahr, Leonhart, Lewis, Lytle, Marquez, Nguyen, Ramsey, Jr., Roth, Short, Smith, Stephens 300's, Airheart (2) 299

Tony Franklin landed the top spot on the honor roll for the month at Plano Super Bowl with a high-powered, dual award-winning 300-278-266 = 844 series in NFL Trios league action.

Emily Sallee, from the Monday Blenders group, rolled an award-winning 256-298-255 = 809 set to front distaff scoring.

There were a mountain of honor scores finishing close behind Franklin and Sallee and high-game honors awarded this month as follows: Anthony Lavery-Spahr 838 Sportsman, Jim Stephens 806 NFL Trios, Vince Adams 804 Monday Blenders, Nicollette Gaudette 300/803 NFL Trios and David Bullough, Chris Collin, Steve Dawson, Matt Godfrey, Kenny Hamby, Tyler Hendershott, Daniel Jarrett, Chris Johnson, Mike Johnson, Anthony Lavery-Spahr, Sean Lavery-Spahr, Bill Leonhart, Deryck Lewis, Brian Lytle, Paul Marquez, Andrew Nguyen, John Ramsey, Jr., Nick Roth, Greg Short, Harold Smith, Jim Stephens 300's, Ricky Airheart (2) 299.

HONOR ROLL

Brian Thompson 233-671, Grant Cooper 255-722, Mikey McDaniels 243-611, Phirum Phan 277-749, Jen Down 220-590, Hieu Du 255-682, Lindsay Gable 258-637, Brian Thompson 233-671.

Grant Cooper 255-722, Mikey McDaniels 243-611, Phirum Phan 277-749, Jen Down 220-590, Hieu Du 255-682, Lindsay Gable 258-637, Kaitlin Williams (4 games) 224-754, Steve Fuhrman (4 games) 268-891, Terry Jones 269-747, Robin Preston 266-717, Floyd Carter 233-665, Michelle Curtis 172-478, Monica Adams 266-665, Richard Beatty 267-745, Deryck Lewis 266-757, Diane Wallentine 237-655.

Jim Stephens 797, Kiyoko McDonald 257-735, Diane Wallentine 236-644, Russell Wright 290-781, Linda Whitlock 183-493, Coy Jordan 220-623, Beverly Houston 247-673, Noel Williams 248-709.

Matt McGill 279-799, Genie Franklin 278-733, Beverly Goff 215-545, Chris Warren 289-799, Art Victorine 236-608, Michelle Duke 192-540, Elaine Barnes 260-760, Jason Shuffield 288-797.

Mike Johnson 782, Sharon Pennell 277-663, Kaitlin Williams 256-677, Mike Mull 267-746, Dottie Culpon 193-536, Jerry Robbins 241-695, Rhonda Nerison 216-622, Anne Crain 186-513.

Phil Overton 247-599, Lisa Wasson 252-704, Darryl Lipinski 780, Lizzy Kahrs 241-659, Stephen Robinson 257-734, Greg Short (4 games) 1083, Kayci Parcels (4 games) 222-846, Rita Skillman 268-702.

Jim Stephens 279-751, Jamie Johnson 204-597, Tony Williams 290-785, Jacob Hastings 265-743, Brenda Buchanan 228-605, Jason Peeks 279-782, Cat Ambrose 227-650.

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At Forum Bowl

Austin and Bullough bûche de Noël with 805, Fisher fruitcakes 770

Klann 803, Daugomah, Padilla add 300's

Clint Austin and David Bullough cracked the competition at Forum Bowl last month with an award-winning 290/805 and 279/805 respectively in Forum Classic league session.

RJ Klann, also from the Forum Classic group, followed close behind Austin and Bullough with an award-winning 803 series.

Jackie Fisher, league mate of Austin and Bullough, led the ladies with a tip-top 278/770 set.

Bobby Daugomah and Stephen Padilla garnered high-game honors with award-winning 12-baggers.

HONOR ROLL

Holly Ginn 244-632, Sheila Burger 255-642, Lupe Reyna (9 pin) 300-860, Jennifer Zachry (9 pin) 255-694, Frank Cantwell 279-799, Gina Cole 246-673, Brad West 268-744, Sharon Mann 236-635.

Carlos Ortiz 226-624, Linda Koerber 195-528, Justin Johnson 279-771, Kara

Bazaldua 268-712, Joseph Puckett 269-750, Dana Short 258-745, Bobby Adkison 267-743, Cassandra Bayerl 254-672.

Stephen Padilla 783, Dena Buffington 248-654, Phil Chovanec 258-736, Jackie Fisher 265-737, James Fitzsimmons (9 pin) 256-799, Sherri Clemmer (9 pin) 701, Bobby Adkison 269-772.

Sydia Johnson 222-596, Adam Guardiola 246-691, Marla Martin 202-548, Vernon Smith 259-749, Daneen Wilson 268-749, Bobby Daugomah, Sr. 246-737, Vanella Brown 233-608, Robert Aceves 242-649.

Sylvia Jimenez 176-492, Garry Keckler 245-591, Kim Hale 172-441, Steven Nutt 289-709, Kim Jackson 213-595, David Jones 201-582, Brandy Saldana 121-293, Freddy Tigner III 210-556, Keri Cramer 166-415.

SENIORS

Jeffery Robinson 247-701, Karen Hoyle 208-601.

RJ Klann Claims Lions Lanes Leftover Turkey Singles

By: Michael Kirton

ENNIS, TX - After hitting the loser's side of the bracket early, RJ Klann grinded it out to make the finals and beat Mel Richards twice to win the tournament.

Other Cashers:

3rd Melvin Goss

4th Pete Seibel

5/6th John Hunt and J.P.

Tijerina

7/8th Greg Wolf and Harvey

Fulgham

9th-12th Tyler Coody, Ryan Gentry, Aaron McGinley and Wally Mahoney.

Big shoutout to Greg Wolf for having two 300s yesterday and for cashers Harvey Tyler and Aaron for cashing as this was their first tournament they've ever bowled.

I would like to thank everyone that came out to Lions Lanes to bowl the Leftover Turkey singles. We paid out over \$2000 in prize money.



RJ Klann - Leftover Turkey Singles Champion

Thanks to Tice Hopkins and April Hopkins for letting me host this tournament at their center. Also, thanks to Laura and Joey Kirton and Darby Anne Kirton for helping me run the tournament.

Lions Lanes Hosts Turkey Trot Fund Raiser in Ennis

By: Genie Franklin, Publisher

ENNIS, TX - The 4th Annual Turkey Trot hosted by Ennis Regional Medical Center Relay For Life Team benefiting

the American Cancer Society under the direction of April and Tice Hopkins was held at Lions Lanes in Ennis, Saturday, November 12.

There were 21 five-person teams in the fund-raising event that featured 21 different sponsors that combined with Relay for Life to advertise at two events.

As always, the house was packed with bowlers, cancer survivors and of course the most important thing, those there to support the event with their pocketbook.

The benefit raised over \$11,500, surpassing last year's gross of \$10,305, for a four-year total of \$45,000!

April and Tice would like to thank all of the volunteers that donated their time to help make this another successful event, and of course all of the participants that joined in the fun for a great cause.

Check out the event website at www.RelayForLife.org/ennistx



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- ISC and ITC, Las Vegas – April 17-22
- USBC Senior Queens, Las Vegas – April 22-25
- USBC Convention and Hall of Fame ceremony, Las Vegas – April 24-27
- PBA Players Championship, North Brunswick, N.J. – April 30-May 5
- PWBA Stockton Open, Stockton, Calif. – May 4-6
- Roth/Holman PBA Doubles Championship, Middletown, Del. – May 8-11
- PWBA GoBowling! Spokane Open, Spokane, Wash. – May 11-13

- USBC Queens, Las Vegas – May 17-22
- PWBA Grand Rapids Classic, Wyoming, Mich. – May 31-June 2
- Super Senior Classic, Las Vegas – May 31-June 4
- PWBA BowlTV Classic, Wyoming, Mich. – June 3-4
- PWBA Great Lakes Classic, Wyoming, Mich. – June 5-6
- USBC Senior Masters, Las Vegas – June 5-11
- PWBA Bowlers Journal Cleveland Open, Parma Heights, Ohio – June 8-10
- U.S. Women's Open, Rochester, N.Y. – June 13-19
- Junior Gold Championships, Indianapolis – July 10-22
- USA Bowling National Championships, Indianapolis – July 12-13

July 12-13

- PBA/PWBA Striking Against Breast Cancer Mixed Doubles, Houston – July 27-30
 - PWBA Waterloo Classic, Waterloo, Iowa – Aug. 8-10
 - PWBA Pepsi Classic, Waterloo, Iowa – Aug. 11-12
 - PWBA Tour Championship, Waterloo, Iowa – Aug. 13-14
 - PBA League Elias Cup, Portland, Maine – Sept. 23
- The schedule is subject to change as additional events and dates are confirmed.

Along with a schedule featuring more than 100 events from across the country in 2023, bowling fans will be able to enjoy BowlTV "On the Go" through a new mobile app.

The mobile app now is available for download on Google Play and the App Store.

Subscribers will enjoy the ease of just one click to watch their favorite bowlers and tournaments during the year while still enjoying the interactive features that have helped BowlTV continue to grow since its introduction as a subscription-based product in 2019, like the community chat, polls and giveaways.

The enhanced app experience will allow for casting to multiple platforms, a new video search function, notifications

At Lions Lanes

Wolf winters 806, Shaw sweaters 748

Hawks 298

Greg Wolf pocketed power-packed 279-248-279 = 806 numbers in the Wednesday Night Lions action last month to head the leader board at Lions Lanes.

Barbara Shaw posted a sterling 267-223-258 = 748 Big Money Mondays set to lead the ladies.

Randy Hawks captured high-game accolades with a near-perfect 298 solo.

HONOR ROLL

Dwight Moore 259-774, Brian

Burckett 279-759, Lawrence Stallworth 277-758, Robert Warren 269-750, Christy Antle 254-729, Ryne Mckenrick 224-629, Jackie Fisher 234-612.

Meya Washington 247-574, Glenn Gann 267-717, Tice Hopkins 257-714, Mel Goss 252-703, Rudy Lobato 289-669, Emiliano Gomez 277-647, Annie Whittington 244-653, Lisa Bittle 227-616.

April Hopkins 208-602, Ashlyn Risk 213-583, Mckinsey Herrera 247-583.

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15th Leonardo Solis Killeen,
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16th Veronyca West Lewis-
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Caden Terry Rowlett, TX
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\$800
Trey Durlflinger Liberty Hill,
TX \$700
Ethan Radcliff Rockwall, TX
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TX \$500
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TX \$400
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Other Cashers
9th Michael Cook Temple,
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10th Tori Franklin Frisco,
TX \$175
11th Roanah Abeleda McKin-
ney, TX \$150
12th Addison Legendre
Prairieville, LA \$130
13 and Under Hdcp
Finalists
James Polk Plano, TX \$800
Caleb Ebner Wylie, TX \$650
Hayden McBride Allen, TX
\$550
Derek Jiminez Brownsville,
TX \$450
Anthony Gamboa McKinney,
TX \$350
Matthew Sorola Kingwood,
TX \$275
Other Cashers
Alyssa Cheatwood Shawnee,
OK \$150
Isabella Rivera Melissa, TX
\$100

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Miya Greene \$100
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Ethan Radcliff \$100
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LOOKING BACK

10 YEARS AGO

Andy Patterson wins the SW Region Beaumont PBA Open, his 3rds PBA title...Chris Cranford led the honor roll with 823 at Oil Bowl Lanes...Ron Leverich had 803 at Diamond Lanes...Fred Van Haasen rolled 300/799 at Plano Super Bowl...Karin Ciesiolka led the ladies with 801 at Hallmark lanes...Pam Lawrence shot 771 at Mel's Lone Star Lanes...Yolonda Garrett with 738 at AMF Richardson Lanes...Youth bowler Anthony Simonsen wins the Barnes Thanksgiving Youth Classic.

20 YEARS AGO

Randy Pedersen wins 13th PBA title at Pepsi Open...Mike Hardesty with 809 at Western...Jim Carter rolled 300/801 at DC West...Russell Corwin shot 300/790 at Forum...Tina Stickney with 706 at Western...Beth Owen rolled 703 at DC West...Ron Shirley wins NABI at AMF Hurst Lanes...YABA bowler Paul Fuller shot a 729 at Forum Bowl.

30 YEARS AGO

Heather Claus and Ted Pritts win Jr Master/Jr Queens titles at Triangle-Irving...Ronny Powell led the honor roll with 816 at Showplace Eules...Scooter Craddock with 804 at Plano Super Bowl...Glen Caraveau rolled 783 at Jupiter...Mary Jo Farris led the ladies with 712 at Red Bird...Cathy Nelson shot 698 at DC FW...Pam Chandler had 696 at DC SW...Buck Chavis with a perfect game at Showplace-Garland...John Woessner shot 300 at Triangle-Irving...YABA bowler Eric Ryberg shot 674 at Watauga Lanes.

Isabella Rivera \$100
Kloey Kielich \$100
Caleb Xayachack \$100
Addison Legendre \$100
Braden McDonough \$100
Luke Henke \$100
Junior Gold Qualifiers
U18 Boys & Girls
Garrett Andrus
Christopher Warren II

Daniel Young
Kloey Kielich
U15 Boys & Girls
Reid Jiminez
Trey Durlflinger
Zuriel Davis
U12 Boys & Girls
Cooper Powell
Derek Jiminez
Isabella Rivera

At JB's Allen Bowl

Kehler kringles 806, Smith snowmans 733

Burnham, Delaney, Fong, Leff, McCatharn, Wolbert 300's, Rankin, Schaab 299's, Grantham 298

Jon Kehler was on fire last month at JB's Allen Bowl as he fired a 267-280-259 = 806 set in the Friday 4 Play league action.

Jaclyn Smith, also from the Friday 4 Play group, led the ladies with a rollicking 268-224-241 = 733 series.

Josh Burnham, Jon Delaney, Bill Fong, Neil Leff, Paul McCatharn and John Wolbert shared high-game honors with award-winning perfectos. Ron Rankin and David Schaab's near perfect 299 solos took runner-up honors while R J Grantham followed

with a 298 game.


HONOR ROLL

Michael Calhoun 256-714, Kendall Flystag 211-585, John Wolbert 793, Cindy Powell 256-714, Dominick May 269-758, Arvese McGraw 203-563, Paul McCatharn 791, Bailey Guilfoil 258-718.


R J Grantham 705, Janet Schaab 195-527, Rob Morris 277-768, Von Gallagher 167-332, Kim Voorhies 106-207, Andi Hall 211-546, Stacy Starry 268-671, Josh Burnham 279-755, Angie Ng 230-519.

SENIORS

Q Gaither 289-784, Maria Robeson 199-583, Erik Anderson 279-750, Kimbo Emerson 199-567.



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By: Gene J. Kanak

ARLINGTON, Texas – The best women bowlers in the world will have no shortage of opportunities to compete this year as the 2023 Professional Women's Bowling Association Tour season will run from January to December and feature 12 PWBA National Tour events, nine PWBA Regionals, three majors and the return of the Regional Showdown.

The regional season will kick off Jan. 21 at JB's Allen Bowl in Allen, Texas, where the PWBA will conduct a stand-alone tournament. One additional stand-alone regional will follow in March before the PWBA National Tour season officially gets underway May 4 with the PWBA Stockton Open at Pacific Avenue Bowl in Stockton, California.

The Stockton Open will be a landmark event in PWBA history as it will be the 100th tournament to award a tour title since the relaunch in 2015.

The season's first major will come shortly thereafter when the United States Bowling Congress Queens takes place May 17-23 at Sam's Town Bowling Center in Las Vegas. Many memorable tournaments have been contested at Sam's Town over the years; nevertheless, the 2023 USBC Queens will mark the first time the venue has hosted PWBA competition since the 2000 Sam's Town Invitational.

"There will be a lot of exciting things happening on the

PWBA Tour this season," Bowling Proprietors' Association of America Executive Director Frank DeSocio said. "We'll have the chance to celebrate some important milestones, to return to some amazing venues and to break lots of new ground as we continue trying to improve the tour experience for our players and fans."

Germany's Birgit Noreiks broke some new ground last season, capturing her first major title at the 2022 Queens at Stardust Bowl in Addison, Illinois. This year, she will look to defend as Queens champion just as Erin McCarthy of Elkhorn, Nebraska (U.S. Women's Open), and Stephanie Zavala of Downey, California (PWBA Tour Championship), hope to repeat as titlists when the season's other two majors roll around in June and August, respectively.

Plans call for the stepladder finals of all three majors to be broadcast live on national television. Additional details including the complete 2023 television schedule for all USBC and IBC programming will be announced at a later date. All rounds leading up to the stepladder finals will be broadcast on BowlTV.com.

Events not featuring a national television broadcast will conclude live on BowlTV.

Players will be competing for an overall prize fund of approximately \$1.4 million during the 2023 tour season, which matches last season in offering

PWBA Announces 2023 Tour Schedule, Expands Regional Program to Nine Events Plus Regional Showdown

JB's Allen Bowl to host first PWBA regional of 2023 season in January

the largest average purse per national tour event since the tour's relaunch.

The three majors will once again feature the most lucrative purses with the champion taking home \$60,000 at both the Queens and U.S. Women's Open and \$50,000 at the PWBA Tour Championship.

Standard PWBA Tour events will award \$20,000 for first place while PWBA Classic Series event winners will take home \$10,000.

The 2023 PWBA season will wrap up in December with the PWBA Regional Showdown, which will be held at the International Training and Research Center in Arlington, Texas. This will mark the second time the PWBA Regional Showdown has been contested – Julia Bond won the inaugural event in 2019.

Details for this season-ending regional tournament will be announced soon along with the dates for the remaining stand-alone and in-season regional tour events. Entries for the first two regional events in January and March will open Nov. 11.

Athletes will be able to

purchase their 2023 PWBA memberships starting Jan. 11, 2023.

"The PWBA continues to be a great success story for bowling," USBC President Melissa McDaniel said. "The 2023 schedule provides a wonderful opportunity to showcase the highest level of women's bowling in person and through our media channels."

2023 PWBA TOUR SCHEDULE

With dates, event, center, location and broadcast channel (subject to change):

- May 4-6, PWBA Stockton Open, Pacific Avenue Bowl, Stockton, Calif., BowlTV
- May 11-13, PWBA GoBowling! Spokane Open, Lilac Lanes & Casino, Spokane, Wash., BowlTV
- May 17-23, USBC Queens, Sam's Town, Las Vegas, National TV
- May 31-June 2, PWBA Grand Rapids Classic – Great Lakes, Spectrum Lanes, Wyoming, Mich., BowlTV



- June 3-4, PWBA BowlTV Classic – Great Lakes, Spectrum Lanes, Wyoming, Mich., BowlTV

- June 5-6, PWBA Great Lakes Classic – Great Lakes, Spectrum Lanes, Wyoming, Mich., BowlTV

- June 8-10, PWBA Bowlers Journal Cleveland Open, Yorktown Lanes, Parma Heights, Ohio, BowlTV

- June 13-20, U.S. Women's Open, ABC Gates Bowl, Rochester, N.Y., National TV

- July 27-30, PBA/PWBA Striking Against Breast Cancer Mixed Doubles, Copperfield Bowl, Houston, BowlTV

- Aug. 8-10, PWBA Waterloo Classic – Waterloo, Cadillac Xtreme Bowling Center, Waterloo, Iowa, BowlTV

- Aug. 11-12, PWBA Pepsi

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At Cowtown Bowling Palace

Dull dances 300/809, Miller merrys in 716

Cobb, Moore 300's, Stilen, Williams 298's

Mike Dull won the battle for top billing with powerful 265-300-244 = 809 marks in Ebonite Classic Trio action for the month at Cowtown Bowling Palace.

Trinity Miller, from the Storm Bowling Draft Scratch Trio group, paced the ladies with a high-flying 180-257-271 = 716 set.

Dominic Cobb and Kevin Moore earned high-game honors with award-winning 12-baggers while George Stilen and Jeff Williams shared runner-up accolades with near-perfect 298 solos.

HONOR ROLL

Jeff Williams 726, Lisa Tunnell 220, Doug Estes 247, Keiler Sanchez 268-688, Joann Brower 211, Mike Karpinski 267, Tyler York 278, Susan Johnson 202-552, Steven Sanchez 249, Stella Evans 202.

Harlan Tunnell 248-676, George Stilen 756, Trinity Miller 279-716, J R Presley 269, Dusty Gallant 266, Jamie Hines 218, Dennis Patrick 286, R J Klann 280, Xeno Garcia 279, Cody Uthoff 257-760.

Catie Beasley 235-672, Josh Barnes 268, Nicollette Gaudette 216, Tyger

Miller 265, Cathy Nelson 209, Bill Uthoff 252-730, Ginny Wenck 189-500, Kevin Moore 267, R J Johnson 264, Emelia Willbanks 164.

Kris Lecroy 257-701, Adam Loviscek 223, Kevin Moore 275, Cristina Berry 194, Mark DeBoer 258, George Stilen 279, Lisa Tunnell 255, Cody Bennett 274, Michelle Teel 220-556.

Charles Walton 266, Ramiro Botello, Jr. 257-719, Jason Magallon, Sr. 245, Jamie Hines 214-603, Danny Seeders, Jr. 279, Brian Thornburg 269-741, Keith Hernandez 289, Amy Drescher 226-584.

Michael Patton 268-782, Nick Granado 267, Cherie DeLeon 223, Ron Boroff 267-740, Shawn Baily 279, Cathy Nelson 278-629, Kelly Ray 278, Alma Rodriguez 243, Thomas Gwin 268.

Selena Murray 235, Theresa Parmeie 279, Maria Joyner 268, Amy Drescher 262-653, Harlan Tunnell 268, Lina Trubenstein 287-704, Mark Wedge 267-753, Yaro Sutton 266, Mike Moore 267-694.

Miki Jo Parish 234-612, Doug Berckart 267, Grady Adams 257, Annie Peterson 216, David Dunn 280-770, Jacki Craft 240, Cory Estes 265, Amy

Adams 236, Annie Peterson 235-637, Skeeter Martin 247.

Dusty Gallant 279-750, Jodie Snook 278-682, Kevin Smith 242, John Gallant, Sr. 279, Susan Johnson 234-647, Ben Tunnell 279, Kevin Moore 231-692, Richard Love 248-635, April Strong 202-534.

Paul Nettleton 247, Clayton Arnold 223, Hayden Nettleton 246, Vicki Miertschin 186, Keith Miertschin 244-679, Jeff Rice 237, Justin Brown 256, Becky Rice 192-490, Richard Love 245-639.

SENIORS

Gilbert Settle 259, Sandy Bell 206-563, Johnny Zaskoda 257-693, Reva Springfield 200, Jim Wittenberg 255, George Hernandez, Sr. 259-639, Cheryl Berube 230-538, Tom Small 235, Ken Knowles 235.

Judy Moss 199, Bob Boyle 240, Larry Thun 232, Victor Sifuentes 205, Susie Dornquast 169, James Jantz 211-537, Reva Springfield 180, David Jarvis 196, Karen North 171, John Stewart 279.

Cheryl Berube 191, Tom Small 262, Ken Eilert 235-629, Randy Beinlich 259-639, Lori Harrison 211.

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As the original eight regular readers knew years ago, the topic of the annual final JPA of this calendar year was easy to predict, but it is with a twist. Events happening in our youth can have a bigger impact later in life, but what happened in the fall fifty years ago left a permanent imprint.

When Michelle and I moved to Texas in 2011, I had always heard what football meant in these parts having grown up in another area where football is king, western Pennsylvania.

1972 was a great year with two of the local three pro sports teams having memorable seasons. That summer featured not only the defending world champion Pittsburgh Pirates trying to get back to another World Series, but its big star Roberto Clemente was chasing his 3,000 hit, a mark only seven players had reached. The Great One did reach it on the season's next to last day, then faced Cincinnati's Big Red Machine in the National League Championship Series to get to another World Series. The heartbreaking finish of the fifth and deciding game of the was rough. A 3-2 ninth inning lead disappeared on a may have been Johnny Bench's only career homer to right field, later ending on a wild pitch to score the winning run. I still think the Buccos could have beaten eventual World Series champ Oakland A's, but we'll never know. This and the 1992 NLCS finish against Atlanta with

Francisco Cabrera's hit and Sid Bream's slide remain nearly as painful.

The team they shared Three Rivers Stadium with was having an unusual year of its own. After forty years looking at a .500 season as "winning," the Steelers were actually winning. After taking us yinzers on a ride through the fall to the AFC Central Division title, they were in a spot none of us dared dream just a year ago, two wins away from a Super Bowl berth. The first game would be at home and due to conference divisional rotation, a potential AFC title game would also be at Three Rivers.

But first was the divisional round against the Oakland Raiders on a date etched forever in Steeler lore when everything literally changed, Saturday December 23, 1972.

Oddly, the game was not sold out 72 hours before kickoff, so it was blacked out locally, even in nearby cities of Altoona, Johnstown, and Youngstown, Ohio. The closest NBC affiliate station I found was WKYC Ch 3 in Cleveland, even though the picture at our house in Brighton Township was barely watchable. Dad called the owner of land he rode horses in Ohioville on high terrain just inside the Pa-Ohio state line with an unobstructed view west and north. The owner's TV picture was clear from Cleveland, so he invited us there to watch the second half and the play I still can't bring up to most Raider

fans, even usually the calm Houston sports stadium audio engineer Nunee Oakes.

The Raiders scored the game's first touchdown on a scramble by backup quarterback Ken Stabler with 1:17 left in the game, good for a 7-6 lead. Had the "Same Old Steelers" found another way to lose a game, especially its first ever playoff game after its forty losing seasons? All but one Raider fans I've asked over the years still say yes. On 4th down and 10 with :22 left on their own 40, what happened over the next 17 seconds was so stunning it has been described as when the movie "The Wizard of Oz" changes from black and white to color or seeing the special effects in the original "Star Wars" movie for the first time.

Quarterback Terry Bradshaw's pass to Frenchy Fuqua at the Oakland 35 yard line bounced off defender Jack Tatum (maybe grazing Fuqua, a long time contention Raider fans believe Fuqua was the only deflector, thus rendering the pass incomplete according to NFL rules at the time) into the hands of running back Franco Harris (who blew his blocking assignment before heading downfield) who ran it in for the go ahead touchdown with :05 left, completing what the NFL deemed its most famous play on its centennial celebration two years ago, The Immaculate Reception. The 13-7 win locked up a date with the undefeated Miami Dolphins for the AFC title on New Year's Eve.

Three people who I know were at the Immaculate Reception game all described the same thing. Fans closest to the

Just Paying Attention

By Mark London
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play in 3RS wildly cheered, then the noise travelled gradually in both directions around the ring of the stadium, many still wondering what just happened. Sitting on the opposite side of the stadium, my Uncle Dave and dad of a co-worker said the noise reached them last. Legendary Steeler running back Rocky Bleier told me this past January he turned away from the play like you would if you were about to be in a minor car accident. He never saw the play, then raced to the end zone with teammates after Franco scored, still not knowing what just happened.

Euphoria reigned Christmas week as the realization sank in the Steelers were in a spot we only dreamed about, one win from the Super Bowl.

With a dozen of us crammed into Dad's friends living room (for good luck, even though the game was sold out and televised locally on WIIC Ch.11), we watched as they eventually lost 21-17, sending the Dolphins to Super Bowl VIII against the Washington Redskins (my 10-year-old self still thinks we could have beat them). But here's where the story goes sideways into the life lesson.

Later that night with 1973 only ninety minutes away, KDKA Radio broke the news there was a plane crash off the Puerto Rican coast with Clemente on board delivering



The action shot of Clemente hitting #3000 taken by long time Pirate team photographer Les Banos



The pose of Franco Harris as he caught the Immaculate Reception deflected pass in stride.

One statue is in the Heinz History Center, the other is inside the terminal at Pittsburgh International Airport. That one was supposed to be there only six months. It's been there since 2006

earthquake relief supplies to Nicaragua. By personally delivering supplies in person, he told friends supplies would not be stolen, thus insult a cultural icon, something not done.

It was around noon New Year's Day as Lindsey Nelson called the Texas-Alabama Cotton Bowl game on CBS,

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March 4-5	Lions Lanes	Ennis, Tx	Non Champions Singles
March 18-19	Planet Bowl	Midwest City, Ok.	Member/Guest Doubles
April 1-2	Emerald Lanes	Houston, Tx.	Age Bracket Singles
April 8-9	Cowtown	Ft. Worth, Tx.	70/60/50/G Foursome
April 22-23	Plano Super Bowl	Plano, Tx.	Masters Singles
April 29-30	Holiday Lanes	Oklahoma City	Member/Guest Doubles

SOUTHWEST REPORT



Dave's Corner

By: Dave Williams

Professional Women Regional Bowlers Need a Major Sponsor

The Professional Women's Bowling Association (PWBA) announced their upcoming schedule for the 2023 season last week, with a total of 12 national tour events and nine regional events. The national events are scheduled from May through August, with the three majors being contested on May 17-23 (USBC Queens), June 13-20 (U.S. Women's Open) and August 13-15 (PWBA Tour Championship). The Queens and U.S. Open events will carry a \$60,000 first prize, while the PWBA Tour Championship winner will receive \$50,000.

There are many interesting avenues to explore from the information provided by their news release. The one that really caught my eye is the fact that while the women will be shooting for some impressive prizes in the national events, there are only nine regional tournaments scheduled for the year... in the entire country! This is in stark contrast to the men's regional program that has grown exponentially since my first involvement almost 50 years ago.

As a western region PBA member in the mid-1970's, I can remember around 12 yearly events that helped the full-time members whenever there were no national tournaments scheduled. That was the case for most of the regions in the country, with the exception of the south. Regional director Harry O'Neale seemed to have an event scheduled almost every weekend in the southern region, and especially in Florida. It was an incentive for many national tour players to move to the sunshine state to supplement their income.

A look at the PBA regional calendar for 2022 (which turned into a two-day search on the internet and consultation with PBA eastern regional director Russ Mills) finds that there are significantly more events scheduled than could ever have been imagined in 1975, with at least one new region added (northwest) to alleviate extensive travel in that part of the country.

If our calculations are correct, there are now a total of more than 200 regionals scheduled throughout the

country. That includes senior (PBA50 and PBA60), PBA Junior (youth league members), and at least a couple of women only tournaments on the west coast. In any event, it would be fair to say that the PBA regional directors are definitely earning their salaries!

AMF Becomes Major Sponsor of Regionals

When I arrived on the scene at AMF's corporate offices in 1982, I was the only PBA member, and one of only a few bowlers among the more than 300 employees in Westbury, New York. This afforded me great opportunities in every aspect of my newfound position. I was called upon to not only provide marketing services for the bowling centers division, but also to test new bowling balls and other products. I also became "the unknown bowler" in many of the AMF print ads and television commercials.

Perhaps my greatest thrill was taking advantage of AMF's failing relationship with Dick Weber and reestablishing him as the star of the AMF Staff of Champions. We utilized Dick for grand openings, exhibitions, and just about any other special event that I could dream up that would involve the greatest ambassador of bowling that the world has ever known. At \$1,000 per event (plus expenses), the marketing value of Dick Weber could not be beat!

Another concept that we initiated at the AMF Bowling Centers was the sponsorship of PBA regional tournaments. AMF had always been involved on the national tour, sponsoring such well known tournaments as the AMF MagicScore Open, the AMF Angle Open, and the AMF Grand Prix, but the regional circuits had never been tapped.

My proposal to a couple of newcomers that had come upon the scene at the AMF Bowling Products Group about this time — George Kaltner and Scott Werthmann, was to sponsor a couple of PBA regional tournaments each summer to the tune of \$2,000 each. The impact upon the bowling centers during the lackluster summer months would be minimal in terms of displacing existing business, and in fact would



Poster announcing special guest Dick Weber at the Grand Opening of AMF Bama Bowl in Tuscaloosa, Alabama (1987)



General Manager Bob Rainford (left) with 18 year old Jimmy Williams, winner of AMF's inaugural PBA regional at East Meadow Bowl (1985)

be an enhancement to other ancillary forms of income such as food and beverage, pro shop and vending sales.

Werthmann recognized this opportunity right away, and we embarked upon a PBA regional sponsorship program at some of our more lucrative locations, as well as newly acquired properties. Our first two sites in 1985 were at AMF East Meadow Bowl in New York, and AMF Lang's Bowlarama in Rhode Island. As it turns out, the increased revenue from the food and beverage sales alone was enough to make the sponsorships successful.

A Winning Recipe For The PWBA

What the women need is a major sponsor for their regional program. Since AMF is heavily embroiled in their PBA and bowling center involvement, could Storm Bowling be the answer regarding sponsorship of the women's regional tournaments? Or perhaps the women should look to another industry for assistance. It's amazing what you can achieve just by asking.

That's what happened when I approached Seagram about sponsorship of a tournament held during league play that eventually became known as Seagram's Coolers Get Things Rolling Tournament at all AMF Bowling Centers. The next year my contact at the Seagram Building, Pat Roney, asked

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It could be that when you are tired, you slow down. Maybe when you play deep inside, you miss to the inside (or send it out in the weeds). Perhaps you have a tight armswing when you need to convert the baby split. Once these areas have been identi-

fied, you and your coach can experiment until you find a fix.

Perhaps it's drinking more water (which is one of the most invigorating things you can do). Maybe it's working on different body alignments until you discover what allows you to get inside and prevents you from throwing it out in the weeds. You could shoot the bucket from every dot and every arrow until it's a no-brainer for you.

I can't let that comment about water go unembellished. We all know that water is important. I just want to share a few things with you about how REALLY beneficial to your bowling, (not to mention your life), it can be. Often thirst is often mistaken for hunger. Even mild dehydration will slow down your metabolism. One glass of water can shut down midnight hunger pangs. I think it works on those just-before-you-go-to-bed-ice-cream pangs as well!

Lack of water is the #1 trigger of daytime fatigue. When you feel those 2 pm yawns coming on, get a glass of water. You'll find the fog lifts and you

can concentrate and function better. This actually works anytime you get foggy, not just at 2:00 in the afternoon.

A lack of water can trigger fuzzy short-term memory, trouble with basic math, difficulty focusing on the computer screen or a printed page, as well as remembering where you were standing on the left lane. Research indicates that 8-10 glasses of water a day could significantly ease back and joint pain. Drinking five glasses of water daily may decrease the risk of certain types of cancer including colon, breast, and bladder.

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Carrie Wichers, Sledge's league mate, led the ladies with a high-flying 219-277-183 = 679 set.

Tyler Albracht and Steve Merrill shared high-game accolades with Sledge with award-winning 12-baggers.

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Davis, Jr. decorates 300/738, Taylor twinkles 602

TERRELL – Donald Davis, Jr. topped the charts last month at Terrell Bowling Center after pocketing prime 191-247-300 = 738 numbers in the Tuesday Night Mixed outing.

Tina Taylor, also from the Tuesday Night Mixed group, paced the ladies with a rip-roaring 186-222-194 = 602 set.

HONOR ROLL

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Pete McCordic Inducted into the PBA SW Region Hall of Fame at Firelake

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Pete and Paula McCordic

By: Genie Franklin, *Publisher*
SHAWNEE, OK - Pete McCordic was inducted into the PBA SW Region Hall of Fame Saturday, December 3 at a special dinner following the qualifying round of the PBA SW Region Firelake Southwest Invitational.

McCordic retired last year as the SW Region Director after 25 years of service.

Retiring gave him more time to be on the lanes instead of behind the lanes. McCordic was able to compete full time on the PBA50 National Tour and placed 44th on the point list.

McCordic will also be inducted into the PBA Hall of Fame ceremony which will be held March 12, 2023 in Fairlawn, Ohio prior to the PBA Tournament of Champions.

At Hallmark

Robinson reindeers to 789, Ciesiolka cookies with 647

KILLEEN - Rob Robinson's power-packed 789 Monday Trios series headed the leader boards for the month at Hallmark Lanes.

Karin Ciesiolka, from the Hit & Miss Classic group, fronted the ladies with a hard-hitting 647 set.

HONOR ROLL

Tony Herr 255, Teresa Herr 188, Karin Ciesiolka 641, JayC Ponger 257, Robert Davie, Sr. 663, Maya Dixon-Dates 211, Tommy Hall 258, Tony Bryant 723, Brandon Cambra 254, John Dixon 637.

Teri Anne Cox 211, Donnie Brown 223, Eric Jackson, Sr. 685, Sonya Stokes 167, Cindy Gill 606, Stixx Stickles 229, Allan Smith 735, Marlys Wykes-Smith 497, Kendrick Little 225, Tom Denbrock

661.

Maria Dittmer 195, Adrian Thomas 259, Thomas Keller 677, Crystal Wiley 577, Scott Collum 266, John Ciesiolka 708, Stephanie Williamson 214, Bernie Gill 236, Eric Jackson, Sr. 664.

Rebekah Xayachack 168, Will Palumbo 290, Allan Smith 720, Teresa Herr 510, Kevin Fitzgerald 244, Eric Jackson 645, Hayley Pernell 620, Rod Watkins 268-707, Sharon Jeffers 258-630.

Richard LaGrone 258, Ben Hogan 705, Karin Ciesiolka 647, Eric Jackson, Sr. 222, Darius Dunem 664, Nella China 153, Cindy Gill 602, Bruce Mills 225, Michael Dixon-Dates 704.

seed Deo Benard to advance to the championship match.

Francois defeated Deo in 2 games to face number 14 seed Anthony Simonsen in the title match.

Simonsen defeated number 3 seed Shawn Maldonado, number 11 seed David Krol, and number 2 seed Sean Lavery-Spahr to get to the title match.

Simonsen put up a 277 the second game, but it wasn't enough and Lavoie took the title defeating Anthony 2 of the 3 games. Lavoie earned \$4,000 and Simonsen received \$2,500.

All 32 players cashed in the invitational event with last cash receiving \$260.

Bracket Qualifiers

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- 8 Dylan Macon Lubbock, TX \$1,000
- 9 Shawn Maldonado Houston \$675
- 10 Deeronn Booker Anaheim, Calif. \$675
- 11 Sean Sadat Houston, TX \$675
- 12 (S) Chris Barnes Denton, TX \$675
- 13 Stefan Wood Lubbock, TX \$675
- 14 Stuart Williams Pflugerville, TX \$675
- 15 Zach Rhoades Lafayette, IN \$675
- 16 Joseph Grondin San Pedro, Calif. \$675

Desiree Rodriguez 200, Hayley Pernell 575, Tommy Anderson 258, Donald Crittenden 686, Cookie Reddock 229-643, Eric House 261, James Norris 685, Kisha Thomas 235, Amy Starkovich 623.

Bobby Davis 212, Eric Jackson, Sr. 682, Sonya Stokes 173, Nella China 452.

SENIORS

Jeff Hough 244, Darius Dunem 703, Jillian Souchet 164, Sonya Stokes 562, Tony Powell 244, Luis Baez 780, Joan Hellon 203, Brenda Washington 574, Luis Baez 258, Sam Cominsky 723.

Cookie Reddock 588, Chuck Lantz 704, Kathy Koehne 190, Barbara Person 579, Rullie Haywood, Jr. 266, Cookie Reddock 217, Ev Tradup 563, John Dixon 245, John Manibusau 652, Sam Cominsky 729.

Christine Scott 211, Tommy Camacho 267, George Chapman 696, Starr Wilson 189.

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Keith Thomas, Jr Wins Triple 777 Singles



Returning Champion Wanda Parker with Keith Thomas, Jr

By: Dino Castillo

RICHARDSON, TX - The second leg of the Triple 7 series came down to the last ball.

Keith Thomas finished the last game and took the victory by 2 pins and \$800.

Chris Colen who dominated the first 6 games, hit a speed bump to finish second and claim \$550.

Traci Ellison finished third for \$400, Jason Maryland 4th for \$300 and LSIII \$200 for 5th.

We had 5 different winners of the \$100 high game pot.

The 777 champion match also came down to the last frame. The returning champion, Wanda Parker, had to

At Killeen Bowlerama

Davie, Jr. donners 825, Bryant blitzens 767

Chaney, Stutz add 300's, Gee, Joseph, Thurston, Vanecek 299's

KILLEEN, TX – Robert Davie, Jr., Youth bowler, hit up the lanes last month at Killeen Bowlerama after pocketing power-laden 279-279-267 = 825 numbers in Adult/Youth league action.

Darline Bryant paced the ladies with a rollicking 767 Commercial League set.

Don Chaney and Jerry Stutz shared high-game honors with award-winning 12-baggers. Jimmie Gee, Brian Joseph, Phil Thurston and Jeff Vanecek took

runner-up accolades with near-perfect 299 solos.

But, it was the side events that grabbed all the news. We add a new event called 7s wild. Bowler has to strike in the 7th frame of every game to win the pot. \$300. 2 bowlers completed the feat and shared the prize. Ezra Pekas and Keith Thomas (the champion).

Special thank you to Scott Butz and Platinum Ford for giving away the special Platinum Ford white spare ball in our 7 in a row give away and thanks to AMF Richardson Lanes.

runner-up accolades with near-perfect 299 solos.

HONOR ROLL

Phil Thurston 751, Annette Richeson 233-591, Curtis Robinson 704, Linda Strickland 202-578, Benny Fajkus 689, Sherrie Miller 215-560, Robin Behymer 672, Jeff Vanecek 798, Regie Criner 770.

Stephanie Hamric 276-714, Joe Young 764, Amanda Morgan 701, Damian Codrington 761, Emily Berger 692, Joey Wood 755, Eddie Timm 754, Walter Harrison 748, Jerry Stutz 748.

Glenn Smith Takes SW Region PBA50 Beaumont Southwest Open at Crossroads

By: Tony Lanning

BEAUMONT, TX - Glenn Smith from New York, NY made the most of his trip to Southeast Texas Thanksgiving weekend by taking the title at the PBA50 Beaumont Southwest Open.

Smith patiently sat in 4th place after Saturday's qualifying and the advancer round Sunday morning while Mike Austin, Paul Fleming and Chris Hibbitts II took turns leading the event.

Smith then started the match play finals with 238, 279, 279 and 269 to jump into the lead.

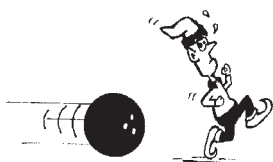
It was still anyone's tournament and Austin, Hibbitts and Fleming continued to give chase. Going into the position round match, Smith was the leader by 68 over Mike Austin with Chris Hibbitts trailing Austin by only 3 pins.

Smith and Austin both started the final match with the first five strikes, then in an unlikely turn Smith split then washed out in the 6th and 7th.

Austin kept the pressure on with a spare and the next three strikes. Smith was determined and started stringing strikes again. Austin let a shot go high in the tenth frame effectively ending his bid to chase down the leader.

Smith finished with a flurry and ultimately won the match 244-242. This is Smith's second Southwest Region PBA50 title in 2022 and his fourth overall PBA50 win.

Thank you to Mark and Trish Williams and the Crossroads Bowling center team for being gracious hosts on Thanksgiving weekend.



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Champion Glenn Smith with Mark and Trish Williams



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USBC Creates Collegiate Hall of Fame with Inaugural Inductions set for April of 2024

By: Dave Schroeder

ARLINGTON, Texas – The United States Bowling Congress will create a USBC Collegiate Hall of Fame recognizing individuals in three categories and featuring an inaugural induction class in April of 2024.

The first collegiate bowling championships were contested in 1975 in Dayton, Ohio, and the sport as grown on the collegiate level to more than 4,000 student-athletes on nearly 300 college and university campuses. Each year, more than 150 certified tournaments are held across the country to showcase these student-athletes and programs.

USBC Collegiate currently oversees and conducts the Intercollegiate Team and Singles Championships. The top 80 men's and top 64 women's collegiate teams compete in regional events for the right to advance to the ITC. Individual champions are crowned at the ISC.

The creation of a USBC Collegiate Hall of Fame will honor the sport's collegiate history by inducting deserving candidates in one of three categories: Student-Athlete, Coach and Contributor. The eligibility criteria for each category are:

- Student-Athlete:**
- Completion of at least two seasons as a collegiate member with nomination eligibility beginning 10 years after an individual's last year in USBC Collegiate competition.
 - Selected at least once as an NCBCA or IBMA All-American or at least twice as an NTCA, NAIA or

Club All-American.

- If a student-athlete does not meet the criteria above, the nominee's individual tournament results, performance in national championship events and post season awards will be considered.

Coach:

- Eligible for nomination after 20 years of active coaching. If an individual coaches less than 20 years, they will become eligible for nomination after their years of coaching and time after coaching equals 20.

- Must have served as a coach (head or assistant) for a minimum of 10 seasons.

- Must have coached teams with a final season power ranking (if coached during this era) in the top 10 for a minimum of five seasons.

- Must have qualified for their respective national championship a minimum of five times.

Contributor:

- Must have demonstrated significant contribution to college bowling.

- Must have distinguished himself/herself through outstanding service in collegiate bowling. These individuals shall be persons who have demonstrated service, ideals, contributions, and achievements above and beyond the ordinary to the sport.

The USBC Collegiate Hall of Fame will be a function of the USBC Collegiate Division. Governance shall be by the USBC Collegiate Hall of

Fame Committee, which will consist of a total of 13 individuals comprised as follows:

- Five USBC representatives appointed by the USBC Collegiate Advisory Committee.
- Four current USBC Hall of Fame members. All four shall be appointed by the Chair of the USBC Hall of Fame Committee.
- Four members of the bowling writing community with a minimum 10 years of experience as recommended by recognized national bowling writer organizations.

Any person may submit nominations, along with the nominee's qualifications and achievements. The nomination process for the inaugural class will begin in the summer of 2023.

For more information on the USBC Collegiate Hall of Fame, please visit: BOWL.com/youth/collegiate/Collegiate-Hall-Of-Fame

PWBA SCHEDULE

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Classic - Waterloo, Cadillac Xtreme Bowling Center, Waterloo, Iowa, BowlTV

• Aug. 13-15, PWBA Tour Championship - Waterloo, Cadillac Xtreme Bowling Center, Waterloo, Iowa, National TV

To learn more about the PWBA Tour, visit PWBA.com.

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for live events and easy access to on-demand and archived tournament videos.

"Bowling fans have wanted to bring all of their favorite tours and events to one livestreaming platform, and we're excited for our partnership with the PBA to make this happen in 2023," USBC President Melissa McDaniel said. "Integrating a mobile app was the next stage for the continued development and growth of BowlTV. Being able to combine this new schedule with a new way to enjoy BowlTV is going to make for a great year for the subscribers."

For more information on BowlTV, visit BOWL.com/BowlTV. To subscribe, head to BowlTV.com/subscribe.

At FireLake Bowling Center

Justice jollies 795, Woodford wreaths 645

SHAWNEE, OK – Rick Justice compiled a top-flight 268-268-259 = 795 Tuesday Twinkle Toes set to gain the top spot on the honor roll last month at Firelake Bowl.

Renee Woodford earned the top spot to lead the lady bowlers with a sturdy 201-221-223 = 645 The Masters set.

HONOR ROLL
Scotty Keen 265-788, Tim Huff

KEPNER SASBA

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Rusher, Maria Rodriguez, Sean Lavery-Spahr) defeated Team Lewis (Prinic Lewis, Chris Bryant, Traci Ellison, Brett Cooper) 258-190. The second match the Lecroy team lost to Team Dougherty (Doc Dougherty, Doug Becker, Stefanie Johnson, Chris Johnson) 233-203. Doc's Team defeated Team Hoefs (Ben Hoefs, Michael Haugen, Latoya Williams, Anthony Thompson) in the third match 248-237.

In the final match Team Kepner (Phil Kepner, Chris Barnes, Sandi Charles, Anthony Lavery-Spahr) beat Team Doc 225-215 for the title. It was Phil's 15th SASBA title and the 4th for Chris.

We had a total of (11) 300 games including an exciting 300-300 match between Tannya Roumimper and Keondra Eaton.

Thanks to Scott Craddock and staff for hosting.

December 10-11 is the Annual Christmas Team at Cowtown Bowling Palace.

LEISHA TRIO

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team of Michelle Stephens, Jim Stephens and Dimitri Cruz emerge victorious with a clutch final frame by Cruz to secure the victory and \$2,700!

Teams (Jessica Bingham/Andrew Smith/David Bullough) (Danielle McWilliams/Craig Dopson/James Hale) (Jenna Ricketts/Joel Ricketts/Anthony Lavery-Spahr) 2-4 each earned \$1,305 for a 2nd place tie, with teams 5-7 earning \$420 each for a 5th place tie.

7 teams out of 25 cashed on the afternoon and an afternoon full of fun times, great bowling, signature drinks and a celebration of an awesome human in the bowling world!

Special Thanks to Tyson for running the event for Lusha's Ladies and Kameleon Sports-wear for giving away Kameleon t-shirts and bag handles to 6 lucky teams!

HIGH SCHOOL CLASSIC

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bells and whistles that make it a special tournament.

Brunswick, Brunswick Youth Experience, Texas Tenpin Association, Bowl4Life Foundation, BowlTV, GameDay Gear, Fifo, Astro SuperBowl, Luis Benavides, Neotek Lighting, Spencer Renovations, Zellner Electric, Eastridge Lanes - Amarillo, Texas, Alexander's Pro Shop, Miami Sunglasses, Rene De La Cruz, Scaffold Engineering, and The Bowling News.



JUST PAYING ATTENTION

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he gave an updated report about the crash and Clemente's certain passing. It was my first experience a death of someone I knew, albeit as a fan, even sharing a birthday. Dad sensed I had heard the news and said it's natural to feel sorrow as someone passes and it will take time. The next question was not one he expected, especially from a 10-year-old. Only days before, it was pure joy. Now, pure sorrow. How do you handle this? He looked at me calmly and said it is a part of the mystery in this journey we call life, even though at times the highs are high and the lows are low. It was by chance they happened this close to each other. We are all processing the weight these two events bring. You will eventually accept he's gone and your memory of him will be with you forever.

The Steelers continued their winning ways, reaching that unthought of Super Bowl not once, but four times in the 1970s winning each of them (two against the Cowboys). The Pirates won three more division titles that decade, the last with the other pillar of the team, Willie Stargell leading them to its most recent World Series crown of the We Are Family Buccos in 1979.

It was some serious stuff for a 10-year-old boy to experience. After explaining the highs and lows of those days to my stepson recently, he began to see life events in a different light and handle them in a much more proactive manner. You just never know what seventeen seconds, eight days, and fifty years can mean.

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Hope you and yours have a Merry Christmas, a Happy New Year, and a fun holiday season.

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DAVE'S CORNER

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about even more involvement and I directed him to the Bowling Proprietors Association of America (BPAA).

The result of that initial meeting with Mr. Roney led to Seagram becoming involved in the US Open tournaments for both men and women. The unprecedented first place prizes of \$100,000 for the men, and \$40,000 for the women, have only recently been topped, after more than 35 years. To put the women's 1st place prize in perspective, only one woman in the history of professional bowling (prior to 1987) had

ever won more than \$50,000 in an entire year, so this was indeed uncharted territory.

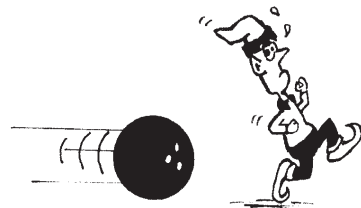
Another of my well-known expeditions to Manhattan resulted in an interesting involvement with Revlon, where Mr. Kaltner had previously worked for the makeup company that has been around since 1932. Looking back on that adventure now, I'm sure that George must have provided some assistance with a couple of calls to his former associates. The result was a complimentary basket filled with Revlon products that we provided to bowlers in all our daytime ladies leagues.

So, whether it's Seagram, or Revlon, or even HelloFresh that recently signed a multi-year

deal with the Women's National Basketball Association (remember Colie Edison?); all that someone from the PWBA needs to do is ask, and a vibrant regional bowling program with additional prize money and events could be the result.

Special thanks to Russ Mills of the PBA, and Aaron Smith of the USBC and PWBA, for verifying portions of the information provided in this article.

Photos provided by Dave Williams.



At Tenpins & More

Brenning brightens 299/299/822, Linares lights up 698

Candelaria, Sanders, Romero, Carriaga, Delmore, Nance 300's, Espinoza 299, Quintana 297

RIO RANCHO, NM – Dan Brenning was the high bowler for the month at Tenpins & More by rolling a dual, award-winning 299-224-299 = 822 Buds Trio league series.

Aileen Linares led the honor roll for the month for the ladies with an outstanding 255-220-223 = 698 Thursday Doubles set.

Rick Candelaria, Christopher Sanders, Joe Romero, Eric Carriaga, James Delmore and J D Nance shared high-game accolades as each recorded award-winning 12-baggers.

Leroy Espinoza shared runner-up honors with Brenning with near-perfect 299 solo's while Steve Quintana followed with a 297 game.

HONOR ROLL

Troi Donnachaidh 217-539, Greg Kenneth 289-728, Robin Prioleau 244-666, Rick Candelaria 279-794, Johnna Mora 237-655, Eric Carriaga 279-774, Gloria Blair 243-641, Dominic Huerta 258-730.

Elizabeth Griego 181-503, Ariel Reyes 236-595, Jolene Sokohl 220-581, Kenneth Friedrich 267-725, Christopher

Sanders 279-737, Troi Donnachaidh 242-643, Anthony Garcia 243-647.

Jolene Sokohl 233-614, Jared Buffington 257-703, Tammy Michel 171-463, Jon Arevalo 259-642, Karen Coffey 289-657, Rusty Coffey 259-728, Dusti Griffin (4 games) 269-944.

J D Nance (4 games) 1045, Aileen Linares 248-640, Sam Pinge 257-681, Destiny Barnard 151-396, Aveyer Marquez 244-631.

SENIORS

Becky Fisher 218-635, Steve Quintana 730, Wendy Pase 218-564, Jeff Brown 244-697.



214-572, Natasha Stamp 214-567, Lisa Bittle 192-523, Billie Bradley 177-510.

Karleen Reynolds 215-609, Jackie Fisher 237-638, Samantha Armstrong 215-577, Jackie Fisher 246-650, Samantha Armstrong 223-578, Karleen Reynolds 204-598, Terri Driggers 207-579.

Kerry Vossler 249-674, Samantha Armstrong 201-579, Tracy Ratchford 214-584, Terri Watts 212-582.

SENIORS

Wally Mahoney 278-779, Roger Zaeske 254-650, Randy Stiller 224-638, Jeffrey Smith 221-622, Loren Eisenhauer 231-578, Harry Hagedorn 266-575, Scott Radamaker 236-631, Pete Seibel 235-629.

Raymond Lehew 242-622, Pete Seibel 238-682, Cliff Asselin 213-614, Pete Seibel 256-730, Raymond Lehew 236-645, Debbie Moore 210-600, Joyce Burrows 204-553, Deb Dodson 182-519.

Fay Craig 199-508, Sue Hill 199-499, Terri Griffith 212-594, Tricia Luedtke 181-511, Vickie Ratliff 204-587, Deb Dodson 181-541.

At Hilltop Lanes

Cantrell carols 300/826, Fisher fa la las 299/738

Lewis 299/812, Mann, Seibel, Street 300's

WAXAHACHIE, TX – Geoff Cantrell pocketed prime 300/826 numbers in Tuesday Nite Mixed action to lead the scoring race for the month at Hilltop Lanes.

Rod Lewis, Cantrell's league mate, finished close behind with his first 800 series with a 299/812 series.

Jackie Fisher's impressive 299/738 Tuesday Nite Mixed production fronted fem scoring.

JC Mann, Pete Seibel and Joel Street shared high-game honors with Cantrell with award-winning 12-baggers.

HONOR ROLL

Mike Radamaker 247-732, Joe Eich 259-687, Johnny Michael 255-594, John Powell 257-721, Mike Wood 289-681, Bob Massey 259-762, Benjamin Michael

259-681, Dudley Light 256-765.

Joel Nash 245-697, Matthew Jennings 248-693, Messiah Henderson 278-690, Matthew Jennings 257-747, Scott Boyd 258-709, Randy Stiller 246-723, Matthew Jennings 246-691, Pete Seibel 761.

Bob Massey 248-726, Pete Seibel 276-778, JC Mann 261-775, Mikey Kirton 287-745, Kevin Boucher 256-735, Messiah Henderson 224-662, Jeff Cole 279-657, Bruce Ketchum 266-673.

Joseph Vossler 226-670, Samantha Armstrong 211-551, Renea Powell 222-547, Samantha Armstrong 236-601, Natasha Stamp 226-561, Samantha Armstrong 203-566, Renea Powell 191-561.

Samantha Armstrong 246-655, Renea Powell 222-548, Joyce Burrows 210-604, Lisa Bittle 207-560, Patty Smith

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Wishes all bowlers a Merry Christmas & a Happy New Year!
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YOUTH BOWLER OF THE MONTH



NASH FITZGERALD

17, of Rowlett, TX is a Senior at Sachse High School. Last month, he was the Scratch Division winner of the Ballard Bowling Academy's "Experience" event, beating another top player and good friend, Keegan Alexander. Nash also won the Youth Scratch Masters in OKC last month, finished 10th in the SYC in Wichita, and 3rd at the Youth Lone Star at Plano. He has been on a big run and improving rapidly. He gives a lot of the credit to his coach, Joe Findling, who provides him lots of advice and guidance.

Hometown Bowling Center: Rowlett Bowl-a-Rama

How did you get started bowling? I didn't start bowling until my freshman year. I was big into taekwondo. I'm a black belt, and was ranked 7th in the nation and #1 in Texas. I went bowling just for fun, but thought I could be good at it, and found it satisfying, it was actually kind of random. I was watching videos on how to strike, saw Belmo throw it with two-hands and thought that looked easier. So, I started with a spare ball and that's how I learned how to hook it.

High Game/Series: I have two 300 games and high series of 818

Favorite Bowler: Steven Keblish, not Joe Findling. Seriously, they have been great mentors to me. They both have great games, and they've helped me a lot in my bowling career.

Favorite bowling accomplishment: When I shot my first 300 and first 800 series in the Ed Calcote tournament at Forum Bowl in March. I was really nervous, but I ended up having the first 16 strikes to start off the series.

What other hobbies do you have? I hang out with friends and workout at the gym.

What do you love most about bowling? I love the competition, travelling, and hanging out with my friends.

What are your bowling goals? I plan to bowl in college, but I don't think I would go pro, I don't want it to feel like it's a job. I have already committed to a college to bowl, that will be announced soon. I plan to major in biology and then pre-chiropractic. I want to be a chiropractor.

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