

# **ABTA Las Vegas Open** IN TWO WEEKS JAN 20 to 23 at the SOUTH POINT \$5,000 Min 1st Place up to \$10,000 1st with Bonuses

LAS VEGAS—The ABTA will hold it's January Open Event at the Beautiful South Point, January 20-21-22-23 with a First Place Guarantee of \$5,500 and up to \$11,000 First Place can be won with the Bonuses and Cash N Carry Options. Onsite Entries are welcomed. New Members welcome to join.

ROOMS ARE DUE IN FULL by this Saturday January 8th. There are rooms available. First come, first served. \$78.00 Friday, and or Saturday and only \$45.00 any other nights. Rooms can be purchased at our one day event this Saturday at Oak Tree Lanes. See our ad for further Information. ROOMS still AVAILABLE.

New members up to 209 Average are welcome as this is an Open Event! Membership will only be \$10.00. Seniors Men 55+ and Ladies 49+ receive free Membership in the ABTA. Averages must be completely Verified to enter. Join the ABTA.

Entry Fees for the Big Paying Event are reasonable with First Entry \$90 (Prepaid \$86)

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Onsite, Re-Entries are \$80-\$70 and all others only \$63. Reduced Entries will receive \$2,750 1st place and 60 % of all Prizes funds. 1st Entry \$61, re entries \$53 & \$50.

There are Qualifying Squads all four days and each day is separate qualifying with 1 in 5 1/2 bowlers making the board daily.

First place in this Event is Guaranteed at \$5,500 minimum and with Bonuses 1st place can be worth up to \$11,000. Get the rooms in By Saturday. We are bowling at Oak Tree Lanes in Diamond Bar on January 8.

Last Years Event drew over 500 Entrants and huge payoffs for our bowlers. Please see our ad in this paper.

For Information contact the ABTA 562-868-7164, (CELL) 562-228-3960 or see the Web Site at www.abta1.com

The South Point is located at 9777 Las Vegas Blvd (South Strip) and easy to find. Just take Interstate 15 to Silverado Canyon Rd go East 1 block to the Center on the right. The phone there is 702-796-7111.

# **BALLARD, WEBB AND GIANOTTI ELECTED TO USBC HALL OF FAME**

ARLINGTON, Texas -Del Ballard Jr., Wayne Webb and Carol Gianotti have been elected to the United States Bowling Congress Hall of Fame in the Superior Performance category.

The three bowlers join Jeff Richgels (Outstanding USBC Performance), Roseann Kuhn (Meritorious Service) and Cheryl Robinson (Veterans), who were elected in November by the USBC Hall of Fame Committee. The induction ceremony for the 2011 class will be July 1 at the Gavlord Texan Resort and Convention Center in Grapevine, Texas.

Ballard, 47, of Keller, Texas, won 13 Professional Bowlers Association Tour titles between 1987 and 1993, including the USBC Masters in 1988 and the Firestone Tournament of Champions in 1989. He was No. 29 on the list of the 50 Greatest Players in PBA History in 2008.

"It feels great, and it's a little bit of a relief," Ballard said. "After being on the ballot and not getting in the last three years, I was wondering if it was ever going to happen, or if maybe I didn't deserve it. I felt like I belonged, but sometimes you have an opinion of yourself that other people may not agree with. Now, this shows that people feel I'm deserving, and I'm extremely grateful."

Being a member of the USBC Hall of Fame has been a dream for Ballard since he watched family friend Bill Lillard Sr. of Houston get inducted in 1972. When Ballard joined the PBA Tour, he set his sights on the PBA Hall of Fame as well.

Ballard, who also owns

career earnings, made the PBA Hall of Fame in 2009, joined the Dallas USBC BA Hall of Fame later that year and was inducted into the Texas State USBC Hall of Fame in 2010. Also in 2010, he was diagnosed with tonsil cancer but has had successful treatment.

17 PBA regional titles and

nearly \$1.3 million in PBA

"In a way, this completes the circle for me, and it's a very nice feeling," Ballard said. "This is a very uplifting end to an emotional, roller coaster of a year for me."

Webb, 53, of Columbus, Ohio, won 20 PBA Tour titles from 1978-1997, including the Firestone Tournament of Champions in 1980. He is among the 50 Greatest Players in PBA History (No. 18) and was elected to the PBA Hall of Fame in 1993. "When I got the phone call, I got pretty emotional, and it was actually hard for me not to cry a little bit," Webb said. "It came as such a surprise that it overwhelmed me and was hard to process. Of course, it's something you always hope for, but I never thought it would happen this soon, if at all."

While Webb was a familiar face on the lanes for more than three decades, he renewed his place in the spotlight as a dominating player on the PBA Senior Tour. He was named Rookie of the Year in 2008 and has claimed five titles, including three majors.

In 2010, Webb was named PBA Senior Player of the Year and joined Mark Roth as the only players to earn PBA Tour and Senior Tour Player of the Year awards during their careers

"When you're out there competing, you can only hope to be considered among the best," said Webb, who was the PBA Player of the Year in 1980. "Earning both player-of-theyear awards was something I was proud to accomplish, and being inducted into both halls of fame is incredible. Everyone has a bucket list, and mine is now full.'

Gianotti, 43, of Perth, Australia, won 16 Ladies Pro Bowlers Tour/ Professional Women's Bowling Association titles between 1989 and 2000, including the 1989 USBC Queens. She teamed with Ann Maree Putney to take the silver medal in doubles at the 2009 World Tenpin Bowling Association World Women's Championships.

"This feels great, and it's something that just tops off my career," Gianotti said. "It was a call that I wasn't expecting, especially at a quarter past 5 in the morning, but it was so worth it."

Gianotti has been part of three team titles at the USBC Women's Championships and teamed with Missy Klug to take the Scratch Doubles title in 2010. "To be recognized for something you love to do and elected to something you've always had as a goal is really special," Gianotti said. "Del and I have been talking about this a little bit lately, and now we get to go in together. I wouldn't have it any other way."

### This Sunday on ESPN: PBA USA vs. The World Team Competition SUNDAY, JANUARY 9TH, 11 A.M. PACIFIC

LAS VEGAS — After a one-week break, the Lumber Liquidators PBA Tour returns to ESPN this Sunday with an international flavor and a unique team format.

The PBA World Series of Bowling's Team Competition pits six American bowlers who finished highest in the 60-game qualifying session against six international players who had fared best while bowling 12 games per day on five different lane conditions.

The six-man team event will award one point for each of six head-to-head matches, plus three points to the team with the highest total pinfall.

Making up the U.S team will be 2008-09 PBA Player of the Year Wes Malott, 2007-08 Player of the Year Chris Barnes, two-time Tour Champion Michael Haugen Jr., 2010 Viper winner Bill O'Neill, four-time Tour titlist Sean Rash and Ronnie Russell.

Making up the International squad will be PBA Hall of Famer Amleto Monacelli, Venezuela, two-handed specialists Jason Belmonte of Australia and Osku Palermaa of Finland who won the 2010 Shark Championship.

Two more Finns - eighttime PBA Tour winner Mika Koivuniemi and Kimmo Lehtonen - along with Dan MacLelland of Canada round out the international team. Check your local listings.

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Top Qualifier O'Neill Picks "Viner" for PBA World

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PAMELA PANCOAST	300/755	12-30-10	PALOS VERDES BOWL
MICHELLE SILVER	718	12-30-10	MAR VISTA BOWL
JUSTIN ZIEGLER	300	1-1-11	ARROWHEAD LANES
COREY BUSHELL	300	1-2-11	HARLEYS SIMI BOWL
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### Championship at South Point on Friday, Jan. 14

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (Jan. 4, 2011) - Bill O'Neill of Southampton, Pa., who won his third career Lumber Liquidators PBA Tour title in the Pepsi Viper Championship in the 2010 PBA World Series of Bowling in October, has selected the Viper lane condition for the 2011 PBA World Championship finals as the PBA Tour launches the live television portion of its schedule Jan. 14-16 at South Point Bowling Center.

The first-ever three-day, eight-player stepladder finals will air on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 14-16, on ESPN2 and ESPN. O'Neill, the top qualifier after 60 World Series games bowled on five different PBA lane conditions, earned the right to select which lane condition would be used continued on page 6



#### ĬS Heaven!! January 9 **ABT Citrus Belt** Sunday **ABT Orange County** Jan. 8-9 Sat/Sun Saturday

**Foothill Lanes Keystone Lanes January 8 Oak Tree Lanes January** 9 **Del Rosa Lanes** January 11 **Canoga Park Bowl** January 12 **Del Rosa Lanes** January 9 **Forest Lanes** January 8-9 Cal Bowl





# **NATIONAL DEAF BOWLING NEWS** TWO IMPORTANT DEAF BOWLING TOURNAMENT DEADLINES COMMING UP

LAKE ELSINORE—This writer regretted having misplaced his mail containing entry forms and information about the coming 27th annual Southern Nevada-California Deaf Bowling Association tournament. So he tried the National Deaf Tournaments Schedule and found SNCDBA 's website but unfortunately that was not updated and contained only the results of last year's tournament in Cabazon, CA.

As writing this now, this writer is not sure of the deadline being on January 10th or 15th. So he and others not having entry forms, better hurry to get them from SNCDBA Secretary-treasurer Stan Booth by emailing him at stsncdba@yahoo.com.

The 27th annual SNCDBA tournament will be on February 19-20 at Trevi Zone Lanes in Lake Elsinore. Like last year's tournament at Canyon Lanes in Cabazon which was new to deaf bowlers, Trevi Zone Lanes and Lake Elsinore are new places which many deaf bowlers have not tried and so it will be equal field for all.

Last year at Canyon Lanes Carl Malucci set a world record for deaf bowlers with 2333 in all events that puts SNCDBA on the map. As big as 2333 was but Malucci only helped his team won the team event and other bowlers beat in other four handicap events including the Deaf Eliminations.

## DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES IN LAS VEGAS 75TH GLDBA TOURNAMENT FEB. 7

LAS VEGAS—This writer got this email from friend Mike Jasko, Cleveland, OH who is the secretary-treasurer of Great Lakes Deaf Bowling Association, requesting to place his letter in this column for all to read.

Hello Bowlers and Friends:

This message is to remind you about deadline for GLDBA 2011 / Las Vegas entry form and money in full. DEADLINE is February 7, 2011.

If you already paid \$100.00 for hold your spot, you can pay the different from the total of entry fee you want to participate.

For example: The total of entry fee is \$280.00 and you already paid \$100.00 so you owe \$180.00.

Please click on "UPDATED" box to enter and click each subject you want to watch. Plus there is more information about several other events.

www.gldba-gldwba.org/LV/lv.htm

Please spread it to anyone you know who want or plan to go there.

If you have any questions for bowling issues, please contact Walter Niesluchowski, walt47ski@ aol.com and/or Michael Jasko, gldbastjasko@aol.com

All other issues, contact Ronnie Zuchegno Jr, zuchman2011@aol.com and/or Walter Niesluchowski, walt47ski@aol.com

Thank you for helping us to make it happen.

Michael Jasko

GLDBA 2011 Committees

As this writer recalled, the last time GLDBA held its 61st anniversary tournament in Las Vegas in 1996 was to help celebrate the GLDWBA's 50th anniversary tournament together. The men drew an all time deaf teams record of 188 teams of fivesomes while women also drew their record 76 five-woman teams. Altogether there were an impressive record gathering of 1320 deaf and hearing-impaired bowlers plus more than a thousand bowling fans in one city.

This year GLDBA raised the entry fees higher than in 1996 to cope with the high rate of the games. Also with the economy at this time, it is doubtful they will break their entry records.

The entry fees for per bowler are \$120 for team, doubles and singles events (\$40 per event) plus \$75 for bowler's combo tickets for the affairs planned. That's \$195.00 to start with and there are optionals like\$15 for all-events, \$10 for doubles & singles 6 games event and \$60 to enter the Cahen Master Championship. That is the total of \$280 mentioned above. For seniors, 55 years old and over there are optionals to add, \$15 for Senior Citizen handicap all events and \$50 the Senior Citizen Masters.

Remember this 75th anniversary is a big affair, which comes once in your lifetime and this writer as a bowling freak plans to bowl in all the events. That will cost me \$345.00 to enter all and have fun. One more thing, entrant must list his last five years averages and his highest will be picked for this tournament.

### SO. CALIF. DEAF CLASSIC THIS SATURDAY AT AMF CERRITOS

CERRITOS—The first deaf tournament of year in Southland, 48th annual So. Calif. Deaf Classic is on this Saturday at AMF Cerritos Bowl with 3 squads, 12 Noon, 2 PM and 4 PM. Entry fee is \$40.00 each try of 4 games across 8 lanes. Open to both male and female deaf and hearing-impaired bowlers with women getting more handicaps than men do. Come with your friends and have fun.

SO, CALIF DEAF TRAVEL AT LINBROOK BOWL THIS SUNDAY

ANAHEIM...So, Calif. Deaf Traveling League, Southland's oldest all deaf bowlers scratch traveling league in its 51st season, travels to Linbrook Bowling Center this Sunday at 1 PM.

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10430 Sepulveda Blvd., Mission Hills (818) 361-1221

### QUARTERMANIA

Sunday & Monday Nights starting at 9 P.M. Admission \$6.00 per person Bowling - \$.50 a game Shoe Rental and Sodas \$.50 each

#### SATURDAY FAMILY NIGHT

Every Saturday Night 5:00 - 7:00 P.M.- \$25.00 7:30 - 9:30 P.M.- \$35.00 10PM - Close- \$40.00 Per Lane-All You Can Bowl (Shoe Rental Included) 5 PEOPLE PER LANE MAX

#### WEEKEND DAY SPECIAL

Every Saturday and Sunday Noon until 4 P.M. 2 Games including Rental Shoes \$8.00 per bowler (Minimum of 3 bowlers per lane) Add extra games at \$2.00 per game

### SUNDAY A.M. SPECIAL

Every Sunday Morning 9:00 A.M. until Noon All games are only \$1.50 each by Frank Weiler MURRIETA - Anita Murtishaw bowled 730 (227 - 268 - 235) and led her team to twenty-one points (21-3) in Cal Oak's Scratch Trio League. Better yet, Anita was bowling with and against all guys, and her series was fifty pins better than anything else bowled on her lanes.

ANITA MURTISHAW'S

730 Leads Team To

Victory

In topping the guys on her lanes, it included topping a PBA champion, her husband Jim. Jim rolled a 680 and continues to lead the league with a 240 average.

Several guys scored well on other lanes including JAMES HAWKINS (769), MIKE LAUFFER (750), MATT MURTISHAW (748), MIKE MELATTI (726), MIKE VIN-YARD (726), and STEVE ISRAEL (714). All of these guys tip their hats to Anita for her outstanding performance, and to the BOWLING NEWS for recognizing their achievements on the lanes. Thank you Bowling News for supporting Citrus Belt bowlers. 11459 E. Imperial Hwy, Norwalk 90650 Saturday January 15, 2011

**BOWLING TOURNAMENT** 

**At Keystone Lanes** 

Gamer Scratch

(Check-In 12:30P.M.) Bowling Time: 1:00 P.M.

1<sup>st</sup> Place \$ 750.00 Guaranteed Entry Fee \$ 75.00 Format: Bowl 5 games across Top 5 will advance to step ladder elimination. One out of 5 will cash All prizes will be pay same day

Optional side pots \$5.00 across Block 1 Game 1-2-3 \$ 10.00 Block 2 Game 3-4-5 \$ 10.00

> Tournament directors James Tipton Cell: 424-219-4191 Armando Zavala Cell: 562-760-9481

> > No PBA bowlers allowed







Cash n Carry pays \$110-\$1 in this special event up to \$3,850

#### QUALIFTING ƏQUADƏ \* MEN & WUMEN QUALIFT ƏEFANATE

1 in 5<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Entrants to the Semi Finals EACH DAY SEPARATE QUALIFYING Thursday: Jan 20 \$500 Bonus 9:30-11:00 & 12:30 AM Friday: Jan 21 \$300 Bonus 1:00-2:30-4:00-BREAK-9:30-11:00-12:30AM Saturday: Jan 22 12:00-1:30-3:00-4:30-OIL-6:30-8:15-9:15 & 11:30PM Jan 23 Last Reg. Squad 9:30AM (takes 1 in 5 ½) 10:45 Re-Entry Only Squad (1 in 5½ to Semi Finals) Sunday : \*\* Note The Sunday 9:30AM Squad Is Open To Everyone! 1st Time OK \*\* Sunday 10:45AM Squad is RE Entry Only (You must have already bowled in the tournament) 3-6-9 Roll-off NOON Sunday Semi Finals at 12:20PM Estimate 120 to Semis/Cash - Top 32 to the single elim finals 7 Women Minimum to 32 • Guaranteed 56 Men 14 Women and 5 Super Seniors **PRIZE FUND** SEPARATE OUALIFYING BOARDS Daily 1 in 5 1/2 \$28,000 est. • Min. 75 Semifinalists • est. 120 to Semi Finals \$5,500 1st Guaranteed (min) • 46 Men - 14 Women plus addes Super Seniors \$2,750 2nd, \$1,250 3rd Plus 1 in 5 1/2 to Semi Finals MS D Very reasonable rates at the South Point due by Jan 8 • Rooms Fri & Sat \$78 + tax or 87.36 Other nights \$45 + tax or 50.40. Reserve & Pay through the ABTA only for Special listed rate



### Victor Fabian bests 300 entrants at West Covina Christmas Event 7 Share Match Game of \$3,500/ Marcella gets \$2,096 Match Series Match Series estimate of \$350 next week • Match Game estimate of \$1,400 ABTA Returns to Oak Tree Lanes this Weekend • 3-6-9 is \$2,500 at Oak Tree Lanes

WEST COVINA — In our return to West Covina Lanes, 300 entrants came out for our Xmas Special Event. We gave away Many, Many, MANY gifts each squad. At the end of the night, a lot of bowlers walked away with nice items.

Cut scores were decent, +44 for the men and +33 for the women. This week, our three Super Seniors added to the board were Art Windsor (+43) and Tom Dahl (+38) for the men and Roberta Nakunz (+27) for the women. Due to the great turnout we would have 70 bowlers making it to the semi-finals this week.

For all qualifying squads our top qualifier for the Men was Michael Hudson with a +198, and for the women it was Susan Ebilane with a +181. Each will get paid entries into a future regular ABTA event. Each week our top seed overall draws the Match Series, and this week it was worth \$2,096. The top seed drew a 556 and we had 1 bowler who bowled that during the 4 pm squad, and that was Cezar Marcella who says he wll pay \$2 to win \$2,096 any day. Next week at Oak Tree Lanes we will estimate the Match Series at \$350. For the 3-6-9 qualifying this week, William Garrett was the final person standing to go for the \$2,400 pot. He missed on his first shot and received a \$50 consolation. We will add another \$100 at Oak Tree Lanes for total of \$2,500 (Getting up there folks:\_)

In the doubles this week, we had 239 groups get into the doubles, with 25 spots paid out. The top prize this week went to Sean Nguon and Jerry Chang with a 1416 for \$200. In 2nd place, was Sean Nguon and Henry Hoang with a 1403 for \$180. The low to cash was 1329, we paid out \$2390 in doubles.

In the semis this week we saw Greg Velarde bowl a big 2nd and 3rd game to lead the pack with a +205 to sit out and bowl for the title. Vic Garcia came in second at +134 and would sit out the first round. It took a +59 for the men and a +8 for the women to make the top 16.

This week, our top seed in semi-finals had the honor of drawing the match game worth \$3,500. The pot maxes out at that amount. We have a second pot growing, and that is currently at \$165. After reviewing the scores bowled, there were seven bowlers that bowled 196 during qualifying; they were Brian Caadoy, Bryan Moore, Chris Kelly, David Godinez, Jeff Taino, Michael Kong, and Ryan Nam. They took home \$500 each. With the backup pot, we will estimate the pot to be \$1400 at Oak Tree Lanes this weekend.. This week we had 13 new bowlers join us, and three returning members. Let us welcome these new bowlers to the club, Joseph Miranda, Lanae Kentner, Angelito Lubid, Gene Oneill, Chory Oneill, Rick Festa Jr, Rick Festa, Kris Benz, David Pruet, Robert Galbraith, Sandie Ironside, Albert Ulibarri, and John Lam.

This would bring us to the top 16 Match Play finals now. In the first round the seven losers were Franki Matush, Scott Johnson, Margie Coronado, Gina Velarde, Cezar Marcella, Michael Benavides, and Joe Page. They would receive checks of \$115 each. In the second round, the losers were Vic Garcia, Alvin Francisco, Kin Sang Chung, and Holden Au. Each would get checks of \$125 each. This would get us down to the final five bowlers. In this round we saw Wilson Cheung (3rd seed) bowling Sal Galluzzo (8th seed). In this match, Wilson would get the better of Sal with a 218 to 195 finish. In the other match we saw Rodney Payne (6th seed) bowling Victor Fabian (7th seed). In this match, Victor

would get the better of Rodney with a 211 to 182 finish. Sal and Rodney finished in 4th and 5th getting checks for \$140 each. Our semi-final match was set to be bowled on 7 and 8; we had our 3rd and 7th seeds into the top 16 bowling each other. We had a close match in this one all the way to the end. Wilson would start with an open in the first frame, while Victor would stay clean in the first 5 frames.

Wilson would have another open in the 5th frame, and that would put Victor up by 30 pins after 5 frames. Victor would continue to stay clean through 9 frames, but Wilson would stage a late comeback, with strikes in the 8th, 9th and the first one in the 10th frame to pull close. But Victor would stay clean in the 10th frame to win the match with a 197/248 to 193/236 sending him to the title match. Victor paid \$42 on the horses for all you that bet on him to make it all the way Wilson finished 3rd and received \$225.

The title game was set and bowled on lanes 11 and 12 this week. Greg being the top seed elected to have Victor start the match first. Victor would strike in the first frame, that would bring Greg up on 12 and he would match with a strike. He would leave the 10 pin in the 2nd frame and pick that up. Victor would get a spare in the 2nd and get 7 count in the 3rd and pick up that spare.

Greg would get a strike in the 3rd and 4th frames, still leaving him down by 35 pins at this point. Victor would open in the 4th and 5th frames. Greg would come up in the 5th and leave the 6-10 and pick that up and get another spare in the 6th frame. Now he would only be down by 8 pins. Victor would get marks again in the 6th and 7 the frames. Greg would get a spare in the 7th and



Fabian Wins ABTA Christmas Title at West Covina - Victor Fabian topped a huge turnout of 300 Entrants as he took home a \$2,800 1st prize. From the left (top) are Wilson Cheung 3rd, Vic's wife Jeliza ABTA Member, Champ Victor, Greg velarde (runner up). In front are Vic's son Kristopher, his niece and Greg's daughter Keialana.

strike in the 8th frame. He would be down by 9 pins at this point. Victor came up in the 8th and 9th frames with strikes. That would bring up Greg to finish the match first. He would get his double to match Victor with a strike in the 9th frame. On Greg's first ball in the 10th frame he would leave an 8-10 pocket split to send him to a 202/210 finish. That would bring up Victor and he would get his first strike and finish out with a 188/239 to send him to his second ABTA title. Victor would take home \$1000 for the win and an additional \$100 for wearing his ABTA shirt, and \$1700 in Cash and Carry for a total of \$2,800. Greg finished in 2nd for \$500.

Champion Victor Fabian is from Long Beach and used an Energy drilled by Bill at Professional Approach. He is married to Jenila(ABTA Member) and they have three children Kristina, Kate and Kristopher. He would like to thank the ABTA staff, family and friends, and the Bacoorian League bowlers.

Greg Velarde (2nd Place) is from West Covina and used a Black Widow drilled by Mike Wahl. He is married to Gina one of our fine directors and they have 1 child Keilana . He would like to thank his wife Gina and daughter, ABTA staff, Anthony, David , Brian, and Ann.

Wilson Cheung (3rd Place) is from La Puente and used a Storm Reign drilled by Jimmy Wong. He is single. He would like to thank the Mou-Liu League bowlers for support.

This week, the weekly ball sponsor winner of a 900 Global Ball was Leo Tartamella and he won a Profit. Each time you bowl, you get a free ticket for this prize given away by our 1221223425678901233334567



#### Sponsor, 900 Global.

This Saturday, January 8, 2011, Oak Tree Lanes is our host for a 1 day event. Saturday squads are 12 pm, 1 pm, 2:30 pm, 4:00 pm, and 6 pm is the final squad. Please plan on showing up early for squad times. The semi-finals will start at approximately 7:45 pm. Remember to check in early as it will be busy. Remember if you bring in a new member, you get a \$15 credit on your entry and bowl for regular entry. See our ad for address and directions, or check our website (www.abta1.com) to link to address for directions

Its history folks as Victor Fabian enter the archives as our latest champion. Hope to see you at Oak Tree Lanes! If you have any comments or suggestions, use the contact page on our Website to send comments to us. Thank you for being an ABTA member until then!

SPECIAL NOTE Rooms are due Saturday for the Annual January Las Vegas Open at the South Point( great place). Room rates must be paid through the ABTA for the special rates of \$78 (Friday / Saturday) and only \$45 for other nights. Pay them Saturday Please! It is Possible that rooms will be still available but they are secured first come first served. Last year the Hotel was sold out. See YOU at Oak Tree for a Good One Our first Champion of 2011 will be crowned at that fine center.







Quality 12:00-1:00-2:30-4:00 &6:00PM semis 7:45 PM

# Entry Fees \$54-\$51-\$46 Reduced Entry Fees \$35-\$33

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

Open to new Members up to 209 Avg. No PBA / WPBA Cuaranteed Min of 34Men & 7 Women (min) to cash Plus Super Seniors \$3,500 Mln Prize Fund (Guaranteed) *regardless of Entries* top 16 Guaranteed \$100 Mln. 1 in 5 entrants advance to the Semi Finals all Semifinalists to cash with top 16 \$100 MlnImum 3 Women Guaranteed\_Men & Women Quality Separately \$pecial Event Jan 15 West Covina Lanes-West Covina Handicap is Frozen at West Covina for La\$ Vega\$ \$3,000 1<sup>st</sup> w/Bonuses 12:00-1:00-2:30-4:00 & 6:00 PM Semis 7:45 PM Las Vegas Open South Point Jan 20- 21-22-23 \$11,000 1<sup>st</sup> with Bonuses \$5,500 1<sup>st</sup> Place Minimum

Reserve rooms early through the ABTA/ Special Rates Fri/Sat \$78 +tax Other nights \$45 + tax

Marcella cops a \$2,096 Match Series. Faithful ABTA Member Cesar Marcella nabbed a sweet Match Series of \$2,096 in the Christmas Event making his Christmas joyful. He is one of the Good Guys. Congrats Cesar!

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Anthony Martinez	580 579	\$62.50	Super Senior	s:
Imelda Ahorro	579	\$62.50	Art Windsor, Tom	Dahl
Aarik Torres	576	\$61.25	Roberta Naku	nz
Wendy Soo-Hoo	576	\$61.25	High Qualifer (Free	Entry)
Robert Mendoza	564	\$60.00	Men: Michael Hudso	n + 198
Mary Huynh (60%)	564 562 561 556 553	\$35.50	Women: Susan Ebila	
Bella Ordona	561	\$59.00	3 - 6 - 9: William G	arrott
Art Lindsey (SS)	226	\$58.00	Match Game: 196 - Bri	an Caadov
Emilio Flores	222	\$58.00	Bryan Moore, Chri	all Gaauoy
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Bethany Mendoza	249	\$56.50	Michael Kong, Rya	in Nam
Deborah Sanchez	548	\$56.00	Match Series: 556 - Cez	ar Marcella
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Vic Paolucci (SS)	544	\$56.00	900 Global Ball - Profit Leo	lartamella
Tom Dahl	536	\$55.00		
Tina Do (60%) Marvin Crowder Roberta Nakunz (SS King Wu Jr.	534	\$33.00	Prize Fund 300	\$7,312.00
Marvin Crowder	527	\$54.00	Paid Entries 29 @ 54	\$1,566.00
Roberta Nakunz (SS	) 527	\$54.00	Optional Sidepots	\$1,998.00
King Wu Jr.	´519	\$54.00	Doubles	\$2,390.00
Bennet Lai	466	\$54.00	3-6-9	\$50.00
Leo Tartamella (SS)	DŇF	\$54.00	Cash & Carry	\$1,700.00
(,			Match Game	\$3,500.00
DOUBLES	s		Match Series	\$2,096.00
Sean Nguon /	-		Shirt & Trophy	\$88.00
Jerry Chang	1416	\$200.00	Total Payout	\$33,715.05
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Seven Share Match Game of \$3,500 in Xmas Event (L-R) Brian Caadoy, Brian Moore, Michael Kong, Ryan Nam and Chris Kelly in front sharing the cheer is Christina Cheung. (Not pictured are David Godinez and Jeff Taino who also shared the pot.)



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WINNETKA - Congratulations to Margie Petersen and Wayne Coffman, winner's of our Senior New Year's Eve No-Tap Social here at Canoga Park Bowl. We had a great turnout of 80 bowlers.

Thanks to everyone who participated! **NEW:** Mid-Season Leagues are now forming. Our **Tuesday Have-A Ball** started January 4 and anyone wishing to join can still sign up. Also a new **Team USA Experience League** open to adults and youth starts on Saturday, the 8th at 10:00 a.m. Now for the weekly high scores... **River Maniacs:** Johnnie Englehart 268/780, Monise Kelly

212/553, Al Reiswig 278/750, Russ Gothrick 739, Barry Simon 274/724, Tyrone Fox 714, Sharon Weger 535, Roberta Mora 506, Marsha Graham-Martinez 206/504, Lucy Tralla 500, Dale Rubin 267, Bob Jones 266, Vince Koeller 266, Jennifer Pyka 201. Monday Nite Madness: Rick Godin 266/751, Diana Rollins

180/498, Jerome Hampton 232/656, Harry Seal 213, Joanne Lenane 474. Ladies Travel League: Patti McVicker 237/618, Nancy Kato

203/583, Georgia Garey 224/579, Farol Brifman 553, Barbara Vaccare 549, Eloise Valencia 212/528, Rosie Duran 207, Connie Wannomae 202.

Comedians: Michael Pollack 288/793, Mary Becker 224/629, Carol Asher 254/594, Russ Gothrick 248/697, Robert Battle 248/677, Chris Bender 247/675, Ray Stoy 257/670, Judy Valazza 586, Jan Sandman 212/547, Erica Pollack 216/547.

**500 Classic:** Farol Brifman 231/603, Georgia Garey 556, Connie Wannomae 220/547, Petra Kaun 545, Robyn Willis 210/544.

Short & Sweet #2: Travis Williams 229/606, Elaine Bishop 166/439, Bob Scherzberg 245/539, Aaron Chan 586, Nicole Anguiano 404, David Athans 539, Jerry Athans 223.

Viva Las Vegas: Stephen Mendez 278/723, Denise Olinger 171/477, Tad Schweitzer 243/689, Robert Galbraith 234/669, Mikhael Malta 647, Mike Wilson 235/630, Bobby Crosby 229.

SENIORS 49'Ers: Bob Jones 255/707, Carolyn Scherzberg 210/554, Rick Dobris 247/705, Richard Greenzweight 247/616, Scott Kesilis 213/595, Dave Folck 556, Helen Layfield 197/528, Karen McDonald 183/515, Mary Lauer 505, Carole Peire 179/504, Gary Faught 196, Marian McWilliams 180, Delia Lowe 179.

Funtimers: AI Reiwig 251/704, Carolyn Scherzberg 225/607, Bob Jones 269/700, Bill Robb 236/662, Ron Doll 622, Rick Dobris 222/619, Ellie Alliston 193/521, Karen McDonald 195/490, Jackie Becker 180/479, Carolyn Greenwood 471, Danny Martinez 235, Anne Wallis 187.

39'Ers: Bob Jones 244/673, Lucy Tralla 223/556, Al Reiswig 265/648, Ron Doll 258/668, Hung-Lay Quon 257/623, Richard Greenzweight 614, Carolyn Scherzberg 223/544, Darlene Redman 189/531, Lil Baker 204/523, Carole Peire 520, Ed Wannomae 234, Gail Stillson 186.

Any questions regarding the Mid-Season Leagues, please call the Canoga Park Bowl at 818-340-5190.

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LAKEWOOD — What a great New Year's Eve at Cal Bowl. We had 30 lanes of "Party Bowlers". Hundreds of prizes were given away. Lots of games, pizza, soda, noise makers and even a champagne toast at midnight. The "Week-End Stay" at Sam's Town was a favorite, plus Clippers tickets, theatre tickets and dinners at all the favorite restaurants were winners! I think we should do this again in July.

Here are the top scores for the last week in 2010. Cal Stars: Aida Macabuhay 212/579, Darlene Hom 203/540, Nene Camanag 499, Dodie Sajonas 490, Bette Jane Richardi 189. Side Pots: 1st game: Darlene Hom 203, 2nd game: Barbara Craw-ford 186, 3rd game: Aida Macabuhay 231.

Wednesday Mixed Five: Daryl Brandt 256-248/714, Michelle Dixon 208/552, Shannon Santos 278/688, Dave Bartlett 254/650, R.J.Perkins 643, Shorty Ramos 641, Shirley Owens 240, Cassandra Walker 211/538, Mary Stockberger 206/504, Madeline Majick 537,

Angie Nardo 522. Marcu\$ Lemon\$ Vega\$ Outlaw\$: Emmerson Wafer 246-238-238/722, Crystal Barker 248-205/623, Anthony Maxwell 681, Precious Davis 235/597, Leon Bradford 253/667, Andre Pitchford 249, Robert Cloyd 661, Helen Martin 557

Funsters: Jim Plante 248-237/712, Vancie Keith 514, Pat Erwin 205/502, Janet Faria 512, Boylee Inocente 249-235/698, Glenn Merchant 235/650, Fala Sula 238, Josh Hudson 234, John Sherman 607, Jorge Fernandez 602. Senior Men's Trio: Clark Vandenberg 286/760, Les Smullen

290/715, Jimmy Hamilton 257/716, Art Diemert 279/704, Jim Burke 268, Glenn Merchant 267, Pat Kinard 258/719, Emmerson Wafer 257/689. Steve Ritchie 257/690.

Mega Vega\$: Robert Cloyd 252/688, Janet Kohler 179/480, Nancy Barton 179, Leland Carter 226/643, Tobie Wynn 221/595, Ernest King 581.

Ramona Ladies: Julie Grabinski 565, Rosie Hanks 192, Becky Carroll 485, Merrie Slagley 452. Side Pots: 1st game: Ann Palmer 229, 2nd game: Julie Grabinski 251, 3rd game: Shiny Williamson 247

Laughlin Sunset: Ray Minter 257-239/699, Ladrena Boyd 200/549, Rhonda Wright 211, James Matthews 235-235/643, Byron Burdine 237/638, Dadin Honny 229/640, Mike Dees 235, Ladrena

Boyd 200, Kim Allen 547, Eileen Shock 524. Vega\$ Crackpot\$: Alwyn Woods 257-248/684, Sandra Sanchez 225-221/662, Gary Nelson 300/661, Kenny Jackson 666, Tippy Thornton 227/574, Jade London 203/519, Stanley Pots 257/633, Timothy Warshing 617. Timothy Worshim 617

Linothy Worshim 617. Long Beach City Employees: Steve Anderson 229/672, Darlene Waken 197/520, Brandon Torgerson 254-234/670, Miguel Lopez 268/665, Matt Mosley 230, Danny Collins 651, Rick Anderson 635, Maota Bahr 514. Young At Heart: Ron McClain Sr. 239/653, Danne VanHorn 234/578, Wil Panton 247, Ed Hansen 239/641, Earl Hullett 238-236/622, Willie Burkhalter 637, Josh Hudson 629, Cathy Anderson 208, Sherise, Stenhens 202

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Recycled Teens: Art Diemert 236-226/642, Joann Burke 187-184/538, Jim Plante 239/620, Terry Binuya 637, Jorge Fernandez 224/620, Rose Goodwin 189, Adela Santos 532.

First Timers: Romar Sapin 248/610, Grace Reyes 166-161/469, Linda Tacconelli 179, Fredrick Coukart 209/559.

Sierra Bugs: Kelle Falbo 240/583, Cathy Wyatt 507, Aida Macabuhay 192/501, Luvinia Taylor 506. Side Pots: 1st game (tie): Martha 211 & Darlene Waken 211. 2nd game, scr.: Kelle Falbo 240. 3rd game: Sheri 220.

Captain & Crew: Sandy Cotcher 188-167-167/522, Vancie Keith 178/494, Barbara Smiley 171/473, Barbara Federico 177/435, Shirley Dohrman 468. That concludes our Cal Bowl Bowling Report for this week. See you on the lanes.

# New Years Day Mixed Doubles Saturday, January 1, 2011 (At Santa Clarita Lanes)

FINAL STANDINGS	Lanes)	
1. Lindsay Burgess/Keith Burgess	1682	\$300.00
2. Kevin Kuehn/Carolyn Kuehn	1662	240.00
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8. Joe Madden/Julietta Ward	1615	130.00
9. Gail Gordon/Shorty Gordon	1593	120.00
10. Phil Kilichowski/Ålyse McGinnies	1587	100.00
11. Ron Gade/Deresa Gade	1578	90.00
12. Parker Gaitley/Robin Duenez	1573	80.00
SHOT OF GOLD		
1. Rocky Arthur		\$389.00
2. Richael Creal		389.00
MEN'S HANDICAP SIDE POTS		
Game 1: Parker Gaitley	315	\$70.00
Game 2: Michael Holt	313	70.00
Game 3: Kevin Kuehn	331	70.00
MEN'S SCRATCH		
Game 1: Dave Wodka	300	\$70.00
Game 2: Joe Madden	276	70.00
Game 3: Dave Richardson & Dave Wodka	300	70.00
LOTTERY		
Game 1: Mike Jones	180	\$170.00
Game 2: Danielle Schilling	124	170.00
Game 3: Lorrie Matwiczak & Al Corte	241	170.00
WOMEN'S HANDICAP SIDE POTS		
Game 1: Jessica Hancock	318	\$76.00
Game 2: Carolyn Kuehn	343	77.00

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#### **O'NEILL** continued from page 1

for the championship finals and to no one's surprise, he selected the lane condition he dominated in winning four matches to win the Viper title.

The Viper pattern is considered a medium to high-scoring condition that involves oiling the lane to a distance of 37 feet, and allows for multiple angles of attack for those who can successfully read the changes in conditions as competitors break down the original application of oil.

In winning the Pepsi Viper Championship, O'Neill averaged 242.75 in easily defeating PBA Hall of Famer Amleto Monacelli, Mike DeVaney, Tommy Jones and Andres Gomez. In all four matches, O'Neill rarely missed the pocket while all four of his opponents struggled.

O'Neill also knew that none of the other seven PBA World Championship finalists - No. 8 Jason Belmonte, Australia; No. 7 Wes Malott, Pflugerville, Texas; No. 6 Michael Haugen Jr., Carefree, Ariz.; No. 5 Mika Koivuniemi, Hartland, Mich.; No. 4 Chris Barnes, Double Oak, Texas; No. 3 Osku Palermaa, Finland, and No. 2 Sean Rash, Montgomery, Ill. - made it to the Viper championship round.

"I didn't want to bowl on the Cheetah pattern for a major title," O'Neill said in explaining his lane pattern choice. "The Cheetah condition is too easy. I don't want to get into a shootout. I didn't want to bowl on the Shark because that pattern plays to the advantage of Sean (Rash) and Osku (Palermaa), who have higher rev rates than I do.

"I made the show on the Scorpion pattern, but I didn't have a good look," O'Neill continued. "And I won my first title on the Chameleon a year ago in Detroit, but on the Viper, I bowled four games and had a really good ball reaction. I bowled four matches on TV and we'll be bowling on the same pair of lanes for the World Championship finals, so I'll take my chances.'

The PBA World Championship finals will be the first ever to include eight players and air over a span of three days. The finals will begin at 5 p.m. Eastern on ESPN2 on Friday, Jan. 14, when the No. 8 World Series qualifier (Belmonte) bowls a one-game match against the No. 7 qualifier (Malott). The winner will then meet No. 6 Haugen.

Friday's winner will advance to Saturday's 9 p.m. Eastern telecast, also on ESPN2, for a one-game match against No. 5 qualifier Koivuniemi. That winner will meet No. 4 Barnes.

Saturday's winner moves into the championship field on the Lumber Liquidators PBA Tour's traditional home, ESPN, for the 1 p.m. Eastern finals on Sunday. The first match will involve Saturday's survivor against No. 3 qualifier Palermaa. Next up will be the semifinal match against Rash. O'Neill will await the final survivor in a showdown for the \$50,000 first prize and the season's first major title.

O'Neill has experienced the waiting game before. He was a finalist in the 2009 PBA World Championship where he also had to wait three months between qualifying in suburban Detroit and the live finals in December in Wichita, Kan.

"I spent the whole three months between qualifying and bowling in the finals last year wondering what it would be like to win," he said, "and it kinda negatively impacted me. I put too much pressure on myself.'

In Wichita, O'Neill lost his semifinal round match to eventual champion Tom Smallwood of Saginaw, Mich., 211-159.

"This time, I'm going to be more relaxed and just do what I'm going to do," O'Neill said. "I've got one game to bowl and I'm going to try to make every shot count. I'm going to try not to get too worked up, or think too far ahead or worry about winning.<sup>3</sup>

Tickets for the PBA World Championship television shows are available at South Point Bowling Center or online at pba. com. A three-day television pass is \$50; tickets for the three individuals shows are \$20 each.

#### 2011 PBA WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP FINALS

South Point Bowling Center, Las Vegas, Nev., Jan. 14-16 FRIDAY, JAN. 14 (ESPN2)

2 p.m. (5 p.m. Eastern, 2 p.m. Pacific) - PBA World Championship, Stepladder Round One (No. 8 Jason Belmonte, Australia, vs. No. 7 Wes Malott, Pflugerville, Texas; winner bowls No. 6 Michael Haugen Jr., Carefree, Ariz.)

SATURDAY, JAN. 15 (ESPN2)

6 p.m. (9 p.m. Eastern, 6 p.m. Pacific) - PBA World Championship, Stepladder Round Two (Friday winner vs. No. 5 Mika Koivuniemi, Hartland, Mich.; winner bowls No. 4 Chris Barnes, Double Oak, Texas)

SUNDAY, JAN. 16 (ESPN)

10 a.m. (1 p.m. Eastern, 11 a.m. Pacific) - PBA World Cham 77.00 pionship (Saturday winner vs. No. 3 Osku Palermaa, Finland; \$46.00 winner bowls No. 2 Sean Rash, Montgomery, Ill.; winner bowls 47.00 No. 1 Bill O'Neill, Southampton, Pa., for title) 47.00



Game 3: Vicky Jovicic	WOMEN'S SCRATCH
Game 1: Jamie Rovner Game 2: Nicole Ellison Game 3: Vicki Jovicic	WOMEN'S SORTION



# **Bowler Depot & Storm Sweep to Start Shark**

#### by Aimee Gomez

DOWNEY - The third round on Shark started this week. The round winner match featured Sysco vs. Zavala's Taquerias. Paul Barraco 201-201-202/604 managed the only six on the pair, but it was not enough to carry a couple of heavy teammates. Zavala's took all but the first game, landing them in third place for the week.

Bowlers Depot's Steve Gurrieri 209-278-235/722 really wanted to win, and he got some help from Raul Rosales 222-206/609 in their sweep of Katie Jakes Bar and Grill. Bowlers Depot sits in first while Katie Jakes is in fifteenth.

Brylaw is in fourth after taking four from Bowlium. Scores were not that high on this pair, but the third game came down to two pins, adding a bit of excitement to the pair.

Storm Products sits in second, after sweeping Pro Approach. Ramon Torres 233-215/640 and Chris Porter 244-209/630 led the team to victory in a very one sided match.

Herzog Insurance also got four wins thanks to some consistent bowling and Phil Lebaquin's 215/600 set. Ramiro Garcia 242/605 led the pair, but struggled to overcome the deficit put up by one of the bowlers.

Linder Insurance continued the run of four wins using Keith Klagge 207-242/612. Threadworks got one win thanks to Eric Snow's 220-207/605.

In another four-one split, Junior Amateur Tour's Aimee Gomez 219-231/620 and Jared Lawrence 205-213/611 contributed to the victory over Tifco's lone sixer, the pair leading Phillip Sujo 229-230/635.

The final match was a three-two split between ABTA and Key Container. No one broke six on the pair, but Key Container seemed happy to get some wins.

Have a great week. Get out there and practice! Take care and see you all soon.

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#### **3rd ROUND STANDINGS**

- **Storm Products**
- **Bowlers Depot** 2.
- 3. **Brylaw Accounting**
- Zavala's Taqueria \* 4.
- 5. Herzog Insurance 6. **Junior Amateur Tour**
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- 8 **A.B.T.A**
- 9. **Key Container**
- 10. Sysco \*\*
- **Bowlium**
- **Clydes Video Games** 12.
- Tifco 13.
- Threadworks 14.
- 15. **Katie Jakes Bar & Grill**
- 16. **Pro Approach**

#### TOP 10 LAST WEEK

- (On The 3rd Round Cheetah Shot)
- 722 Steve Gurrieri
- 640 Ramon Torres
- 635 Phillip Suio
- **630 Chris Porter**
- 620 Aimee Gomez
- 612 Keith Klagge
- 611 Jared Lawrence
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ABT member Michael Dang, champion Alan Aguilar

# ALAN AGUILAR WINS ABT Championship at Linbrook Bowl

ANAHEIM—Alan Aguilar won the Amateur Bowlers Tour (ABT) championship at Linbrook Bowl on Saturday, January 1, 2011 during our 3-game Beat-the-Board tournament. Alan bowled in the 3:30PM squad and shot games of 223, 249 and 284 with handicap for a series total of 756 and the \$320 1st place prize plus \$120 from the Bonus Pot. Jacob Frank came in second shooting a 752 with handicap. Low to cash was +128.

Our newest championship, Alan Aguilar lives in Costa Mesa and is married to Veronica, and they have one child, Teddy. Alan was using an Ebonite Total NV drilled by Ben Mach for the win this weekend. Alan sports a high game of 278 and a high series of 763. Alan wanted to thank Veronica and Teddy for their love and support. Alan also wanted to thank Ben Mach for taking care of his equipment, Virginia Norton for helping him with his game and Anthony Borci and Adam Ferry for their support and encouragement during the tournament. Alan also wanted to thank Linbrook Bowl for hosting the tournament and the ABT directors for running an outstanding tournament.

The winner of the Senior Sweeper was Daryl Brandt. The winner of the 2-Game Sweeper was Jonathan Barraca.

The ABT staff and membership would like to thank the management and staff at Linbrook Bowl for hosting our tournament. Our next scheduled event is January 8-9 at Keystone Lanes. The address is 11459 E. Imperial Highway in the city of Norwalk. Saturday squads are at 12N, 1:30 & 3PM. There will be one squad Sunday morning at 10AM with finals to follow. First place will be \$1500 with 60 tournament and bonus pot entries. The entry fee for the 12N squad is \$40. Entry fee on all other squads is \$50. Re-entry/Gold members is \$45.

The Western States Regional is coming up January 27-30, 2011 at South Point in Las Vegas. First place is \$10,000 regardless of entries. The entry fee is \$85; Gold members \$75; Bonus Progressive \$25 per squad. All side events are \$25 which includes Scratch, Seniors, Doubles & Trio Challenge, 2-Game Hdcp & Scratch Sweepers, Gold Members Only, South Point Special. NEW FORMAT WITH QUALIFYING IN SQUAD BLOCKS. More info and applications are at all tournaments.

We hope to see you at Keystone on Saturday/Sunday!



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> Brackets: \$5 (Games 2-3-4, 5-6-7) Sidepots: \$20 (Covers all 8 Games) 300 Game Sidepot: \$5 300 Sidepot stands at \$100

# Longtime St. Louis Bowling Writer and PBA Hall of Famer John Archibald Dies

SEATTLE, Wash. (Jan. 3, 2011) – Veteran bowling writer and PBA Hall of Famer John Archibald died Monday at the age of 83 in suburban St. Louis.



Archibald, who suffered a stroke approximately two years ago, began a four-decade career at the St. Louis Post-Dispatch after graduating from the University of Missouri in 1949. During his career he was also a general assignment sportswriter, feature writer, and a TV critic but was probably best known as the paper's bowling columnist.

Archibald travelled the country covering the sport's biggest tournaments such as the All-Star, World's Invitational, PBA Tournament of Champions and USBC Masters, among many others.

He was inducted into the PBA Hall of Fame in 1989, the same year he retired from the Post-Dispatch. He served as Bowling Writers Association of America President in 1970 and was also a member of the United States Bowling Congress Hall of Fame.

After retiring from the Post-Dispatch he continued to write a syndicated bowling column and during his career won more than 50 bowling writing awards including six PBA writing competition awards.

Funeral arrangements are pending.

# **BOWLED OVER**

NORWALK— Ron Gooch, 52, legally blind since birth, reached bowling nirvana recently when he rolled a perfect game of 300 — that's 12 consecutive strikes. He is believed to be one of 11 legally blind

bowlers to do so. The Morris, Ill., resident says his dad taught him to line up his feet using lane markers and let the ball fly; pins appear only as strips of light to him. Gooch's advice to others, "Stay at it, stick to it, don't give up." Eric Kearney of the United States Bowling Congress says the sport has no boundaries: "We are proud that bowling is inclusive of everyone." — Mike Tucker



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	Team E	vent	(18 Team Entrie	es)
	Amount	Scores	• • • • •	,
1 <sup>st</sup>	\$180.00	2940	Michael Diamor	nd, Brandon Macleod,
			Bryan Macleod,	Dave Macleod
2 <sup>nd</sup>	\$120.00	2820	Norman Berry, J	lacqueline Wilson,
			Sean Berry, Mic	k Glastre
3 <sup>rd</sup>	\$60.00	2738	Nick Benenati, T	ony Olivieri,
			Donna Raidy, Da	an Raidy
Wor	nens 149 & Und	ler HDCP (4 ent	ries)	
1 <sup>st</sup>	\$12.00	679	Diane De La Tor	re
Wor	nens 150 & Abo	ve HDCP (10 er	ntries)	
1 <sup>st</sup>	\$35.00	702	Donna Raidy	
2 <sup>nd</sup>	\$15.00	672	Jacqueline Wilso	วท
Men	s 179 & Under	HDCP (18 entrie	es)	
1 <sup>st</sup>	\$30.00	772	Josh Ellis	
2 <sup>nd</sup>	\$16.00	760	Sean Berry	
3 <sup>rd</sup>	\$8.00	758	Shawn Barnes	
Men	s 180 & Above	HDCP (29 entri	es)	
	1 <sup>st</sup> tie \$48.50	753	3 Michael I	Diamond
	2 <sup>nd</sup> tie \$48.50	753	B Dan Raid	у
	3 <sup>rd</sup> \$24.00	737	7 Brandon	Macleod
	4 <sup>th</sup> \$16.00	731	L David Ma	acleod
	5 <sup>th</sup> \$8.00	719	9 Bryan Ma	acleod
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	2 <sup>nd</sup> \$30.00			nmerman
	3 <sup>rd</sup> \$10.00			
		Side po		
	Womens 1	49 & Under I	HDCP-\$4.00 eac	h
	Game 1	Kare	n Everhart	(231)
	Game 2	Patti	Fisher	(224)
	Game 3	Sand	ra Carroll	(240)
	Womens 1	50 & Above I	HDCP-\$10.00 ea	ich
	Game 1	Joan	ne Mc Caslin	(250)
	Game 2	Donr	na Raidy	(274)
	Game 3	Krist	i Zimmerman	(261)
			CP-\$18.00 each	x - 1
	Game 1			(268)

Game 1 Tony Olivieri (268)Josh Ellis (272)Game 2 Shawn Barnes (275) Game 3 Mens 180 & Above HDCP-\$29.00 each Game 1 Scott Ross (262)Game 2 Per Mortenson (283)Game 3 Brandon Macleod (289)

#### 179 & Under Scratch-\$7.00 each

Game 1	Michael Diamond	(225)



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by David Yamauchi

#### Next Tournament This Sunday, January 9 **Del Rosa Lanes – San Bernardino**

#### Brooks, Low, Ellison, Wodka Take Team Title

LAKEWOOD-The JAT held their first-ever Team Baker Challenge at Cal Bowl to celebrate the holidays. 68 bowlers took the lanes in this 4-man (one Farm Club, one Open Division and 2 adults) baker format for 12 games of qualifying. In qualifying, the team of Parker Brooks, Wesley Low, Nicole Ellison and Dave Wodka led the field at +371 followed by Oscar Chan, Mark Myers, Wishtoyo Vasquez and Nick Wilson at +134 and Michael Ma, Devin Bidwell, David Yamauchi and Larry Campbell at +123. Low-to-qualify was +77.

The top-8 teams headed into match-play and after 6 games it was still Brooks, Low, Ellison and Wodka leading the field at +608 followed by Chan, Myers, Vasquez and Wilson at +457 and Struckman, Maida, Battiest and Maxey Jr. at +350. In the rolloffs, second-seeded Chan, Myers, Vasquez and Wilson easily took the first match 221-169 advancing to the finals to meet the wire-to-wire leaders Brooks, Low, Ellison and Wodka.

The match was close through the first rotation but a couple of splits and some key strikes led Parker Brooks, Wesley Low, Nicole Ellison and Dave Wodka to the first-ever JAT Baker Team Challenge title.

Thanks to everyone who came out and participated in the tournament- it was definitely a fun event! Watch the title match on YouTube- search for Junior Amateur Tour or visit our website at www.bowljat.org and click on the "Tournament Highlights" page.

Our next tournament is this Sunday at Del Rosa Lanes in San Bernardino- it's our first visit to the Inland Empire in a while so I hope to see some new faces on the lanes! If you have any questions, e-mail me at director@bowljat.org. See you all this Sunday at Del Rosa!



J.A.T. Baker Team Champs Dave Wodka, Parker Brooks, Wesley Low Jr. and Nicole Ellison







GARDEN GROVE-Valley View Bowl welcomed the league Monday and Theresa Jackson was star performer with 219-589, followed by Doris Lewis 221-541, Tracy Koolmees 201-538, Cil Moon 529, Charron McKnight 201-522, Mary Dixon 517, Nan McGill 508 and Cyndie Martin 502. Fountain Bowl #2 tops team standings with 38 wins, followed by Cal #1, 34, Bowling News 31, Keystone #2, 30.2 and the rest of the league trails at 26,23,20.2, two tied at 20, and cellar team has 18 wins. Monday visitors included Martha Underwood, Doris Lewis' husband, for the first time, and Mary Meglemre. Mary was recruited to help Roberta with 50-50 sales Monday and they did a good job. Vegas league sweeps bowlers going to Vegas in March aboard the charter bus are reminded the balances on deposits are due by the end of this month. NEXT WEEK: Monday 10:30 a.m. January 10 at Keystone Lanes.

Game 2	Mick Glastre	(231)
Game 3	Mike Deliberto	(234)
180-199 Scrat	tch-\$15.00 each	
Game 1	Alan Meyerson	(244)

Game 2	Michael Diamond	(219) Tie
	Jeff Zmikly	(219) Tie
Game 3	Brandon Macleod	(266)
200 & Above Sc	ratch-\$15.00 each	
Game 1	Scott Ross	(258)

Game 3 Ed Regehr (238)

3-6-9 No Winner-\$10.00 Consolation Josh Ellis \$245.00 Carryover to Next Tournament Mystery Game 2 (187) No Winner \$5.00 Consolation-Brandon Macleod (185) \$231.00 Carryover To Next Tournament \$1,120.00 Paid Out In Brackets Next King of the Hill Monthly Team Tournament Sunday, Jan. 16th, 2011 **OPTIONAL 3-6-9 \$2** CARRY OVER \$245

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To start things off we want to tell you about our Monthly Sunday Decaf Doubles. The next event will be Sunday, January 16 at 10:30 a.m. Entry fee is only \$15. Bowl three games, handicap 80% of 225. Luck of Draw for partners. See our ad on this page or call E.J. Rogers, tournament director for more details.

The scores are in for December 28, 2010 thru January 4, 2011.

Santa Guys and Dolls: Tony Chaco 239/624, Art Gutierrez 215, Bruce Gober 200-212, Rudy Smith 203, Mike Robbins 201, Eileen DeBenedetto 216, Judy DiCrisi 211, Rachel Chaco 200.

Swinging Trios: Bob Baughman 202-212, Ike Eisenacher 202

Monday Nite Football: Alan Bloom 213-234-224/671, Bruce Gober 219, Jakob Imbrogno 203-201.

Ten Pins: Jesse Agustin 233-226/640, Tony Toliver 204-208-224/636, Jack McQuown 203-223/623, Brian Peterson 220-212/622, Jim Moore 208-219/610.

Vegas Nonsense: Lowell Thompson 279/605, Calvin Duckworth 213-227/604, Travis Hancock 203, Scott Cooper 202

3's Company: Karen Bagnall 202.

R.C.R.C.: Lou Cruz 204, Shiggi Sing 201.

Executive Doubles: Tom Gonzales 246-234/650, Bob Mendoza 265-213/628, Lee Haywood 256-202/623, Ken Gwyn 217, Clay Howard 211, Martha Owens 223, Sophia Owens 211.

Just Desserts: Greg Garcia 245-227/669, Mike Blodgett 223-232/641, Keith Williams 228-202/629, Rick Sproul 234/623, Frank Mundi 232/615, Carol Dickey 207, Susan deGraaff 205-202.

Go For Nine: Norm McLeod 210-275-236/721, Sam Nolfo 211-300/702, Jack Short 217-242-213/672, Lloyd Carter 218-246/656, William Brown 246-209/646, Barbara Bish 223-208-245/676, Margot Church 201-210/601, Diane Johnson 249, Sandy Durkin 243, Elburta Canfield 200.

Party Timers: Robert Thompson 258-287-214/759, Jakob Imbrogno 217-226-226/609, Jason Haring 224-216/630, Tom Gonzales 215-244/620, Kevn Arline 227/612.

525 Ladies Classic: Karen Bagnall 225. Thursday Mixed Seniors: Hoagy Wong 202, Ike Eisenacher 201.

7-11 Vegas: Dave Wright 279-214/671, Ron Sargent 224-212-209/645, Jason Hendersen 223-217/634, Luis Damian 269/627, Robert Ragans 214-209-200/623.

UPS: Min Jae Kim 213.

Family & Friends: Chris Meno 234/604, David Bird 201, Dave Kelly 201, Marcus McBride 200.

Double Daters: Shane Oslund 226-212/619, Dan Drysol 230/671, Troy McConaha 232, Bob Legro 222, Ron Zettlemier 222

Gambler's Anonymous: Alan Bloom 204-223/620, Dave Laruschi 233, Hong Kha 225, Robert Bloom 224-221, Mark O'Donnell 215-213, Rhiannon Bloom 203.

Senior No-Tap: Results of December 28, 2010. 33 entries @ \$10=\$330. 33 lineage @ \$5.25=\$173.25. 33 prize fund @ \$4.75=\$156.75. 30 3-6-9 @ \$1=\$33. Place Money-1st Paul Oh 839 \$31, 2nd Jerry Doss 835 \$22, 3rd Rose Carter 821 \$18, 4th Joe McKee 807 \$13, 5th Nancy Smith 804 \$9, 6th Bob Zentner 791 \$6. Side Pots—Game 1, hdcp: 1st John Hendricks 310 \$8, 2nd Nancy Smith 309 \$6, 3rd Tony Chaco 300 \$4. Game 2, scr.: 1st Victor De La Cruz 276 \$9.75, 2nd Dick McKenzie 274 \$7, 3rd John Magill 265 \$5. Game 3, hdcp: 1st Tak Mukai 314 \$8, 2nd Bob Zentner 296 \$6, 3rd Jerry Doss 295 \$4. 3-6-9 Carryover: \$66. Added: \$30, New total: \$96.

**Limited Opening Left for WCST Ebonite Singles at Cal Bowl Jan. 8-9** 

by Dick Sanders

This week-end, January 8-9, the WCST Ebonite Singles Tournament, opens up the new year, 2011, at Cal Bowl in Lakewood, CA. Qualifying for this one squad tournament, begins on Saturday, January 8<sup>th</sup> at 9:00AM. We will have the use of 30 lanes, that will have a field of three or four bowlers to each pair of lanes. The Lanes will have a Kegel Pattern, "The Beaten Path" which will consist of 41 feet of oil. Two Divisions, bowling for separate prize fund pay-offs. Regular Division ages: Men, 40 to 59, Ladies, 40 to 49. Super Seniors ages: Men, 60 & up. Ladies, 50 & up. \$175.00 is the entry fee for current WCST Members, and guests to add \$15.00. Bowlers will qualify, bowling 10 games straight. The tournament pays each division, one cash place for every 3 bowlers entered. The finals, on Sunday, January 9<sup>th</sup>, for both divisions, begin at 9:00AM. This is an excellent chance for new bowlers to participate in our tournaments, and for some of our past members to re-new their Annual Dues and participate in a great WCST Ebonite Tournament Schedule for 2011. Computer users, click onto www.westcoastseniortour.com and scroll down TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE PAGE.

#### **NEXT 6 WCST EBONITE TOURNAMENTS**

WCST Ebonite Singles February 12-13, 2011 La Habra "300" Bowl La Habra, CA

**WCST Ebonite Senior Dbls** March 12-13, 2011 **Southpoint Lanes** Las Vegas, NV \$500.00 Added 32 Teams Maximum Field 28 Teams are Signed Up

WCST Ebonite Singles April 16-17, 2011 **Keystone Lanes** Norwalk, CA

WCST Ebonite Singles April 23-24, 2011 **Orleans Casino lanes** Las Vegas, NV \$500.00 Added

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