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Orange County USBC Annual Meeting Notice

by Joy McGregor

ORANGE COUNTY -Want to support your local association, catch up on local Orange County news, update and refresh your knowledge of Orange County By Laws & membership, current tournaments & results AND have F-U-N doing it...? Well then, please plan to attend the OR-ANGE COUNTY USBC AN-NUAL MEETING...MAY 17 AT FOUNTAIN BOWL AT 1 PM

You will be voting to elect directors to the board and elect delegates to the 2016 annual national and state conventions. You will not only be supporting your hard working Orange County board but also glean some important information, have some fun, renew friendships, meet some new ones and enjoy refreshments.

The Orange County USBC Association is eagerly looking forward to seeing all of you Orange County bowlers so, MARK THOSE CAL-ENDARS...remember, this is YOUR association and YOUR attendance is cruicial in our survival!

See y'all at FOUNTAIN BOWL...1PM, MAY 17.

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Mike Scroggins Wins PBA50 UnitedHealthcare Sun Bowl In The Villages In PBA50 Tour Debut

Eight-time PBA Tour winner defeats Hall of Famer Parker Bohn III 255-246 in championship match



Mike Scroggins

REDLANDS — Bobby Hornacek has the potential to be as good a bowler as there ever has been. His form is compact and precise. His disposition is temperate and mature. His bowling pedigree is first class. He is the son of two of the best bowlers in the Citrus Belt (Jenelle and Zack Jellsev) and has learned to compete against SoCAL's best in the JAT (four titles) and JBT (five titles) programs. With so much going for him the Fullerton Union High School graduate recently stepped into the adult world joining a night league just after

THE VILLAGES, FL-After a nearly year-long absence from top-level competition recovering from foot problems, eight-time PBA Tour winner Mike Scroggins of Amarillo, Texas, won the PBA50 UnitedHealthcare Sun Bowl In The Villages presented by Radical Tuesday in his PBA50 Tour debut at Spanish Springs Lanes.

Scroggins, who qualified fifth for the finals, won three consecutive matches before battling fellow lefthander and tournament leader Parker Bohn III in a championship match that went down to the 10th frame.

Bohn, who dominated the tournament and was coming off a win in the seasonopening Pasco County Florida Open last week, threw a strike on the first ball in the 10th frame and then a nine-count and spare forcing Scroggins to get the first two strikes in the 10th. Scroggins got the first two strikes and then a ninecount on the fill ball to beat Bohn 255-246.

"This is one of the best

feelings I've had in bowling especially after what I've been through for the past year," Scroggins said. "It made it extra special to beat the great bowlers that were in the finals which I felt very fortunate to do.

"I was having good success on the right lane so when Parker left that nine-count, I felt pretty confident I could get the job done," Scroggins said of the final frame. "I just told myself to relax and throw the kind of shots I'm capable of and I could win it."

Scroggins suffers from the condition plantar fasciitis, a tendon and ligament disorder in both feet, which put him out of action for more than nine months

It's been a long road to recovery and it's really something that won't totally go away," Scroggins said. "It's something that comes with age and I'm going to continually have to manage it."

As the fifth qualifier in the stepladder, Scroggins opened with a 231-205 win over PBA Hall of Famer Johnny Petraglia who was trying for his ninth PBA50 title at age 68. Scroggins then went on to beat two-time PBA50 Player of the Year and eight-time PBA50 Tour winner Ron Mohr 239-227 in the second match before beating Hall of Famer and four-time PBA50 Player of the Year Tom Baker 234-202 in the semifinal match

The PBA50 Tour heads to Mooresville, N.C., for the third stop of the season when George Pappas Victory Lanes hosts the PBA50 Miller High Life Classic presented by Columbia 300 April 26-29.

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BOBBY HORNACEK'S 852 Empire Bowl Record by Frank Weiler

his twentieth birthday. He immediately showed he belonged by rolling (252 - 300 -300). As far as I know it is the highest three game set by a bowler under the age of twenty-one at EMPIRE BOWL. Just

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Bobby has been bowling virtually his whole life because

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a couple of weeks after he fol- but still considers his Storm lowed up with an 803 (253 -279 - 269). The overall Empire

currently averaging 241 with five career 300s and three 800s. His Junior Gold League average was 206. He used his Global 900 Respect ball to roll his 852

Bobby's favorite professional bowler is MIKE DEVANEY because MIKE is a "SWEET-HEART." Bobby is grateful to "Bowlers Deals" and his ball driller and step-dad Zack Jellsey for their support.

Bobby Hornacek is another example of the great people who are bowlers. He is intelligent, composed and a man beyond his years. Because of young men like him bowling has a great future.

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PBA Billy Welu Scholarship Applications Now Being Accepted



Pictured L-R: Harry Smith, Dick Hoover, Billy Welu and Glenn Allison.

CHICAGO — The PBA has announced it is now accepting applications for the 2015 PBA Billy Welu Scholarship Award which recognizes exemplary qualities in male or female college students who compete in the sport of bowling.

The winner will receive a \$1,000 scholarship. To be eligible candidates must be amateur bowlers who are currently in college (preceding the application date) and maintaining at least a 2.5/4.0 GPA or equivalent. Applications must be postmarked by June 15.

The scholarship was established to annually recognize a college student who combines outstanding bowling talents with academic excellence. Welu, who passed away in 1974, was best known for his expert analysis alongside legendary ABC broadcaster and PBA Hall of Famer Chris Schenkel on the "Pro Bowlers Tour" series. Welu was a two-time PBA Tour champion and a member of the PBA Hall of Fame's inaugural induction class in 1975.

The application is in two parts and can be retrieved by downloading both files using this link: http://www.pba.com/Corporate/Scholarships The application is a PDF file and requires Acrobat Reader to view and print. For those who don't have the current version of Acrobat Reader, it can be downloaded for free Adobe Acrobat Reader here. Nominations can be sent to scholarships@pba.com or through the U.S. mail at PBA Billy Welu Scholarship, 55 E. Jackson Blvd., Suite 401, Chicago, IL 60124.



2-Time All-Star & Former MLB Pitcher Joins Team Storm

Storm Products, Inc. announced today that 2-time All-Star and former Major League pitcher John Burkett has been inked to a staff contract.

A native of Beaver, Pennsylvania, the 50-year-old John David Burkett (born November 28, 1964) pitched for the San Francisco Giants, Florida Marlins, Texas Rangers, Atlanta Braves and Boston Red Sox during a 16-year career that began in 1987 and ended with his retirement in 2003 at age 38. He posted a 166-136 record with 1,766 career strikeouts. He was an all-star with the Giants in 1993 (when he contended for the National League Cy Young Award with a 22-7 record) and in 2001 with the Braves.

Burkett also was a National League All-Star in 2001, with the Atlanta Braves, who retired following the 2003 season after going 12–9 with the Red Sox at age 38. His 1996 postseason win with the Rangers in the Divisional Series was the first postseason win in the franchise's history.

His career as an athlete enters a new chapter when he began his professional bowling career in earnest in the PBA50 Pasco County Florida Open, two weeks ago.

"I've been practicing and working out," Burkett said. "More recently I've been working on getting my rev rate back up by changing my grip. I have a tendency to squeeze it and the ball knuckles off my hand, but I'm starting to turn that problem around."

Burkett, an accomplished bowler for most of his life who now resides in Southlake, Texas, is no stranger to bowling in PBA competition, having bowled in a handful of Tour events since making his debut in 1990 in Pinole, Calif. He also competed in several regionals along the way, and most recently, he competed in PBA's 2014 Oklahoma's Grand Resort Summer Swing and the GEICO PBA World Series of Bowling VI as part of the process to get ready for PBA50 competition.

Now that he plans to make the commitment to bowl a majority of the PBA50 Tour events this season, Burkett likes his chances of putting together a successful season, although he is hesitant to make any specific goals.

"I have high expectations and I believe in myself, but I'm not kidding myself that it won't be a work in progress," said Burkett, who plans to bowl seven or eight stops this year. "For most of the guys, making the right adjustments and ball moves is second nature, where for me it's going to be more of a continual learning experience.

"Being an athlete and bowling more competitive games on a regular basis should produce some good results," he added. "What I'm going to have to guard against is getting too anxious and going into panic mode when I get lost. If there's an area that I really need to concentrate on, that would probably be it."

Burkett's introduction to the sport came as a youngster when his first job was setting pins at Wedgewood Lanes, a duckpin center which converted to tenpins, in his hometown of Beaver, Pa. A career as a professional bowler might have been in his future had he not also found he had exceptional skills throwing a baseball at a young age. Now, after a successful professional baseball career, he can return his sights to his other passion of bowling.

"I'm so excited and blessed to be able to do it," he said. "I want to bowl and get to know the guys that I've admired for so many years. I'm just looking forward to the whole experience."

Seemingly, the missing piece of the puzzle for Burkett's bowling career was a partnership with a ball manufacturer that allowed his desires to accelerate his craft to be realized. With today's news that search has formally come to end by joining Storm Products' Regional Staff Team.

"John has been throwing our equipment for some time now with regular success at all levels of competition", Storm public relations manager Dave Kost said. "But now knowing that he is committed to bowling full-time, we (Storm) felt the timing was a perfect match not only for John, but equally for our brands".

"JB brings a wealth of pride, professionalism and strong character that undoubtedly comes from his playing days and, that coupled with his passion to grow the sport makes it a win-win partnership".

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ABAKUMOFF LEADS DEAF TRAVEL WITH 258-798 AT CAL BOWL

NATIONAL DEAF BOWLING NEWS

LAKEWOOD — Southern California Deaf Traveling League bowlers had a tough time scoring on the lanes of Cal Bowl as none of its 6 trio-teams crashed the 2000 barrier. This marks the third time in three different bowling centers this scratch traveling league failed to score at least one 2000 team series. At Cal Bowl Hollywood led with 1986, the same team Hollywood that scored the league's season high team series 2214 in the last travel session at Winnetka Bowl.

None of the bowlers scored a 800 at Cal Bowl as Ed Abakumoff came two pins short with a 798 with stepladder games of 179-180-181 before closing with a booming 258. Bob Jones who led the league in the past three sessions with 885, 874 and 839 including 8 consecutive 200 games, struggled with a 729. Jeff Stansell closed with a 205 for 707. Three bowlers had a 200, Bob Taylor with 211, Paul Taffolla, Sr. 201 and Gorman Low 200.

Though League leader Orange County lost 9-11 to Abakumoff's Riverside, it still retains first place. Second place Hollywood moved up closer within 1.5 points with a 12-8 win over third place Eagle Rock. Jones' S F Valley moved out of the bottom with a 13-7 win over 5th place Stanwell's Mid City.

With the final position round coming this Sunday Noon at Covina Bowl, it will be exciting finish at both top and bottom,

The league thanks Cal Bowl Management and staff for the tough lane conditioning. This 55 years old deaf traveling league plans to have its farewell appreciation sweepstakes at Mission Hills Bowl on Sunday May 17. Mission Hills Bowl is closing at end of May 31. It is sad to see a fine center closing.

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FARMINGDALE — The PBA will jump into a big day in the world of sports with a "Clash of the Legends" special event in conjunction with the PBA50 Johnny Petraglia BVL Open at Farmingdale Lanes in Farmingdale, N.Y. A special competition involving PBA Hall of Famers Parker Bohn III, Walter Ray Williams Jr., Pete Weber and Amleto Monacelli will be part of a unique contest that invites sports fans to pick the winners of the Kentucky Derby, Clash of Legends and the Floyd Mayweather-Manny Pacquiao championship boxing match.

The Clash of Legends, presented by BVL and emceed by tournament namesake Johnny Petraglia, will air live on Xtra Frame in the window between the Kentucky Derby (6:24 p.m. ET) and the Mayweather-Pacquiao fight (10 p.m. ET). Beginning 6:45 p.m. - prior to the start of the Johnny Petraglia BVL Open pro-am the Clash will involve each player throwing one ball with the lowest count eliminated in each round. In case of ties, the tied players will have a head-to-head roll-off to determine who is eliminated in that round. The remaining players will bowl the next round on the other lane, repeating the format until one man remains to claim the winner-take-all cash prize The fan contest associated with the Clash of Legends will invite PBA fans to pick the winner of the Kentucky Derby, Clash of PBA Legends and Mayweather-Pacquiao fight on PBA's Facebook page. Picks must be posted in the following format between noon and 3 p.m. ET on Saturday, May 2 (Derby: horse's name. Clash: player's name: Fight: winning boxer's name). Entrants must get all three correct in order to win. If multiple people pick all three winners, up to 10 PBA Fan Packs full of prizes will be awarded.

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The Perfect Game by Steve Fee THE STATE OF BOWLING

Part 3 of

A DISCUSSION WITH EDITOR/PUBLISHER CAROL MANCINI

Editor's note: This week, our discussion about the evolution of bowling and its effect on participation continues. This week's topic is titled:

"Has Bowling Lost It's Balls?"

Carol: What do you think? Pretty catchy title, huh?

Steve: Carol, have you lost your mind?

Carol: What? I learned to bowl with a Brunswick, "Black Beauty."

Steve: I started with an AMF, "Three Dot."

Carol: So did millions of other bowlers. Like Ebonite's, "Manhattan Rubber", and Columbia's, "Yellow Dot," they were hard rubber, cork centered, simple pieces of beauty. Do you see anyone still using or selling them?

Steve: No.

Carol: Then it's safe to say that we've lost them.

Steve: You've made your point, but look at the technological marvels that replaced them.

Carol: That's why we're here today. Reactive resin bowling balls; good or bad?

Steve: Necessary.

Carol: What do you mean?

Steve: The hard rubber, and polyester balls that followed them, were unresponsive on the glossy surfaces of synthetic lanes. Averages plummeted and bowlers began an exodus. Ball makers responded by developing grit-infused cover stock called, "reactive resin." The grit can make bowling balls act like studded tires on an icy road. This changed the face of bowling forever.

Carol: Why do you say that?

Steve: The balls from our youth lasted for decades. Some were handed down father to son, & mother to daughter. They were cherished, just like the awards won with them. The owners even had their names inscribed. Dedication to that one piece of equipment is rare these days.

Carol: That really has changed. Hasn't it?

Steve: It sure has. Forty years ago a typical bowler owned that one ball, a bag and a pair of shoes. Today, some bags hold three balls and many bowlers have more in the trunks of their cars. New balls are coming out constantly and trying to keep up with the latest is financial suicide. That creates a "Have VS Have-not" divide which never existed before.

Carol: Do you think reactive resin balls contribute to the decline in league membership?

Steve: That's hard to say, but they do skew the game in favor of power bowlers. While they may be the best thing for that segment of the bowling population, they may be the worst thing for everyone else. They can't be used effectively by weaker bowlers like kids, petite players & the elderly.

Carol: Power has always been an advantage in bowling.

Steve: True! But for what they cost, balls are useless to anyone incapable of controlling them.

Carol: Anything else?

Steve: Absolutely! Besides being expensive, they absorb oil like a sponge so they have limited life-spans. But most of all, I resent seeing bowlers shift from relying on skills to depending on technology. The cores used in today's balls allow them to be drilled to perform specific actions.

Carol: What's wrong with that?

Steve: Rather than adjusting to lane conditions, the "Haves" simply change to a ball that suits the condition. I believe that's bad for the game because other bowlers perceive that to be an unfair advantage.

Carol: True, but no matter what ball they use, bowlers still have to make good shots.

Steve: That's the part of the game that remains intact.

Carol: Do you think we should to go back to hard rubber?

Steve: Let's be realistic. That genie is out of the bottle to stay.

Carol: Based on all you've said, can I assume you vote to put reactive resin balls in the "Bad for Bowling Membership" column?



Steve: I honestly don't know. What I do know is this; of all the great innovations that have come to bowling, these orbs have more negatives than any other. But I also believe that bowling is better off with them than without them. They do create higher scores for bowlers who are able to use them.

Carol: That does it for this week folks. Join us again next week when we will discuss the future of our beloved sport.





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Danielle Daugherty is shown at Valley Bowl in Madera after she blasted the first certified perfect game by a woman at the bowling Photo by Patti Montoya

Danielle Daugherty Honored as USBC's Top Central California Woman Bowler

by Fred Eisenhammer

Danielle Daugherty, an up-and-coming elite bowler from Fresno, has been selected as captain of the Central California United States Bowling Congress women's all-star team.

It marked the second straight year the 33-year-old Daugherty has been named to the team. She was cited for her hefty 221 average.

The 5-foot-10 Daugherty also blistered a 300 game Jan. 25 at Valley Bowl in Madera. That was a noteworthy event because it was the first sanctioned perfect game by a woman at that bowling center, which has been open for more than 50 years.

Daugherty said she was "shocked to be honest" when she learned that she had become the first women to roll a perfect game at Valley Bowl. "There are a lot of good bowlers in the area," said Daugherty, who has been bowling for 25 years. "A lot of women have the potential to shoot 300 so it was an awesome feeling.'

Daugherty has bowled three perfect games (not including five non-sanctioned 300s at University High School in Orlando, Fla.) and an 800 series in 2007 in Phoenix.

She hit exactly 800 by converting the 6-10 spare on her final shot for a 262-262-276 series. "I like living on the edge," said Daugherty, laughing.

Earlier in the series, she converted the 7-10 split. Like many bowlers who unexpectedly knock down the "railroad," she wasn't watching the pin action. "I hit the 10 pin and it bounced back and rolled over and hit the seven," said Daugherty, who combines hard shots with precision.

"Believe it or not," said Daugherty, "the 800 was not as memorable as the 300 I shot at Valley Bowl. "The 300 probably meant the most to me because I'm very close to the owners of the bowling alley. It was an honor to have had this achievement happen there.

"I do a lot of work to help increase the number of customers because the proprietors are very good to bowlers."

For now, Daugherty said she was "working hard" so she could compete in Professional Women's Bowling Assn. tournaments.

And she'll be doing just that when she competes in the PWBA tournament July 9-12 in Sacramento.

"Honestly, my goal is just to go there and put together good games," Daugherty said. "My ultimate goal is to hang with all those women bowlers who I've looked up to for many years."



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LAKEWOOD - The Winter Season is coming to an end for some of the leagues here at Cal Bowl. Congratulations to the champions.

Tuesday Practice: Ben Laroza 482, Patrick Maramba 427, Kristel Sy 404, Robbie Sparks 170, Jaime Carrillo 152, Angela Smith 147.

Cal-Mega Vegas-Tues: Kenny McCartney 266/653, Eric Motschwiller 224/646, B.J. 247/643, Le'Star Walker 236/636, Ivan Clarke 256/631, Mark Fowler 214/629, Billy Williams 224/616, Bob Johnson Jr. 211/577, Chamrongg Chhauy 217/573, Greg Mobley 215/569, Clarence Wynne 224/557, James Lesure 223/555, Andy Torres 552, Steven Turner 212/551, Joe Reagor 551, Stacey Erickson 510, Dee Lee 488

Cal Bowleros: Team One took first place in this league. Mary Smyth 533, Annie Maae 204/529, Linda Kinney 522, Agnes Blaisdell 521, Leona Belletti 201/521, Lucy Seiple 515, Bheth Alcayde 508. Side-pot winners-Game One: Ruth Barbera 224; Game Two: Linda Kinney 196; Game Three: Leona Belletti/Annie Maae 238.

Vegas Crackpots: Is it a run-a-way by Team #4? That 1/2 game looks good! Carl Stokes 236/680, Jacob Culpepper 234/673, Chauncey Brown 266/669, Ernie Perryman 637, Anthony Fredrick 247/633, John Doval 613, James Kennard 234/607, Raymond Jenkins 606, Kevin Watts 243/605, Nate Williams 603, Geno Shaw 234/601, Teka Williams 236/599, Ellen Myers 205/553, Kim Taylor 217/545, Joan Culpepper 504.

Laughlin Bowler Bears: Jonathan Gale 254/645, James Clark 239/625, B.J. Harlan 224/621, Tim Cable 228/605, Brandon Mims 233/588, Frederick Radcliffe 566, Ray Grabinski 212/563, Julie Grabinski 544, Yvonne Abboud 536, Danielle Jones 531, Bea Hackler 204.

Fil-Am Bowlers: Champs, Fil-Mex, Richard Abrantes, Ammie Lubaq, George Gaucin, Steve Gaucin. James Borillo 279/753, George Caucin 279/732, Chris Abing 268/712, Rick Llaneta 257/703, Steve Gaucin 257/697, Domy Quinto 241/688, Vic Santos 255/678, Joe Knapp 236/670, Freddie Catamisan 279/661, Boylee Inocente 652, Royce Angeles 635, Rey Santos 248/631, Richard Abrantes 609, Jean Colian 268/690, Emily Burchman 222/561, Tess Santos 226/539, Morag Knapp 535, Cecilia DeJesus 506, Wilma Dizon 504.

Marcus Lemons Vegas: Raymond Jenkins 258/744, Brandon Grant 258/686, Jonathan Guldy 257/683, Emmerson Wafer 678, Edwin Spears 250/671, Mitchell Grissett 663, Paul Staff 659, Helen Martin 248/637, Stephanie Jones 236/635, Precious Davis 204/568, Kim Allen 541, Naimah Williams 535, LaJeana Harris 534, LaKanda Gadson 202/534, Diann Donaldson 205, Daryl Brandt 257, Sonny Dew 256, Claude Dottin 255.

Sierra Bugs: Shonna Hernandez 223/549, Kelle Falbo 522, Myra Kremen 202/508, Linda Kinney 503, Stephanie Graves 500, Mattie Wylie 210. Side-pot winners-Game One: Sharon Barnett 217; Game Two: Mattie Wylie 210; Game Three: Myra Kremen 229.

Captain & Crew: Gimme An X, champs in this league. Cathy Jensen, Joanne Burke, and Darlene Boyce are the team members. Mel Leach 189/524, Shirley Dohrman 512, Joanne Burke 507.

C.A.U.L.: Forest Lawn Awaits with team members Bill Fitzgerald, John Surface, George Howells and Irv Krauledis are the champs. Dan Franceschi 267/648, David Regul 237/632, Andy Clark 595, Tom Davis 215/590, Javier San-256/589, Scott Scarborough 236/587, RJ Grumond tos 554, Reginald Cargo 554, Dave Winter 245/539, John Olson 221/529, Lori Gilmore 545, Wendy Goetz 212/502.

L.B.S. Employees: John Rauch 596, Eugene Carter 513, Becky Carroll 507, Carol Eggers 425, King Rouse 212, Roni Kuester 166.

Senior Men's Trio: Team 19, John Dunn, Jimmy Hamilton and Sonny Dew are the champs. Herman Ferguson 705, Curt Soares 284/703, Anthony Smith 700, Art Jackson 277/694, Joe Acosta 685, George Harper "300", Rich Kelly 266, Leo Martus 258.

tin 535, Odette Dalton 533, Adela Santos 528, Christy Estimo 213/518, Janet Faria 201. Side-pot winners-Game One: Fale Sula 272/Norma Myers 236; Game Two: Vince Haneda 256/Linda Kinney 186; Game Three: Rev Cataluna 279/Luz Cruz 262.

V.A.: Joe Morse 639, Dan Martinez 542, Raymond Cater 482, Anja Wilson 519, Sue Somes 421, Armand Ivory 233, Michelle McGarry 167.

Grandma's/Grandpa's The league champs are Us Three, Nancy Gibbs and Elena VanDeven. Billy Williams 208/581, Wayne Moon 549, Walter Gist 536, Ken Seiple Jr. 535, Paul Morrison Jr. 532, Ron Leidholdt 530, Stan Murren 201/526, Ray Culp 523, Cliff Schad 205/523, Chris VanDeven 493, Vancie Keith 204/511, Donna May 212.

Mini-Couples: Estelai Santoyo "Sour Apple". Boylee In-ocente 619, Danny Peramaki 590, Rene Palomo 588, Alex Ulanday 588, Emily Burchman 536, Orrelle Dennis 486, Karen Roubinov 463, Dave Burchman 237, Jerry Lao 234, Richard Chambers Sr. 225, Girlie Huervas 181, Teresa Abing 178, Claudia Van-Doren 174.

Mega Vegas Sun: Bob Johnson 229/688, B.J. Harlan 246/679, Gerald James 226/674, Louis Whitlock II 236/658, Terrance Allen 630, James Matthews 629, Jose Perez Jr. 256/627, Jamie Carrington 622, Michelle Allen 450, Tamieka Riddick 187/445, Mary Dean 426.



Van Nuys Eagles: Ed Jones 257-702, Rick Gamboa 235-632, Vincent Hall 215-600, Matt Hall 593, Johnny Lopez 246, J.T. Porras 213, Dionna Hall 180-497, Margo Sundy 175-488

Phil Am: Congratulations Team # 6 League Champions--Art Sanchez, Deborah Sanchez & Ernie Bustamante. The weekly highs: Phil Manuel 247-626, Arthur Sanchez 235-609, Terry Sannita 582, Virgil Alipio 204-557, Rey Caballero 224-546, Rick Vanegas 226, Deborah Sanchez 170-457. 49'ers (Seniors): Sweeper Scores Duane Erickson 220-

585, Curtis Litzenberger 566, William Tidemanson 231-565, Richard Greenzweight 560, Tom Tucker 219-555, Carolyn Scherzberg 185-549.

Monday Nite Madness: Sweeper Scores Rick Godin 246-725, Wayne Coffman 236-596, Paul Dean 213-590, Travis Coffman 210-569, David Schulkin 555, Steven Schulkin 203, Diana Rollins 191-488.

River Maniacs: Robert Galbraith 257-723, Frank Martinez Jr. 265-701, Johnnie Englehart 264-694, Elizabeth Fonvergne 234-679, Mark May 675, Jeff Johnson 252-655, Vince Koeller 244, Patti Ehart 221-609, Marsha Martinez 220-606, Jodi Lape 207-568.

Comedians: Drew Stern 255-697, Larry Feinberg 683, Jesse Chastain 267-681, Keith Nelson 279-679, Dan Kline 657, Billy Mulvihill 269, Andrew Ibrahim 258, Erica Pollock 212-595.

Funtimers (Seniors): Ron Doll 279-717, Richard Greenzweight 232-682, Carolyn Scherzberg 236-635, Bill Robb 223-590, Hung Lay Quon 588, Rick Kopper 213-576, Stan Staten 225, Liz Rogers 298-529.

Wednesday Nite Rollers: Doug Baillie 227-636, Scott Poll 229-625, Bob Englehart 229-611, Nick Corralejo 610, Chris Ivey 607, Jordan Justman 244, Rob Cohen 226, Monise Kelly 193-564, Stephanie Geitgey 199-557.

Copper Bucket: Ed Jones 235-631, Aaron Story 241-625, Joe Myers 623, J. T. Porras 230-617, Rusty Yeager Jr. 614, Kevin Aguilera 236, Andrew Yamashita 230, Corrine Lista 189-500, Doreen Adelman 175-480.

500 Classic: Cindy Dominguez 225-587, Teresita Avila 248-558, Eloise Valencia 190-526, Farol Brifman 193-525. 39'ers (Seniors): Ron Doll 246-669, Richard Greenzweight 256-657, Larry George 236-642, Jose Blanco 226-611, Mel Neiditch 581, Bill Lind 216, Carolyn Scherzberg 193-526, Patricia Carpenter 202-522, Diana Walden 203.

Thirsty Nite Out: Carl Comrie 248-708, Jeremy Folkner 258-645, Ed Uyemuki 627, Mike Stiverson 238-614, Daniel Barkin 239-601, Lynn Andrus 208-531, Liz Rogers 179-518, Gaynell Jackson 214-510.

The Classics: Christopher George 233-663, Larry George 227-627, Kim Simon 221-567, Rhonda Cleveland 205-540, Laurie Gilmore 189-540, Chrissy Williams 504, Sharon Enriquez 188-502.



BURBANK - I was in the NLAC office recently and on a whim I looked myself up in some of the old average books. I would have been about 18 years old and had an average of 144. Some would feel pretty awful about that but not me!

Think about it. Bowling averages are very similar to the value of our dollar. Bowling averages have sky rocketed over the years due to the advancement in equipment, lanes and lane dressing. It was rare to witness a 300 being bowled and those who could average 180 to 200 were considered pro material. A dollar would go a long way then and a 150 average was heaven.

As far as the lane conditions go, there were no automatic machines to dress the lanes. Centers would hire a person specific to that job and he had to know his stuff! He would walk each lane, top to bottom, applying oil and start over again, finishing the spread evenly. The lanes would also be swept daily but not necessarily oiled. The lanes were wood, real wood, and varnished, as were the pins. My Dad was a big fan of getting the old pins to burn in the fireplace because they burned so well. No worries about carcinogens then!

Then there is the ball. Mostly rubber then, always black and no such thing as grip inserts or thumb sleeves. Your driller was important since he was the one who determined the inside finish of your finger holes. Relate this to being banished to using a house ball forever, no mercy.

I do miss those days. It was a time of accuracy and control, knowledge and precision and putting all three digits in the ball. The respect one would have for good bowlers was real and warranted.

In conclusion, I figure my 144 was equivalent to a 174 today and I can feel pretty good about an average like that!

Senior Swingers: Congratulations to the champions, Team 5. (scr) Larry McDonald 189, Kay Samuelsen 160, John DeSantis 504, Cres Cruz 388. (hdcp) Ray Garcia 223, Susan Jones 218, Dan Willhite 624, Armonda Garcia 573.

Wed. Night Hdcp: (scr) Ferdie Dizon 234, Sheilah Faller 177, Ariel Rodriguez 656, Laura Baltazar 551. (hdcp) Romy Banaag 264, Sandy Hubbard 255, Chris Scott 800, Regina Beaner 699.

Guys & Dolls: Congratualtions to the champion team, W.H.A.M. (scr) Sean Allen 238, Colleen Simpson 216, Rou Stansbery 588, Trina Moriarity 524. (hdcp) Roger Desgroseilliers 267, Diane Sorem 262, Mike McMahon 699, Kristine Bamattre 666.

Senior Foursome: (scr) Ron Stearns 194, Seiki Tluczek 169, Joe Vacare 530, Lydia Gantt 503. (hdcp) Remo Cruz 255, Dorothy Schmitz 232, Ross Gionanini 655, Janet Stearns 641.

Remember to get signed up for the summer session if you haven't already. And if you just can't do summer, get on the winter rosters. That does it for now, so until next time... keep the ball rollin'!



SAN BERNARDINO - Here are some of our scores for the week of 4-19-15. If you are thinking about joining a summer league, stop by and pick up a schedule or email Toni @delrosabowl.com to see what is available.

Handicap Doubles: Sam Frisby-278/681 Bob Corrigan-258/675 Andy McGee-256 Hugh Shaffer-256/644 Ted Tedford-250/706 Jim Sheppard-249/623 Alvin Denmon-245/610 Willie Chang Wo-243/602 Kenny Wells-241 Jere-my Blackwood-240 Becky Elevazo-235 Marge Boyce-202. **Capri:** Esther Byrd-229/565 Alice Winchester-191 Maline Harper-171

Young At Heart: Dave Hill-258/721 Ed Higgins-254/605 Jerry Burhop-222 Frank Aquavo 214 Fred Vollor-211 Lydia Salazar-172 Karen Smallridge-172 Bonnie Hubers-163.

Big Bear: Sonny Dew, Ebony Hamilton, Debra Gibson, Travis Morris and Phillip Gibson are the champs of the winning team, Y'all Listen Good. Phillip Gipson 285/771, Emmerson Wafer 279/749, Mike Evans 299/694, Curt Soares 247/667, Sid Nakagawa 650, Todd Cary 263/644, B.J. 245/636, Harold Dubose 256/632, Butch White 628, Jonathan Gale 623, Ken Seiple Jr. 619, Sonny Dew 618, Ken Shearen 244/616, Stephanie Jones 221/578, Debra Gipson 212/575, Rita Soares 570, Cathy Anderson 210/563, Michelle Criswell 554, Sheri Coleman 548, Priscilla Harper 535, Margo McClain 248/533, Caroline Head 527, Ella Wilson 204/524.

Thursday Practice: Bill Warren 625, Mandy Dominguez 523, James Talley 223, Mary Ramsey 131.

Funsters: (Week 28) B.J. 246/673, Willliam Louie 239/657, Boylee Inocente 236/643, Rick Seneris 642, Horace Kinney 244/640, Joe Herrera 256/638, Fale Sula 224/627, Benny Martinez 618, Dan Monzon 606, Ed Hansen 246/602, Danny Amos 2332/586, Jim Plante 227/580, Tua Sula 225/612, Yvonne Clark 547, Carol Monson 206/542, 206/542, Adela Santos 203/536, Janet Faria 529, Divina Buhay 519, Norma Myers 515, Bertie Martinez 201/509. Side-pot winners-Game One: Horace Kinney 278/Norma Myers 247; Game Two: Joe Herrera 256/Tua Sula 225; Game Three: William Louis 272/Bertie Martinez 265. (Week 29) Jim Plante 242/683, James Kennard 245/674, Dan Monzon 224/638, Rey Cataluna 243/637, Fale Sula 247/629, Vince Haneda 256/625, Joe Herrera 246/620, Jim Burke 222/607, Luz Cruz 211/545, Divina Buhay 537, Flora MarParty Animals: Timothy Stamm 277-736, MarkMay 266-682, Frank Martinez Jr 256-680, Brandon Bradley 267-640, Gary Gladstone 637, Brandon Hart 245, Marsha Martinez 207-500, Maye Schwimmer 200-498.

SFVCC Nikkei: Congratulations Team # 11 League Champions Scott Hamamoto, Diane Date, Greg Oda and Stan Date. The weekly high scores: Bob Yamashita 215-634, Yuki Matsuba 232-605, Kirk Sasaki 216-596, Stan Date 582, Mas Suruki 561, Gary Endow 224, Ken Shinbashi 216, Pei Eto 207-573, Noriko Fukunaga 175-518, Asako Giegoldt 187.

No Junior Scores to report this week. The summer season will start this Saturday May 2nd @ 10 AM!



TNT: Larry Avery-267/649 Dennis Wilson-213 Matt Tanner-212 Thor Terry-212 Joseph De La Torre-208 Sandy Tanner-193 Lillian Terry-182.

Tuesday Mixed 4: Bob Corrigan-257/659 Charley Featherstone-247/618 Darrin Brown-238/683 Al Collins-235/625 John Hutchings-233/606 Ryan McPherson-226/651 Tom Poole-225/604 Marty Perry-224 Patti Bechtold-182.

Wed Vegas: Joe Vasquez-257/672 Larry Avery-255/618 Hugh Shaffer-245/662 Jerry Streich-235/605 Stephen Smith-232 Bud Boyd-231 Don Thomas-225 Ray Wilcox-224 Aaron Katz-223 Glenda Ferguson-233/634 Marti Smith-198 Rosa Smith-168.

Golden Goodies: Jerry Burhop-224 Don Thomas-211 Mike Cram-203/600 Charley Featherstone-203 Jean Newton-181 Lydia Salazar-175.

Good Times: David Brown-277/709 Russ Wells-267 Larry Ollson-259 Tom Collins-259/653 Keith Coffman-259/740 Jim Henry-258/651 Ray Cobb-258/707 William Little-255 Bill Roes-246 Josh Ball-245/638 Rolann Karper-243/662 Sjana Robinson-232 Becca Gutierrez-204.

Saturday Vegas: Mike Morales-257/688 Dennis Cassidy-235/620 Joe Cassidy-232/623 Ken DeMaio-222/629 Jim Brown-211 Gabe Pena-203 Anissa Castaneda-229/605 Lorna Garvin-184.

Weekend Rollers: Ben Stewart-278/692 Jonny Brooks-268/696 Tom Collins-268/667 John Valentine-268 Roger De Los Reyes-259/662 Mike Berry-256 Derek Taylor-256/662 Mike Haight-254/702 Likapeka Ibarra-257/706 Rolann Karper-237 Christina Hernandez-236/633 Carroll Montague-223 Cheryl Robinson-212 Becky Elevazo-211 Bobbie Nakunz-210 Toni Futch-206.

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Brunswick Professional Approach Back on Top With 2 Weeks Left TOP 10 TEAMS ROUND 5

by Randy Myers

DOWNEY — The Pro Approach vaulted to the top spot in Round 5 once again by sweeping past Team DV8 5-0 as Frank "Bad Ass" Barefoot Hammered his way to a fine 703 series, getting help from Jared Lawrence 609, while Brent Ilagan led DV8 with 581. Just one game back is Power House Video Games who managed a 4-1 win over last week's leader Threadworks. Lee Liu continued his hot bowling with 256/669 to lead the winners, while Eric Snow 268/637 was tops for Threadworks. Pino's Pizza remained in contention for the Round win by taking down Herzog Insurance 4 games to 1. Three of four bowlers cracked 600 for Pino's, Justin Garza 613, Ramon Torres 609, and Leonard Ruiz Jr. 600 while nobody managed to crack 540 for Herzog.

American Harvest Vodka won 4-1 over Blizz Yogurt as Keith "Too Tall" Jones stretched his way to 615, while David Cogswell managed 525 to lead Blizz. It was Ladies First for Linder Insurance as Michelle Tran once again led the boys on this team, shooting 614 to pave the way for 4 points, as Linder defeated Alhambra Coin Center 4-1. George Gaucin was high scorer for Alhambra shooting 596. Matt Schermerhorn shot a very nice 671 to lead his team, Cook's Bowling Supply to a 4-1 victory over Los Altos Trophies. Lost Altos was led by Gene and Buddy Lucas who shot 604 & 597 respectively.

The night's top performance individually and team wise, came from Erickson Foods, who moved into the #1 seed position with a 5-0 sweep of Keystone Lanes who have held the top spot since Week 7. Jason Buenviaje found the carry that alluded him last week, and shot 263, 251, 227 for 741 to go with a trio of 600 sets, Bobby Campagnale 615, Keith Laing 611, and Brian Main 600, to overcome the strong efforts of Andre Rounds 642 & Herbert Jones 607 who were tops for Keystone Lanes. Erickson Foods topped the league with a very impressive Team Total of 2567. These two will once again square off next week on the "Shark" pattern. Forest Lanes increased their chances of moving up the ladder as they managed to pull out close wins in Game 1 & 2, before blasting SYSCO out of the freezer that last game, shooting 908, the leagues High Team Game, and finished with 2424 for 2nd High Team Series. CASAMIGO'S Tequila didn't have a bowler crack 600, but it didn't matter as they still managed to sweep by Tifco Industries. Nobody figured out the pair, but at least a few managed to get a laugh from it. BOWLIUM also managed to take 5 points as they swept past GJC Services 5 & 0. Dave Kovach shot 635 to lead Bowlium, while Juan Zavala led GJC with 545. In our last match, it was Larry Campbell shooting 473 to lead J.A.T. to its lone win.

Sidepot winners were Game 1 Eric Snow 268 Game 2 Frank Barefoot 253 and 3rd Game Super Pot The Financial Advisor's 2nd game pot went to Frank Barefoot 253 (\$240) just getting past the 247 game rolled by Doug Kempt. Game 3 Super Pot was taken down by the Man O'Lantern, Mason Sherman collecting the cash with 248. The True Anchor Award was again won by Barry Couch Jr. who followed up last week's forgetful set, with another, shooting 388 for 3 games. Nice effort Barry, at least you won't be dealing with that pattern for at least 8 months!!

With just two weeks to go, we have a new Round leader as The Pro Approach look to once again hold down 1st place, and the battle for #1 Overall Seed will also continue as Erickson Foods bowl Keystone Lanes for the 7th week in a row. There's still time for another team to pull out the round, or for Keystone to regain the top spot, so come down and watch it unfold live at Del Rio in Downey, this Monday at 8pm. If you do, look for Bobby and our subs! Have a blessed week everyone!!

The Pro Approach	23	Sysco \$\$	17
Power House Video Games	22	American Harvest Vodka	17
Erickson Foods \$\$\$	21	Linder Insurance	16
Threadworks	20	DV8	16
Pino's Pizza	18	Casamigos Tequila	15

TOP 10 LAST WEEK

Jason Buenviaje	741	Jon Diso	644
Frank Barefoot	703	Andre Rounds	642
Mason Sherman	686	Eric Snow	637
Matt Schermerhorn	671	Dave Kovach	635
Lee Lui	669	Kevin Jones	615

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