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VACATION LEAGUE Starts August 18th 7PM SEE Ad Page 8 **FRIDAY** ΝΟ-ΤΑΡ

Doane Cole Wins Columbia 300 Traditions Bowling Classic – Southern California Defeats Sponsor To Capture \$2,500 Prize

FOUNTAIN VALLEY, CA-Doane Cole of Chatsworth, CA captured the title at the Columbia 300 Traditions Bowling Classic held at Fountain Bowl in Fountain Valley CA, July 29-30, 2006

Cole defeated his sponsor, Charles Willison of Woodland Hills, CA, Steve Smith of San Diego, and Steve Gurrieri of Rowland Heights, CA in the tournament championship match to claim a \$2,500 first prize. Cole fired a 205 to best Willison (196), Smith (193), and Gurrieri (147).

The tournament paid out more than \$5,000 in prize money demonstrating the Columbia 300 commitment to competitive tournament bowling.

The Columbia 300 Traditions Bowling Classic moves on to San Antonio for its fourth tournament, to be conducted at Oak Hills Lanes August 26-27, 2006. The Columbia 300 TBC circuit then heads for a Septem-



Doane Cole with trophy

ber 9-10 tour stop at St. Clair Bowl in suburban St. Louis.

For more information regarding the Columbia 300 Traditions Bowling Classic series, visit www.columbia300.com or contact Nick Hoagland at 206-406-1030

FINAL RESULTS COLUMBIA 300 TRADITIONS BOWLING CLASSIC - SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

FOUNTAIN BOWL, FOUNTAIN VALLEY, CA JULY 29-30, 2006			
1. Doane Cole	Chatsworth, CA	\$2,500.00	
Charles Willison	Woodland Hills, CA	\$ 500.00	
Steve Smith	San Diego, CA	\$ 250.00	
Steve Gurrieri	Rowland Heights, CA	\$ 200.00	
5. Eric Cox	San Diego, CA	\$ 150.00	
Leonard Ruiz Jr.	Diamond Bar, CA	\$ 150.00	
Richard Moore*	Carson, CA	\$ 150.00	
8. Jared Evans	San Diego, CA	\$ 150.00	
9. Scott Norton	Cypress, CA	\$ 125.00	
Mike Reichstein*	Agoura Hills, CA	\$ 125.00	
 Greg Gosper* 	Garden Grove, CA	\$ 125.00	
12. Liwei Liu	Pasadena, CA	\$ 125.00	
Jason Milligan	Costa Mesa, CA	\$ 125.00	
Greg Jackson*	Bellflower, CA	\$ 125.00	
*Denotes qualifiers from the 4			
	BIA 300 TRADITIONS BOWLI		
TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE AS OF JULY 31, 2006			
August 26-27, 2006	Oak Hills Lanes	San Antonio, TX	
September 9-10, 2006	St. Clair Bowl	Fairview Heights, IL	
September 23-24, 2006	Don Carter-City View	Fort Worth, TX	
October 7-8, 2006	Thunderbowl	Council Bluffs, IA	
October 21-22, 2006	National Bowling Stadium	Reno, NV	
November 4-5, 2006	Eastern Lanes	Middletown, OH	
November 18-29, 2006	Sunnybrook Lanes	Sterling Heights, MI	
December 2-3, 2006	AMF Country Club Lanes	Baltimore, MD	
December 16-17, 2006	TBD	Milwaukee, WI	
February 10-11, 2007	Sproul Lanes	Springfield, PA	
March 24-25, 2007	AMF Marietta Lanes	Marietta, GA	
April 28-29, 2007	Freeway Lanes of Parma	Parma, OH	
May 26-28, 2007	Ten Pins & More	Rio Rancho, NM	

2006 OC/USBC HALL OF FAME **INDUCTION, COUNTY AWARDS & INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS CEREMONY**

by Joy McGregor

Orange County USBC is having a party and everyone is invited!!

This year Orange County is honoring two very deserving individuals into their Hall of Fame in the Superior Performance category. Both individuals are longtime Orange County bowlers, are members in good standing of Orange County USBC, are great ambassadors of bowling and have received many, many honors for their performance on the lanes. Will EVA MUNSON AND TERRY BRENT

USBC officers elected at the OC/

USBC Open Meeting in May and the presentation of awards to the division winners of the OC/USBC Women's County and the OC/USBC Open Tournament held in February and March respectively.

Come meet your officers, greet the newest members to be honored and applaud our County winners. All this excitement will take place at the home of Orange County Hall of Fame: La Habra "300" Bowl, 370 E. Whittier Blvd., in La Habra at 2 PM on August 26th, 2006. Cake and punch and LOTS of camaraderie will be served.

If you need more info or directions...please contact OC/ USBC office at 714/554-0111

Bowlers Journal Selects 68th All **American Teams**

by Jim Goodwin It is the best of times . . . it is the worst of times.

With apologies to Charles Dickens, those "novel" words are an apt description of the circumstances America's best male and female bowlers are experiencing today.

The men's Professional Bowlers Tour is exciting, dynamic and evolving toward greatness... the women's Tour, where the best female bowlers in the world are supposed to display their talent, is M.I.A.

So, when the time came for the Bowlers Journal International editorial staff to choose its 2005-06 All-American Teams, the men's choices were relatively easy. The women's picks involved a few "X-factors" not normally considered in the process, but BJI is committed to keeping women in the spotlight, Tour or no Tour.

The men's BJI squad is captained by a young man who had a dominant year. Tommy Jones, Mauldin, S.C., took home four PBA titles in the 2005-06 Tour season and topped the money list with \$301,700. The four players joining Jones on the first team were Norm Duke, Clermont, Fla.; Patrick Allen, Tarrytown, N.Y.; Mike Scroggins, Amarillo, Texas; and Walter Ray Williams Jr., Ocala, Fla.

Duke had eight television appearances last season, but it wasn't until his seventh that he captured his lone title and the 23rd of his career. Allen, captain of the 2004-05 BJ All-American Team, slipped a little, but still had a terrific year with two titles. Scroggins won once and earned more than \$200,000 for the first time in his career, easily his best year on Tour. And Walter Ray? All he did was tie the immortal Earl Anthony's 41 titles with his "normal" superlative performance, a record 15th appearance on the team. Anthony still has a leg up in that all of his 12 appearances were consecutive. The men's second team is led by Chris Barnes, Flower Mound, Texas, who missed five weeks with an injury but finished strong to win the Tournament of Champions. He then defended his \$200,000 payday in the Motel 6 Roll to Riches, but

PLEASE STAND UP!!! Along with our Hall of Fame inductions will be the installation of your Orange County

Raul Aldaz Jr – New Donkee Champion 3rd Tourney In A Row!!

Our newest champion Raul Aldaz Jr is a Computer Analyst for Ralph's Corporation for the past 23 years.

Raul is currently not married and has 2 children Raul 3rd & Jeanette. Raul has been bowling off and on for several years, but just seriously for the past 5 years. Looks like his hard work has come to fruition. Raul was throwing a Columbia Throttle & Columbia Action both drilled by Frank Bellinder of Precision Pro Shop inside Premier Lanes at the time. Precision Pro Shop has relocated to Saddleback Lanes . Raul sports personal bests of a 276 Game and 702 Series. Raul would like to thank his friend Bret Rose for telling him about the Donkee Tour. We thank you too Bret! Raul would like to also thank Manny and his excellent staff at Premier Lanes and the Donkee tour staffers for putting up a great tournament.

Our cut scores at Premier were modest at +41 for the men and -36 for the women. It was a tough but playable shot this week. Mystery Game and Series were both carry overs with no one hitting 249 game or 493 series. Next tournament they will be worth \$600 for game and \$1200 for series. Our next tournament will be at AMF Bowling Square on Aug 5th Sunday. Please see ad in future papers. See you all at there.



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Cal Bowl No-Tap August 5 - 5 P.M.

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Questions?? Call 562-421-8448 or show up early Satur-day, around 4:30 p.m.

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Pictured from Left to Right – Dan Cerio 2nd place, Ping Tubera 4th place, Bret Rose 3rd place. Donkee Champion – Raul Aldaz Jr, Nathan Domingo 5th place, Director Steve Brode presenting champion's Check.

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BOWLING NEWS



LAS VEGAS-This story, like many others, begins in Las Vegas. It was during the week of the recent Bowling Writers Assn. of America Convention and the Bowling Proprietors Assn. of America's International Bowl Expo 2006.

Both annual events were held at the Hilton Hotel, with the Bowl Expo exhibits on display at the nearby Las Vegas Convention Center.

The many thousands of visitors to Bowl Expo included a surprise visitor, Jack Cook. I hadn't seen him since he was the Director of Bowling Operations at the old Showboat Hotel/Casino/Bowling Center.

Cook was responsible for making the 106-lane center into the most famous tenpin facility in the world. Although a modest man, Cook will tell you, "It took a long time but I had the best crew ever assembled."

It was Cook, however, who deserved the credit for making the 'Boat so popular. Foreign visitors would make the Showboat a must-see on their travel agenda.

That happened because Cook saw to it that the Showboat hosted some of the most memorable tournaments on the Professional Bowlers Assn. Tour. The 'Boat staged PBA events for more than 30 years, or longer than any other tour sponsor.

When the Showboat fell on hard times, the property was sold and became The Castaways. It was an unfortunate name change, for business continued to dwindle. At the time, it was rumored that the Bowling department was the only one making a profit. So, like an old Hollywood dowager, the one-famous tourist site faded into oblivion.

Last January, The Castaways was imploded. The land where

the Showboat used to stand so proudly is now a vacant lot. For the next few years, Jack Cook went from job to job. That is, until his luck changed for the better and things began to look up.

This past December, Cook married a sweet Texas lass named Kaye. Then he was offered a job by John McCoy, the owner of the burgeoning NABI (National Amateur Bowlers Inc.) tournament club, which is headquartered in Kansas City.

And it wasn't just any old job. Cook's title was vice president in charge of marketing and sales. It was an ideal position for Cook, an excellent executive and a man of many ideas.

Cook and McCoy were at Bowl Expo, not only to see the hundreds of exhibits, but also to finalize details of the NABI National Championship Tournament, scheduled to be held July 14-21 at the Orleans Bowling Center. The annual NABI pinfest was to begin exactly two weeks after Bowl Expo concluded

Looking for a good bowling writer to help publicize the NABI Tournament, Cook put in a call to Hall of Fame writer Dick Evans of Florida, who was attending the BWAA Convention. Evans, arguably the most prolific pin scribe in the country, was hired. And I was hired to help him as a gofer...like go for some coffee, black.

"NABI Week" consisted of 10 different tournaments. Nine events offered from \$2,000 to \$5,000 to the winner. The climactic event was the NABI National Championship, in which the first-place prize was \$40,000.

Remember, these were all amateurs, about 1,200 of them who belonged to NABI regional clubs throughout the U.S.

This veteran ink-stained wretch has been covering bowling for 55 years, yet I had never before experienced anything like NABI Week. It was a blast, literally.

What impressed me most was the feeling of a family outing during NABI Week. Also, the great sportsmanship displayed by all the participants, even when they were bowling each other for a coveted NABI title.

Read what Dick Evans, in one of his many stories, wrote about the NABI bowlers:

"They (the bowlers) are not the super high-average bowlers who are rolling those astronomical scores that are upsetting the bowling purist. They are the guys and gals who get excited by a two-bagger, converting a tough spare shot or breaking 200.

"No one averages above 205 and sandbaggers are not invited. Matter of fact, it's as tough for a sandbagger to get into the NABI Tournament as it is for a card counter to sit down at a single-deck blackjack table at The Orleans and get into a game.

"Both are among the endangered species."

While the 1,200 NABI bowlers represented a cross section of America, they all had one thing in common-they were there to have fun first and then to win a NABI title.

I wrote a story about how Nathaniel (Nate) Whitfield Sr., 64, a retired attorney from Durham, N.C., won the "NABI Orleans Casino Classic" and received \$4,000.

In the same tournament, 84-years-young Frank Jacobs, also of Durham, tied for third place and got \$1,000. Jacobs was the sentimental favorite and spectators cheered loudly whenever Jacobs got up to bowl.

I also wrote how Joyce Anderson, rolling a 39-year-old Columbia White Dot 12-pound plastic bowling ball, captured the "Sazio's Ladies Classic," worth \$2,000. (Sazio's is the fine Italian restaurant at The Orleans and was the tournament sponsor.)

But the big NABI Week winner was Mamie Parker, a 62-yearold nurse who won the NABI National Championship. Parker, another member of the strong Durham NABI tournament club, pocketed the \$40,000 check.

"I'm going to take it (the prize check) and put it in a money market account, or something," she said. "I am planning on retiring after next year and the money will come in handy," Evans wrote.

You can bet that Mamie Parker also will use some of her winnings to finance her trip to NABI Week 2007. She and all the other NABI bowlers will be returning to The Orleans, as it will be the second year of a three-year contract between the two entities.

Let the good times roll...



that event does not count toward PBA points or All-American consideration. Rounding out the second team are Jason Couch, Clermont, Fla.; Wes Malott, Aus-tin, Texas; Ryan Shafer, Elmira, N.Y., and Pete Weber, St. Ann, Mo. All but Shafer won a title in 2005-06.

The women's squad has no captain for 2005-06, and no second team. No disrespect intended, simply a reflection of the relatively few significant events available to them in the June 15, 2005to-June 14, 2006 period. Even their biggest event, the USBC Queens, fell outside the time frame for the selection process. The 2005 Queens, won by Tennelle Milligan, was before June 15, '05, and the 2006 event was staged after June 14, 2006. Shannon Pluhowsky, this year's winner, will be considered for next year's team; Milligan made last year's.

Nonetheless, there were several outstanding performances by American women, most notably Kelly Kulick's history-making performance in the 2006 PBA Tour Trails. The Union, N.J.'s sixth-place finish made national news and became the PBA's biggest story of the year, and for that incredible feat, and several more good regional performances, she is part of the women's team this year. Her upcoming season as an exempt PBA player has the potential to be the biggest bowling story in decades

Joining Kulick on the elite fe-male fivesome are fellow pros Leanne Barrette, Elk Grove, Ca-lif. and Liz Johnson, Cheektowaga, N.Y., and amateurs Lynda Barnes, Flower Mound, Texas, and Diandra Asbaty, Chicago. Barrette made the team by virtue of her outstanding perfor-mance in the 2005 WIBC Tournament, in which she turned in a record-setting 774 to win singles and a huge 2231, another record, for the all-events crown.

Johnson, like Kulick, made her

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mark against the best male bowlers in the world — in PBA events. Riding the momentum from her second-place television finish in a national PBA Tour event a few weeks prior, she became the first woman ever to win a PBA regional crown.

On the amateur side, two American women turned in outstanding performances on the world stage. Team USA stars Diandra Asbaty and Lynda Barnes continued to roll over their international competition. Asbaty's performances for the year and years past was rewarded with the ultimate honor – a spot in the World Bowling Writers' Hall of Fame — not bad for a 25-yearold. She proved her prowess again by winning the 2006 U.S. Amateur title. In 2005, Barnes won the U.S.

Amateur to earn her eight appearance on Team USA. She then won the QubicaAMF World Cup, and finished fourth in the 2006 U.S. Amateur, earning a spot on Team USA through 2007, which will give her an unmatched 10 years on the team.

By Jim Goodwin

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Rita Wahl Wins First ABTA Title at CAL Sam Sanicolas Hits Match Game, Newman Bags Match Series Match Game Est. \$3,500 again and 3-6-9 is \$3,000 Keystone Lanes is Our Host in Two Day Event

LAKEWOOD—Rita Wahl finally put it all together. The Super Lady let her bowling speak loudly as she did it up good as she won her first ABTA title. She finally downed the top Seed a hot shooting J.T. Jackson in the title game, to thrill a nice crowd at popular and accommodating CÂL Bowl.

Rita's stellar performance in the three squad early event at CAL saw her top a nice field of 192 bowlers (3 squads only) in the Special Event. The shot was good, producing great cut scores of +95 (men) and +51 for the women. We returned 44 bowlers to the Semifinals. Also added to the Semis were the Super Seniors Ely Cruz, Sam Sanicolas, Anita Smith and Roberta Nakunz.

Leading the Semis was J.T. Jackson who had a nice +189 to be top seed, sit out and bowl for the title. He was followed by Bret Rose at +165, who would receive a first round bye in the single elims and enter in round two. It took a +68 to make the Sweet 16 finals which included three women.

The bowlers took to the lanes. In the first round single elims and losing were Randy Antazo, Rey Cruz, Ken Seiple Jr, Phil Diaz, Ronnie Cordero, James Abilar, and Ernie Juarez.

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They got checks of \$100 in 10-16th places.

In round two, being eliminated were Bret Rose, Jo Ann Courtney, Jose Borromeo, and Roland "Pacquio" Suase. They cashed in 6-9th places and \$110.00 each.

Round three had Sam Sanicolas down Irene Kang 207-190. Rita Wahl got to Öliver Esmejarda in a tight one 229-228. Irene and Oliver were 4th and 5th with great bowling at Cal, with Rita and Sam to meet for the right to bowl Jackson for the title.

This match was another good one especially for the fans as Rita just got by the Match Game Winner Sam 239-207. Sam was 3rd with his fine bowling and a \$215 check. Rita was off to the title game vs. J.T.

The title game was set. We would now see who would become our latest Champion. J.T. elected to have Rita start the match. She struck. J.T. then opened the first frame followed by a spare. Rita would then get spares in the next 3 frames while J.T. got strikes in frames 3 and 4 followed by open in the 5th. However Rita got strikes in the 5th through 7th frames to open the game up. It was all over after J.T. opened in the 6th and 7th

frames. The match finished out with Rita at 217 and J.T. with a 158. It is so nice to have Rita as our latest Champion and deservedly so! She is a fine Lady and nice to all who know her! Title #2 could be in her future. She is a long time member and a Great Person! Congrats!

Super bowling by J.T. Jackson who also led the qualifying squads. He had a great day at CAL! Sam Sanicolas who bowled so well in 3rd almost got there also! He was the crowd favorite, buying the beer :-). He won \$3,500 for his 180 game in semis, as that was our Match Game and he was the only winner! What a Guy! Lucky Sam!

ABTA Notes: Tourney Hi Qualifiers were red-hot J.T. Jackson with his huge +231. Jo Ann Courtney led the femmes +104. They will get paid entries to our next regular event.

Anthony Traquena eliminated the field in the 3-6-9 roll off and after tossing four 9's or better in the finale missed on his final shot (an 8 count) for 3 Grand. Ouch! So we will again go for \$3,000 this weekend at Keystone Lanes.

The Match Game 3 was Matched at a 180 drawn by Jackson, top qualifier. There was only 1 person, Sam Sanicolas

who happily accepted the \$3,500. Hey who says 180 is not a good game??. Ask Sam about that! :-) The back-up pot is at \$2,465, so we will estimate \$3,500 for Keystone. The Match Series was

drawn by J.T. Jackson. He drew a 623. That was hit by 1 person and that was Tommy Newman. After 5 calls he returned to get his money and picture. So we estimate a \$200 pot for \$2.00 entry fee this weekend.

The weekly winner of the Columbia "300" ball, a Columbia Ball went to Errol Geralde. He thanks the ABTA, and sponsor Columbia 300 for the fine ball.

Champion Rita Wahl hails

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Brackets--Match Game--Match Series-3-6-9-- \$1-Doubles--Side Pots--Horses



Back: Earl Madison (Cal Mgr., J.T. Jackson (runnerup) Randy Sanico Match game winner, and Tessie Sanicolas. Front: Rita Wahl (champion

from Long Beach, and used a Vapor Zone drilled by her husband Mike. She is married and has a cute daughter Tori. Rita wishes to thank her Mom and Dad (Nympha and photographer Ely), Mike for everything, Tori for being so patient throughout the day and all the "aunts" and "uncles", and of course the

ABTA Staff and League Bowlers. Finishing in 2nd was J.T. Jackson from Valley Village. He used a Burgurdy Hammer drilled by Rusty and Carl at Mission Hills Bowl. He would like to thank his fans, "Bacardi and Cola" for

their support. Finishing in 3rd was Sam Sanicolas who drove up from San Diego for the day. He is married to his wife Tessie and drove up with his son Randy to bowl. Randy and Tessie are ABTA Champions! His 3 daughters were not at the tourney. Sam had a great day at CAL !

We (the bowlers) loved our return to CAL and will return there on the next schedule with the squad times at 12:30-2 & 3:30 with Semis at 5:00PM. We were treated well there. Our ABTA League also bowls there on Thursday evenings. The staff is very accommodating and we look forward to our return.

It is history folks as Rita Wahl enters the archives as our latest champion and make plans for next week's 2 day event Aug. 5-6 at Keystone Lanes in Norwalk. There will be only four squads Saturday 12:30-2-3:30 & 5:00 PM taking 1 in 5 to the semis. On Sunday One Big Squad at 10:15 taking 1 in 5 to the Semis at noon. See our AD in this paper for more information, or the website www.abta1.com

Special Note!! Next Weeks Event originally scheduled at West Covina Lanes had to be moved to Covina Bowl due to an Annual Event at West Covina. See our ad for the ad-

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Team Six Moves Na To Take Forest 610 Scratch Trio Lead

LAKE FOREST — It could be a "sport" shot; scores didn't soar in Forest Lanes' 610 Scratch Trios last Thursday night. Team Six took 15 points from Team Five and the second half loop lead.

Leadoffman Randy Erickson posted an evening high 709 series to pace the new leaders near a sweep. Pat Danforth and Mike Tucker helped with big 600s.

Herbert Jones' Team One slipped a notch splitting with Team Two. Team Three and Nine are tied for third.

Tonight's 9 o'clock main attraction between Six and One will be on lanes 25 and 26. On Lanes 31 and 32 Team Three's Mike Belair might make it a triple after his previous week's 300/ 800 series. He hit a 702 set last Thursday.

Others on the "sport" shot honor roll: Frank Street 277, Steve Zimmerman 274, Kurt Michel 264 and Jeff Garrison 701.

The weather is a bit cooler and the shot less sporty, the scores should soar. The public is invited to watch these South Orange County pin stars fight for the rolloff spot. For more information, call 949-770-0055.

Team Four Paces Saddleback Trios

MISSION VIEJO — Team Four, composed of Luis San Juan, Tracy DeVusser and Mike Head is carrying Saddleback Lanes' 615 Trios high team average of 678. The high scoring 9:00 p.m. Tuesday league has five more weeks to run.

San Juan paces the leaders with a 226 average based on scores of 300 and 792. DeVusser has a 218 on a 266/726 series while Head anchors a 234 using a 269/755.

Team Two, lead by anchorman Lyle Kenton's 290/804, Drew Parkin's 256/723 and Eric Del Conte's 268/652 is in a runner-up position.

Team Three's Michael Harrington is showing his teammates John Chapman 279/699 and Tim Hall 268/730, you got'a be perfect, 300/762 to take the lead.

Bowling Manager Chapman feels his 615 is one of Orange County's best scratch leagues. Come on down and watch these stars in action.

es 510 ad National Deaf Bowling News Results of National Deaf Women's Bowling Association Tourney at Fort Worth

by Connie Marchione

FORT WORT—As it hurts the men's entries NDBA World Championship, the one year absence because of no sponsor in 2005, also hurts National Deaf Women's Bowling Association World Championship entries. NDWBA has from its beginning in 1975 conducted its tournaments in conjunction with NDBA. This year's NDWBA tournament sponsored by Fort Worth Deaf Tenpin, Inc held last July 19 to 22 at Showplace Lanes in nearby Euless, drew all time low in its three events. In fact, NDWBA Secretary-Treasurer Sandra Heston had to regretfully cancel and refunded entry fees of its prestige scratch National Deaf Queens tournament when she got only three entries.

Even though they advertised guaranteed prizes, it did not help as the entries in its equally prestigious World Deaf Championship was a low 13 women, only five women in the Senior Citizen World Championship and also only 5 four-some teams entered in its National Deaf Team Championship. Regardless, like the men's NDBA, NDWBA ran the three events as usual. The guaranteed money by the host sponsor must be paid out.

TEAM OF PATE-WIMBERLEY-WILLINGHAM-ARABIE WINS HANDICAP TEAM EVENT

With a record low of 5 teams entered, the lowest in the last three tournaments 12, 8 and 10 respectively. Sad to show before that, in the past 25 years NDWBA used to average 30 teams a year with a high of 72 at Las Vegas in 1989..

In the opening team event, the 2nd strongest team entered, consisted of Julie Cronlund, AR (503), Virginia Stedman, (534), Kathy Darby, CT (496) and Linda Glenn OK (520) scored games of 662-660-731 for the top scratch total of 2053. But with their 333 team handicap 2386 total they placed 2nd in the main handicap team event.

The winners were Stacey Pate TX (533), Tina Wimberley TX (515), Gayle Willingham TX (487) and Karen Arabie TX (513) with 2048 plus 453 team handicap for 2501 total. They had a high team game of 777 (powered by Pate's 208 game), sandwiched between team games of 603 and 668. Texan L. LuAnn Burkhalter had the high series of 548 but her team placed 3rd.

PAT HOFFMAN BEATS LINDA GLENN FOR SENIOR DEAF WORLD TITLE

The Senior World Deaf Women's Championship began in 1884 with 33 entries at Baltimore but in 2003 had its former low of 11 entries. With a record entry of 5 senior women, all 5 went in match play after two days of 4 games qualifying rounds with handicap for the stepladder match play positions.

A Texan with 156 average Pat Hoffman led both rounds for the top seed position. Hoffman had 690 plus 140 handicap 830 total in first round and 710 plus 140 handicap 850 in 2nd round for a total of 1680, five pins short of the record 1685.

NDWBA President Julie Cronlund, AR placed as 2nd seed with her 783 and (224) 836 for handicap.1618 total. Third seed went to Linda Glenn, a 169 ave, from Oklahoma with 1608 handicap total. Glenn closed with 225 for high scratch 704 in 1st round and high scratch 712 in 2nd round for a new scratch 8 games record 1416 bettering the old record of 1383 held by three time Senior World and defending champion Kathy Darby, CT. Hoffman also broke the old record with her 1400 scratch total. continued on page 11



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HUNTINGTON PARK — Harvey Hemmingsen celebrated his 99th birthday at Gage Bowl probably rolling a 144 average he carried when he started competing in the Northrup Mixed with his wife. Everybody bowled then, especially if you worked in the aircraft industry; centers in Gardena, El Segundo, Hawthorne, Hermosa Beach, Harbor City, Redondo Beach and and Torrance.

After WWII he moved to the peaceful Southeast to bowl at Lynwood Academy, South Gate, Maywood, Compton, Downey, Norwalk, Pico-Rivera. He didn't bowl in all 40 centers. Some of his friends would say he bowled all over, not in leagues so much as tournaments, ABC sanctioned events, State, City (SEDBA) and a couple of Nationals.

Harvey was around when the American Bowling Congress chartered the Southeast District Bowling Association in 1935 with headquarters in Huntington Park. He knew, and bowled with the early leaders, J.d. "Joe" Anderson, the Roselles Pete, Ray and Miles; James Pontius, Vern Silkenson, Dewey Ossea, Harold Bishop, Abe Fraier, Stan Schreier, Don and Howard Koehn, Ray and Doug Svela, Gordy Stanchfield, Ben Decker and Oscar Brown.

Later years, he got mixed up with the Gage Bowl Tex Barker crowd going to senior state events and the new SLACBA tournaments. His Missile Bowl/ Northrup quintet placed 20th and they shared \$30.

Harvey wasn't a big money player. Whenever there was a friendly pot game at Lynwood Academy he was first to get in. Standfield would be his partner, if Lynwood was dead, they drove down Long Beach Blvd. to Mel Peterson's South Gate Bowl, nothing there over to Lou Delaney's Trianon Bowl or Koehn's Beacon Bowl. If it was Thursday, they knew H.P. Rec's Glasshouse people's hot shots would have a game going. Yes, Dusty Rhoads, John Law, Marv Ashley, Art Walsh, Steve Reece, yah, they'd play for a buck-agame

Doug Svela's Gage Bowl came about when Hank Catalano created his 14 Automated Sports Center in the late 1950s when the automated pinsetters took the place of pin boys. Automated is gone. Gage Bowl is still

Harvey learned fast why L.A.. County's Southeast District had so many centers. It was the heavy industry center, steel, aluminum, rubber, auto assembly, so on and their employees liked to bowl. And Huntington Park/ Walnut Park became their bedroom.

Up until the 50s the Southland wasn't real friendly, lots of discrimination, even sports were for Caucasians only.

Brunswick-Balke-Collender Co. came to L.A. By 1927 they had more than 35 tenpin centers and they sold some fancy centers fit for the women. Yes, women had a place, Lynwood Academy, eight soft maple lanes (easy scoring), were financed by the Lynwood Savings Bank in 1928. Ed Snowbrick was the chairman and his wife Ruth was socially active and encouraged women to bowl.

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Women got to bowl afternoons for 15 cents a game. Women from H.P. Rec., Mildred Hopping, Edna Fountain, Emily Dalton, Phlin Bohlin, Juanita Rich, Fran Smith, Eva Mason, Vi Wyckoff, Phyllis Knoll, Edna Cobb and a few more worked hard for recognition. Yes, they were discriminated against.

Harvey, and his friends, did a lot of volunteering, donating, helping the kids and women get to love tenpins. I know Harvey enough that he would say, I didn't do anything, I just love to bowl — well, it kept him alive and happy.

Editor's Note: Thanks Frank for a glimpse into the past. How did you remember all those names? Past issues of the Bowling News? Folks, Frank was there. Been reporting bowling stories and stats since 1935.

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Harvey probably remembers when ABC dues were 65 cents a year, open bowling was 20 cents a game, league play, three games 65 cents plus a nickel for the foul-line judge, another nickel for the secretary and the house did the league sheets for free.

He probably remembers 1933 when prohibition came to an end. Utah became the 36th state to ratify the 21st amendment repealing the 18th allowing 3.4 beer to flow and the word "Beer-Frame" became popular.

At first almost every league had a local brewery sponsor, Eastside, Acme, Golden Creme, 102, Regal, Padre, Lucky Lager. Bowlers had a feast, five-cents a glass, free snacks, then gradually the price increased, laws were passed limiting alcoholic freebies. Oh, woe is us the boom/ gloom.

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LONG BEACH CITY EMPLOYEES Benjie Calinawan 216-270-188/674, Danny Collins 213-219-202/ 634, Matt Mosley 233-199-188/620, Mike Kane 274/611, R.J. Perkins 225/586, Louis Whitlock 212/586, Cesar Usi 212/581, Ed Kuder 247, Grover Dye 210, Maurice Hart 201, Lisa Kane 198, Rommel Soliven and J. J. Scott 197 each, Tom McNaughton 193. SENIOR MENS TRIO Jim Burke 195-220-226/641, Jorge Fernandez 213-185-238/636, Pre Collier 237-246-180/663, Randy Antazo 185-241-246/672, Vic Santos 268-247-230/745, Ken Wright 181-224-246/651, Tony White 243-187-184/614, Sam Huckleby 213-215-191/619, Bob Knipple

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Bob Brockman 230-182-214/626, Guy Hunsinger 177-202-246/ 625, John Lynch 213-172-223/608, Doug Sanders 213-180-234/ 627, Shannon Santos 245-202-219/666, Myrick Burris 220, Paul Griba 210-200, Margo McClain 202, Carol Montgomery 204, Matt Mosley 253, Greg Nardo 201-200, Don Ott 202-204, Chuck Robinson 204, Sonny Santos 202, Jeffrey Silva 222-205, Richard Vasquez 203, David Wall 223.

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Curtis McCann 247, Ronnie Lemons 246/683, Eric Bell 243, Billy Foster 242, Stephanie Jones 237, Ricky Kilgore 236/687, Alonzo Lemons 235/678, Reggie Jamison 235, Andre Rounds 234, Eddie Williams 233, Roshaun Sanders 232, Sonny Dew 228, Charles George 226.

CAL BOWL THURDAY SPORT CONDITION TOURNEY

LAKEWOOD — This week's pattern was applied conditioner to 30 feet and buffed to 40 feet. Next week will be a short oil pattern. Cal Bowl will host this event about three more weeks. Lanes will not be available when the winter season starts.

First place was Danny Cobbs rolling 757 winning \$140. Second was won by Rudy Castrellon posting a score of 755 for \$90. Third place was a tie between Raul and Glenn Ito both rolling 748 splitting \$70. Sidepots: Game 1 Raul 223 \$25; Game 2 Danny Cobbs 215 \$25; Game 3 Doug Leeds 208 \$25; Game 4 Glenn Ito 232 \$25.

JUNIORS Bobcats

(7-22-06) Andrew Pudewa 135, Tyree Lebeau 179. (7-29-06) Troy Nezey 103-118, Christopher Johnson 93, Andrew Pudewa 108-158.

Classified (7-22-06) Ronald Lewis 223-209, Amanda Neil 223, Patrick Michel 161, Daniel Brown 209, Chris Porter 221, Tommy Bowler 204. (7-29-06) Tommy Bowler 178, Raymon Carter 209, Brandon Blackmon 127, Chris Blankenship 182, Jamie Grabinski 176, Amanda Neil 178, Develoe Leberge 2024, Wilden 1420 Brandon Lebeau 201, Julian Hildalgo 142.

Cadets

(7-29-06) Vincent Ascenio 55-49-35. ADULT-JUNIOR

Juniors (7-20-06) JuJuan Barker 147, Bryanne Carter 73, Jonathon Gemme 173, Christopher Johnson 89, Chris Blankenship 202, Jade London 173, Gabriel Martinez 211-206, Daniel Martinez 166, Daniel Brown 223, Chrisgen Whitfield 203-255/634. (7-29-06) Chrisgen Whitfield 210-206, Tryvon Pulley 187, Daniel Brown 201, Ashley Manzanares 166-168, Christopher Johnson 89-89-112, Paul Herbert 166, Raymon Carter 212-236/628, Bryanne Carter 74.

166, Raymon Carter 212-236/628, Bryanne Carter 74. **Adults** (7-20-06) Bret Barker 206-209, Leland Carter 203, Billy Foster 212-248/633, Allen Tetter 210, Gary Kowarsch 245-200/639, Ben-jamin Jones Jr. 214, Paul Mehl Jr. 206-225-256/687. (7-29-06) Ray Grabinski 183, Paul Mehl Jr. 215, Donna Neil 155, Gary Kowarsch 265-238-204/707, Roman Cueva 213, Leland Carter 211, Billy Fos-ter 200-232 ter 209-232.

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1. Armando Ramos 2. Matt Mosley		837 795	\$60.00 40.00
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4. Tommy Newman		791	15.50
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2. Donnie Johnson, scr.		290	31.00
3. Tommy Newman, hdcp.		307	31.00
	3-6-9 POT		
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	INSURANCE		
Armando Ramos			31.00
	ATCH SERIES POT		
Armando Ramos			31.00
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August 4th at 1:00 p.m. More league high scores were reported at press time so here they are.

YOUNG AT HEART (7-31-06) John Brider 168-194-165/527, Mac McNealy 141-170-142/453, Earl Hullett 217-246-226/689, Maria Larason 124-120-141/385, Eva Hammons 74-110-97/281, Josh Hudson 185-168-214/ 141/385, Eva Hammons 74-110-97/281, Josh Hudson 185-168-214/ 567, June Skulick 107-134-129/370, Dottie Castillo 152-170-144/ 466, Gene Skulick 143-173-158/474, Jacque Donaldson 81-143-98/322, Leroy Canaday 197-145-106/448, Albert Burnett 155-115-189/459, Tua Sula 155-175-155/485, Lynette Williams 93-173-139/ 405, Fale Sula 186-141-190/517, Connie Lopez 84-116-105/305, Rachel Bright 143-124-105/372, Ellis Houston 222-195-186/603, Tom Pettway 168-181-161/510, Willie Creer 119-152-122/393, Art Nelson 154-157-154/465, Gene Hammons 120-170-169/459, Curtis Whaley 165-223-211/599, Ed Brown 207-171-178/556. LAUGHLIN SUNSET

(7-30-06) Roman Cueva 290-223-212/725, LaDrena Boyd 256-209/656, James Matthews 228-223/634, Jeffrey Aller 225/610, Selena Ferrari 245/610, Ray Minter 224-219, Wilfred Lewis 216, Ace Price 213, Dave Minter 212, Carole Fischer 211-203, Eric Williams 211, Louis Whitlock II 206, Don Williams 200.



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Jim Starks Wins The Regular Division WCST Ebonite Singles Title Larry Galloway The Super Senior Division Champion

by Dick Sanders

MISSION HILLS-Jim Starks (Montclair), won his 7th WCST Title in the regular division last week-end at Mission Hills Bowl. Jim just became a Super Senior, and his qualifying score got him the final spot in the regular division finals. He didn't stay there long, because after game #2, he took the lead, and stayed there for the entire finals. WWB, and LPBA Champion, Robin Romeo finished a strong 2^{nd} when in the position round in 3^{rd} place rolled a 259 game and won her match to pass 2nd place, Jim Coats. Jim Starks won this tournament by 168 pins and the big 1st place prize of \$1000.00. New WCST Member, Jeff Garrison, finished in 8th place. TOP 3, 1st, Jim Starks, \$1000.00, 2nd, Robin Romeo (Newhall), \$700.00, and 3rd to Jim Coats (Upland), \$500.00. A full squad of 60 bowlers, the maximum entering field made up of 39 regular division bowlers, and 21 super seniors, the 2nd straight tournament of 20 or more super seniors entering. Prize Fund totaled \$7,640.00, and 21 checks paid out.

Total Prize Fund paid for 10 tournaments in 2006 is \$79,186.00, and for 239 tournaments, a total of \$2,682,534.00 paid out. Our thanks to Mr. Bill Mossontte, the proprietor of the center, his outstanding workers of the center, for making our tournament a big success. To Larry Wilson and family for doing our brackets, and to Ebonite International Company, our All Year Around Coverage Sponsor. We now have the \$2500.00 of added money from sales of the great Ebonite Bowling Balls for our final WCST Ebonite Singles Tournament scheduled for December 16-17, 2006 in Laughlin, NV at the Riverside Casino Lanes. Our next WCST Ebonite Singles will be at Linbrook Bowl in Anaheim, CA on the week-end of August 12-13, 2006, and this two squad tournament has limited openings right now on the "B" Squad only, as the "A" Squad at this time is filled. Call the WCST Office right now and make your reservations at 760-363-8141. There are still some spots open for Orleans Hotel and Casino Lanes, August 19-20, 2006.

SUPER SENIOR NEWS

It has been a few years since Larry Galloway (Lakewood) won a WCST Title, but he did win this one in fine fashion in the Super Senior Division with a 77 pin victory over Dave Frame. The 6 finalists, all WCST Champions had a very competitive finals. Larry, winning his 2nd WCST Title, put the tournament out of reach when he rolled a 258 in #5, and a commanding 77 pin lead going into the position match. He and Dave tied the match and the total pin difference remained the same. Jerry Calvin, who finished in 3rd place only 20 pins away from Dave, also tied his match, and the total pin difference stayed the same. 21 super seniors entered the tournament, 6 made this finals, and two made the regular division finals. TOP 3: 1st, Larry Galloway, \$625.00, 2nd, Dave Frame (Temple City), \$500.00, and 3rd to Jerry Calvin (1000 Oaks), \$400.00.

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The National Sporting Goods Association conducts an annual study of participation in all sports. The latest study revealed that 45.5 million Americans, ages 7 and over, bowled in 2005...the highest total in 22 years.

Conversely, USBC (United States Bowling Congress) figures reveal the fact that organized bowling is gradually declining. Yet, weekend tournaments like the ABT and NABI tournaments, geared to attract lower average bowlers, continue to offer enticing prizes and seem to be holding their own.

Interestingly, the PBA membership has grown to record numbers. However, megabucks tournaments, particularly the High Roller and the Mini Eliminator, are now competing against one another and are exhausting and draining the pool of "action" players. After all, there are a limited number of bowlers who can afford to compete in ALL megabucks activities.

Several decades ago, the High Roller offered a guaranteed first place prize of \$100,000 but, due to increased competition, prize money has fallen off. Currently, promoters of these big events advertise first place checks of \$50,000. They ADVERTISE "guaranteed" \$50,000 first place check but this is not to say they always pay the "guaranteed" monies. Consider the Mini Eliminator, which this year altered its prize list AFTER all entrants arrived in Las Vegas. This, despite the fact that at least 60 bowlers came from foreign countries.

In contrast, the granddaddy of all "amateur" contests, the National Amateur Bowlers, Inc (NABI) quietly goes about its business with limited fanfare, pay fully guaranteed prizes, and continue to drew over 1500 bowlers to its annual NABI national tournament in Las Vegas.

Perhaps there is good reasoning for this. Operators of the High Roller and Mini Eliminator tournaments are profit driven promotions... and rightfully so. They spend great sums of money promoting their events and make no secret of seeking handsome profits. This is their means of livelihood.

On the other hand, John McCoy, owner and operator of NABI has made most of his money in the plastics business. But his first love has always been the bowling business. He and his four brothers owned a bowling center in Kansas City and, together with bowling promoter Lloyd Harless; they ran a local tournament group called the "Tournament Bowlers Association". This tournament was solely for low average bowlers. In 1982, John and brother Jim McCoy decided to go national and formed National Amateur Bowlers Inc. (NABI). They started out with 48 clubs across the country and added Dave and Judy Soutar as part of the team.

McCoy says, "People are hungry for competition on the ground level. That's why we use handicaps. At the grass roots, they bowl in different centers most weekends so they learn how to adjust. We try to bowl on normal conditions and stay away from house conditions for the most part."

The competitive environment as well as bowling instruction under varying conditions creates an environment that average bowlers can thrive on—NABI has bowlers from every walk of life; men, women, the young and the old. All are welcome.

NABI held its first national tournament at the most popular bowling center in the world, the Showboat Lanes, in Las Vegas. NABI grew to 68,000 members in 1990 and moved national finals to the Orleans Hotel and Casino in 1995.

NABI is John McCoy's baby. He has sold a great portion of his plastics business and advertises on the internet. He has plunged headlong into the betterment of NABI. Membership is presently 36,000. McCoy has hired Jack Cook, former manager of the Showboat Lanes as his driving force to increase awareness of the NABI tournaments and increase membership. To date, Cook is well on his way to achieving his and McCoy's desired goals.

The NABI national tournament has something for everyone. For example, during this year's tournament at the Orleans, they featured additional events such as Two squads of "Beat the Ebonite Pros", with squads following in "Challenge" and Kickoff" divisions. In a nutshell, in addition to the competition, continuous bowling challenges kept the participants as active as they desired. Most of all, everyone was having the time of their lives.

First place checks in various divisions ranged from \$2000 to \$40,000. The National champion won \$40,000, the runner-up collected \$20,000, unbelievable sums for amateur prizes.

NABI staff runs a very tight ship and that shapes up to meaningful scoring and fair play. They have the power to re-rate a player in the middle of the tournament and have twice won cases where their authority was challenged in courts. Consequently, sandbaggers avoid NABI tournaments. The averages range from 137 to 205 with a whole lot of bowlers in between the high and low. Many members have bowled in every NABI national tournament. It's like a reunion for a lot of bowlers.

While this is strictly an amateur event, strict rules are enforced. Balls are checked in the paddock. Each bowler is allowed to list eight balls on his/her card and they must ALL be checked in. There are strict dress codes and NABI has very few problems in this area because the bowlers realize it is an adult recreation and dress accordingly. John McCoy is still an avid bowler whose competitive drive has not deserted him. However, his first love is NABI. He has visions of bringing it back to its glory days of 65,000 members. While this seems to be a tall order, this is not entirely out of the realm of possibility. Average bowlers are hungry for competition and NABI is the venue that will provide that opportunity to compete for enticing prize funds as well. Under the direction of Jack Cook, it may happen sooner than anyone can imagine.

Mike Belair, Mike Tucker 610 Honorees LAKE FOREST — Where are

the Mike's? They're at Forest Lanes bowling honor scores in their 9:00 p.m. Thursday 610 Scratch Trios. Belair started the evening with a 200 gene and finished with set

300 game and finished with an 800. Tucker a 266/747. This was Becker's ninth perfecto. It bolstered his third high 221 average behind Jeff Carr's

234 and Brent Ilagn's 229. With five playing weeks to go, Team 1, composed of Herbert Jones, Michael Trejo and Francisco Trejo, has the second round runnerup spot. Team 7 won the first half

first half. Luis San Juan rolled the 610's first 300 with a 785 series. Jim Maloney got tapped is next on the honor list with a 299.

Luis's trio with teammates Chris Solar and Chris De Boer is 2 1/2 points behind Team 1.

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WCST WEST COAST SENIOR TOUR		
WCST EBONITE SINGLES		
July 30, 2006 (At Mission Hills Bowl)		
REGULAR DIVISION		
1. Jim Starks, Montclair, CA	4659	\$1,000.00
2. Robin Romeo, Newhall, CA	4491	700.00
3. Jim Coats, Upland, CA	4441	500.00
4. John Whisler, Bakersfield, CA	4416	400.00
5. Alex Hernandez, Palmdale, CA	4397	335.00
6. Jeff Gordon, Ventura, CA	4341	320.00
7. Mike Rodriguez, Lomita, CA	4241	310.00
8. Jeff Garrison, Hawthorne, CA	4219	300.00
9. Eddie Katz, Lakewood, CA	4196	290.00
10. Jim Thurmond, Hemet, CA	4140	280.00
OTHER CASHERS		
11. Andrew Toro, Banning, CA	2102	180.00
12. Gary Markowitz, Northridge, CA	2100	175.00
13. Dean Carr, Dana Point, CA	2082	170.00
14. Louie Serrano, Santa Ana, CA	2073	130.00
15. Ray Torres, Cathedral City, CA	2071	130.00
SUPER SENIOR DIVISION		
1. Larry Galloway, Lakewood, CA	3523	625.00
2. Dave Frame, Temple City, CA	3446	500.00
3. Jerry Calvin, Thousand Oaks, CA	3426	400.00
4. Vaughn Doody, Las Vegas, NV	3396	320.00
5. Dave Morales, Tarzana, CA	3368	290.00
6. Hal Wilber, Las Vegas, NV	3360	270.00
MONEY BREAKDOWN INCOME		
60 Entries X \$170.00		10,200.00
39 Regular Division, 21 Super Seniors		
TOTAL		\$10,200.00
DISTRIBUTION		
Prize		7,640.00
Lines		1,840.00
Expenses		720.00
TOTAL		\$10,200.00

Final Position Night (Thursday) in ABTA League League Rolloffs Saturday at Cal Bowl League member Rita Wahl wins ABTA Title at CAL

The Final Night (POSITION) Round #2 will be this Thursday with the top two teams advancing to the Rolloffs. Team-5 84 1/2

with the top two teams advancing to the Rolloffs. Team-5 84 1/2 points and team -10 83 points will face one another. Team -7 at 69 1/2 points has a long shot chance.

There are several team however can win the two wild card spots (which are the top two teams with the most points, not winning a round. Should be an interesting evening at Cal.

Leading scores this week were Tommy Newman 290,224,244 / 758, Brian Reyes 290,224,244/758 , Dan Swires 244,195,278/717 Steven Hood 227,279,216 /712, Dave Mathisen 235,237,225/697 Speedy Bryant 214,239,212/665.

Leading Ladies were Rita Wahl 203,232/604 Debra Sanders 199 /54 Belinda Crowder 211/542, Shelly Hall 189/525, Emma Johnson 180/524 and Elvira Medestomas 184/524.

Side pots went to Ga. 1 Tommy Newman 290 Ga.2 Steve Hood and Anthony Drapeau 279 Ga. 3 and Super Pot to Brian Reyes 249. Dollar Doubles winners Steven Hood and Anthony Drapeau

548 \$300 and Pilbert Colian and Speedy Bryant 497 \$120. Ken Wright was winner of the ABTA drawing for a ABTA tour-

nament entry. The Match game again Carried over as no one matched the 144

game which was drawn last Thursday so we will estimate a \$300+ Pot pot this week.

Congratulations to Rita Wahl for winning her first ABTA Title last Saturday at our League House CAL Bowl. Great bowling Rita!

TOURNAMENT FILLING FAST!

Entry Fees: \$165.00 per bowler for current WCST Members • Guests add: \$15.00. Two Divisional ages. Regular Division, Men ages 45 to 59, Ladies, ages 40 to 49 Super Seniors, Men, ages 60 and up, Ladies, ages 50 and up. Qualifying: Two squads, 40 bowlers maximum field each squad, Saturday, August 12, 2006 "A" Squad, 1st 5 games, Lanes 21-40, at 9:00AM, followed by the "B" Squad, 1st 5 games, Lanes 21-40, starting at 11:30AM. 2nd 5 game block for the "A" Squad starts at 1:00PM, Lanes 1-20, followed by the "B" Squad, Lanes 1-20 at 3:30PM. Finals for the two divisions, on Sunday, August 13, 2006 to start at 8:30AM. Tournament pays a minimum of one cash place for every 3 entries in each division.

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Entry Fees: \$165.00 per bowler for current WCST Members • Guests add: \$15.00.
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Qualifying: One squad, 80 bowlers maximum field. Saturday, August 19, 2006 Finals for the division, on Sunday, August 20, 2006 to start at 8:30AM.
Tournament pays a minimum of one cash place for every 3 entries in each division. The pin fans are invited to watch these O.C. pin star in action. For more league information, call 949-770-0055.

West Coast Jr. Elims At Canoga Park Bowl

WINNETKA — The West Coast Junior Elims at Canoga Park Bowl had their final week of qualifying.

Here are the scores: Matt Cormack 244-250-192-159/845, Scott Englehart 247-182-226-249/804, Matt Jones 202-234-248-191/875, Aaron Steinberg 223-279-259-297/858, Daniel Williams 148-144-117-162/571, Jennifer Pyka 169-150-146-149/ 614, Sharon Weger 189-171-202-185/747, Manny Lakhan 237-190-225-256/908.

The Elims resume with the bracket semi-finals on August 5th at 2:30 p.m. All bowlers will advance to the semi-finals. Pairings still to be determined pending final make-up scores. Matches will be best four of seven with a winner/loser bracket.

Semi-finals will continue August 12th with the stepladder finals August 14th. All finalists advance to the State Rolloff on August 26th-27th at Keystone Lanes.



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coDarby placed 4th and NDWBA Secretary-Treasurer Sandra Heston 5th to start the one game stepladder match play. Darby defeated Heston 195 to 159 with handicap and moved onto face 3rd seed Glenn, Glenn denied Darby's try for 4th title by defeating her 207 -180 with handicap and moved up to face 2nd seed Cronlund. Glenn won again by ousting Cronlund 216-171 with handicap to get in the championship final against Hoffman.

Hoffman became a first time Senior World Champion by beating Glenn 179+35 for 214 to 147+24 for 171. Glenn placed as runner-up for 2nd time as she was in 2003.

WILLINGHAM BEATS **KELLER FOR WORLD** DEAF WOMEN CHAMPI-**ONSHIP**

NDWBA'S flagship event World Deaf Women's Championship drew an all time low 13 entries. In it's first 13 years starting in 1981, it drew 100 or more entries 10 times with a high of 214 in 1989 at Las Vegas, Since 1994 the entries started dropping and in the last 4 years, sadly the numbers were 19, 21, 17 and 22. The event used to drew women bowlers from Canada, Sweden, France and Australia.

The three day tournament began with all 13 bowlers bowl two days qualifying round of 6 games with handicap for the top 8 bowlers stepladder shootout match plays. At the end of 12 games the eventual winner Texan Gayle Willingham got the position of first seed in the one game stepladder match play. Her teammates on the winning Texas Team Stacey Pate and Tina Wimberley were seeded 2nd and 3rd respectively. At the bottom of 1st round shootout stepladder were 6th seed Texan Jerilyn Keller, a three time member of Deaf Team USA, 7th seed Tina Gomez and 8th seed Julie Warren. Keller, a 192 ave. with 4 handicap won with 203+4/207 and advanced to 2nd round. Warren had $160{+}44/204$ for 7th place and Gomez $169{+}30/199$ to place 8th.

In 2nd round Keller faced 4th seed Ali Gredinger, AR and 5th seed Barbara Loniewski and beat them with her 234+4/238 to Loniewski's 186+43/229 (5th place) and Gredinger's 139+32/171 (6th place). Keller moved into semi-finals shootout against Pate and Wimberley and won with her 200+4/204 to advance to Championship finals against waiting Willingham. Pate had 144+46/190 for 3ed and Wimberley 142+39/181 for 4th place.

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The Modern Follow Through An Important Improvement To Increase Accuracy and Consistency

For most of bowling's history, bowlers were taught to follow through in certain ways...ways which no longer work too well in modern conditions and with modern equipment. Therefore, a more modern version has been developed, which works far better today. This month we'll discuss both the old and the new.

Actually, the old style follow throughs have gone through two or three versions during past years. One or the other of these, many bowlers still use today, with varying degrees of success (or failure)

in modern conditions. IN THIS CORNER...THE 'TOUCH YOUR EAR' FOLLOW THROUGH.

This 'reach for the sky' or 'shake hands with God' type follow through is an old, pretty universally accepted technique, still used by many. It is often taught for the purpose of eliminating short stroking...the early, chicken winging elbow bend which can drasti-cally weaken ball power at the pins. It seems acceptable to many as long as the arm can be kept straight almost to the top. A big problem, however is that few bowlers can actually avoid bending the elbow before it gets to shoulder level...and when it bends, the forearm follows the turning hand across the body. Presto! Chicken wing

In an effort to avoid this, bowlers are sometimes taught to touch the ear with the upper arm when doing the high follow through. This ear touching tactic actually bends the entire arm inward, causing the forearm and hand to cut across over the top of the head, creating the same type of weak rev action as the chicken wing. Try this once or twice, and notice where your wrist and hand end up when you touch your ear. See what I mean?

Those bowlers who are capable of avoiding the short stroke (which includes some professionals) often solve the problem by delaying the elbow bend until after the arm has passed shoulder level, then hitting themselves in the back, behind the shoulder, with the hand. This helps avoid chicken winging some of the time. The trouble is, often the hand hits the back behind the neck instead of behind the shoulder. Try this for yourself also and you'll notice the chicken wing is still there, except it's higher up. So what? It's still a chicken wing, and it still weakens the shot. IN THE OPPOSITE CORNER...THE SHOUDER HIGH,

BREAK POINT TARGETED FOLLOW THROUGH.

In this type of follow through the concept of the pendulum swing is utilized to the very finish of the armswing. What happens in this technique is that after the release, the arm is allowed to run out of momentum and come to a stop. To make this easier to visualize, imagine the arm of a grandfather clock swinging downward...then, at the bottom of the swing, suddenly losing its pendulum. Once the pendulum has dropped off, imagine about how far the arm would travel before running out of momentum and coming to a stop. Well, that's approximately how far a bowler's arm should go in finishing its follow through motion...approximately shoulder high. Notice, I said *approximately*; a bit higher or a bit lower makes little difference.

When executing this follow through two other important things become easier to accomplish. 1), with a shoulder high follow through it is far easier to keep the elbow from bending at all, thus finishing with the arm straight all the way to the end. With a straight arm finish a chicken wing is obviously much more easily avoided. 2), this technique also makes it easier to keep the arm/hand following through in line with the bowling shoulder, which is critical. Remember, a pendulum swings back and forth, not sideways

Some bowlers find this a bit difficult at first, partially because even a slight overturning of the hand during the release often causes the arm to follow in that direction...across the body. I've found this relatively easy to correct with many bowlers by having them imagine they have an eye in the front of the bowling shoulder and seeing the hand with that eye at the finish of the follow through. Following through toward the break point is another trick which often works. Years ago I noticed that at the end of such a follow through my hand appeared to be approximately aligned with the pins two lanes to my right (left for left handers). Sure enough, that finish position found my hand directly aligned with the bowling shoulder, as desired. Pulling the follow through can be completely avoided with this tactic!

Once pressed into the muscle memory, most bowlers are surprised at how well this works. It helps improve accuracy, consistency and most of all, ball power at the pins. This is because when done properly, this technique helps develop a highly desirable *in-side/out* swing. Those of you who play golf are aware of just how important an inside/out swing is in that sport. Well, it's just as important in bowling, and here's how it works:

THE INSIDE/OUT SWING

In golf the inside/out swing is important because it eliminates the dreaded, ball weakening slice by straightening out the shot and even creating a more desirable draw, or slight hook. It is done by keeping the hands and clubhead close to the body during the downswing, then swinging in a slight outward direction during the begin-ning of the follow through. This is an oversimplification, but it'll serve our purpose here. In bowling, such a swing also finds the arm close to the body at the bottom of the downswing, with the ball usually no more than an inch or so from the ankle of the finishing foot. That closeness is referred to a being *inside*, which means that at that point the ball is closer to the body than the bowling shoulder. Next, if the proper follow through procedure is followed, the arm must swing very slightly away from the body after the release (during the follow through) in order to get to its finish position in front of the shoulder. So...at the bottom of the swing the arm/hand are considered as being *inside*, while the alignment with the bowling shoulder has created that slight outside position at the finish. This is why bowlers who allow the arm to move even slightly away from the body during the downswing, then inward, across the body during the follow through, often have pin action problems. Weak 10s, 5-7 or 8-10 splits (weak 7s, 7-9 or 5-10 splits for left handers) are often the result on what my have appeared to be perfect pocket hits. So...While it may very well take some practice (video taping can help, by the way) this type of follow through should pay off handsomely once developed.

THE BOTTOM LINE

In my opinion, the two items discussed here have never received enough attention from either bowlers or coaches. I often wonder why, in light of the often dramatic scoring improvements shown by players who master these techniques. As important as armswing, release, ball choice, etc., etc. admittedly are, poor position at the line and poor follow through can and often do mess up otherwise good shots. Try these techniques...you'll like them!

ship final, Keller could not get strikes to catch up with Willingham and lost 158+4/162. Willingham just scored 162+32/ 194 to win her first World Championship. Keller placed 2nd for the 2nd as she was the runner up in 1995.

Defending champion L. LuAnn Burkhalter, YX failed to qualify by 31 pins and finished in 10th place.

Best Wishes On Your New I.E. NABI Tournament Club **Bowling News Staff**

If you have any questions regarding the **NEW NABI Division please contact Patrick** at 909-322-9237 or Dave at 951-685-3403.

Thank you and we hope to see you and your bowling friends at our first tournament.



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BURBANK—Are you looking for a competitive mixed scratch league? We have it! Check out the winter schedule for the Robby's Classic on Tuesday nights at 6:00 pm.

Senior Swingers reported great scratch scores from Larry Mc Donald 267/658, Bill Tuttle 235, John Desantis 570, Jenny Sanchez 192/521, Julie Dickason 187 and Ruth Myren 474. Handicap honors go to Vicky Minceff 236/646.

Monday 860 talked a big game with scratch scores from Wayne Miller 255/651, Steve Munoz 254, Lou Bolf 621, Helen Owens 204, Carol Thrasher 192/561 and Pat Gamponia 526. Handicap highs went to Remo Cruz 663 and Brittney Green 226/636.

The **Robby's Classic** was a rocker with great scores from Gino Genoa 257/682, Manny Martinez 256/697, Angelo Dixon 252/713, Cara Cooper 224/621, Cheryl Mc Donald 202/560 and Tish Plotkin 170/473.

I Hop celebrates scratch scores from Darrow Tiongco 267/684, David Boehmer 224, Jim Burnett 224/603, Tony Wise 595, Moira Harris 170/446, Laurie Reyes 165, Cathy Viloria 155/434 and Ruth Myren 417. Handicap highs go to Tom Peterson 243, Keith King 239/653, David Hersh 660, Deanna Broglia 240/651 and Jewel Gardner 618.

Ladies Orbits soar with handicap highs cores from Debbie Martenson 247, Elaine Mc Vay 243/641, Amelia Armendariz 241/ 625 and Marianne Cochran 637.

Cartoon Network makes no jokes about the scratch scores from Randy Meyers 223/368, Roger Webb 203/393, Chris Hoetger 203, Rossi Lazarova 146/253 and Valentina Zaldana 142/270. Handicap honors go to Armin Mirzaian 254, Oliver Akuin 438 and Lisa Jones 226/403.

The Guys & Dolls gears up with scratch scores from Greg Angell 257, Stephen Szekely 249, Jim Shupe 668, William Pointer 653. Karen Caldwell 201/509. Karin Kerns 190 and Trina White 522. Handicap high fives go to Mike Landis 708 and Mary Beth Wissman 705

The Holy Bowlers are in heaven with scratch scores from David Henderson 202/341, Joey Navarro 192/348, Steve Falchini 188/ 345, Tony Ward 188, Christina Herman 159/264, Alice Balan 159/ 261 and Kathy Henderson 145/256. Handicap honors go to Ernie Villareal 259/485, Oscar Rodriguez 235, Mark Neumann 431, Debbie Scott 214 and Isabel Aguilar 396.

No doubts in the Wed. Nite Handicap with scratch scores from Steve Di Bartolomeo 289/749, Mark Vaughn 256, Bobby Filson 650, Cara Cooper 215/609 and Julieta Ward 215/597. Handicap highs went to Matthew Williams 743, Jean Ubiadas 245/659 and Ruth Swick 652.

Thursday Senior Foursome reported nice scratch scores from Jesse Menez 201, Jim Emery 190.545, Dan Carone 520, Alba Williams 181, Ann Herrera 170, Jenny Sanchez 490 and Seiki Tluczek 453. Handicap high went to John Kanda 216.

High scratch scores in the Thursday 885 went to Jeff Norihiro 279/699, George Vanderveen 278, Murray Nadell 694, Cara Cooper 250/701 and Gail Rose 214/558.

That covers the scores fro this week. Until next time, I'll see you on the lanes.

Pickwick Jr's

by Tish Plotkin BURBANK-Be sure to buy your raffle tickets for the Storm four ball bag! All proceeds go to the Youth Bowling Program and

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Bumpers are growing quickly with great scores from Zach Shepard 91/150, Danielle Jackson 100/180 and Blair Thomas 91/ 166.

The Preps are no slouches with scratch scores from Peyton Reisch 101/287, Caelan Doorley 100/293, Raylin Rivera 166/398, Isabel Lopez 131 and Vanessa Salazar 354. Handicap honors go

to Joseph Eide 148/409.



WINNETKA — Hi. Hope everyone is having a great week and enjoying the cooler temperatures. I have to say the weathermen were right on this one, and we certainly appreciate it. Wow, the month of August is already here and before you know it, it'll be time for winter league sign-ups. During the meantime, let's check out the high scorers at Canoga Park Bowl

Adult/Jr. Doubles: Ray Stoy 205-232/628, Bill Williams 211-203/608, Eric Rhodes 204-236, David Walit 203-213.

Viva Las Vegas: Ted Weineziehr 207-267-211/685, Eric Rhodes 236-203-222/661, Tiffany Morita 225-210/625, James Smith Jr. 214-202/613, Russell McFadden 213-209.

Monday Pick A Ball Dbls.: Curt Litzenberger 213-267-268/941, James Smith Jr. 216-216-224/838, Allan Nathan 202-237/811, Bruce Zietz 235-224/806, Joe Maksimon 205, Bev Zietz 202/700.

Monday Nite Live: Dan Onestinghel 266-252-249/767, Rick Greenzweight 247-234/678, Frank Villaorlad 223-217/ 623, Lucy Tralla 203/564.

Comedians: Chris Husby 277-254-266/797, Dan Stipkovich 223-212-257/692, Danny Faretta 227-235-221/ 683. Mike Pavlowsky 221-288/669, Hung-Lay Quon 232-211-219/662, Judy Valazza 238/561, Lori Cole 527, Crystal Lawrence 505.

Newcomers: Jim Laszlo 209-247-202/658, Tan Sanchez 225/556, Mytra Jimenez 140/380.

Leftovers: Petra Kaun 215/592, Connie Wannomae 200/ 550, Helen Layfield 201/542, Georgia Garey 533, Barbara Vaccarello 214/512, Jonna Barr 511.

League Of Our Own: Ernesto Layon 225-266-212/703, Matt Hung 236-266/673, Ryan Medrano 244-225/666, Jay Lagmay 261, Bryan Gutierrez 243, Mike Anilao 201-220, Brian Boquecosa 224-201, Carlos Rubio 208, Carissa Go 208/ 514, Julie Hinghiran 200.

Match Point Doubles: Ruben Sarkissian 256-224-211-258/949, Mike Willis 257-211-229-215/912, Jason Kalmanson 213-258-224-210/905, Mark Palos 234-248/ 873, Bob Scherzberg 226-246/825, Bill Williams 213-204-200/812, Dan Onestinghel 205-227, Chip Minot 224-225.

No Excuses Now (no-tap): Anthony Paulowsky 262-266-298-266/1092, Ray Stoy 276-300-278-216/1070, Renae Englehart 277-277-255-212/1021, Georgia Garey 242-266-277/964, Otis Mobley 277-217-268/942, Lin Gross 231-222-242/874, Scott Crawford 219-226-221/852, Bruce Zietz 231-261/839

500 Classic: Petra Kaun 237/567, Mary Lauer 201/526, Leslie Jackson 513, Carol Casuga 502, Patricia Peskin 502, Joan Bremberg 500

Thurs. Pick-A-Ball Dbls.: Scott Friedman 249-203-210-205/867, Teresa Lauer 215-257/857, Larry Friedman 213-241/811, Blake Murillo 222/800, Anthony Paviowsky 222-224, Bev Zietz 206/694.

Pizza & Bowl: Andrew Johnson 212/534, James Hudgens 257/523, Jeff Johnson 212, Jeff Stern 205, Andrea O'Borsky 172/433.

B'nai Brith Classic: Thomas Flynn 238/695, Steve Horenstein 258/650, Roman Agiert 257, George Lippert 248, Joel Tetreault 246.

CC Nikkei: Kirk Sasaki 234/690, John Kobayashi 253/ 674, Stephen Sasaki 659, Robert Fujita 254/620, Sam Fukumoto 607, Miyuki Koga 200/543, Katsuko Fujita 538, Bob Yamashita 244, Kiyoshi Suruki 235.

Adult Junior No-Tap tournament: (July 29, 2006) 1st Scott and Renae Englehart, 2nd Daniel and Marsha Williams. 1st and 2nd place winners received trophies and Blockbuster Gift Certificates. 3rd Sabrina and David Walit, 4th Sharon Weger and Michael Ricca, 5th Kevin Gross and Paul Gemellaro, 6th Thomas Niimura and Daniel Giegoldt. Stepladder finals — Match 1:Scott and Renae Englehart def. Sharon Weger and Michael Ricca, 550-509. Match 2: Scott and Renae Englehart def. Sabrina and David Walit, 587-430. Match 3: Scott and Renae Englehart def. Daniel and Marsha Williams 499-478. Thanks to all of our participants. Enjoy the cool weather while it's here, but keep those scores hot. See va.

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Canoga Park Jrs. WINNETKA - Hi. Thanks to all



We are now in the midst of the "Dog Dayz of Summer" or as the Romans called this period "dies canincula" due to the dog star Sirius rising and setting with the sun, conjecturing that the combined effect of the star and the sun was what made it so oppressively warm and humid. All we know here at Pinz is there are no dogs in "Funseekers or Tavern Guild and the heat blazing our lanes is due to the talent of our bowlers and they are all starz to us!!

PINZADULTS

Tavern Guild: Jeff Pifko 218 247 201-666, Curt Zellers 222-583, David Quam 232-562, Tina Rukstalis 187-538, Dan Olivia 193-528, John Ciseneroz 202-524

Twilighters: Larry Schneider 257-629, Ismael Cunaman 202 217 200-619, Bob Riffle 210-577, Damond Taylor 215-575, Matt Risch 219 201-574

Kings and Queens: Kevin Collins 243 226-635, John Harnois 224 212-601, Oscar Manzanares 191-556, Julie Ware 191-543

Funseekers: John Reynolds 289 214-700, Jay Flecther 256 244-666, Yoshi Oka 221 216-621, Keane Murakami 203 213-604, Jimmy Zelinger 221 207-599

S.C.B.L.: Neil Inman 220 221-618, Dave Yamamoto 207 212-614, Anthony Paca 227-600, Mike Chearney 222-583

PINZ JRS.:

The juniors are back in full effect like a 1990's rap posse with iced out bling and 100 spoke rims on their parent's car. Thanks for issuing us into the age of the juniors and we give you much respect. Apologies, for trying to sound young, here's the pimped out scores: Adult/Junior:

Senior Scratch: Brittlan Halpern 208 205-779, Leanne Jilek 212 211-769, Andre Stojka 214-744, Griffin Roth 191-644

Senior Galaxies: Treven Goldsmith 182-519. Micah Jaffe 172-475, Natalie Honda 166-471

Junior Stars: Jonathan Berk 154-386, Danny Manzanres 134-311, Nicole Martinez 74-197

Pee Wee Bumpers: Matthew Miller 88-164, Pual McEvoy 87-162

PINZ SENIORS

With all the late nights you guys have been part of one would think that the scores would reflect hangovers. Yet, you guys shake it off and put away high game after high game, good for you and shame on you. Look at these bitter scores:

Joslyn Seniors: Sol Stein 212-555, Al Platkowsky 205-538, Jerry Rabinowitz 168-495

Happy Timers: Ruth Swick 204-488, Ken Burkenheim 170-480, Sol Karnovitz 163-447

Senior Social: George Linsacum 131-388, Charlene Gaffney 163-379, Christine Stark 119-326

Coffee & Donuts: Lu Juan Lietzke 180-483, Elayne Klein 176-479, Sharon Lawrence 170-473, Pauline Lipin 187-471, Bernie Filosa 170-465

Bowler of the Week

The bowler of the week is John Reynolds. John is usually a 180 bowler in the Funseekers league. He decided that night to shatter a 700 series and come within 2 strikes of a 300 game. He bowled a 289 which is at least 100 pins above his average. Great job John, we are watching for your strike count now.

Sweetness Quote of the week "Make love not war."



WINNETKA - Hi seniors. We'll start this week's column with the restart this Week's column with the re-sults from the Senior Alibi No-Tap tour-nament held on July 25 here at Canoga Park Bowl. Congratulations to the Men's and Women's Division winners, Sus Tellio and Peggy

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Canoga Park Srs.

The Juniors pound the pocket with scratch scores from Kevin Don 278/693, Tony Barriere 221/ 579, Chris Shaffer 212/536, Patty Shaffer 179/459, Heather Isaacs 146/422 and Jillian Eklund 131/ 350. Handicap highs went to Dylan Jimenez 267, Arron Bates 255, Oscar Rodriguez 643 and Xeres Villanueva 202/570.

Excellent work by all! Keep the ball rolling!

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Now for our senior league high scores from the past week

Funtimers: Al Reiswig 267-248-223/738, Dave Folck 212-246-235/693, Bill Robb 207-258/ 662, Rick Greenzweight 225/ 613, Bob Adams 189/546, Eleanor Weaver 199/533, Carolyn Scherzberg 188/483, Bertha Willard 164/429, Margaret Hebard 147/427, Ma-rilyn Bigman 158/426. 39'Ers Senior Trio: Rick

Greenzweight 237-213-267/ 717, Al Reiswig 216-245-225/ 686, Bill Robb 215-242-224/681, Dave Folck 236-233/652, Homer Hammond 200-213-225/638, Scotty Alavazo 202-221-215/ 638, Koger Chart-rand 226-226/ 629, Jerry Ambrosini 215-223/ 621, Ed-win Cornish 206-226/ 594, Mel Neiditch 209/591, Bob Adams 216/569, Don Segien 207-213/566, Marv Baker 192/ 555, Bill McKinley 188/549, Carolyn Scherzberg 214/542, Lil Baker 190/535, Hung-Lay Quon 189/534, Les Logan 201/530, Doris Simmons 201/513, Vicke Blaiwes 180/504, Mary Lauer 183/502, Edie Goldberg 199/483, Freda Leibson 169/ 480, Claire Luther 163/460.

the adults and juniors who participated in the Adult Junior No-Tap tournament on July 29th here at Canoga Park Bowl. Congratulations to first place winners. Scott and Renae Englehart. and second place Daniel and Marsha Williams. All winners received trophies and Blockbuster Gift Certificates.

We have the high scores from the juniors so let's see who they are.

Adult/Jr. Doubles: Kevin Gross 223-200/622, Daniel Williams 199/550, Russell McFadden Jr. 193/544, Sharon Weger 187/499, Jessica Carmichael 129/343.

Monday Pick A Ball Dbls.: Sharon Weger 211/728, Daniel Williams 193/ 698

Kingpins: Scott Rosenstein 158/ 291, Spyros Sousoures 164/285, Allan Fisher 142/259, Destry Walker 126/ 247, Scott Hinman 131/242, Beth Lazaroff 135/235, Argie Sousoures 108/213, Mirriam Moldonodo 99/181, Alison Dickson 84/150.

Junior Royals: Noel Sosa 220/603, Kevin Gross 205/547, Drew Stern 180/537, Sharon Weger 178/496, Samantha Meyers 177/464, A.J. Minot 181/484, Zach Zavoie 440, Gus Reveles 181.

Bantam All Stars: Hunter Savoie 123/303, Julia Frias 115/269, Sevaun Thompson 50/141, Tommy Giannini 42/70.

Everyone have a great week and keep up the good bowling.

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Victor Cruz Wins His Third ABT **Championship at Linbrook Bowl**

ANAHEIM—Victor Cruz won his third Amateur Bowlers Tour (ABT) championship at Linbrook Bowl on Saturday, July 29, 2006 during our one-day 4-game Beat-the-Board tournament. Victor showed up for our final squad at 4PM and shot games of 289, 249, 211, and 247 with handicap good for a series total of 996 and the \$800 1st place prize. Victor was also in the Win, Place and Show Pot for an additional \$350 dollars, to make his total for the day \$1,150 dollars. John Bateman of Rolling Hills Estates had a fine day shooting a 988 four game handicap series to finish in second place for \$400 dollars. In third place was Ricky Rowe of Fountain Valley. Ricky shot a 964 handicap series and got \$150 dollars for his efforts

Our newest champion, Victor Cruz is 32 years old and is married to Yolanda. Victor has a son, Angel, who is 13. Victor has been bowling for about 4 years and has been a member of the Amateur Bowlers Tour (ABT) for about the same. Victor has a sanctioned high game of 275 and a high series of 700 to his credit. Victor was using a Storm bowling ball drilled by Vic Fabris at his Pro Shop inside AMF Carter Lanes for his win this weekend. Victor wanted to thank his wife, Yolanda, for her continued love and support and allowing him to take off time from their business to come and bowl. She runs everything while he is away, and appreciates her sacrifice and effort. Victor thanked all the ABT members who have always been so friendly to him when he bowls. He thinks the ABT members are great people and really loves bowling in the tournaments. Victor dedicated this win to his son, Angel, who is recovering at home from a kidney transplant operation. Victor is encouraged by his son's strength and bravery. Victor wanted to thank Linbrook Bowl for hosting the tournament this Saturday, and also thanks the Amateur Bowlers Tour-Orange County Branch staff and Directors for running an outstanding tournament week after week.

Deven Walls was the winner of the optional 4-game Scratch Sweeper and \$120 with an 839 scratch series. Nick Wilson was second with his 799 series, good for \$60 dollars. We had many positive comments about the optional 4-game Scratch Sweeper, and will continue to run this optional Scratch Sweeper at each upcoming tournament.

The Mystery Game Pot of Gold game number and score were drawn after our final squad. Game #2 and 210 (possibly good for \$500) were drawn for this week. There was no winner. Our second chance score (possibly good for \$250) was 179 in game #2. One bowler shot 179 with handicap in game #2, but they were not in the Mystery Pot of Gold. The 3rd chance score (possibly good for \$125) was 290 in game #2. There was no winner. The Mystery Pot of Gold carries over to our next Singles Tournament on August 5th at Cal Bowl. Remember, the Mystery Pot of Gold is available to all members (Classic and Masters) and only costs \$5 for a chance at \$500 dollars

The ABT staff and membership would like to thank the management and staff at Linbrook Bowl for hosting our tournament last Saturday. Our next scheduled event will be on Saturday, August 5th, 2006 at Cal Bowl. This will be a special 4 game Beat-the-Board **Classic and Masters Combined** Singles tournament format. All members (Classic and Masters) are eligible. Handicap will be 80% of 225 for this tournament. Special Squad times are at 1:00 PM, 3:00 PM, and 5:00 PM only. We will offer \$100 sidepots at the 1:00PM, 3:00PM and 5:00PM squads with just 20 entrants, as well as optional brackets for each squad. First place will be GUAR-ANTEED at \$800 dollars for only a **\$50 dollar entry fee**. We will offer an estimated 1st place of \$1,500 dollars with our optional Win, Place, and Show Pot and 125 entries. We recommend you arrive early (at least 1/2 hour before squad time) to guarantee your spot. We hope to see you this Saturday at Cal Bowl



CERRITOS WEEKLY Foley Finds the Mark

by Tom Ferry

CERRITOS-On a day when high scores seemed to be illusive, Senior, Mike Foley lined up and slapped the pins silly, posting a high game of 243 and a 629 scratch series. Mike's strong delivery can be described as "Rolling Thunder", always looking to do some damage at the pocket. The question has typically been carry – asked and answered. Get 'em Mike.

After a long absence, Casey Burroughs returns to league play to help his team with a terrific score of 236 in his first game. Just like riding a bike, huh Casey? Notable scores from other Senior boys; Andrew Navarro - 212, TJ Heath - 208, Buddy Lucas 203 and Nolan Smith – 201.

Well, there she is again. Kathy Liberatore, as she often does, leading the Senior girls. This time her 225 scratch game was tops. Turning in great handicapped performances, congratulations to Jennifer Obra -248/656 and Erika Castro - 236/ 655

Striking Force standout, JJ Robeniol has established himself as a strong team leader. This week, rolling a 211 scratch game to lead all bowlers. JJ's brother and teammate, Kevin also contributed with a 239 /620 handicapped series. Steadily raising his average through frequent practice sessions, Kevin Chen deserves cudos on a fine day - $235\!/\,646$ to take top score with handicap.

Kiana Jansen took away nearly all top scoring marks for the Striking Force girls - 212/ 564 hdcp. She was only bested in handicap series by newcomer, Savannah Sweet's 208/574 performance.

What can I say about Rookies star, Jacob Hardin, once again at the top with a 215/ 601 scoring frenzy. Close behind was Ian Dantas with 214/556, Kevin Kesseloff - 203/544. Congrats go out to Joseph Ash on a nice 571 series and to Dylan Ross' 269 scratch series.

As Kyli Selley takes her usual place at the top of the Rookie girls scoring list at 220/ 575, Kaila Chen swooped in to take best series at 218/ 598. Kaila can often seen right along side ner brotner on a practice pair, which obviously has paid off. Lil'Raider's star, Jason Villa had the high scratch game at 100. but the Ugliano brothers were right in there - AJ's 98/184 was the best scratch series and Dominic's 141/ 272 was best with handicap.

Gable House Jr's

by Chris Graves TORRANCE-For a lack of anything cerebral to open this article this week, let's go straight to this week's honor roll.

Family Entertainment: Juniors-Chris Garcia 128-240, Christopher Sager 104-179, and Sarra Beauzil 83-163. Adults-Kevin Shaw 196-319 and Beth Wahba 80-144.

Family Feud: Juniors—Tyler Cooke 222-222/601, Danny Simon 215-592, Andrew Fontenot 202-573, Amanda McInerney 192-543, Brandon Mullikin 212-504, and Kayleigh Gates 179-483. Adults-Kyle Masuyama 246-219/657, Ron Range 234-225/639. James Berry 217-247/619, Jeff Mullikin 205-544, Doug Ayers 186-535, and Wendy Cooke 191-529.

Junior Jammers: Catherine Shepard 185-449, Ryan Gabaldon 127-351, Roger Mies 135-348, Joshua Inouye 132-326, Lauren Viloria 117-318, Leiborus Mies 108-311, and Bryan DeRouen 115-306.

Classic Highs: Jonathan Shepard 215-549, Matthew Simon 192-529, Amanda McInerney 190-521, Thomas Williams 213-504, Brandon Huntelman 197-486, Nathan Wendel 182-476, Daniel Simon 185-454, Jennifer Daniel 153-438, Alyssa Laxamana 169-425, and Colleen Tin 136-354.

That will do it for us for this week. Take care of yourselves and see you next time around.



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A terrific game of 124 scratch and 205 scratch series gave Kaitie Johnston top honors for the girls.

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ANAHEIM — Hi. Here it is the beginning of August and that means one thing at Linbrook Bowling Center. It's Winter League sign-up time! The leagues are now forming and some of them are filling fast. So call David Wright, Carrie

Wolfe or Stacy Rider to sign up today. Now for the fun part...we get to report all those neat high scores

Santa's Guys and Gals: Carl Adinolfi 200-200, Linda Samera 208.

Swinord Trios: Joe Zeuli 214, Carl Stutzman 207, Tony Angulo 202, Tom Hough 201. Lunch Bunch: Ike Eisenacher 244, Sal Molina 214, Bin

Masaki 200

Junior/Adult Family Fun: Brian Peterson 225-219-223/ 667, Marty Evans 236-207/635, Steve Matsumoto 234-201, Kali Borrelli 213.

Ten Pins: Tony Toliver 225-267-246/738, Jim Hawkins 208-259, Todd Russell 202-247/619, Byron Reich 244, Tom Horton 227.

No Knottcents: Chris Vandyke 220, Jim Johnstone 215, Ray Acosta 209, Bob Johansen 203.

Santa Strikers: Brian Bendt 218-210-265/693.

3's Company: Melissa Adms 223, Marie Parmelee 221, Maxine Holzinger 200.

R.C.R.C.: J.H. Lowery 234-206, Ralph Tanner 221-212, Don Tanner 212-207, Tito Lassalle 200.

Executive Doubles: Curtis Henderson 249-223-212/684 Orlando Vanegas 224-212-204/604, Stan Evans 224-200/ 618, Lloyd Thierry 235, Ed Sheely 222, Connie Putnam 204, Lisa Somma 204

Jack's and Jill's: Fred Fouts 253-212-202/667. Rudv Tomaneng 236, Jovet Soon 214, Deron Nishitsuji 213, Tim Pilot 207

Angels/Dodgers (no-tap): Dave King 226-223/637, Jeff Hodges 300, Albert Rodriguez 225, Derwin Ruebesomen 222, Charles Rogers 215.

Golden Nuggets: Bob McGraw 235/613, Ed Signorino 212

Go For Nine (no-tap): Carl Adinolfi 241-237-222/700, Ike Eisenacher 263-220/669, Mac McNealy 265-244/667, Tony Angulo 226-224/650, Stan Perryman 244, Angie Beccia 227, Joan Munzer 219, Elberta Canfield 218, Diane Johnson 211.

Party Timers: Teddy Junato 235-235-231/701, Ed Murakami 236-226/651, Andy Kim 248/619, Frank Pearlman 259-201, Chris Monahan 245-215, Chris Milligan 237, Hyun Park 232, Nicole Evans 211, Ladine Jones 205, Brenda McCaslin 204, Patti Brode 203.

Rowdies: Kelly Woolpert 212, Kim Howes 233, Kerry Woolpert 203.

Anaheim Nisei: Shig Nakata 214-208-203/625, Vincent Okada 236, Don Enriques 225, David Kisnoba 200, Ken Quevpo 200.

Nikkei League: Fred Nakata 240, Sandy Viloria 224, Sho Tanaka 223, Yuki Tomono 217, Stan Mashita 212.

525 Ladies Classic (4 games): Aly Johns 237, Gloria Ferrulli 228, Diane Salinas (sub) 227-210, Joy McGregor 214-201, Shirley Anderson 214.

Santa's Super Savers: Joe Molina 236-204, Tony Chaco 217-200, Jim Moore (sub) 227-210, Pete Garcia (sub) 202, Jerry Roddam 201.

Thursday Mixed Seniors: Joe Zeuli 247-235/628, Bob

Taplin 212, Bill Young 211. **Thursday Linbrook Juniors:** Chris Stewart 233, Robert Albercht 223, Brandon Curtis (sub) 206.

St. Columbans: Byron Reich 214.

7-11 Vegas: John Munson 213-218-213/644, Gabe Guzman 232, John Schubert 231, George Dunterman 217, Jerry Lao 215, Lisa Somma 202-215.

Korean League: Ui Kwang Kim 225-220/623, Bong Hwang 234.

Grey Panthers: Janine Hanigan 207.

Junior Scratch (4 games): Andrew Stewart 246-231-217-227/921, Aaron Wilson 228-215-207/830, Kyle Osterman 234. Robert Albrecht 203.

T.G.I.F.: Lee Galicia 245, Jim Livingston 228, Mike Wagner

223, Jason Watts 214, Randy Eddins 209. Vegas Party: Mike Keough 269-207/655, David Boroff 258-215/616, Dan Duarte 228-216/615, Marc Guzman 233,

Corey Meyer 232, Rhiannon Bloom 233/604, Kathy Boehmer 221 P.B.L.: Ben Philalack 223-215/637, Reynante Catabat

253/625, Louie Tayag 238-208/618, Eugene Lomelli 262, Hurley Dee 219.

Saturday Linbrook Juniors: Brandon Curtis 242/619, Michael Nakahara 222, Kyle Osterman 219, Jonathan Greenhalgh 217-202, Andrew Diller 211.

Bumper Busters: RJ DAvis 89-95, Hanna Blankenship 76-88, Kaitlyn Aguirre 76-81, Trevor Basquez 81-74, Christian Riffle 72-71, Joslin Crumley 68-50, Chloe Gilbert 67, Joseph Aguirre 60-57.

4-4 Vegas: Richard Garcia 222-212/616, Larry Leach 230, Cliff Freund 219, Steve Radovich 210, Neil Butschke 207, Jennifer Wayne 212, Marcy Gironta 200.

Family and Friends: Ron Aguon 243/615, Gerald Laguana 233, Frank Pangelinan 216-206, Jess Meno 209, Bob Pangelinan 204, Debi Jones 215.

Double Daters: Mike Darby 300-238-235/773, Jeff Dahl

Double Daters: Mike Darby 300-238-235/773, Jeff Dahl 233-212/632, John Conway 234-213/615, Jerry Boehmer 223, Lee Haywood 220, Rhiannon Bloom 236. Senior No-Tap: (7-25-06) 35 entries @ \$9=\$315. Place money—1st Fred Voysey 810 \$31, 2nd Carl Adinolfi 797 \$22, 3rd Shig Shozi 795 \$17, 4th Vic Garcia 783 \$13, 5th Henry Urada 778 \$8, 6th Jerry Knight 777 \$5.25. Sidepots— 1st game, hdcp.: 1st Ninh Pham 313 \$8, 2nd Carl Adinolfi 309 \$6, 3rd Shig Shoji 302 \$5. 2nd game, scr.: 1st Fred Voysey 276 \$10, 2nd Jerry Roddam 275 \$8, 3rd Johnny Munson 256 \$5.25. 3rd game, hdcp.: 1st Shig Shoji 302 \$8, 2nd Hank Yates 297 \$6, 3rd Ely Cruz 291 \$5. 3-6-9 New 2nd Hank Yates 297 \$6, 3rd Ely Cruz 291 \$5. 3-6-9 New Total: \$124.50

Take care and remember to get those winter league signups in today.



by Joy McGregor

ANAHEIM—Tony "The Tiger" Chaco bowled just "GRRREAT" Friday morning (I still think he eats Wheaties), although he denies it! Well, whatever his breakfast consists of, it's working and should bottled and put on the market. Tony chalked up plenty of X's, tossing 194-268-256 for 718 and added 225 to register high series for the day at 943.

Super Sub Shig Shozi showed his stuff and earned his moniker, shooting consistent games of 227-225-234 and 224 to tally a fine 910. I happened to notice Shig eating breakfast in Linbrook's popular coffee shop early this morning; wonder if.....??

Rounding out the 900 shooters was smooth-stroking E.J. Rogers. This young man is a natural talent, fun to watch and he makes it look soooo darn easy! He lays the ball down so smoothly you can't hear it hit the lane but, if the pins could talk, I'm sure they'd say, "Ouch!" E.J. is soft on touch but certainly not on power, stroking a warm up game of 193 then 202-233 and a grand finale 275 to reach the magic "900", a 903.

And the HEAT continues: Terry Brent 247 (710)-898, Ronny Thompson 261-898, Dan Baker 243-887, Ron Corona, Jr. 269-886, Tony Angulo 255-842, Orlando Vanegas 224-837, Janet Anderson 265-835, Ron Douglass 235-835, John Conway 231-830, Bob Gosnell 214-825, Rose Williams 230-822, Carl Adinolfi 235-821, Willy Bordenave 243-820, Jerry Knight 211-807, Alan Bloom 218-804, Fred Voysey 236, Ed Harris 236, Al Lara 235, Lisa Somma 231, John Munson 223, Brian Roberge 223, Rod Cantrell 214, Dahanna M-Klerer 208, John Velasquez 211, Roberta McNaught 204, John Phillips 203 and Lloyd Thierry 202.

REMINDER: The meeting of the So Cal 590 Classic fall session will be held Friday, August 4th immediately following the completion of the Rocky Marsh Doubles league, approx. 11:30 am. BE THERE !!! Until then ...

Del Rosa Jrs.

SAN BERNARDINO — Hi. The juniors here at Del Rosa Lanes reported some fine scores from the past week and here they are. Little Rascals: Kaleb Morrison 91/160, Leslie Robarts 55/98. Bantam Buddies: Terrence Robinson 122/345, Samantha Batey 162/364. Pincrackers: Tommy Harkey 158/448, Caitlin Carda 120/280. Strike Force: Marty Coyazo 210-205/607, Jonathan Terral 238, R.J. Garcia 223, Jason Holleman 220, James Dixon 212-200, Giovanni Rincon 207, Rudy Powell 200, Amanda Coyazo 465, Shelby Scheffler 180. Good bowling by the juniors. See va



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SAN BERNARDINO — Hi. The weathermen have made it official. July was the hottest month in history (since they started keeping records) for Southern California. August is starting off on the cooler side so we'll have to see how the month goes. The weather has cooled down a bit which made most people happy, but the scores at Del Rosa Lanes continue to be "hot"

Angel's Bowling Club: Frank Montes 211-227-279/717, Jim Forbes 258-215/666, Jeff Forsell 201-237/631, Nick Assini 256/610, Rolando Bravo 236/600, Mike Renfrow 245, Tanya Montes 456, Shandi Futch 184. Beach Party: Chase Phillips 225-246/649, Kurt Beach

224-223/616, Jon Terral 234, Cheryl Serna 508, Tammy Donald 178.

Capri: Velma Smith 501, Teresa Vest 183.

S.B.T.A.: Scott Henderson 525, Malcolm Davison 213,

Lory Durkiewicz 174/476. Mary's Invitational: Marv Sargent 203-268-229/700, Jerry Forch 203-225-248/676, Adam Šokoloski 234-202-237/673, Roy Robinson 266-214/636, Sam Frisby 217-232/628, Jeff Raynor 212/604, Ken De Maio 202-217/604, Joe Strinati 236, Jim Sorrells 235, Darren De Maio 205-2177004, doe Stimati 236, 225-201, Terry Chittenden 576, Sarah Hartman 235, Bridgett Voung 204-214, Jackie Forrie 242, Data Martman 235, Bridgett Young 204-214, Jackie Farris 213, Debra Neff 212, Jeanene Kratochvil 206, Donna Buckner 202.

Wednesday Vegas: Del Karper 242-244-232/718, Howard Vasquez 236-203-201/640, Rolann Karper 213/528, Dana Vernon 214

630 Scratch Trios: Mark Dyer 238-220-276/734, Barry Graham 225-245-240/710, Joseph De La Torre 257-222-217/696, John Valentine 235-216-227/678, John Davis Jr. 210-269/677, Fred Kouri 224-222-226/672, Mark Learned 231-216-216/663, Ray Torres 205-277/658, Kris Gallaga 258-202/657, Tom Velasquez 226-238/652. **R.C.H.:** Jim Forbes 213-224/612, Vigale Williams 202-210/607, Donna Falcon 443, Jo Anne Torchia 167.

S. B. City Mixed: Larry Richards 257-207-204/668, Bryan Whitmore 233-237/630, Alex Haynes 238-212/609, Joann Parker 204/548, Janice Villavicencio 218.

Good Times: Bill Elliott 209-232/634, Leighton Beach 212-201/603, Likapeka Enriquez 203-206/598, Naomia Farris 223

Keep bowling those high scores, and get ready to signup for the winter leagues

Del Rosa Srs. SAN BERNARDINO — Hello.

Let's take a look at the recent high scores reported by the seniors here at Del Rosa Lanes.

Young At Heart: Frank Deluca 513, J.W. Jones 198, Lucille Ford 194/490.

Park & Rec.: Jim James 170/480, Randolph Riley 170, Alice Winchester 210/521.

Afternooners: Frank Martinez 204-210/573, Frank Deluca 233, Cari Burris 210/559.

Golden Goodies: Bob Corrigan 203/522, Betty Snow 175/ 466.

Mon. Sr. No-Tap: 1. Jackie Knight 745, 2. Doug Henley 721, 3. Ernst Knoblauch 712, Booby, Marianne Heidecke 580.

Wed. Sr. No-Tap: 1. Doug Henley 850, 2. Jackie Knight 849, 3. Bob Corrigan 780, Booby, Cari Burris 529.



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