

John Wukasch, Jr and Anthony Lavery-Spahr Win SASBA M/G Doubles in Pasadena



John Wukasch and Anthony Lavery-Spahr

Great Success!

John Wukasch, Jr led the senior qualifying and Anthony Lavery-Spahr the guests. They won 12 of their 14 matches in the Baker finals and had a 50 pin lead going into the final match. They rolled a 290 game to clinch the title and \$3,000 first place check! It was John's first SASBA title! Thomas Young/DJ Archer shot 255 the last game to nab second and \$2,200, Rick Lawrence/Shawn Maldonado inished third for \$1,600, John Chovanec/Corey Bottos claimed fourth and \$1,400 and Joe Lecroy/Joe Findling rounded out the top 5 and took home \$1,300.

We had two 300 games this week...Denton Whitten and Anthony Lavery-Spahr. They both got a \$25 gift card to Chuys restaurant compliments of John Chovanec.

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PASADENA, TX - SASBA tried a new format at the Member/Guest doubles at Armadilla I in Pasadena Saturday, August 11-12. It was separate qualifying for members and guests and then paired up according to qualifying scores for the Baker finals. Pins were dropped for the finals. It was a

Butturff Wins PBA Xtra Frame Kenn-Feld Group Classic



Champion Jakob Butturff with Carol & Linus Hartings, Dan Lefeld and Rick & Patty Hartings

COLDWATER, Ohio (Aug. 26, 2018) – Jakob Butturff, an unorthodox 24-year-old left-hander from Tempe, Ariz., inserted himself into the Professional Bowlers Association Player of the Year conversation Sunday when he defeated Tom Daugherty of Riverview, Fla.,

217-182, to win the PBA Xtra Frame Kenn-Feld Group Classic at Pla-Mor Lanes.

Butturff, who won the Go Bowling! PBA 60th Anniversary Classic earlier in the year in Indianapolis, joins Australia's Jason Belmonte; EJ Tackett of

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Rob Stone Returns as Play-By-Play Announcer for Fox Sports Telecasts of 2019 Go Bowling! PBA Tour



LOS ANGELES (Aug. 21, 2018) – Today, FOX Sports and the Professional Bowlers Association announce the lead broadcasting team for the 2019 Go Bowling! PBA Tour, including the return of Rob Stone as play-by-play announcer, along with analyst Randy Pedersen and reporter Kimberly Pressler.

The trio will make its FOX debut on Sunday, Dec. 23, with the PBA Clash on FOX.

The announcement was made today by John Entz, President of Production & Executive Producer, FOX Sports, and PBA CEO-Commissioner Tom Clark.

"Rob is a dynamic and versatile sports broadcaster who is passionate about bowling," said Entz. "And he's already a legend in the sport for inventing the term 'hambone'."

"We are very excited to

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2018 PABCON Sr. Championships Concludes in Canada



Senior Team USA

ARLINGTON, Texas - The 2018 Pan American Bowling Confederation Senior Championships wrapped up Friday at Let's Bowl in Calgary, Alberta, Canada, and while the representatives from the United States got out to slow start, they were dominant the rest of the way, winning eight gold

medals and 18 medals overall.

Sharon Powers of Lakewood, Colorado, led the effort for Team USA, medaling in all six events - singles, doubles, trios, team, all-events and Masters - and her success included wins in trios and all-events.

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Just Paying Attention

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What a couple of great finishes on PWBA telecasts the last two weeks. From Liz Johnson tossing the front nine strikes in the title match in Columbus, the week before to a match of redemption in front of family, friends, and familiar faces for Stefanie Johnson at Plano Super Bowl. The PWBA Tour has had a couple of telecasts filled with all sorts of drama to pull in viewers on the CBS Sports Network.

I'll break down the QubicaAMF PWBA Players Championship telecast in next week's JPA. There were some very, very good things on that show that continue to illustrate why bowling has been a great television sport over the last sixty years.

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As we conclude the sixth annual JPA Troy Walker Media columns explaining how bowling and media mix

well together, here's a look at a recent radio station promotion of a recent national bowling event.

One promotional purpose radio stations, especially in top 25 markets, have had through the years is to use its personalities, and its format, to drive foot traffic to show off a sponsor and its services. Even these days in the social media era, the latter is the most common type of promotion.

Stations may use any type event, from a bike trail opening, to a nationally known group in town on a concert tour, or even a sports league with an annual stop in town for a tournament. Granted, there is a cost involved, but it's a win-win for the station and the event.

Such was the case at the recent PWBA stop the St. Paul suburb of Eagan, Minnesota. Cedarvale Lanes has hosted a

variety of upper end bowling events like PBA regionals, Minnesota State USBC, Greater St. Paul USBC, and high school tournaments. For something of this magnitude, a well-known and highly rated radio station has just what tourney organizers are looking to reach, a captive and eager audience fitting the event demographic target.

The classic rock format has been its staple sound since 92 KQRS-FM's beginning in the late 1960's. It has had the same morning drive and late morning hosts, Tom Barnard and Wally Walker since the early 1980's. Other jocks have been with the station since the mid 90's to early 2000's, so they are very familiar to regular listeners, who respond favorably to appearances by station staff, wherever they may be. It could be a Vikings, Twins, Wild, or Timberwolves tailgate party for opening day or playoff games. Another place they go, are various charity outings, fun runs, public art shows and so on.

The midday host, Lisa Miller, appeared at a portable booth during practice, PWBA Fan Fest, and pro-am day not only doing her air shift from there saying the things on the air she normally does (music and commercials are played back at the station across town), but also interacted with tourney attendees between songs with help of the promotion crew.

Cedarvale has established itself as a 'place to be' in the Twin Cities, even winning 'viewer's best bowling center' status from not only one, but two different local television stations in recent years. Cedarvale Lanes and Fizz's Bar and Grill GM Brent Prentice suggested KQRS to PWBA public relations.

"The PWBA PR guy called me and said KQ would be out at the event. I had suggested KQ because they fit our demographic. Lisa Miller and the staff gave away prizes they brought, and she was very cool in saying "you will love Cedarvale," which was great to hear," Prentice said.

Like social media does with 140 characters at a time, having a radio disc jockey on site drumming up support during a national event like the PWBA creates energy and mental imagery to reinforce Cedarvale as a place to be to listeners all over the 15th largest media

market in the country.

92 KQRS reinforces that energy, even after the event ends with bowlers and non-bowlers alike. Pictures on its website and social media pages displays the fun one could have had. The thinking these days is showing anyone who may have missed it this year can catch it the next time the tour is in town. Again, creating energy afterwards builds a lasting image for future events at Cedarvale, not only for the PWBA alone.

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Another case of promotion that used to be more common was a local television news story about a center helping out youth bowlers. Such was the case with the junior bowling program at Mt. Mesa Lanes in Lake Isabella, California.

Several youth bowlers had outstanding performances during the recent California USBC Youth State tournament. That caught the notice of KGET-TV 17, the NBC affiliate in nearby Bakersfield. They contacted proprietor and PWBA player Gabby Mayfield about highlighting their performance as well as what she and her center did to help the bowlers

reach their potential.

The scenario that doesn't often happen anymore is the station heard about their performance and contacted Mayfield. All too often, it's the other way around with the center contacting the local newspaper or TV station.

The station suggested a news crew come out for a couple of live segments on its early morning news program with Mayfield and the youth bowlers. Many smaller news outlets are open to the idea of also promoting a positive message of local youth achievement, so they made resources available to send a crew for two live segments in the 6:00am hour.

"They thought it would be a good idea to do the morning show because more parents see that and might get their kids interested," Mayfield explained.

Not only do her youth bowlers get their own Kameleon dye-sub shirts, they can also practice when lanes are available for a dollar a game. Mayfield also reported to me the first day of league last Saturday saw more youth bowlers come out than the previous

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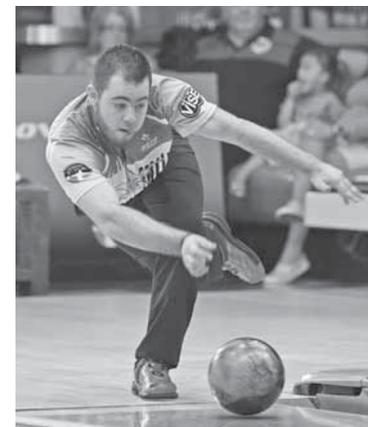
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PBA Spare Shots - Did Anthony Simonsen Unveil the Next Evolution of Bowling Techniques?



Anthony Simonsen

On Sunday, August 19, Anthony Simonsen of Austin, Texas, made PBA history in winning the PBA Xtra Frame Gene Carter's Pro Shop Classic Sunday in Middletown, Del., by throwing a "backup ball."

Simonsen, 21, who normally delivers a powerful two-handed hook from the right side of the lane, made a dramatic decision, using his two-handed skills from the left side of the lane and throwing a reverse hook to play the lanes like a left-hander.

In doing so, Simonsen may have introduced the next evolutionary advancement in bowling technique.

In researching the use of a "backup ball" in a PBA title match, the PBA found the closest a "backup ball" player came to winning a PBA Tour title was the late Ernie Hoesterey of New Bedford, Mass., who finished seventh in the 1965 Boston Open. More on Hoesterey later...

If PBA Hall of Famer Johnny Petraglia is correct, the ability of two-handed players to compete from either side of the lane could revolutionize the sport. And Petraglia, who has seen it all in his 53-year PBA career, believes this is the

next-gen.

"We've got juniors doing that right now. One of them, Matt Stephens, is a high school state record-holder," the 71-year-old New Jersey left-hander said. "Ironically, he learned to bowl as a backup ball player and then he learned the other way. I don't know what his future holds, but if he figures it out, the game changes completely."

Petraglia, one of the most astute observers of bowling history among today's active competitors, noted that the governing bodies of bowling long ago adopted rules that forbid players from changing delivery hands during competition. That is, a right-handed player isn't allowed to shoot at a spare with a left-handed delivery, nor can he change delivery hands in the middle of competition.

"But that kinda goes by the board (with two-handers)," he said. "We have a guy around here who can bowl with either hand. He who looks like a mirror (image of himself); it's not just which arm but his whole body. But now you can bowl with both hands on either side of the lane? I don't know what happens after that."

"That said, I don't think any

rules should be passed to stop two-handers," Petraglia said. "If you grew up, like Jason Belmonte, throwing the ball with two hands from the time you were three years old, and you get to be 30 and they tell you you can't play like that? That's unfair. I don't think you should ban it, but it is a problem."

Back to Ernie Hoesterey, who died in 1991. He was a right-hander who threw a reverse hook/backup ball his entire life. He co-owned Country Club Lanes in Fairhaven, Mass., as well as a company that manufactured precision surgical scissors. He bowled PBA Tour events primarily in New England, where he was an active New England Bowl-

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Matt Robinson, Strikz	673
Tice Hopkins, Ennis All Star Bowl	609
Women	
Stacy Starry, JB's Allen Bowl	754
Cindy Mann, Plano Super Bowl	679
Heather Whitney, Cowtown Bowling Palace	654
Lauren Cathey, Red Bird Lanes	650
April Hopkins, Ennis All Star Bowl	567
Cathy Eberly, Strikz	548



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year's opening day.

Even if your area does not have a television or radio station, most have at least a small newspaper. They have known for years that local people doing well, especially kids, makes a good read, plus they get to see their name in print. The link to the story on the KCET website can be found here (www.kcet.com/news/local=news/pro-bowler-

helps-youth-go-to-college-bowling/1369136696).

The station also provided a link to the center's website at the end of the story.

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Also next week for the September Southwest edition, you'll hear of one center once featured on the silver screen, yet hasn't has a ball thrown on its lanes in over twenty years that plans to reopen in 2020. And later in September, for the first time in almost six years, a long overdue update of the Top 25 TV Bowling Moments list.

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Thanks to Danna and Bobby Browder and crew for being great hosts. The banana pudding was awesome!

Big thanks to Mark Busscher and Galco Hearing Aids for sponsoring the tournament and adding \$3000 to the prize fund.

Our next tournament is at University Lanes in Denton for the 70/60 Doubles. September 8-9 is the 60/50/Lady trio at USA Bowl.



2018 Fall Leagues



Time	League	Bowlers	Details	Price Prize fund included	Start Date	Meeting
Monday						
6:00 PM	Monday Mixers	4 - Mixed	Great for beginners!	\$16	Sept. 10th	9/10 at 5:30 pm
Tuesday						
10:00 AM	Just For Fun	3 - Senior 2 games, 55 years and up / (Non-Sanctioned)		\$4	Sept. 4th	9/4 at 9:30 am
10:00 AM	St. Patricks	4 - Ladies Ladies' League		\$8	Sept. 4th	9/4 at 9:30 am
1:00 PM	Rolling Rocks	3 - Senior 55 years and up		\$7.25	Sept. 4th	9/4 at 12:30 pm
6:30 PM	Adventurers / Hit & Misses	4 - Mixed	Great for beginners!	\$17	Sept. 11th	9/11 at 6:00 pm
Wednesday						
10:00 AM	Wednesday Women	3 - Ladies	Suited for all skill types	\$10	Sept. 5th	8/29 at 10:00 am
6:30 PM	Wednesday Mixers	4 - Mixed	Great for beginners!	\$16	Sept. 5th	9/5 at 5:30 pm
9:00 PM	Night Owls *	4 - Mixed	Ends in February	\$20	Sept. 5th	9/5 at 8:30pm
Thursday						
12:00pm	Young At Heart	4 - Senior 55 years and up		\$6	Sept. 6th	9/6 at 11:30 am
6:00 PM	Thursday Funfours	4 - Mixed (Full)		\$20	Sept. 6th	8/30 at 5:30 pm
9:00 PM	Lites Out Nacho Trios *	3 - Mixed	*Short Season Fun League* / Free Nachos!	\$15	Sept. 6th	9/6 at 8:30 pm
Friday						
10:00 AM	Senior No Tap	3 - Senior	Drop-in league / Nine-Pin No-Tap	\$6	Sept. 7th	9/7 at 9:45am
10:00 AM	9-Pin No Tap	3 - Senior	Nine-Pin No-Tap	\$6	Sept. 7th	9/7 at 9:45am
Saturday						
10:00 AM	Youth League	2 to 3	Ages 5 up to 18 / Only 10 weeks / Coaching Availa	\$10	Sept. 8th	9/8 at 9:30am
Sunday						
3:00 PM	NFL Beer & Pizza *	3 - Mixed	*Short Season* / Incl. pizza and pitcher of beer	\$20	Sept. 9th	9/9 at 2:30pm
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Josh Ramos, Red Bird Lanes.....	455
Ashten Roop, Ennis All Star Bowl.....	416

Girls

Nicole Gattenby, JB's Allen Bowl.....	606
Morgan Hopkins, Ennis All Star Bowl.....	498
Deana Simmons, Strikz.....	404
Darrah Sternes, Red Bird Lanes	318

ROB STONE

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have Rob Stone back with the PBA,” Clark said. “He became part of the bowling family when he was our play-by-play voice years ago with Pedersen and Pressler and he never left. We are very proud of the great career Rob has built at FOX Sports and look forward to the passion he will bring when he returns to our events.”

A veteran sports broadcaster, Stone was most recently the lead studio host for FOX Sports coverage of the 2018 FIFA World Cup Russia™ live from Moscow. Since joining FOX Sports in 2012, Rob has served as the lead studio host for the network’s soccer, college football and college basketball

YOUTH TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Lone Star Invitational Youth Classic
Aug. 31 - Sept. 2

Plano Super Bowl, Plano, TX
Contact: Dino Castillo or Joyce Claus - youthleagues@planosuperbowl.com

Barnes Thanksgiving Classic
Nov. 23-25

Plano Super Bowl, Plano, TX
Contact: Chris Barnes or Joyce Claus - youthleagues@planosuperbowl.com

iStrike Youth Open

Dec. - TBD
Oak Hills Lanes, San Antonio, TX
Contact: Jeff or Stacie Hatsfield - 210-344-6251

If you have upcoming youth tournaments you would like listed on the schedule, contact The Bowling News at 214.250.3242, or email: genie@TheBowlingNews.net.



Dallas USBC Youth Scores

Nicole Gattenby headed the Dallas-area USBC youth bowling for the week with a power-packed 205-223-178 = 606 Thursday Youth/Adult series at JB’s Allen Bowl.

Bryce Herrington led the guys with a high-flying 225/572 Youth set at Strikz.

At Ennis All Star Bowl – Ashten Roop 165-416, Morgan Hopkins 181-498.

At JB’s Allen Bowl – Hunter McCall 144-364, Charleigh Keough 119-286, Dakota Wagner 126-296, Ashley

Martinez 66-179, Caiden Richardson 160-338, Carlen Gattenby 196-551, Ian Thom 107-280, Amanda Ingman 150-372, Otto Weiss 179-479, Taylore Ryan 188-520, Ryan Martinez 177-453, Isaac Gattenby 146-395, Adrian Allen 113-304, Benjamin Lilly 106-295, Austion Wancio 102-290, Ryan Rohlf 161-461, Isaac Wilson 104-290, Will Durnin 126-328, Taylore Ryan 181-506, Dylan Jankowski 76-218, Kendyl Goodger 141-352, Preston Spolar 99-241, Austin Wancio 115-289, Lydia Gilbert 194-493, Vincent Craft 82-230, Mollie Goodwin 151-392, Jeremiah Roussell 149-421,

Jessica Hubbard 149-342, Tara Meche 176-451.

At Red Bird Lanes – Josh Ramos 168-455, Darrah Sternes 115-318, Ethan Brown 86-166, Vanessa Dunn-Ford 85-158, Layne Pollock 138-359, Chrystian Brice 76-217.

At Strikz – Jacob Argo 192-519, Cory Shen 179-506, Zachary Smullen 161-458, Tyler Keeton 170-429, Enrique Arredondo 157-427, Roman Reece 150-417, Deana Simmons 147-404, Ireland Spofford 163-388, Fiona Lawrence 119-347, Jayme Brooks 130-333.

programming.

Stone was PBA’s play-by-play announcer from 2008 until 2012. He endeared himself to the bowling public with his eagerness to learn the sport, his sense of humor, an enthusiastic personality and his immediate connection with Pedersen, a PBA Hall of Famer and veteran color analyst. Learning that three consecutive strikes in bowling is called a “turkey,” but there was no common term for four strikes in a row, Stone coined the expression “ham-bone.” His catch phrase took on a life of its own and remains a part of bowling’s lexicon.

“Back in 2008, the PBA unexpectedly became a cherished part of my career,” said Stone. “The hope to be reunited with the world’s best bowlers has existed for years. I am honored to return and cannot wait to get back to the lanes with my old partners Randy and Kimberly, and my many other co-workers and lifetime bowling friends.”

Stone returns to the play-by-play booth with Pedersen, who will provide analysis for PBA telecasts for the 17th consecutive year. Pedersen ranked among the Tour’s top players during a 25-year career on the lanes. The 13-time PBA Tour champion was inducted into the PBA Hall of Fame in 2011. He revived his professional

career in 2013 after seven years by competing on the PBA50 Tour where he won his first title in his PBA50 Tour debut.

“I’m personally very excited to have an opportunity to work with my old buddy, Rob Stone, again,” Pedersen said. “We developed a great relationship and friendship, and we’ve maintained it ever since. And I’m looking forward to the PBA moving to FOX Sports over the coming years.”

Pressler has also been a fixture on the tour, serving as PBA’s sideline reporter since 2010. The Miss USA 1999 has covered events for ABC, MTV, ESPN, FOX Sports, NBC and the SPEED Network, ranging from the ACIS Fitness National Championships, Traxxas TORC truck racing series, Red Bull X-Fighters series to the X-Games. Pressler once worked for the U.S. Department of Energy at a nuclear power plant.

“I’m honored to be joining the PBA telecasts on FOX and am thrilled to have Rob back on the PBA telecast team,” Pressler added. “I’m looking forward to the inaugural season with FOX Sports and working alongside both Rob and Randy again.”

The PBA makes its FOX television debut on Sunday, Dec. 23, 2018, with the PBA Clash from Houston, Texas.

Lane Laughter



Rolando Sebelen's PBA50 Rookie of the Year Award Writes Another Chapter for the First Family of Bowling in the Dominican Republic

CHICAGO (Aug. 23, 2018) – With three top-10 finishes in majors during the 2018 season, Rolando Sebelen is the recipient of the PBA50 Rookie of the Year Award and in the process, adding another milestone for what could be called the first family of bowling in the Dominican Republic.

Sebelen, who joins Venezuelan native and PBA Hall of Famer Amleto Monacelli as only the second international player to win the PBA50 Rookie of the Year award, finished eighth in the PBA50 National Championship, 10th in the Suncoast PBA Senior U.S. Open and ninth in the PBA50 Cup to conclude the season while leading the points list among PBA50 rookies.

"My impression right away was the quality of the bowlers," the 50-year-old Sebelen said of his first experience in PBA competition. "To be able to bowl with the players that I watched on TV was very

exciting for me.

"It was a totally new experience for me with the formats and match play because I had never done that before," Sebelen continued. "It was definitely one of the highlights of my career."

Sebelen said his most rewarding experience during the season was his eighth-place finish in the PBA50 National Championship.

"I remember people saying, 'Who was that guy?' because that was my first tournament," Sebelen said. "The other players were congratulating me and that made me very comfortable and excited to bowl on the PBA50 Tour."

While a newcomer to PBA competition, Sebelen is a member of the Dominican Republic's most decorated bowling family, and a long-time competitor in international bowling circles.

His father, also a Rolando, was introduced to the game

by relatives while living in Puerto Rico. He took to the game quickly and would eventually win the 1971 FIQ Doubles Championship – held in Milwaukee – with partner Carlos Diaz. It was the first medal in international bowling competition for the Dominican Republic.

The Sebelen family – which actually includes seven "Rolandos" – the "senior" Rolando, three sons and three grandsons – developed a passion for bowling and would make periodic 30-minute plane trips to Puerto Rico to practice because of the lack of adequate bowling facilities in the Dominican Republic. As the Sebelen family became more involved in the sport, eventually the elder Sebelen built a 22-lane bowling center in Santo Domingo in 1996. Their center hosted the 1997 FIQ (now Pan American Bowling Confederation) American Zone Championships, and will host the 2018

PABCON Women's Championships in late September.

Following in his father's footsteps, the younger Rolando, a member of the Dominican Republic national bowling team for more than 30 years, also has had success in inter-

national competition. He is a multi-medalist in international competition, most notably winning a doubles bronze medal in the 2007 Pan Am Games and a team gold medal in the 1989 World Bowling Championships.

At JB's Allen Bowl

Starry pockets 754, Wolbert nails 729

Stacy Starry locked up the top spot on the honor roll for the week at JB's Allen Bowl with a power-packed 247-258-249 = 754 Wednesday Match Play session.

John Wolbert posted a hard-hitting 236-257-236 = 729 Tuesday Mixed Doubles set to head up the men's high scoring race.

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Alex Munden 268-713, Jami Ellis 217-602, Tracey Coward 215-562, Nick Lankford (4 games) 257-957, Stacy Starry (4 games) 1000, Daryl Short 233-613, Lori Smith 193-537, Daniel Adams 202-546.

Betsy Durnin 148-348, Tony Franklin 279-720, Monica Holley 206-577, Thadeus Doyle 150-416, Nicole Sherman 174-441.

PBA Spare Shots

PBA REGIONAL UPDATE: LAKOTA GETS FIRST TITLE IN ILLINOIS

Four years after winning in Lockport, Ill., as an amateur, Ryan Lakota of Shorewood, Ill., defeated Mike Martell of Brooklyn, N.Y., 179-144, to win his first PBA title in the PBA BowlerX.com Midwest Challenge at Strike N Spare II in Lockport Sunday.

Lakota, who earned \$1,400 along with his title, defeated Mike Schlabach of Goshen, Ind., 202-189 and Martell, a non-PBA member, rolled past Kevin Kullman of Lockport, 204-160, in the semifinal round to set up the championship match. PBA Challenge events are open to players who have never won a PBA title.

In a battle of collegiate bowlers, Tyler Lewis from Ponchatoula, La., edged fellow Louisianian Jacob Dupre from Baton Rouge by one pin to claim victory in the PBA Emerald Bowl Southwest Challenge

presented by Bowling Dynamix and Track in Houston, Texas, Sunday.

Lewis, a student at Southeastern Louisiana, trailed Dupre by 87 pins going into the final position round match. Dupre, a student at LSU, struggled to find the pocket through most of the final game as Lewis kept increasing his lead. Lewis threw three strikes to end his game, forcing Dupre to strike to win the event, but a solid 10 pin on his first shot allowed Lewis to win the game, 222-164, and with the 30 bonus pins, claim the \$2,000 first prize with 4,517 total pins.

Because Lewis is not a PBA member, he doesn't get credit for a PBA title.

A week after winning his first PBA Regional event with doubles partner Jakob Butturff, amateur Ryan Nikolas of Milwaukie, Ore., posted a 5-7 match play record and a 20-game total of 5,036 pins Sunday to win his second PBA Regional in the PBA's longest-running regional tournament, the 39th annual PBA Dave Husted Northwest Open presented by 900 MOTIV at Husted's Milwaukee Bowl in

Milwaukie, Ore.

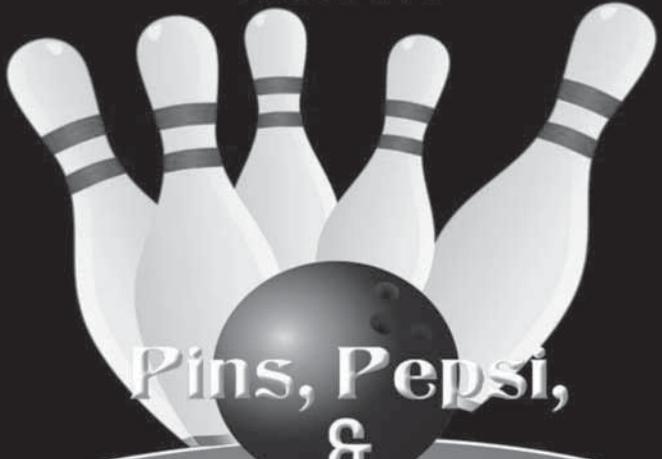
Nikolas, who earned \$2,000, defeated Craig Tuholski of Troutdale, Ore., by 114 pins for the win, but won't receive credit for a title in either event because he isn't a PBA member.

PBA's Japan Region will hold the DHC Chameleon Open and Women's Chameleon Open Aug. 25-26 in Nagano, Japan.

Labor Day weekend will include the PBA60 Wilson & Sons Pest Control Super Senior Open and the PBA50 Mooresville South Open presented by Columbia 300 at George Pappas' Victory Lanes in Mooresville, N.C.; the PBA50 Hammer/Strike Zone Alleys Open in Pottsville, Pa., and the 23rd annual Illinois Valley Midwest/Central Open presented by Ebonite at Illinois Valley Super Bowl in Peru, Ill.

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BUTTURFF

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Huntington, Ind., and Andrew Anderson of Holly, Mich., as the Go Bowling! PBA Tour's fourth two-time titlist in 2018. Butturff, who uses a quirky

double-jointed delivery, entered the finals as the top qualifier after overtaking Daugherty in the final game of qualifying earlier in the day. He then started the title match with four strikes, but surrendered the lead when he left and failed to convert the 1-3-7-9 in the

seventh frame. Daugherty, who had a clean game including a turkey through seven frames, lost his edge when he failed to convert the 2-4-5-8 in the eighth frame and then missed a 5 pin in the ninth.

"This win means everything," Butturff, now a four-time title winner, said before turning his praise to the fans of Coldwater, a rural community of just over 4,000 residents who turned out in droves to support the 11th annual tournament. "Every time I come in here, it's amazing. The fans want to see us bowl and they give us their all. They're what keeps our sport going."

In the first match of the four-man stepladder final, PBA Tour veteran Brad Angelo of Lockport, N.Y., bowled an error-free game, rolling a key strike in the ninth frame and striking out in the 10th for a dramatic win after defending champion Rhino Page recovered from failing to convert the 2-4-7-10 split in his fourth frame, finishing with six strikes to force Angelo's hand. Angelo won, 228-225.

In the semifinal match, Daugherty got some help when Angelo had three open frames, throwing his own decisive string of four strikes in a 226-188 victory to advance to the championship match.

The 2018 Go Bowling! PBA Tour will complete its domestic schedule with the three-event FloBowling PBA Fall Swing in suburban Tulsa, Okla., Oct. 14-20, followed by the U.S. Open Oct. 24-31 in Wichita, Kan. The Fall Swing will award titles in the Wolf, Bear and Tulsa Opens, all of which will be live streamed from start to finish on FloBowling. For subscription information, visit FloBowling.com.

Prior to the Fall Swing, PBA Tour players will have an opportunity to bowl for PBA International-World Bowling Tour titles in the Storm Lucky Larsen Open that is currently underway in Malmo, Sweden, concluding Sept. 9, and the WBT Thailand in Bangkok, Sept. 22-28.

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Final Standings:
1, Jakob Butturff, Tempe, Ariz., \$10,000.
2, Tom Daugherty, River-

At Cowtown Bowling Palace

Dull lights up with 767, Whitney scripts 654

Branagan, Brice add 300's, Garcia, Jr. 299

Scott Dull took high-series honors last week at Cowtown Bowling Palace after pocketing prime 277-236-254 = 767 numbers in Storm Bowling Draft Scratch Trio action.

Heather Whitney, Dull's league mate, dominated the ladies with a sizzling 225-223-206 = 654 set.

Tyson Branagan and Barry Brice shared high-game honors with award-winning 12-baggers. Rudy Garcia, Jr. took runner-up honors with a near-perfect 299 solo.

HONOR ROLL

Mike Black 279, Ashley Martin 213-548, Frankie Mata 257-677, Anthony Francisco 256, Alecia Henderson 226, Xeno Garcia 289, Amy Drescher 225, Michael Williams 278, Amy Brown 193-508.

Rick Tice 267, Tito Alegria 264, Chase Martin 247-639, Dawn Crum 199-470, Gordan Hallowell 246, James Davis 239, Dusty Gallant 268, Halley Grace 222-516, Ray Ballaro 259, Bill Brewer 258-731.

SENIORS

Tommy Ellison 266-708, Brian Roberts 258-718, LA Aragon 258.

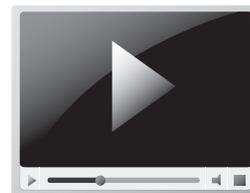
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Bowling Time	League Name	Starting Date	League Type	Number on Team
MONDAY				
6:30 p.m.	Monday Night Mixers	September 10	Mixed	4
6:30 p.m.	12 for 12	July 30	Mixed	4
TUESDAY				
9:30 a.m.	Tuesday VIPs	September 4	50+ Mixed	4
12:30 p.m.	Senior All-Stars	August 21	Men -190+ avg	2
6:30 p.m.	Ladies and Gents	September 4	Mixed	4
7 p.m.	Storm Bowling Trios	September 4	190+ avg.	3
WEDNESDAY				
6:30 p.m.	Wednesday Winners	September 5	Mixed	4
6:30 p.m.	Ebonite Trios	September 5	Mixed	3
THURSDAYS				
9:30 a.m.	Thursday Twighlighters	September 6	50+ Mixed	4
12:30 p.m.	Coaches	September 6	Mixed	3
6:30 p.m.	Thirsty Thursdays	October 18	Mixed	4
6:30 p.m.	Just 4 Fun	September 13	Mixed	4
SATURDAY (SEE SEPARATE FLYER FOR YOUTH TEAM DETAILS)				
9:30 a.m.	Youth Leagues	September 9	age 20 or less	3-4
5 p.m.	Saturday Nite Live	September 15	Mixed	4



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view, Fla., \$5,000.
3, Brad Angelo, Lockport, N.Y., \$2,500.
4, Rhino Page, Orlando, \$2,250.
Stepladder Results:
Match One – Angelo def. Page, 228-225.
Semifinal Match – Daugherty def. Angelo, 226-188.
Championship – Butturff def. Daugherty, 217-182.
Round of 8 (after 17 games):

1, Butturff, 3,709.
2, Daugherty, 3,703.
3, Page, 3,587.
4, Angelo, 3,569.
5, Dick Allen, Lexington, S.C., 3,554, \$2,000.
6, Ryan Ciminelli, Clarence, N.Y., 3,542, \$1,750.
7, Jason Lundquist, Columbus, Ohio, 3,540, \$1,500.
8, Andrew Anderson, Holly, Mich., 3,378, \$1,250.

LOOKING BACK

10 YEARS AGO

Tommy Jones and Shannon Pluhowsky are the repeat winners of the Luci Doubles, they had 73 entries that year...Wes Malott wins Killeen SW PBA Regional over Jesse Buss...Jim King won the SASBA in Shreveport...Kenny Lezo led the honor roll with 812 at Killeen Bowlerama...Chris Johnson shot 806 at Plano...Erica McPhail led the ladies with 784 at Killeen Bowlerama...Stephanie Harp had 758 at AMF Showplace-Eules...Dana Mackie with 682 at Tenpins & More.

20 YEARS AGO

Pete Thomas and Brian Carson win Dog days Doubles at PSB...Mike Scroggins wins back to back SW PBA Region titles at Hallmark Killeen and Forum Bowl, Scrogs was a bad man...Randy Shumake shot 796 at AMF-Hurst...Bill Teel with 730 at Forum...Traci Wilson led the ladies with 749 at AMF Showplace-Eules...Rachel Brown had 727 at Hallmark...Cathy Nelson shot 702 at Cowtown...Yvette Smith wins PWBA Players Championship and \$16,000 in Rockford, Ill...Randy Kennedy had 300/780 at AMF Showplace-Garland.

30 YEARS AGO

Erick Foisset wins NTTB at Bowl Dallas...Miguel Torres led the honor roll with 795 at DC SW...Chris Shipley shot 779 at Jupiter...Tim Petit with 772 at DC West...Peanut White led the ladies with 678 at DC West...Mickie Archer shot 659 at Forum...Sammye Ragland rolled 624 at Red Bird...Roy Lantrip wins NABI at DC FW...youth bowler Nelson Solomon shot 300 at Forum, much love to Nelson...Joe Stacy takes the CASH crown at DC West...Robin Romeo wins 7th LPBT title in Tempe, AZ.

BUTTURFF

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Round of 16 Cashers (did not advance, after 15 games):
9, Connor Pickford, Charlotte, N.C., 3,036, \$1,100.

10, Francois Louw, South Africa, 3,001, \$1,000.

11, Darren Tang, San Francisco, 2,989, \$950.

12, Richie Teece, England, 2,977, \$900.

13, Brandon Novak, Chillicothe, Ohio, 2,973, \$875.

14, Kamron Doyle, Brentwood, Tenn., 2,971, \$850.

15, Anthony Simonsen, Austin, Texas, 2,955, \$825.

16, Joe Bailey, Wooster, Ohio, 2,918, \$800.

Cashers Round Cashers (did not advance, after 12 games):

17, Chris Colella, Indianapolis, Ind., 2,381, \$775.

18, Tom Smallwood, Saginaw, Mich., 2,376, \$775.

19, Chris Via, Springfield, Ohio, 2,375, \$775.

20, Marshall Kent, Yakima, Wash., 2,369, \$775.

21, Kurt Pilon, Warren, Mich., 2,361, \$750.

22, Matt O'Grady, Rahway, N.J., 2,335, \$750.

23, n-Chad Roberts, Reynoldsburg, Ohio, 2,327, \$750.

24, Tom Hess, Urbandale, Iowa, 2,323, \$750.

25, Sean Rash, Montgomery, Ill., 2,317, \$725.

26, AJ Chapman, St. Paul, Minn., 2,311, \$725.

27, JR Raymond, Clinton Twp., Mich., 2,301, \$725.

28, Graham Fach, Canada, 2,300, \$725.

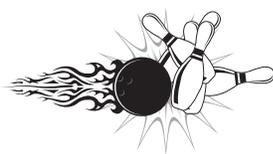
29, Kyle Troup, Taylorsville, N.C., 2,296, \$700.

30, Chris Loschetter, Avon, Ohio, 2,295, \$700.

31, Michael Clark Jr., Cleveland, Ohio, 2,289, \$700.

32, Michael Tang, San Francisco, 2,288, \$700.

n-denotes non-PBA member.



Kulick Experiences World Youth Championships in New Way

ARLINGTON, Texas - The first time Kelly Kulick of Union, New Jersey, walked into the World Bowling Youth Championships, she had just won a collegiate national championship and was putting the pieces in place for what would become a hall-of-fame worthy professional bowling career.

The Junior Gold Championships was just making its debut, so Kulick's selection to the 1998 World Youth Championships squad came because she was one of the age-appropriate young bowlers who excelled at the United States Bowling Congress Team USA Trials.

It certainly was a special reward that accelerated Kulick's appreciation for wearing the red, white and blue on the lanes.

"I was very much aware of what the talent was like in the United States, but getting to bowl internationally for the first time really helped me see how incredibly talented the bowlers are across the world," Kulick said. "I really became a smaller fish in a bigger pond, but nothing could replace the honor of bowling for our country, regardless of how I did on the lanes."

That was two decades ago, and the last 20 years have been filled with success against the best women in the game, the top male bowlers on the planet and an international talent pool that continues to get stronger.

Kulick's resume includes two appearances on Junior Team USA and 14 years on the adult team. During her time in the program, she has earned nearly four dozen medals in international competition.

The year after making the first of her two appearances at the World Youth Championships, Kulick had the opportunity to represent the United States at the adult World Championships. She earned gold medals at all three events.

She has continued to find success on the biggest stage in international bowling, most recently with a pair of medals at the 2017 World Championships.

Although she's still an active member of Team USA and a top competitor on the

Professional Women's Bowling Association Tour at age 41, Kulick also has added a service section to her growing resume.

She has spent time serving on the USBC Board of Directors and has embarked on a coaching career within the Team USA program.

Her coaching role recently led her back to the World Youth Championships, where she spent two weeks guiding the 2018 edition of Junior Team USA to success among the world's best at Thunder-bowl Lanes.

"It's such a privilege to bowl in this event as a representative of our country, but then to be on the opposite end of it and be a coach and an extra set of eyes is pretty special, too," Kulick said. "We had a stellar coaching staff this week, and with four of us, it let us have roamers, scouts, ball-motion readers and more."

Each of the four Team USA coaches in the Detroit area for



Kelly Kulick

the World Youth Championships brought a different type of insight and experience to the group.

Junior Team USA head coach Bryan O'Keefe bowled collegiately, flourished nationally and even had a chance to win some medals of his own during the 1990s. Along with his Junior Team USA responsi-

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bilities, he also is the director of bowling at McKendree University and spends many summer days as a ball rep on the PWBA Tour.

Assistant coach Andy Diercks has enjoyed more than a decade of success while coaching at the high school and collegiate levels, while Mike Shady, a standout at the USBC Open Championships and a 2017 inductee into the USBC Hall of Fame, is a school teacher by day and regular name among the Bowlers Journal International Top 100 Coaches list. Both are USBC Silver coaches.

Kulick is the only one who has competed in a world-championship event, and she had those memories in the back of her mind while at Thunderbowl Lanes.

However, as someone who has worked with many coaches, she makes sure to be careful about how she approaches each player and what she does with the details of her own time on the lanes or how she handled certain situations.

"I want to be a resource for the players, but I try to never personalize it," said Kulick, also a USBC Silver coach. "I want the athletes to experience things in their own way but

know I'm there to help. I can tell them about how certain situations were for me, if they ask, and, ultimately, I want them to trust me because of my experience as a player and now as a coach."

All competitors at the 2018 World Youth Championships bowled 18 games and competed for medals in singles, doubles, team, all-events and Masters competition. Each event (except for Masters, which was best-of-three matches) featured six games, and each day gave the players and coaches more opportunities to get comfortable on the 44-foot London oil pattern.

Kulick and her fellow Team USA coaches were successful in helping the Junior Team USA girls to the medal rounds in singles, doubles and team, though they came up short in their first two opportunities.

Five-time Junior Team USA member Breanna Clemmer of Clover, South Carolina, earned a bronze medal in singles and teamed with Taylor Bailey of Joliet, Illinois, for silver in doubles, while Caitlyn Johnson of Rockwell, North Carolina, advanced to the singles final and tested Kulick's experience.

"I think, I was just as nervous as Caitlyn in her last frame of the singles gold-medal match, and while it's a new perspective for me, it was pretty exciting," Kulick said.

"Of course, I still want to be able to throw it for the gold, but to be able to be part of it and mentor someone putting herself in that position is pretty thrilling, too. It's a different set of goosebumps."

Thanks to the return of the PWBA Tour in 2015, Kulick has remained motivated to keep her game sharp, while also focusing more on her fitness and nutrition, especially as she advances in her career.

After helping the Junior Team USA girls into the team semifinals, Kulick left Detroit and headed south to Florida for the 2018 Pepsi St. Petersburg-Clearwater Open, so she was not at Thunderbowl Lanes on Thursday when the girls won the team gold medal for the first time since 2012.

While she may not have been there in person, Kulick kept an eye on the scores and was very excited to see the team finish the job it started two days earlier. Her feelings on their success were simple and proud.

"Gold is glamorous," Kulick said. "It shines like no other."

Kulick, who set aside time during the World Youth Championships to work on her own game, went on to finish 11th at the St. Petersburg-Clearwater Open and then changed hats once again to sit in the broadcast booth alongside Dave Ryan

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Sept 1-2	University Lanes	Denton, Tx.	70/60 Doubles
Sept 8-9	USA Bowl	Dallas, Tx.	60/50/Lady Trio
Sept 22-23	Tomball Bowl	Tomball, Tx.	Member/Guest Doubles
Oct 6-7	Cityview Lanes	Ft. Worth, Tx.	Annual Championship
Oct 13-14	Astro Bowl	San Antonio	"Open" Member/Guest Doubles
Nov 3-4	Plano Super Bowl	Plano, Tx.	60/50/Lady/Guest 4
Nov 10-11	Hog Pin Bowl	Lawton, Ok.	Member/Guest Doubles
Nov 17-18	USA Bowl	Dallas, Tx.	Age Bracket
Dec 1-2	All Star Lanes	Shreveport, La.	Member/Guest
Dec 8-9	Cowtown	Fort Worth, Tx.	Christmas Team

California Team Wins U12 Title at 2018 USA Bowling National Championships



U12 Team Champions - Four the Love of Boba

ARLINGTON, Texas - For the second time in its short three-year history, the USA Bowling National Championships presented by Sixlets title in the 12-and-under division returns to Northern California in the hands of the Pacific Southwest regional champions.

The U12 championship match at the International Training and Research Center started with a mix of emotions and ended in elation, as two members of Four the Love of

Boba hoisted the coveted cup for the second consecutive year, while sharing the experience with two new teammates.

Four the Love of Boba topped the Southwest representative, Vegas Incredibowls, 3-1, in the best-of-five modified-Baker match by scores of 180-149, 202-205, 181-177 and 206-161.

In the unique format, the first two bowlers in the lineup each bowl three frames per game (1-5-9 and 2-6-10,

respectively), while the other two team members bowl two frames each (3-7 and 4-8).

The winning team included a quartet of NorCal Bowling Centers Youth Bowling Association All-Stars - Nihal Mareedu, Diego Jara, Saphyre Nofuente and Ethan Ranario. On the way to the win in 2018, Diego tossed nearly a dozen strikes in the four Baker games on TV.

Nihal and Diego were part of the Cloverleaf Strikers team that won the title in the Cleveland area in 2017, and when their other two title-winning teammates (Harley Shene and Joey Irvin) aged out of the U12 division, they found talented replacements within their NorCal All-Stars community.

"Because there were two new players on the team, we needed to find a way to have them gel, and we saw it during qualifying when we had an 11-2 record," said Chris Nofuente, who took over as the team's coach. "You really can't ask for anything else. When we did lose a match, we stayed positive and tried to bounce back. Overall, it was a great team effort, and we worked really well together as a team."

He attributed the group's success to a balance of individual talent and experience and a natural chemistry on the lanes.

While Chris Nofuente did experiment strategically with the team's lineup throughout qualifying and match play, the cohesion was effortless, and being supportive was his biggest responsibility.

"We realized that the TV lights were affecting the way the lanes broke down, so that was something we were able to work into our game plan," Chris Nofuente said. "I just helped explain the process and what comes with being on TV and told them to ignore all that was going on around them. I told them to bowl like they practice - if they practice great shots, they'll make great shots on TV. If they focus on making their spares, they'll make their spares on the TV show."

Nofuente's dual role as parent and coach started earlier in the day at the ITRC as his

daughter, Saphyre, and Nihal, competed in the stepladder finals of the U12 division at the 2018 Junior Gold Championships presented by the Brands of Ebonite International.

Saphyre lost in the girls semifinal, while Nihal, the top seed on the boys side, fell in the championship match, so mentally rebounding from those losses was important before taking the lanes for the team title defense.

"After the Junior Gold loss, I got frustrated because I didn't make my spares and had a ball problem, but my parents comforted me and told me to help the team, which I did, and we won," Nihal said. "It feels really nice to know we were able to come in and win again after winning last year. It's something that's very hard to do."

The Vegas Incredibowls were coached by former Junior Team USA member and Professional Bowlers Association Tour champion Jake Peters and United States Bowling Congress Open Championships titlist Adam Ishman.

Both made sure to express to the team members that, win or lose, they wanted them to focus on having fun and enjoying the whole USA Bowling experience. Peters also was able to offer insight gained from his own experiences under the TV lights.

"I think this is fantastic for the kids," said Peters, a member of Junior Team USA in 2009 and 2010. "This environment, regardless if you're 12 years old or 50 years old, is really tough, and I think it's awesome they got to experience it at such a young age. More importantly, though, I want to thank them for letting me be their coach and be a part of it with them."

The 2018 USA Bowling National Championships included two divisions - 12-and-under and 15-and-under - each with its own TV show.

Both shows were taped July 21 in conjunction with the 2018 Junior Gold Championships and its three TV shows, for broadcast on CBS Sports Network. This year's U15 final of the USA Bowling National Championships will air Aug. 21 at 8 p.m. Eastern.

The 2018 USA Bowling National Championships started with 30 teams - 14 in the 12-and-under division and 16 in the 15-and-under division - which bowled 13 and 15 one-game Baker matches, respectively, at AMF Garland Lanes in Garland, Texas, on July 18, with their win-loss records determining the seeding for their respective double-elimination match-play brackets. Ties were broken by total pinfall.

Match play took place July 19 at nearby USA Bowl in Dallas and featured best-of-three Baker matches to see who advanced.

CBS Sports Network is televising the final of both

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At Plano Super Bowl

Hannah produces 804, Mann chalks up 679

Fisher, Rogers 300's

Mark Hannah led the high-set race last week at Plano Super Bowl by hammering out hefty 289-258-257 = 804 marks in Sportsman Trio action.

Cindy Mann, Hannah's league mate, led the ladies with a rip-roaring 215-259-205 = 679 session.

Trenton Fisher and Scott Rogers shared high-game accolades with award-winning 12-baggers.

HONOR ROLL

Matthew Cregg 269-678, Kim James 230-620, Scott Spolar (4 games) 189-715, Larissa Bridgeman (4 games) 176-612, Dennis Chery 215-586, Cathy Wachter 179-464, Scott Buchanan, Sr. 247-716.

Emily Sallee 222-620, Jim McGarvey 258-720, Diane Wallentine 212-605, Larry Hoover 267-736, Kay Pingsterhaus 190-549.

U12 TEAM TITLE

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divisions for the third consecutive year.

On the way to the TV show, Four the Love of Boba cruised into match play as the top seed, but a second-round loss quickly sent the quartet to the elimination bracket. The group rallied with five consecutive victories to return to television, sealing the deal by downing an undefeated Northeast team, 2-0 and 2-1.

Vegas Incredibowls - Christopher Faro, Sebastian Huffman, Tyler Hedges and Daryus Alo - took a shorter path to the ITRC, starting match play with three wins, before meeting a talented Southeast team in the bracket final.

The undefeated Vegas

Incredibowls would've needed to be beaten twice to be eliminated by the Southeast Pin Crushers, but after falling 2-0, Peters and Ishman rallied their team for a 2-0 victory of their own and a spot on CBS Sports Network.

All rounds of qualifying and match play leading up to the televised finals were broadcast on BowlTV.

The 30 teams competing in the Dallas area all earned their spots at the national event by winning one of the regional tournaments held across the country throughout the end of 2017 and beginning of 2018.

For more information on the USA Bowling National Championships presented by Sixlets, visit BOWL.com/Youth.



KELLY KULICK

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for the event's live finals on CBS Sports Network.

The World Youth Championships is held every two years, and the 2018 edition brought more than 200 competitors from 37 countries to the Detroit area.

World Bowling provided livestream coverage of the event, and bowling fans from around the globe were able to watch the competition live from start to finish. Coverage included all qualifying, semifinal and final rounds.

For more information on the 2018 World Youth Championships, visit 2018WYC.WorldBowling.org.

At Red Bird Lanes

Vogel handles 726, Cathey jams 650

Shannon Vogel chalked up high-flying 224-244-258 = 726 numbers in Sunday Night Mix league play to head the honor roll for the week at Red Bird Lanes.

Lauren Cathey, Vogel's league mate, led the ladies with a stately 180-191-279 = 650 set.

HONOR ROLL

Judy Dillabough 183-476, Janean Baker 204-554, Randy Dotson 257-

674, Red Richardson 235-651, Tim McGlothin (9 pin, no tap, 4 games) 296-1087, Debbie Leonard (9 pin, no tap, 4 games) 240-789.

Brian Riddle 257-652, Deanna Hoffman 189-526, Len Cline 225-627, Melvina Howard 193-562, Shannon Vogel 257-655, Whitney Riley 181-461, Jim Stout 191-566, Hy Gardner 207-524.

Robert Carrajal 234-575, Karen Amerson 140-387.

At Ennis All Star Bowl

Hopkins jams 609

Tice Hopkins rousing 199-204-206 = 609 Ennis Mixed Classic series headed the leader boards for the week at Ennis All Star Bowl.

April Hopkins led the ladies' leader board with a robust 179-184-204 = 567 Pairs & Spares set.

HONOR ROLL

April Hopkins 204-507, Tim Gilmore 225-537, Carolyn Toal 134-481, Mason Phillips 220-528, Mary Kennedy 166-411, Jim Smart 214-557, Tice Hopkins 221-538, Mary Kennedy 170-493, Bobby Kennedy 191-485, Mary Sikes 168-480.

PABCON SR CHAMP

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The 61-year-old right-hander just missed a third gold medal, falling to Team USA teammate Lucy Sandelin of Tampa, Florida, 2-1, in the best-of-three Masters final by scores of 209-201, 238-279, 222-192, but Powers said it was the most relaxed she felt all week because it was a win-win for the United States.

Powers' haul included silver medals in singles, doubles and team, while Sandelin's efforts also included a perfect game

during the opening-round of Masters match play, additional gold medals in doubles and trios, silver in team and a bronze medal in singles.

"It has been a great year for me overall, and I was very grateful and excited to be invited to be a part of this team, especially after seeing who the other three ladies were going to be," said Powers, who won the super senior portion of the 2018 National Golden Ladies Classic. "I wish my mom could've been here to see this, since she's the one who got me into bowling, and it's nice see all the hard work and practice

pay off."

The women's squad for the United States this week also featured Tish Johnson of Colorado Springs, Colorado, and Paula Vidad of Sun City, California.



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Tuesday	Penniless	September 4th	6:00pm
Wednesday	Senior League	September 5th	10:00am
Wednesday	Lousy Bowlers	September 5th	6:30pm
Thursday	Trio League	September 6th	6:30pm
Saturday	Youth League	September 8th	8:45am



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ANTHONY SIMONSEN

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ing Association competitor, winning four NEBA titles and earning induction into the NEBA Hall of Fame.

“Ernie was a right-handed lefty, a very good player,” said PBA Hall of Famer and founding member Carmen Salvino. “He blew racks.”

“You could only do that (throw a ‘backup ball’) if your arm went that way,” said PBA Hall of Famer Wayne Webb, who grew up in the area and knew Hoesterey well. “I saw him bowl all over the place; he was really good at it.”

Simonsen, like thousands of bowlers before him, began to tinker with the reverse hook as a way to get a better angle to try to convert the 2-8-10 split. He also observed a favorable ball path when he did that, so he expanded his experimentation in a couple of PBA Regional tournaments prior to Middletown, and liked what he saw. A lot of other bowlers have thrown “backup balls” here-and-there, but no one had ever tried the technique for an

At Strikz

Robinson charts 673

FRISCO – Matt Robinson was on target last week at Strikz as he dominated scoring with a superb 224-226-223 = 673 Monday Mixerz league performance.

Cathy Eberly led the ladies scoring race with a rollicking 161-214-173 = 548 Lousy Bowlerz set.

HONOR ROLL

Lisa Ulrich 205-465, Rob Hudkins 233-617, Debbie Colby 204-537, Leo Nelson 235-627, Rick Irvine 247-653, Scott Noll 234-644, Bruce Southerland

217-639, Steve Southerland 239-617.

Cindy Liquori 160-468, Sharon Lawrence 208-485, Julie Collins 164-450, Debbie Colby 181-506, Vera Brazeau 180-442, Stephanie Hapka 172-430, Scott Orofino 222-602, Rick Irvine 258-663.

Brandon Cooley 200-557, Dan Anderson 216-612, Cindy Liquori 196-503, Rick Hobbs 210-567, David Gorrebeeck 230-602, Jeanie Martilla 211-515, Jacki Myrice 200-536.

game and won a PBA title in the process.

In the XF Gene Carter’s Pro Shop Classic, Simonsen decided to try the reverse hook with two games to go in match play, and shot 245 and 268 in his final two matches to jump from fourth to first. Even though the stepladder finals were bowled on a freshly-oiled pair of lanes, Simonsen decided to stick with his left side, reverse hook delivery and it paid off as he defeated Matt Sanders of Indianapolis, 216-194, for his

fourth PBA Tour title.

It probably won’t be the last time we’ll see the reverse hook used in PBA competition.



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