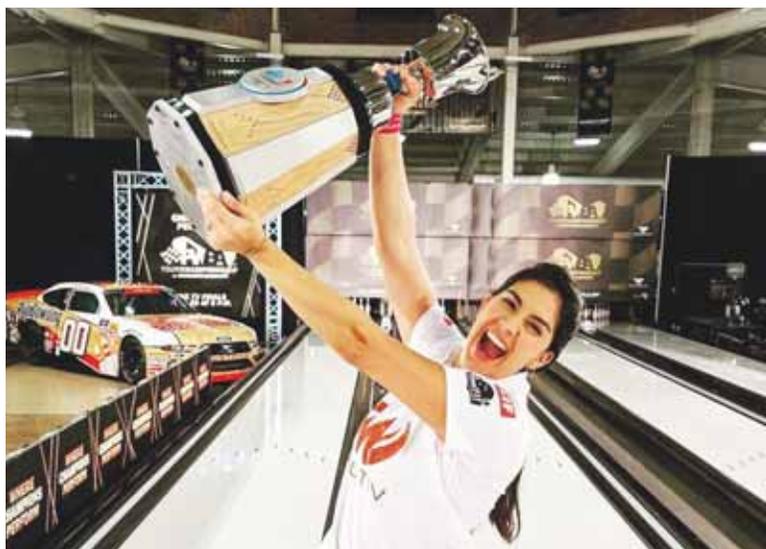




Maria Jose Rodriguez Wins 2018 PWBA Tour Championship



PWBA Champion Maria Jose Rodriguez

By: Aaron Smith
RICHMOND, Va. – Colombia's Maria Jose Rodriguez capped the 2018 Professional Women's Bowling Association Tour season Wednesday by winning her first career PWBA Tour title at the PWBA Tour Championship.

Rodriguez edged Kelly Kulick of Union, New Jersey, inside the Old Dominion Building at Richmond Raceway, 236-228, to collect a major championship and \$20,000 top prize.

The championship round was broadcast live on CBS Sports Network.

The 29-year-old right-hander
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Scroggins, Ellison Enter SW PBA Hall of Fame



Mark Scroggins and Joe Ellison

By: Tony Franklin, Publisher

On September 8th, Mark Scroggins, from Canyon, Texas, and long-time PBA Regional tournament host, Junction City Bowl proprietor Joe Ellison, from Junction City, Kan., were inducted into the PBA Southwest Region Hall of Fame.

Ellison, was inducted in the Meritorious Service category,

he has hosted PBA Southwest Regional events for 11 consecutive years, and in 2014 added PBA50 Regional events to the Southwest schedule. This year, Ellison will host his 10th PBA50 Regional event. All of his events have been joint tournaments with the PBA Midwest Region.

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Team USA Sweeps Doubles at 2018 PABCON Women's Championships



L-R: Shannon O'Keefe, Jordan Richard, Sydney Brummett, Missy Parkin, Shannon Pluhowsky and Liz Kuhlkin

By: Matt Cannizzaro
SANTO DOMINGO, Dominican Republic - The Team USA women swept the doubles event Wednesday at the 2018 Pan American Bowling Confederation Women's Championships, and the performance ended up being about more than just the gold, silver and bronze medals.

Along with the unprecedented hardware haul, the effort also earned the teammates a little redemption, a place in PABCON history and some momentum as the coveted team event quickly approaches.

Team USA rookie Jordan Richard of Tecumseh,
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Elijah Sledge Wins Lone Star Invitational Scratch Division

By: Dino Castillo
PLANO, Texas - The 5th Annual Lone Star Youth Invitational was an event I will never forget. There were so many highs and lows, but finished with some great endings.

This year we used the Kegel sport pattern Winding Road. It is a 39 foot pattern and very flat. Very tricky because there are multiple ways to attack the pattern.

The kids were no different, some played in and some played out.

Elijah Sledge, from Amarillo, TX, was one that played in. With his two-handed style, he was able to use rev rate to win this year's scratch event.



Elijah Sledge
Scratch Division Champion

"It took me 3 squads to find my shot. It took a lot out of me, but I was able to win my first ever big tournament."

Elijah, 17 year old junior in high school also plays football.
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Random Thoughts

Tony Franklin, Publisher



Tori - first week of league

the 'bowling birthday parties' but to actually ask to go and bowl...not her thing.

But over the last few months she has shown a new interest in the game, and ultimately decided that she wanted to bowl in a league and get an average.

So, we started the Saturday youth program at **Strikz** this season. The surreal part is showing up on Saturday morning and seeing the other kids that you only know through bowling, because maybe they don't go to your school.

It brought back so many fond memories for Genie and me, it was really cool and we couldn't stop smiling at each other. Growing up, I lived for Saturday mornings...I couldn't wait to get to the bowl and see what I could shoot. Would I break my high game record, could I shoot my high series, could I hook the ball more this week than I did the previous

week?

I don't know if she will continue bowling beyond this season, or if she will continue and the girls on her team will become her lifelong friends, just like it's been for me and Genie. I do know it was refreshing to be in the bowling center on a Saturday morning and watching my child bowl.

And if you're wondering, yes she is a two-hander, because if you're going to start bowling these days it's better to leave your thumb at home.

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"The Tony Franklin non-scientific DFW-area best bowler rankings" Vol 6.

Current rankings:

1. Sean Lavery-Spah
2. Anthony Lavery-Spah

Yes, I know it's time for a change, but it was a slow bowling month, and these two are still too tough to beat. I bowled against SLS in the Swiss tournament in Wichita last weekend and told myself that if I beat him in that match that I was going to at the very least bump ALS, and put myself in the #2 spot.

Well he beat me 267-233...so I will stay out of it, and leave these two right where they are. With that being said, there are several tournaments coming up over the next several weeks, so maybe we will see some new names at the top.

SCROGGINS HOF

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Scroggins, 54, who lives in Canyon, Texas, was inducted in the Performance category. He has won 12 PBA Regional open events and added his first PBA50 regional win in 2016 in Junction City, Kan. The 1993 PBA Tour Rookie of the Year and the 2001 PBA Southwest Region Player of the Year, has 19 300 games in PBA competition and has more than \$314,000 in career earnings with approximately \$200,000 coming in regional events. Scroggins will join his twin brother, PBA Tour Hall of Famer Mike Scroggins, in the Region's Hall of Fame.

"When Pete McCordic called me, my first questions was, are you sure? It was great news, but I was not expecting it at all," said Scroggins on being told about the HoF.

In addition to being one of the best bowlers ever to come

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It must be wedding season as there were two weddings on Saturday for some of the great area bowlers. **Jim Carter and Debbie Oulicky** tied the knot in Dallas on Saturday afternoon, and **Geoffrey Young and Heather Smith** did the same Saturday evening in Ft. Worth.

Congratulations to both new families and wishing you a lifetime of laughs and strikes.

9-9-9-9-9

Sunday brought the end of the Texas Rangers baseball season...good riddance. This was one of the worst baseball seasons I've had to endure in a very, very long time.

But as is the case with the end of every season, it is time to review the predictions we made.

The Rangers finished with a 67-95 record, and had a home attendance of 2.51 million for the year.

For the most part, everybody that I asked thought they would be bad this year, except **CJ** of course, who predicted a 92-70 season with a Wild Card berth before losing to the Yankees.

I had them for 74 wins, **Kathleen LeCroy** had 84, **Del**

had "maybe 70", **GMA** said 77, **Frisco Doug** had 81, **Genie** said 70, and **Dacestranamous** had 69.

So our favorite prognosticator was the closest as usual. He also said that Cole Hamels would make a good playoff run, which he did for the Cubs. Beltre would get traded to the Astros...didn't happen (thank goodness), and the Rangers attendance would be an all-time low.

Actually, the attendance was lower in 2015 with 2.49 million, and 2008 was the lowest in recent history with 1.97 million.

I do know that this team is going to have a PR problem next year if Adrian Beltre does retire, and the GM decides to go with the "retread" approach again in 2019. You have to try and put good talent on the field, and you can't convince me that the front office tried very hard this year. They hit their payroll numbers and let the team flounder on the field. It was tough to watch, and because of that, I didn't watch very often.

So on to 2019 we go, let's hope something changes with the makeup of this team.

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Colombia Repeats in Team Event at 2018 PABCON Women's Championships

SANTO DOMINGO, Dominican Republic - Entering the 2018 Pan American Bowling Confederation Women's Championships, Colombia's Rocio Restrepo felt like she hadn't pulled her weight in recent international events and owed her team a much better performance.

The 30-year-old right-hander delivered in a big way Friday at Sebelen Bowling Center when she tossed a final-frame strike to lock up a second consecutive team gold medal for Colombia in PABCON Championships competition.

Anything less than eight on her first offering would've handed the gold medal to Team USA, which had just erased 104-pin deficit and put all the pressure on the Colombians to deliver in the 10th frame.

Restrepo added a second strike and got nine on her fill ball to give Colombia a 6,447 total, just 21 pins ahead of Team USA (6,426). Puerto Rico also had a strong final game and leapfrogged Canada to claim the bronze medal with a 6,118 total.

"I didn't bowl as good in recent events as I should have, so I figured this was the time to redeem myself," Restrepo said. "They took care of me in so many situations in the last year, that this was my time. I definitely was nervous in that moment, but I've been in that position a lot this year on the PWBA (Professional Women's Bowling Association) Tour, and this wasn't any different. I was just focusing on making a good shot."

Left-hander Anggie Ramirez Perea, the singles silver medalist this week, led the effort for Colombia in the team event with a 1,381 six-game total. She was followed by Maria Jose Rodriguez (1,355), Restrepo (1,339), Clara Guerrero (1,209) and Laura Plazas (1,163).

Though Team USA got out to a better start Friday, Colombia took the lead after the second game and led by more than 140 pins after Game 4.

The late rally by the United States was reminiscent of the 2016 PABCON Adult Championships, where Colombia again needed some final-frame hero-



Anggie Ramirez Perea, Maria Jose Rodriguez, Clara Guerrero, Laura Plazas, Juliana Franco and Rocio Restrepo

ics after letting a 135-pin lead disappear in just nine frames.

The 11-pin victory on their home turf in Cali, Colombia, in 2016 gave the Colombian women their first team gold medal in PABCON competition, and this year's win served as validation.

"This really was reassurance for us from last time when we won it at home," Restrepo said. "When we were at home, people saw us as the favorite, but this is validation

for us because we were able to come through again. It's very special and feels amazing."

Overall, the Team USA women have won the PABCON team event 15 of the 19 times a five-player event was offered for the women, falling short in 1964, 1985, 2016 and 2018.

While Friday's team loss was disappointing, it did not overshadow the incredible success Team USA had overall, including becoming the first

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Michelle Teel, Cowtown Bowling Palace	727
Kiyoko McDonald, Forum	714
Carrie Cox, Heritage Lanes	692
Cindy Mann, Plano Super Bowl	683
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Michigan, used the things she learned during a frustrating singles event to rally back with the highest individual set of the day at Sebelen Bowling Center, and she teamed with longtime Team USA member Shannon O'Keefe of Shiloh, Illinois, to take the gold medal with a 2,780 total.

Richard posted a 1,401 six-game total in the win, while O'Keefe added 1,379. The two

finished the block with games of 492, 502 and 499 to set the bar during the first of the day's two squads.

A few lanes away, Sydney Brummett of Fort Wayne, Indiana, and Missy Parkin of Laguna Hills, California, rolled matching 1,364 sets to settle into second place with 2,728.

Liz Kuhlkin of Schenectady, New York, and singles bronze medalist Shannon Pluhowsky of Dayton, Ohio, used a 534 fourth-game effort on the afternoon squad to catapult

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2018 Fall Leagues



Day	League Name	Start Date	Start Time
Monday	Monday Mixers	Sept. 10th	6:30pm
Tuesday	Morning Glories	August 21st	10:30am
Tuesday	Penniless	September 4th	6:00pm
Wednesday	Senior League	September 5th	10:00am
Wednesday	Lousy Bowlers	September 5th	6:30pm
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Saturday	Youth League	September 8th	8:45am



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COLOMBIA REPEATS

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women's team in history to win all three doubles medals, followed by a claiming the gold and silver medals in trios.

"I'm extremely proud of how the girls performed, especially with being down more than 140 pins with two games to go," Team USA head coach Rod Ross said. "They were courageous and fought hard and worked for every pin they could to make it close. Yes, there was some disappointment, but it's also a learning experience and something we'll use to get better. Both teams were sharp coming in because of their time on the PWBA Tour, and it really was two heavyweights going to battle, right down to the last frame."

Missy Parkin of Laguna Hills, California, led the way for Team USA in the team event Friday with a 1,351 total and was joined by Jordan Richard of Tecumseh, Michigan (1,339), Shannon Pluhowsky of Dayton, Ohio (1,275), Shannon O'Keefe of Shiloh, Illinois (1,264), Liz Kuhlkin of Schenectady, New York (643), and Sydney Brum-

met of Fort Wayne, Indiana (554).

The field this week featured 51 competitors representing nine countries - Bahamas, Brazil, Canada, Colombia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Guatemala, Puerto Rico and the United States.

Along with the team title on the line, the all-events medalists also were determined Friday based on the week's 24 games - six games in singles, doubles, trios and team.

This week's singles champion, Stephanie Martins of Brazil, was able to ride the momentum of that record-setting performance and hold on for the all-events gold medal with a 5,453 total, a 227.21 average.

Colombia's Ramirez Perea settled for the silver medal with 5,440, and Pluhowsky, also a left-hander, held on for the bronze with 5,428.

The top 16 players in the all-events standings will advance to Saturday's Masters match play, which will get underway at 10 a.m. Eastern. All six Team USA women finished above the cutline.

Parkin was fourth in the all-events standings with 5,375,

Kuhlkin was seventh (5,255), Richard was eighth (5,193), O'Keefe was ninth (5,172) and Brummett finished 11th with 5,105. Canada's Mykaela Mitchell finished in the 16th position after 24 games with a 4,971 total, a 207.13. average.

"We fought as a team and did all we could today, and, overall, it was a great week," said Pluhowsky, who is the defending champion in the PABCON Masters event. "I think coming straight from the Tour really helped. We're all physically sharp and mentally making moves and seeing the lanes better. We did something we've never done in doubles, we finished first and second in trios and we all made the Masters. Besides the team win, there's not much more we could've asked for."

For more information, or to follow the scores from the PABCON Women's Championships, visit PABCON.org.

TEAM USA DOUBLES

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themselves to the bronze medal with 2,684. Kuhlkin had 1,359, and Pluhowsky added 1,325.

The doubles medal ceremony will take place Friday, along with the medal presentations for singles and trios.

"I feel so much better than yesterday, and I'm back to just being comfortable and knowing that the one day won't define me," said Richard, who improved by 256 pins from singles to doubles. "I was able to learn from it. We gathered a lot of good information yesterday and put it to use today, and I'm excited with how we bowled, especially heading into the rest of the week."

The medal is Richard's first in adult international competition, to go along with a pair of medals (silver and bronze) at the 2016 World Bowling Youth Championships as a member of Junior Team USA.

The main difference for Richard from singles to doubles was equipment selection.

The 36-foot World Bowling Stockholm oil pattern being used this week, along with a high-friction lane surface, initially suggested that urethane balls might be the best option. After struggling to find a consistent reaction Tuesday, Richard switched to a more

2018 PABCON WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIPS
At Sebelen Bowling Center
Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic

Friday's results

TEAM (Six games)

GOLD - Colombia (Juliana

Franco, Clara Guerrero, Laura Plazas, Anggie Ramirez Perea, Rocio Restrepo, Maria Jose Rodriguez), 6,447

SILVER - United States (Sydney Brummett, Liz Kuhlkin, Shannon O'Keefe, Missy

Parkin, Shannon Pluhowsky, Jordan Richard), 6,426

BRONZE - Puerto Rico (Estefania Cobo, Taishaye Naranjo, Pamela Perez, Sarah Sanes, Paulina Torres), 6,118

ALL-EVENTS

(24 games)

GOLD - Stephanie Martins, Brazil, 5,453

SILVER - Anggie Ramirez Perea, Colombia, 5,440

BRONZE - Shannon Pluhowsky, United States, 5,428

At Strikz**Donnelly tackles 730,
Tenczar crafts 682**

FRISCO - Mark Donnelly led the scoring for the week at Strikz with a hefty 247-230-253 = 730 Penniless league series.

Loren Tenczar paced the ladies with a solid 200-246-236 = 682 set.

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Benita Campbell 248-423, Eileen Dinneen 155-437, Deb Tornblom 185-448, Barbara Schmidt 174-425, Phyllis Earnheart 176-426, David Cohen 188-524, Richard Stein 189-557, Sherry Robertson 197-498.

Vicki Flood 182-467, Skip Jenkins 192-520, Steve Lamonte 197-541, Gary Allen 202-586, Sue Ellis 158-465, Daryl Ellis 244-604, Trish Raney 180-462, Cindy Liquori 255-543, Rob Hudkins 217-608.

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aggressive ball and finished singles with a 246 game. That ball selection and momentum carried into doubles.

The group's success at Sebelen Bowling Center marked the first time in tournament history a women's team had won all three doubles medals. The Team USA men are the only other bowlers to accomplish the feat, doing so in 1974.

"The ladies bowled phenomenal today," Team USA head coach Rod Ross said. "They stayed in the moment the whole way and trusted their shots and execution. The lanes can play a little tricky from pair to pair, but they were able to make the quick adjustments and really use the things we learned yesterday to their advantage."

Along with the personal turnaround Richard experienced on the lanes, this year's medal sweep was extra special for the Team USA women, who did not medal in doubles at the 2016 PABCON Adult Championships in Cali, Colombia.

Parkin was on that trip and won singles for one of Team USA's three gold medals, but the doubles event only yielded finishes of fourth, a tie for fifth

and 18th.

"After not medaling in 2016, it definitely is gratifying to not only medal, but to medal gold, silver and bronze this year," said Parkin, who finished fourth in singles Tuesday. "It's an amazing redemption."

This year, it was defending champions Rocio Restrepo and Clara Guerrero of Colombia on the outside looking in, as the pair settled for a fourth-place finish Wednesday with a 2,598 total, 86 pins shy of the medal stand. Restrepo led the effort with a 1,319 set, and Guerrero contributed 1,279.

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SILVER - Sydney Brummett/
Missy Parkin, United States, 2,728

BRONZE - Liz Kuhlkin/
Shannon Pluhowsky, United States, 2,684



At Forum Bowl

Taylor sweeps 300/807, McDonald racks up 714

Elam, Jr., George, Seabrooks 300's

Terry Taylor outscored the competition last week at Forum Bowl with a dual, award-winning 279-228-300 = 807 Fast Lane Trio outing.

Kiyoko McDonald, Taylor's league mate, led the ladies with a chart-topping 265-234-215 = 714 set.

Frank Elam, Jr., Jeff George and Victor Seabrooks shared high-game honors with Taylor with award-winning 12-baggers.

HONOR ROLL

Sheila Burger 214-628, James Logan (9 pin) 300-800, Judith Guillory (9 pin) 300-747, Stephen Gray 280-704, Ally Stanton 234-644, Eddie Murillo 231-683, Tish Patterson 243-635.

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697, Frank Elam, Jr. 689, Dana Short 207-594.

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Jeff Davis 264-680, Kim Jackson 206-613, Jermaine Sharper 242-648, Angeline Marks 156-425, Ethan Leary 250-628, Barbara Craig 210-507.

SENIORS

Ken Martin 263-724, Karen Hoyle 212-585, Archie Garland (9 pin) 257-728, Mary Edgett (9 pin) 265-655.

MARIA JOSE RODRIGUEZ

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gained the early advantage against Kulick, posting six strikes in her first eight frames, but back-to-back 10 pins in the ninth and 10th frames gave Kulick, who was working on four consecutive strikes, the chance to win her seventh major title.

Needing a strike on her first delivery for a chance to win, Kulick left a 10 pin of her own to record her second consecutive runner-up at the Tour Championship.

"I could only control what I could control," Rodriguez said. "I made great shots and was happy with how I threw it. When Kelly left the 10 pin, I couldn't believe it. I started to shake so bad, and I still can't believe it. I've worked so hard and fought so hard, and I'm so happy this happened."

Rodriguez used different bowling balls on each lane during her semifinal and championship matches, relying on the information she gained on that pair of lanes in bracket play.

"I bowled on that pair twice in match play, and I'm now thankful each match went to five games," Rodriguez said. "I got to see the transition and how those lanes ended up playing totally different. I just learned by watching and trying different things in match play, and I knew I couldn't use the same ball on both lanes."

Rodriguez burst onto the scene in 2014, winning the United States Bowling Congress Queens in Reno, Nevada. That title match also was against Kulick and ended in similar fashion. Needing a double to win, Kulick left a 10 pin to give Rodriguez the 190-189 victory.

In Wednesday's opening match, Rodriguez rolled eight strikes to hold off a charging Danielle McEwan of Stony Point, New York, 237-224.

Rodriguez struck on five of her first six shots to build an early lead on McEwan, who

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4-5-10	4-5-10	4-5-10	4-5-10	4-5-8	4-5-10
2-3	2-3	2-3	2-3	2-3	2-3
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All single color pin(s) spares pay \$1
Splits **MUST** have a color pin to pay

Big Money Pot
\$1.00 per ticket
YOU buy em YOU shoot em!
We will start with 5 shots at \$200
Draw your pair, strike twice take 25% or move on to the next pair, strike twice take 50%, or move on to the next pair, strike twice win \$200

Weekly Promo's
Watch the Forum Bowl's Color Pin Facebook Page for the weekly Promo! If you participate you will get a ticket for a chance at a free entry!

Crazy 8's
After sweeper - \$5 Entry
You have to get 8 or better across 8 lanes.
You can re-entry up to 3 times!

Strike Pot Tickets
Tickets will be on sale prior to start of Sweeper, and are \$1 per ticket
We will draw a minimum of 10 tickets per game at \$20, we will keep drawing until we have 10 winners
30 Guaranteed Winners = \$600 Guaranteed Payout

Monthly Prizes
Watch the Forum Bowl's Color Pin Facebook Page! We will have monthly games, incentives and prizes!

Brackets
\$5 Brackets
Ladies, Handicap, Scratch, Seniors, 185 & Under
\$6 Doubles
\$10 High Pot

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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
6:30 PM	Sunday Mixers	4 - Mixed	Ends before Christmas (Re-forms in January)	\$20	Sept. 9th	9/9 at 5:30pm

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Youth Honor Roll

Boys

Brandon Bennight, Killeen Bowlerama.....	735
Michael Gredler, Hallmark Lanes.....	700
Aidan Rickelman, Cowtown Bowling Palace.....	682
Jordan Drouillard, Mel's Lone Star Lanes.....	644
Brian Miller, Plano Super Bowl.....	622
Jeremiah Roussell, JB's Allen Bowl.....	600
David Carter, Forum Bowl.....	590
Tomas Huerta, Tenpins & More.....	576
Zachary Smullen, Strikz.....	568
Nicholas Sosebee, Red Bird Lanes.....	458
Ashten Roop, Ennis All Star Bowl.....	443
Brandon Rogers, Big Spring Bowl-A-Rama.....	407

Girls

Deanna Hopkins, Hallmark Lanes.....	667
Ashanti Fernandes, Killeen Bowlerama.....	665
Jaelle Hamman, Mel's Lone Star Lanes.....	649
Grace Blair, Plano Super Bowl.....	633
Savannah Burgin, Cowtown Bowling Palace.....	593
Carlen Gattenby, JB's Allen Bowl.....	577
Morgan Hopkins, Ennis All Star Bowl.....	568
Cheyenne Hancock, Red Bird Lanes.....	448
Deana Simmons, Strikz.....	444
Charisse Graham, Forum Bowl.....	442
Jamie Meuth, Tenpins & More.....	427

Aidan Rickelman led the Fort Worth-area USBC youth bowling last week with a rip-roaring 211-217-254 = 682 Strikers series at Cowtown Bowling Palace.

Savannah Burgin, Rickelman's league mate, paced the girls with a solid 205-189-199 = 593.

At Cowtown Bowling Palace – Nathan Press 235, Alyssa Ballard 222,

Hayden Norman 220, Owen Griffin 163-434, Brooke Brimberry 104-225, John Michael Mercad 138, Maddie James 82, Jackson Sirois 137, Gavin Williams 80, Maelin Pearson 76, Troy Gaudette III 84, Gaacilyn Whitehead 93, Declan Clark 89-169, Haven Russell 74.

At Forum Bowl – Mason Boles 82-160, Vanessa Dunn-Ford 92-159, Matthew Pauli 88-157, Aurora Black 73-139, Caden Coy 102-253, Bryanna

Southwest-Area USBC Youth Scores

Brandon Bennight topped the Southwest-area USBC youth bowling last month with a booming 267/735 Adult/Youth series at Killeen Bowlerama.

Deanna Hopkins paced the girls with a power-packed 245/667 Stars of Tomorrow series at Hallmark Lanes.

At Big Spring Bowl-A-Rama, Big Spring, TX – Brandon Rogers 145-407, Jasiah Flores 127-316.

At Hallmark Lanes, Killeen, TX – Hunter Wood 267-654, Jessica Bearden 148-355, Hunter Wood 246-670, Wendy Dillon 143-381, DJ Shea 122-315, Kayla Beckett 195-493, Devyne Williams 234, Hunter Wood 643, Hunter Wood 226-608, Wendy Dillon 139-399, Hunter Wood 214-571, Jessica Bearden 169-467, Ke Pearson 123, Owen Bennion 316, Kayla Beckett 199-505, Devyne Williams 244, Michael Gredler 700, Ashanti Fernandes 225-626.

At Killeen Bowlerama, Killeen, TX – Robert Davie Jr 235-607, Britney Bennight 201-566, DJ Shea 152-341, Jay Davie 121-266, Ashanti Fernandes 257-665, Cyrene Delossantos 162-461.

At Mel's Lone Star Lanes, Georgetown – Joshua Walker 202-546, Jaelle Hamman 238-649, Lochlaen Neurohr (4 games) 288-869, Jaelle Hamman (4 games) 214-773, Matt Baltodano 161-442, Fayth Novosad 159-393, Jordan Drouillard 247-644, Amanda Drouillard 220-573, Matthew Brownstein 103-200, Carly Mika 113-206.

At Tenpins & More, Rio Rancho, NM – Tyler Doucett 224-533, Ayden Lopez 176-476, Jamie Meuth 157-427, Tomas Huerta 245-576, Ashley Abbott 153-383.

Dallas USBC Youth Scores

Grace Blair dominated the Dallas-area USBC youth bowling last week with a hard-hitting 210-223-200 = 633 Saturday Gold Sport series at Plano Super Bowl.

Brian Miller, also from Plano Super Bowl, led the guys with a strong 160-232-230 = 622 Showstoppers set.

At Ennis All Star Bowl – Ashten Roop 196-443, Morgan Hopkins 206-568.

At JB's Allen Bowl – R J Grantham 241-597, Hailey Spencer 175-492, Cameron Spader 211-551, Kendyl Goodger 153-522, Adrian Allen 108-281, Tanisha Vega 27-76, Bryan Coggins 106-306, Olivia Desiderio 120-291, David Winchester 138-354, Heather Hubbard 95-233, Caleb Hubbard 118-332, Lauren Hubbard 83-191, Jeremiah Roussell 230-600, Pamela Hodson 188-528, Connor Donohue 212-563, Amanda Ingman 148-398, Ian Thom 131-370, Carlen Gattenby 204-577, Isaac Gattenby 157-400, Rae McGraw 190-480.

At Plano Super Bowl – Cooper Findling 156-343, Olive Sterling 95-235, Drake Novara 236-334, Malorie Samples 148-420, James Johnson 177-497, Mya Murray 148-402, Aubry Ayers 210-517, Allen Funderburk 229-500, Landon Jones 231-610, Grace Blair 187-547, Robbie Baum 189-460, Cameron Wing 183-482, Carlen Gattenby 165-463, Grayson Pool 189-530, Brady McDonough 180-492, Daniel Underwood 194-552, Zachary Howarth

163-452, Athena Walker 143-420, Riley Moore (2 games) 85-160, KD King (2 games) 83-135.

At Red Bird Lanes – Nicholas Sosebee 164-458, Cheyenne Hancock 189-448.

At Strikz – Zachary Smullen 203-568, Bryce Herrington 187-512, Roman Reece 180-481, Jacob Argo 179-478, Carson McMillin 192-464, Logan Solis 175-459, Jake Hernandez 218-455, Amari Lewis 151-447, Tyler Keeton 151-420, Brandon Moon 164-400, Joey Skiba 174-405, Ryan Bartek 134-362, James Cox 136-379, Enrique Arredondo 139-380, Josh Howard 135-353, Deana Simmons 159-444, Haylee Reece 148-411, Alexia Moon 141-400, Fiona Lawrence 136-364, Tori Franklin 127-354, Jayme Brooks 117-303, Ireland Spofford 122-320, Callie Colgrove 99-268, Madison Damer 111-283.

YOUTH TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Barnes Thanksgiving Classic
Nov. 23-25

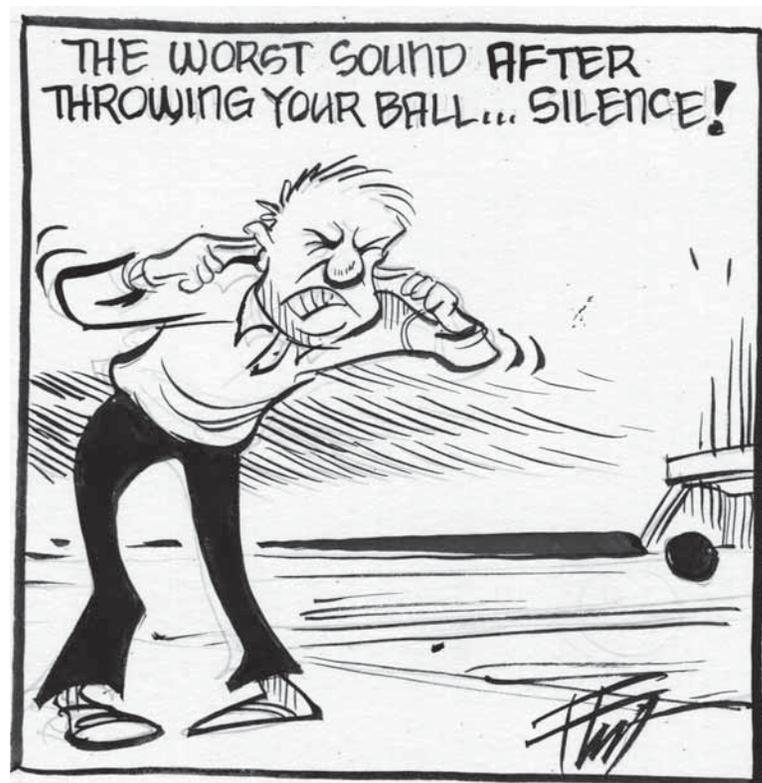
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iStrike Youth Open
Dec. - TBD

Oak Hills Lanes, San Antonio, TX
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March 30-31, 2019
Forum Bowl, Grand Prairie, TX

Lane Laughter



Fort Worth USBC Youth Results

Rogers 152-335, Zahary McBurney 85-233, Zoe Mills 111-238, Tyler Brooks 192-546, Charisse Graham 183-442, Cal LeCroy 213-498, Tori Brooks 148-415, David Carter 218-590, Anyssa Boles 181-437, Riley Taylor 194-579, Feliciti Campbell 160-410, Elijah Davila (6 games) 196-1033, Chloe Ortega (6 games) 160-797.

SMART Adds Four Board Members, Names New Chairperson

By: Terry Bigham

ARLINGTON, Texas – The Scholarship Management and Account Reporting for Tenpins (SMART) has expanded its board of directors with the selection of four new members and also selected a new chairperson.

The four new members of the SMART Corporation Board of Directors are Darlene Baker of Mahomet, Illinois, Tom Bluth of Davie, Florida, Andrew Cain of Phoenix, and Joe Schumacker of Davie, Florida.

Current board member Steve Moehrle has taken on the role of chairperson. Wally Hall, who has served as chair since 2010, will remain on the board along with John Walker, the president and CEO of the Greater Richmond ARC and former CEO of Qubica AMF Worldwide.

“On behalf of the providers and recipients in the SMART program, I welcome our new board members and I appreciate the opportunity to serve as chair,” Moehrle said. “I also

want to thank Mr. Hall for his continued service. With the excellent SMART team and the addition to the board of these high-quality professionals, I am confident SMART will have great leadership for many years to come.”

In 2018, the SMART Board has delivered more than \$4 million to provider accounts from income earnings distributions and expired accounts. SMART has approximately 3,500 providers, and nearly 200,000 scholarship recipients have their scholarships in the SMART program.

Moehrle, a Certified Public Accountant who received a Ph.D. in business from Indiana University in 1998, currently is a Professor and the Chairman of the Accounting Department at the University of Missouri-St. Louis. He served as the Vice-President - Finance for the American Accounting Association from 2014-2017.

He was named to the SMART board when it became a financially and legally inde-

pendent entity in 2010. Moehrle also served on the United States Bowling Congress Board of Directors from 2008-2010.

Baker, the CFO at the Piatt County Mental Health Center in Monticello, Illinois, served on the USBC board during its first nine years and was the first female president of USBC during the 2010-2011 season. She served as chair of the Bowlers to Veterans Link (BVL) board from 2007-2014 and currently serves as a BVL Ambassador. She previously served as a director on the Women's International Bowling Congress, Young American Bowling Alliance and USA Bowling boards.

Cain was an athlete representative on the USBC Board for nine years, serving as president from January 2012 through the 2014-2015 season. He also served on the Legal and Legislative, National Policy, Nominating, Finance, and Strategic Planning committees during his time on the board. He currently serves as chair of the USBC Equipment Specifications committee and is the owner/operator of a distributing company.

Bluth currently serves as chair of the USBC Finance committee. A board member from 2008-2016, he is president of SFO Management, LLC, where he oversees investments and planning for a single-family office. He earned his bachelor's in business administration at Washington University in St. Louis and earned advanced degrees in law (J.D. and LL.M.) in 1982 and 1987.

Schumacker, the BPAA president from 2006-2008 and chair of the Strike Ten Entertainment board from 2005-2012, is the owner of SpareZ bowling center in Davie, Florida, and is president and CEO of WinJeff Enterprise, which provides entrepreneurs with effective coaching. He earned his master's in business administration (MBA) at the College of William and Mary in 1982. He currently serves on the board of Junior Achievement of South Florida, is the Youth Services Chair for Rotary District 6990 and president of the Rotary Club of Coconut Creek.

At Cowtown Bowling Palace

Stilen rounds up 770, Teel hammers 727

Soule 299

George Stilen rounded up the top scores of the week at Cowtown Bowling Palace after pocketing prime 246-247-277 = 770 numbers in Wednesday Winners action.

Michelle Teel, Stilen's league mate, held the hot hand for the ladies with a powerful 221-258-248 = 727 set.

Sandy Soule took high-game accolades with a near-perfect 299 solo.

HONOR ROLL

Ray Ballaro 254, Brian Thornburg 247, Sandy Groh 236-603, Josh Karpinski 246, Miki Jo Parish 229, Sean Lavery-Spahr 278, Mike Mostcato 268, Catie Jensen 258-685, Anthony Lavery-Spahr 267-752.

Cathy Nelson 223, Tyson Branagan 267, Ronnie Copeland 247, Kristy Howerly 241-547, Adam Loviscek 244-669, Trent Brown 241, Ron Nason 279, Michael Williams 268, Kevin Moore 290-726.

Shelby Songbird 210, Alex Cavnano 290-764, Cathy Nelson 209, Vernon Smith 279-741, EJ Nenichka 259-734, James Davis 257-688, Sarah Whitehead 212, Matt Brown 248, Amy Adams 204-567.

David Dunn 246, James Bumker 246, Dusty Gallant 240, Kevin Smith 232, Halley Grace 191-528, Kevin Moore 228-629, Jeffrey Schroeder 257, Erin Hayden 167-454, Don Ellis 245, Dan Chisum 229-668, Michael Pesqueda 247, Amanda Gann 180-502, Larry Cox 236-602, Chris Stewart 220.

SENIORS

Ken Knowles 247, Diane Fleck 200, David Henders 246-667, Randy Biel 223, Ramiro Botello, Sr. 223-442, Willie Odom 167-426, Reva Springfield 171, Ken Eilert 246, Karen Holder 192-561, Ken Knowles 245, John Stewart 236-681, Tom Crawford 290-726, Dan Shields 269-710, Rudy Garcia, Jr. 258-721.

LOOKING BACK

10 YEARS AGO

Tam Wasson led the honor roll with 300/846 at Plano...Brad Sampson had 299/790 at AMF Showplace-Eules...Mike Hoots had 772 at Forum...Linda Marascola led the ladies with 758 at AMF Richardson...Nita Stein shot 734 at Brunswick Westcreek...David Zappitelli had a 300 game at PSB...Raude Woods was perfect at AMF Spare Time.

20 YEARS AGO

John Handegard wins Senior PBA title at the Villages Senior ToC...Ruth Peterson voted into Texas Womens HoF...Ron Luper led the honor roll with 804 at DC SW...Daniel Adams shot 797 at AMF-Jupiter...Jim Ensminger with 787 at AMF-Hurst...Traci Wilson led the ladies with 300/783 at DC West...Sheri Campbell had 732 at DC SW...Charles Avant win SASBA Annual Championship in New Braunfels, and \$1600.

30 YEARS AGO

Marvin Davis takes NTTB title at DC West...Buddy Kelch led the honor roll with 300/834 at Wedgwood...Tam Wasson had 800 at Plano Super Bowl...Bill Miller shot 780 at Richland...Carol McGinley led the ladies with 695 at Forum...Debbie Walters shot 672 at DC SW...Tracey Pope was perfect at Jupiter...Pepe Perico wins CASH at Triangle...Shawn Christensen wins SW PBA Regional in Broomfield, CO.

FALL 2018 LEAGUE SCHEDULE

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 Twilighters	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 LIVES 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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At Plano Super Bowl

Sampson rolls 788, Mann snares 683

Carroll, Kepner add 300's

Carl Sampson posted a power-laden 229-279-280 = 788 Monday Classic Trio series to take top billing on the honor roll for the week at Plano Super Bowl Lanes.

Cindy Mann lit up the ladies' race with a sparkling 245-220-218 = 683 Sportsman set.

Michael Carroll and Phil Kepner shared high-game honors as each recorded award-winning 12-baggers.

HONOR ROLL

Jason Thomas 251-672, Bunthoeun Nhep 213-553, Emilio Natividad, Jr. 256-725, Caroll Rodriguez 184-515, Matthew Cregg 266-665, Betsy Hoover 219-589, Robert Eidenier (4 games) 247-884.

Tammy Lopez (4 games) 198-697, Bob Willingham 214-583, Shirley Patterson 177-451, Sean Clark 266-643, Shelley Rosenfeld 221-549, Bill Ferguson 268-720, Brandy Plaxco 234-637.

Tina Taylor 267-643, Michael Dotts 249-708, Danielle Aguilar 160-436, Ray

Montoro 256-693, Peggy Dodson 191-544, Jerry Wong 210-569, Anita Noxen 214-522, Steve Fuhrman 269-763.

David Rhoades 219-615, Kay Pingsterhaus 204-526, Tammy Crawford 201-575, Blaine Atkins 277-750, Mike Mayer 266-746, Art Victorine 194-566, Ann Goad 149-420, Doug Swenson 158-735.

Sherry Reynolds 215-573, Cory Taylor 248-640, Nancy Cooper 191-534, Stacy Starry 245-678, John Eft 239-615, Emily Ryan 165-488, George Vaughn 257-729, Marilyn Frantz 201-524.

Anthony Lavery-Spahr 290-739, Jessica Ford 238-640, Jeff O'Dell 279-735, Dawn Klapper 215-567, Jeremy Bostock 259-734, Cindy McBride 233-611, Billy Rogers (4 games) 268-1011.

Alex Schmieg (4 games) 223-835, Scott Crawford 290-782, Tim Crites 276-780, W L Hargrove 278-732, Pattie Ellington 231-647, Joseph Guido 244-686, Jennal Lynn Scholl 209-600.

Marshall Miller 267-688, Jamie Price 211-555, Rex Cruz 267-753, Cindy Mann 212-611.

MARIA JOSE RODRIGUEZ

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opened in the fourth frame. McEwan responded with five consecutive strikes to put herself in position to advance with a double in the 10th frame, but she was unable to get the 10 pin out on her first delivery.

Kulick cruised in match play at the Old Dominion Building, getting more comfortable as she continued to move closer to the CBS Sports Network final, which included finishing with a 770 total in her final three games to close out Liz Kuhlkin of Schenectady, New York.

The 41-year-old right-hander was frustrated as she tried to get her fit to cooperate in both of her matches Wednesday, but she took solace in knowing she executed the way she wanted to in her final frame.

"I didn't have the feel I had all week long, and that's what I was searching for," Kulick said. "Once I found it against Maria, I executed the way I wanted. When I needed to make a good shot in the 10th frame, I did, so I'm walking away knowing I threw the best shot I possibly could. It ended up being a weak 10, but it was a pocket delivery that was well executed. I walk away knowing I left nothing on the table. Am I disappointed? Absolutely. But if I keep knocking on the door, it's going to push itself open."

Kulick's semifinal win was a rematch of last year's title tilt against defending champion and 2018 PWBA Player of the Year Shannon O'Keefe of Shiloh, Illinois.

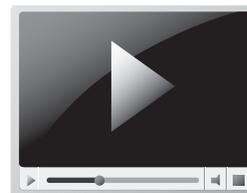
O'Keefe started quickly in her return trip to the Old Dominion Building, rolling four consecutive strikes, but Kulick matched the effort starting in the sixth frame to bring the match within two pins.

O'Keefe, a two-time winner in 2018, put the match in Kulick's hands in the ninth frame with a 3-4-6-7-10 split she was unable to convert. Kulick closed out the game to win, 243-210.

The 16-player field at the Tour Championship included all of this year's eligible PWBA Tour champions, and the final spots in the bracket were filled in using the 2018 PWBA Tour points list.

Players were seeded into the bracket based on their ranking on the points list, and

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Friday October 26 – Tuesday October 30

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Tuesday November 6 10:30 AM
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Tuesday November 6 4:00 PM
QubicAMF World Cup Women's Qualifying Round 2
Wednesday November 7 10:30 AM
QubicAMF World Cup Men's Qualifying Round 2
Wednesday November 7 3:30 PM
QubicAMF World Cup Men's Qualifying Round 3
Thursday November 8 10:30 AM
QubicAMF World Cup Women's Qualifying Round 3
Thursday November 8 4:00 PM
QubicAMF World Cup Men's and Women's Top 24
Friday November 9 10:30 AM
QubicAMF World Cup Men's and Women's Round Robin Match Play
Friday November 9 11:00 AM
QubicAMF World Cup Men's and Women's Semifinals and Finals
Saturday November 10 3:30 PM

each bracket match featured a best-of-five format leading up to Wednesday's semifinals. The Tour Championship is a single-elimination event.

Four lanes were specially installed for the 2018 event inside the Old Dominion Building by QubicaAMF, the official supplier of bowling equipment for the 2018 PWBA Tour Championship.

All rounds leading up to the championship round were broadcast live on BOWL.com's BowlTV.

Go to PWBA.com for more information about the PWBA Tour.

About the PWBA
The Professional Women's Bowling Association (PWBA) originally was formed in 1960. The PWBA Tour has events throughout the country, offering high-level competition and top prize money for women bowlers. The PWBA is supported by the Bowling Proprietors'

Association of America (BPAA) and the United States Bowling Congress (USBC).

2018 PWBA TOUR CHAMPIONSHIP

At Old Dominion Building, Richmond Raceway Richmond, Va.

Wednesday's results SEMIFINALS
(Losers eliminated, earn \$6,000)

Maria Jose Rodriguez, Colombia, def. Danielle McEwan, Stony Point, N.Y., 237-224.

Kelly Kulick, Union, N.J., def. Shannon O'Keefe, Shiloh, Ill., 243-210.

CHAMPIONSHIP
(Winner earns \$20,000; Loser earns \$10,000)
Rodriguez def. Kulick, 236-228.



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October 21, 2018

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10, 12 & 2pm

\$1,000 First Place

Based on 75 entries

\$1,000 "Roll 900" Pot

\$50 entry fee (per doubles team)

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Women's Handicap



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Plans Moving Forward to Introduce Revolutionary PBA Playoffs in 2019

Historic competition with \$100,000 first prize will be a centerpiece of PBA's inaugural season on FOX Sports

By: Bill Vint

CHICAGO (Sept. 25, 2018) – With the return of Professional Bowlers Association competition to broadcast television looming in 2019, the PBA and its new broadcast partner, FOX Sports, are finalizing plans for an historic PBA Playoffs series that will add unprecedented drama to the Go Bowling! PBA Tour's 61st season.

Beginning in January, PBA members will compete in a schedule of 13 PBA Tour events, earning points toward 24 berths in an all-new PBA Playoffs match play elimination series that will unfold over nine weeks of television coverage on FOX Sports' FS1 and FOX channels. The 10-event television series will begin with live coverage of

the first Round of 24 matches from Bayside Bowl in Portland, Maine, on Monday, April 8, and conclude with live coverage of the semifinal and final rounds on FOX on Saturday and Sunday, June 1-2, also from Bayside Bowl.

Details for each tournament, including schedules, formats and more, are posted on pba.com under the "Schedules/2019 Go Bowling! PBA Tour" tab.

The winner of the PBA Playoffs will earn \$100,000.

"With the largest first prize in bowling at stake and live broadcast TV on FOX for the championship rounds, qualifying for the PBA Playoffs will be the goal of every player on the 2019 PBA Tour," said Tom Clark, PBA CEO and Commissioner. "At each of

the 13 Tour events leading up to the Playoffs, points will be at stake, with only the top 24 making the cut. Keeping track of that points list during the first part of the year, and then watching all the intense elimination matches play out on mostly Monday nights in the spring on FS1, the Playoffs



will capture the attention of fans everywhere.

"We couldn't choose a better home for the first PBA Playoffs on FOX Sports than Portland's Bayside Bowl, with

its great fan base and unique atmosphere. Maine is going to host the most exciting tournament ever held."

Here's how the PBA Playoffs

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At Red Bird Lanes

Dotson fields 299/710, Cathey bags 634

Randy Dotson headed the leader boards last week at Red Bird Lanes by logging a sturdy 194-299-217 = 710 Tuesday Men's Commercial series.

Lauren Cathey's stately 203-216-215 = 634 Sunday Nite Mixed set led the ladies honor roll.

HONOR ROLL

Rita Becker 193-544, Lois Gibson 243-551, Chris Sosebee 233-674, Randy Dotson (9 pin, no tap, 4 games) 300-1076, Lauren Cathey (9 pin, no tap,

4 games) 300-1020, Barbara Turner 179-461.

Cindy Howell 183-463, Shannon Monk 220-600, Deanna Hoffman 224-549, Jesse Conway 246-679, Melvina Howard 234-624, David England 232-648, Angela Davis-White 183-491.

James Bridges 226-573, Cindy Howell 189-536, Glenn Goodrich 238-637, Angela Chalmers 224-565, Brian Riddle 267-694, Tommy Moreland 226-631, Gilda Barrett 169-487.

At Ennis All Star Bowl

Tamez collects 659, Lawrence logs 635

Kayla Tamez won high-set honors last week at Ennis All Star Bowl by polishing off robust 191-222-246 = 659 numbers in Pairs & Spares league action.

Rick Lawrence earned top honors for the guys with a power-packed 184-257-194 = 635 Ennis Mixed Classic outing.

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April Hopkins 238-566, Ryan Leonard 211-569, Ryne McKenrick 206-562, John Gray 203-563, Jennifer Schoonover 190-508, Tice Hopkins 237-600, Ricky Slack 215-569, April Hopkins 207-552.

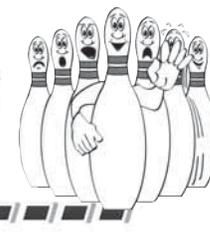
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140 Under Division Finalists



Megan Bomboy
Handicap Runner-up

LONE STAR INVITATIONAL

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If football doesn't pan out, his dream is to become the best bowler in the world. He is looking forward to many more tournaments.

Avery Teets won the handicap division, but wasn't exactly the easiest way. Avery qualified 8th and was the cut. She had to go through the gauntlet of great bowlers to win the title. Avery is no stranger to winning from behind. "All my wins have come from behind.

I guess I bowl best as the underdog. The last game I was so nervous, but I changed to urethane and got the win."

Avery, also 17, is a senior in high school. She played softball but gave it up to focus on bowling. She wants to bowl for college but not sure which

one just yet.

Alexis Leavall won the 140 and under division. At such a young age, 10 years old, winning is very new to her. I asked her how it felt winning, "It was awesome," she said.

The Lone Star Youth Invitational had 149 entries this year paying out almost \$7,000 in scholarship SMART money.

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9. Mason Sterkel \$60.00
10. Caitlyn Chapman \$60.00

11. Deanna Hopkins \$60.00
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U17 Raina Davis
U17-EARP Katie Heady (\$100)
U20 Timothy Wilson
U20-EARP Deanna Hopkins (\$50)
U15 Alyssa Ballard

Team USA Wins Trios at 2018 PABCON Women's Championships

By: Matt Cannizzaro

SANTO DOMINGO, Dominican Republic - For the fourth consecutive time in Pan American Bowling Confederation competition, the Team USA women are the trios gold medalists.

The latest triumph for the United States was a runaway victory for Shannon Pluhowsky of Dayton, Ohio (1,423), Jordan Richard of Tecumseh, Michigan (1,308), and Shannon O'Keefe of Shiloh, Illinois (1,279), who averaged nearly 223 over six games Thursday at Sebelen Bowling Center to reach the top of the standings at the 2018 PABCON Women's Championships with a 4,010 pinfall total.

Their teammates, Missy Parkin of Laguna Hills, California (1,302), Sydney Brummett of Fort Wayne, Indiana (1,299), and Liz Kuhlkin of Schenectady, New York (1,267), used a strong last frame to claim the silver medal with a 3,868 effort.

Brummett and Kuhlkin both tossed three strikes in the final frame, and Parkin struck on her first offering to lift the team past Colombia's Clara Guerrero (1,327), Maria Jose Rodriguez (1,277) and Rocio Restrepo (1,256), who held on for the bronze medal with 3,860, four pins ahead of their own teammates.

The win marked the third consecutive trios title, and fourth overall, for O'Keefe in PABCON competition. In Cali, Colombia, in 2016, she teamed with Pluhowsky and Josie Barnes of Nashville, Tennessee, for the victory.

Whether she's competing with Team USA or leading the McKendree University bowling team, O'Keefe considers all of the team members family, and there's nothing more special than sharing such incredible moments with the people she loves.

"I didn't bowl in college, so bowling was always individual, and bowling on the

PWBA (Professional Women's Bowling Association) Tour is individual, so these events are the No. 1 thing I love, outside of representing my country," said O'Keefe, a 14-time Team USA member who also has a pair of trios wins at the World Bowling Championships. "I love bowling with my friends, and being able to bowl well, win gold medals and hear our national anthem for doing something we love is amazing. I feel I really thrive in this environment, and it makes me want to keep doing it."

The one-two finish for Team USA came a day after the group became the first women's team in tournament history to win all three doubles medals in a single year.

O'Keefe and Richard were the doubles gold medalists, Brummett and Parkin earned silver and Kuhlkin and Pluhowsky took the bronze medal. Pluhowsky also earned the bronze medal in singles on Tuesday.



Shannon O'Keefe, Jordan Richard and Shannon Pluhowsky

"Our goal today was just to have fun, and if we did that, we'd make better shots," said Pluhowsky, who has been on Team USA since 2001. "Now, we're going into the team event, and it seems that the more players we add to our team, the stronger we get. Everyone's got a really good look, so if they play the same, we should be good to go."

2018 PABCON WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIPS

At Sebelen Bowling Center Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic

Thursday's results
TRIOS (Six games)
GOLD - Shannon O'Keefe/

Shannon Pluhowsky/Jordan Richard, United States, 4,010
SILVER - Sydney Brummett/Liz Kuhlkin/Missy Parkin, United States, 3,868
BRONZE - Clara Guerrero/Rocio Restrepo/Maria Jose Rodriguez, Colombia, 3,860



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SCROGGINS HOF

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out of the state of Texas, Mark Scroggins also gives back to the sport he loves. He's been the Head Coach of the legendary West Texas A&M bowling program for the last 19 years.

The WTAMU Buffaloes have 19 boys and 11 girls in this years' program and just last weekend won their first tournament of the season.

Scroggins has been a mainstay in the SW Region for over 25 years now, starting with his first PBA regional title at King Pin Bowl, in Colorado Springs in 1992, and has had several memorable wins along the way. "My first win will always be a special place to me, but my favorite is probably one in the East Region on our way back from nationals," he said.

The Scroggins brothers were travelling back from Syracuse and stopped in Connecticut to bowl a regional. Mark was the only lefty to make the finals that weekend, barely squeaking into the top 12. In practice on Sunday, he realized he had a reaction no one else had, and told Mike that he was going to be tough to beat. Just three games

into match-play he had taken the lead, and never looked back. "It felt great to have a reaction like that and go out and take the win, along with forcing Mike to sit there and watch me bowl all day," said Scroggins.

And that really is the best part of the Mark Scroggins bowling story, the hilarious relationship these twin brothers have.

Living in Amarillo, Texas means that they are almost always a 10-hour drive from each regional. The dedication needed to make that drive 25 times a year tells you all you need to know about their love for the game. "Mike and I would just hop in the car and drive, well I would drive, he would never drive. We always enjoyed going as brothers, now we live 15 minutes apart and we see each other once every 2-3 months," he added.

It hasn't always been rosy between these two, because they competed so hard with each other. Mike has the more prolific bowling resume, and was never shy to tell Mark about it on those long rides home. "Putting up with my brother's big head was the hardest part; it was tough to live in his shadow because he was

winning every tournament. But I will tell you this, if it wasn't for Mike, I wouldn't be the bowler I am today. He motivated me to be the best I could be and pushed me every day," said Mark.

Scroggins said that his key to his success happened during his college bowling days at West Texas. He sat on the bench for the first couple of years, watching and learning. He and his brother Mike were great youth bowlers, but quickly found out how different it was at the collegiate level. It helped him grow the work ethic that was needed to be the best he could be, and you can see that it paid off to the highest order.

You won't find a more deserving PBA Hall of Famer. Mark Scroggins has probably put in more miles bowling tournaments in the SW Region than anybody else by a wide margin. He was always on his game, he was always there to win, and he always had a smile on his face, except for maybe those moments when Mike was giving him a hard time.

Congratulations to both Joe Ellison and Mark Scroggins on their induction into the SW Region PBA Hall of Fame.



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Just Paying Attention

By Mark London
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Ok, so don't be heartbroken if your item didn't make this year's Top 25 TV Bowling Moments list. Many others did not, including ten other recognizable moments. They may make the next list or the one after.

Some of those moments are in no particular order Mac O'Grady's 2018 Tournament of Champions win climbing the stepladder (hasn't made another show yet), Mika's missed 10-pin giving Norm Duke a U.S. Open win (He one-upped it, see item #7), Couch's ToC three-peat, Belmo's Masters three-peat, 1994 U.S. Open arena finals record crowd of 7,200 (wait until we have those again), Rhino's 10th frame 4-count at the 2009 ToC, handing the title Patrick Allen.

There's also the 1997 ABC-TV final telecast, Goebel's starring \$200K in the face with one more strike after Duke tosses at 280 him, Weber's trophy drop (Ballard's ball decided a title, this did not, plus see #2), his second Triple Crown (always a contender), and still the only bowler with an ESPN 30 for 30 short documentary, plus two new stars noteworthy and youngest ever winners of the ToC, Jesper Svensson, and USBC Masters by Anthony Simonsen.

The one thing I can guarantee you is that you will never see the same order from one list to the next. One item has more significance at one time, another time, not so much. If the list is 30, 40, or 50, there's always a chance an item is left off. For example, the Ballard Ball still had some impact years ago, but now, not as much. No one could have foreseen Weber's one-liner after the record fifth U.S. Open title. Keep in mind, there have been some tremendous moments that have to be included. Some lose luster after a while. Top 10 items are really a big deal. Moments that may knock something out of the top ten, would be two 300's on the same show, a 300-300 tie, a 300 in a major title match. On the first list, I could have included

every TV 300 to that point, as there were just thirteen from the three tours. Now, there are more than twice that amount. Remember the analogy of trying to put eight pounds of sand in a five-pound sack? But that's also the beauty of such a list.

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For the last two years, the PWBA Tour Championship hasn't lacked much in the drama department. The last two winners stated they've had a score to settle, at least with themselves. Last year, Shannon O'Keefe proved she could close out a major title, erasing the sting of a tenth frame open in the previous U.S. Women's Open. In addition, it may have also been a springboard to her 2018 Player of the Year performance. This year, Maria Jose' Rodriguez won her first title in the PWBA 2.0 era. Her first major title was the 2014 USBC Queens, ironically, also won against Kelly Kulick.

Dave Ryan continues to show why he is a true professional announcer. Besides being very smooth with his style, he lets the analyst, no matter if it's CDB, Kelly Kulick, Shannon O'Keefe, or Stefanie Johnson, say what she needs to say before setting up the next shot a player delivers. Like the really good announcers do, Ryan will set up the analyst by stating a leading point, short of saying, "What happened there?" Occasionally he has, but not very often. It's really a basic way of including someone else with insight or further expertise in a conversation. As they've done off the air prior to a first show at the network level, announce teams are brought into a studio, watch a broadcast without sound, and practice, just like the players they are describing. The tricky thing for analysts is to realize you've only got maybe five to ten seconds at the absolute max to state a point before the next ball is rolled. Some may trail into the spare shot (Bo Burton preferred to stop before the next ball hit the lane). That's about the only time you'll hear more detail. Having broadcast

both PBA and PWBA Tours, Ryan will sometimes ask for more details only if time allows. Again, it's an easier telecast to watch if the talking matches the image on the screen.

Sounds easy, but the next time you're at a professional sporting event, try watching just the action on the field and not anything else around you for a few minutes. That's what the viewers are seeing, not the spectators in the building.

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Here in TBN every week there are stories about the latest regional winners, some of whom are into the double digits for wins. There are also stories of bowlers winning their first regional after, well let's just say...awhile.

John Dudak won the PBA50 Diamond Jo Casino Midwest Open Regional Presented by Brunswick in Dubuque, Iowa a few weeks back. At age 64, he's been a regular on the PBA50 national and senior regional tours since 2004. PBA Media Relations Director Bill Vint said in an email, Dudak bowled in two regular tour events, 40 regionals, in addition to the 103 PBA50 tour and 116 PBA50 regional stops. For those of you truly scoring at home, that's winning on the 261st try after joining the PBA in mid-1992. After the win, Dudak told me he didn't bowl any tournaments as a non-member. A very impressive show of perseverance.

One claim for an unofficial record of winning a standard regional is tournament number 202 taking 26 years, eight days, from first tournament date to date of the first win. Why is this an unofficial record? The current PBA regional computer database only goes back as far as 1998. Regional records before that were not as detailed as national tour stops. Wins were still recorded, of course, but if you cashed in a, let's say a 1984 regional, verifying that find through the Association would be difficult.

Then there are much shorter paths to earning a PBA Champions banner. The most recent Southwest Region winner Jacob Cutler took all of 39 tournaments to win the non-champion stop in Lubbock from his first tournament in 2010, joining in 2012.

Cutler told me in a chat last week he had yet to bowl for a title, only having finished as

high as 8th in Beaumont a few years back, also thinking his own journey was plenty long enough. For him, it was, but it's not everyone else's journey. It's easy to get caught up reading here week after week about who wins what local tourney,

regional, SASBA, high-profile scratch, or national event. A reason I stated those numbers illustrates how incredibly difficult it is to win a professional event.

I've known Dudak and his

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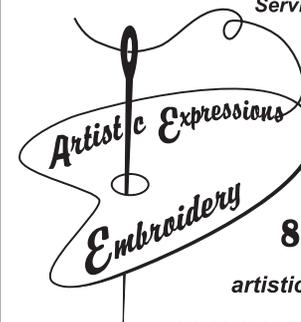


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-The 2019 Go Bowling! PBA Tour schedule, with "tier" designation, includes:

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Clark banks 721, Parrish rolled 615

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Curtis White 268-697, Tina Lancaster 151-422, Curtis White 255-

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quest since he started years ago and I'm glad he finally has his banner.

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Next week, a look at a bowler on the opposite end of those numbers, one of the more frequent PBA regional winners and what's he's done in a very short amount of time.

Jan. 8-13 - PBA Oklahoma Open, Shawnee, Okla. (Tier 2).

Jan. 8-13 - Mark Roth-Marshall Holman PBA Doubles, Shawnee, Okla. (Tier 3).

Jan. 23-27 - PBA Lubbock Sports Open, Lubbock, Texas (Tier 2).

Feb. 5-10 - PBA Tournament of Champions, Fairlawn, Ohio (Tier 1).

Feb. 12-17 - PBA Players Championship, Columbus, Ohio (Tier 1).

Feb. 19-24 - PBA Indianapolis Open, Indianapolis, Ind. (Tier 2).

Feb. 27-March 3 - PBA Jonesboro Open, Jonesboro, Ark. (Tier 2).

March 11-18 - PBA World Series of Bowling X Cheetah

Championship, Allen Park, Mich. (Tier 3).

March 11-19 - PBA World Series of Bowling X Chameleon Championship, Allen Park, Mich. (Tier 3).

March 11-20 - PBA World Series of Bowling X Scorpion Championship, Allen Park, Mich. (Tier 3).

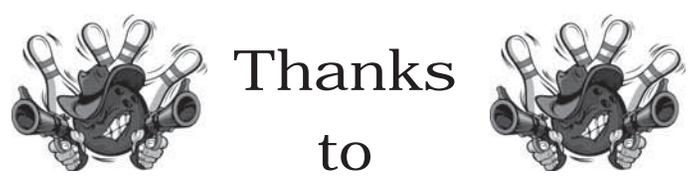
March 11-21 - PBA World Series of Bowling PBA World Championship, Allen Park, Mich. (Tier 1).

March 26-April 1 - USBC Masters, Las Vegas (Tier 1).

-If any of the 2019 events includes a limited field, all PBA members will have the opportunity to advance into the field through a PTQ regardless of the size of the field.

-In each Tier 1, 2 or 3 tournament, up to 64 players may earn points for their finishing positions in both qualifying and the finals. The maximum a player can earn in a Tier 2 event will be 5,000 points per event (1,000 for leading qualifying, 4,000 for winning the tournament). In Tier 1 events, 64 players will earn points. The maximum will be 7,500 points (1,500 for leading qualifying, 6,000 for winning the event). In Tier 3 tournaments, the maximum will be 2,500 points (500 for

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You usually make spares like the 6/10 or the 4/7, but occasionally feel like you've never shot them before or worse, like you could chop it all day long (unless you tried to chop it, of course). One of the best ways I know to stop missing spares is to never shoot one alone. Regardless of what's standing up, you are shooting at something else.

PBA PLAYOFFS

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leading qualifying, 2,000 for winning the event).

-Based on cumulative points earned at the completion of the USBC Masters, the top 24 players will advance to the PBA Playoffs. The top 8 on the points list will earn a bye for the first single-elimination match play round.

-The Round of 24 will include qualifiers 9 through 24 bowling one-game matches. The winners will advance to the Round of 16 (joining qualifiers 1-8) for best-of-three-game matches wherein the third game will consist of a two-frame tiebreaker if needed. The winners will continue to advance to the Round of 8, the semifinal round and the championship for the two survivors.

-Complete details including pairings, prize money and more will be posted on the PBA Playoffs page on pba.com in the near future.

-The PBA Playoffs will be contested in front of Bayside Bowl's enthusiastic fans in

Here's how it works:

Let's say you leave a 3 pin. Don't just shoot that lonely 3 pin. Shoot it as though it were the 3/9 or the 3/10. Let's start with the 3/9. You line up and shoot it and hit the right side of the 3 pin. You've made the spare and now you get to slap everybody's hand and take a card to see if you made your full house. In your heart, though, you know it wasn't good enough. It would have missed the 9 pin.

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I'd love to say that, since you hit the right side of the 3, you have discovered where to stand and throw for the 3/10, but that wouldn't necessarily be true. A shot that hits the

right side of the 3 pin might make the 3/10 and might not. It depends on how much influence the 3 pin had on the ball.

You've got to carefully watch that shot at the 3 that missed the imaginary 3/9. Did the ball deflect into the imaginary 10 pin? If not, you have a third piece of information – what not to do for the 3/10. If it did, you're lined up for the 3/10 in case you should leave one.

The same approach (pun intended) is true for all single pin spares. You'll shoot the 4 as if it were the 4/9 or 4/10. If you do that and you hit the 4 pin in the face, you'll know you need to move to make those spares, should you leave them. If you make the imaginary 4/9, you'll know how to move to make the 4/10.

I think you'll be surprised how much easier it is to spare if you exercise your visualization muscles. No matter what pin or combinations of pins you leave, shoot more than you see. The rewards are really high and the method quite painless. Keeping in mind the #1 reason for missed single spares is lack of concentration, you'll really see your conversion percentage increase.

Portland, Maine, beginning with a live telecast on Monday, April 8, on FS1. Preliminary rounds will air for eight consecutive Monday nights through May 27. The semifinals and finals will then move to FOX for live coverage at noon Eastern on Saturday and Sunday, June 1-2.

2019 FOX-FS1 PBA PLAYOFFS TELECAST SCHEDULE (All times Eastern)

Monday, April 8 – PBA Playoffs Round of 24, Portland, Maine (FS1, 7 p.m., live).

Monday, April 15 – PBA Playoffs Round of 24, Portland, Maine (FS1, 8 p.m.).

Monday, April 22 – PBA Playoffs Round of 24, Portland, Maine (FS1, 9 p.m.).

Monday, April 29 – PBA Playoffs Round of 24, Portland, Maine (FS1, 9 p.m.).

Monday, May 6 – PBA Playoffs Round of 16, Portland, Maine (FS1, 9 p.m.).

Monday, May 13 – PBA Playoffs Round of 16, Portland, Maine (FS1, 9 p.m.).

Monday, May 20 – PBA Playoffs Quarterfinals, Portland, Maine (FS1, 9 p.m.).

Monday, May 27 – PBA Play-

offs Quarterfinals, Portland, Maine (FS1, 9 p.m.).

Saturday, June 1 – PBA Playoffs Final Four, Portland, Maine (FOX, noon, live).

Sunday, June 2 – PBA Playoffs Championship Round, Portland, Maine (FOX, noon, live).

Tuesday, July 16 – PBA League Quarterfinals, Portland, Maine (FS1, 7 p.m., live).

Tuesday, July 16 – PBA League Quarterfinals, Portland, Maine (FS1, 9 p.m., live).

Wednesday, July 17 – PBA League Semifinals, Portland, Maine (FS1, 9 p.m., live).

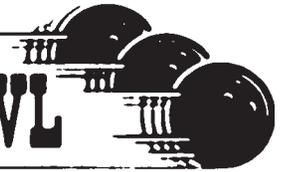
Thursday, July 18 – PBA League Elias Cup Finals, Portland, Maine (FS1, 9 p.m., live).



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Danielle McEwan Wins PBA International-WBT Thailand Title

By: Bill Vint
 BANGKOK, Thailand (Sept. 28, 2017) – Top qualifier Danielle McEwan of Stony Point, N.Y., turned back Stuart Williams of England in a two-game championship match to win the PBA International-WBT Thailand at Blu-O Rhythm and Bowl Paragon on Friday.

McEwan, a four-time Professional Women's Bowling Association titlist, won the six-game qualifying round to earn the top berth in the eight-player stepladder finals by seven pins over Malaysia's Rafiq Ismail, taking advantage of the eight handicap pins per game awarded to women in the tournament.

Williams, who qualified third, defeated Kyle Troup of Taylorsville, N.C., 182-173, and Ismail, 206-205, to advance to the title match where he needed to beat McEwan twice to win the event. Williams won the first game, 232-218, but McEwan won the second, 225-179, to claim the \$31,908 first prize.

McEwan is a PBA member,

but won't receive credit for a PBA title because she accepted the handicap pins.

Next on the PBA Tour's 2018 schedule will be the FloBowling Fall Swing Oct. 14-20 at The Lanes at Coffee Creek in

suburban Tulsa, Okla. The multi-event tournament, open to an elite field of 120 PBA members only, will be covered exclusively on FloBowling.com and will award three PBA Tour

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At Big Spring Bowl-A-Rama

Gonzales, Sr. delivers 299/782

BIG SPRING, TX – Eddie Gonzales, Sr. headed the honor roll for the month at Big Spring Bowl-A-Rama with a top-notch 245-238-299 = 782 Tuesday Couples series.

Mary Lou Saldana took high-series honors for the ladies with a sparkling 205/558 Wednesday Nite Trio set.

HONOR ROLL

Tammy J Newton 210-534, Mary Lou Saldana 200-546, Kay Beeler 158-423, Sheila Armstrong 158-392, Kandis L Wilkinson 157-386, Anita D Maxwell 156-411, Emily L Flores 151-401.

Lisa M Cobb 151-386, Lois Ellison 150-409, Marian T Olenick 144-364, Virginia A Logsdon 138-384, Donna Brown 134-329, Sarah O Hendricks 131-380, Tina Coots 127-358.

Core L McKenzie 116-314, Victor R Coots 256-694, Jacob R Braxton 248-625, John Dodd 238-653, Adrian Zarate 237-605, Donald M Ewing 234-571, Pete Garcia, Jr. 203-615.

Mark A Lozano, Sr. 232-586, Ray Gutierrez, Jr. 228-605, Martin R Leija

222-585, Steve A Barker 215-579, Claud D Fryar 214-574, Terry B Stanger 214-628, Wacey G Daniel 212-628.

Thomas J Booth 211-549, Allen W Altman 210-578, Fred Gutierrez 208-610, Joe K Roemisch 205-541, Joshua K Paredes 204-577, David A Scott 202-536, Richard L Rowden 201-570.

Jake R Braxton 239-626, Bree Gonzales 227-537, Brent C Newton 224-631, James Rawls 217-599, Jimmie R Wood 213-522, Jackson D Thompson 213-560, Sam Gonzales 212-575, Brent H Kelly 208-473.

Aaron K Gonzales 207-548, Jesse Jones 204, Luis Devila 203-592, Jason S Gonzales 237-646, John Dodd 225-629, Greg Clarke 226-586, Tammy Newton 183-510, James Rawls 245-585.

Jacob Braxton 231-634, Veronica Schroyer 222-515, Eddie Gonzales, Jr. 222-606, Ralph Rollins 216-548, Jason Gonzales 215-576, Brent Newton 214-537, Steve Stanger 209-523, Michael P Leuschner 207-579, David Gutierrez 206-536, Ransom C Parks 203-554, Jermaine Brookins 202-559, Chris Goebel 200-509.

At Mel's Lone Star Lanes

Merriman masters 761, Endicott claims 643

Adkins 299

GEORGETOWN – Jonathan Merriman led the scoring parade for the month at Mel's Lone Star Lanes after pounding out potent 279/761 marks in Thursday Thunder league play.

Kayla Endicott, Merriman's league mate, headed the ladies scoring race with a sky-high 188-221-234 = 643 set.

Danny Adkins captured high-game accolades with a near-perfect 299 solo.

HONOR ROLL

Danny Adkins 747, Kayla Endicott 228-637, Doug Schelling 258-709, Ann Quinn 195-542, Scott Stafford 238-696, Amanda Wyrick 227-624, Justin Madding 235-605, Kathy Odiorne 214-560.

Gale Bacchus 234-636, Mike Tabb 246-643, Kim Friesen 170-497, Amir Saleheshtehardi 233-611, Rachel Masterson 189-511, John Hood 267-752, JoAnn Cass 268-633.

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3. Team maximum average is 1025. Team must consist of 3 men and 2 women, 4 men and 1 woman or vice-versa.
4. Total scratch and handicap series will determine where a team places.
5. Bowlers will use one of the following averages: Current ITA average based on 36 games as of Nov. 1st 2018. 72 game ITA average. Bowlers not having an ITA average will use their highest 2017-18 USBC book average. All others will bowl scratch (210). No summer avg will be used.
6. Handicap will be 80% of 1025 team handicap and brackets and sidepots. With no ITA average max handicap 40 men, 60 ladies for brackets and side pots.

SEE TOURNAMENT FLYER FOR COMPLETE DETAILS

Tournament Director:
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MCEWAN

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titles for the PBA Wolf Open, PBA Bear Open and FloBowling Tulsa Open events.

The U.S. Open from Northrock Lanes in Wichita, Kan., will be the final qualifying event for the PBA Clash and the final event of the 2018 Go Bowling! PBA Tour season. The U.S. Open finals will air live on CBS Sports Network

At Terrell

Rylant 300 and Orr tie with 760, Ellington posts 660

Fletcher 300

TERRELL – Richie Rylant and Josh Orr tied for the top spot on the honor roll last month at Terrell Bowling Center with outstanding 760 series. Rylant posted games of 223-300-237 in Sunday Night Mixed action while Orr rolled games of 247-256-257 in Monday Night Mixed league play.

Patty Ellington leveled a

on Wednesday, Oct. 31 at 7:30 p.m. ET. Rhino Page is the defending champion.

PBA INTERNATIONAL-WBT

THAILAND

Blu-O Rhythm and Bowl Siam Paragon, Bangkok, Thailand, Sept. 28

Final Standings:

- 1, w-Danielle McEwan, Stony Point, N.Y., \$31,908.
- 2, Stuart Williams, \$15,954.
- 3, Rafiq Ismail, Malaysia, \$9,572.
- 4, Kyle Troup, N.C., \$6,381.

5, w-Sin Li Jane, Malaysia, \$3,190.

6, Anthony Simonsen, Austin, Texas, \$2,871.

7, Jojoe Yannaphon, Thailand, \$2,712.

8, Sean Rash, \$2,552.

Stepladder Results:
Match One – Jane (261) def. Yannaphon (246) and Rash (195).

Match Two – Troup (220, 10) def. Jane (220, 9) and Simonsen (178).

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At Hallmark

Desmarais lights up 300/787, Ciesiolka notches 675

Horton 299

KILLEEN – Keith Desmarais, Friday's Best group, pocketed power-laden 300-253-234 = 787 numbers en route to earning high-series honors for the month at Hallmark Lanes.

Karin Ciesiolka headed the ladies' leader board with an outstanding 191-237-247 = 675 Hit & Miss Classic set.

Mark Horton took runner-up honors with a near-perfect 299 solo.

HONOR ROLL

Chris Masters 268-652, Karin Alleman 218, Lisa Blackman 536, Quinten Goins 198, Jerry Kilpatrick 487, Vivian Mikell 170-387, Ryan Stamp 215-543, Suzie Wollek 212, Stephani Brown 575.

Keith Desmarais 279-667, Lisa Blackman 222-578, Bob McDougal 255, Brandon Kerschner 687, Esther Navarro 234, Karin Ciesiolka 620, Felipe Hartl 276, John Ciesiolka 629, LaRue LaRue 184.

Suzanne Caballero 469, Dan

high-flying 214-243-203 = 660 Tuesday Night Mixed set to front fem scoring.

Art Fletcher shares high-game honors with Rylant with an award-winning 12-bagger.

HONOR ROLL

Terry Green 246-694, Gaylyn Hutchins 212-599, Art Fletcher 718, Russell Limoges 244-711, Katie Perales 214-575, Bubba Harwell 247-685,

JoAnn Nunnally 202-549, Ricky Bambico, Sr. 235-680.

Michelle Daniels 235-595, Jennifer Nolen 230-576, Bryan Ellis 267-703, Kari Bell 221-593, Vanessa Brown 202-565, Dan Alexander 269-726, Lisa Flowers 211-518, Bobby Holley 257-657.

Venita Clark 211-515, Dennis Patrick 257-647, Kathy Hopkins 218-557, Shelby Hollis 262-687.

Haddenham 269, Jason Bardales 712, Jacklyn Schuring 201-490, Julius Burton 279-658, Lisa Blackman 224, Karin Ciesiolka 556, Cody Layne 225-604, Vivian Mikell 176-428.

Jeff Stamp II 255-678, Polly Martin 206, Suzie Wollek 509, Bobby Travis 258, Mark Morgan 695, Lisa Blackman 235-615, John Herrick 268, Tee Jay Jones 706, Jose Caballero 259-707.

Caren Wilson 165-484, Mitzi Cina 190-512, Mark Horton 266, Chris Masters 718, Karin Ciesiolka 221-593, Cody Layne 259-702, Vivian Mikell 153-416, Ryan Stamp 217-600, Stephani Brown 202-497.

Mark Morgan 258, Tee Jay Jones 667, Lisa Blackman 231, Rachael Brown 586, Brandon Kerschner 256, R J Rogers 666, Esther Navarro 244-630, Bobby Davis 235, Ben Hogan 627, Caren Wilson 201-532.

Ben Hogan 258-718, Jacklyn Schuring 198, Mitzi Cina 549, Mark Horton 735, Maya Dixon-Dates 211, Karin Ciesiolka 593, Cody Layne

194-545, Vivian Mikell 166-408, Jeff Stamp II 219-545.

Stephani Brown 184-487, Justin Pusateri 290, Phil Hallums 697, Lisa Blackman 225-597, Darryl Martin 279-719, Kisha Thomas 245, Karin Ciesiolka 575, John Ciesiolka 266, Ben Hogan 672.

Suzanne Caballero 182-498, Keith Desmarais 278, Cody Layne 765, Carmen Olalde 206, Kathy Koehne 579.

SENIORS

Rod Kensingler 233, Rullie Haywood 645, Suzie Wollek 226-542, Rey Klossner 244-638, Kim Noyes 215, Nee Wallace 524, Ron Saguinsin 278-662, Sun Engeldinger 227-514, Tom Christie 279.

Deano Shaffer 675, Lea Cohn 205, Barbara Person 584, Doug Morgeson 247, Rullie Haywood 645, Barbara Person 236-607, Ismael Rubio 256-661, Barbara Person 196-505, Jack Palmer 244.

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SOUTHWEST REPORT

PBA Champions Patrick Allen, Mika Koivuniemi Elected to Hall of Fame

Veteran bowling journalist Bob Johnson, Indianapolis tournament host Jim Doty also to be honored

CHICAGO (Oct. 1, 2018) – Professional Bowlers Association champions Patrick Allen of South Salem, N.Y., and Mika Koivuniemi of Finland have been elected to the PBA Hall of Fame along with veteran bowling journalist Bob Johnson of Las Vegas and long-time Indianapolis tournament host Jim Doty, PBA CEO and Commissioner Tom Clark announced today.

The 2019 PBA Hall of Fame induction ceremonies will be held on Saturday, Jan. 5, at the International Bowling Campus in Arlington, Texas, as part of the PBA Hall of Fame Classic tournament that will be contested at the International Research and Training Center Jan. 2-6. The finals of the first tournament on the 2019 Go Bowling! PBA Tour season will be televised live on FS1 on Sunday, Jan. 6, at 11 a.m. EST.

Allen, a 13-time PBA Tour title winner, and Koivuniemi, one of the most successful international players in PBA history, were elected by an elite panel of veteran bowling writers, industry leaders and PBA Hall of Famers in the Superior Performance category. Allen won PBA's 2004-05 Chris Schenkel PBA Player of the Year after becoming the second player in PBA history to finish among the top five in all four PBA majors during the same season – finishing second in the USBC Masters and U.S. Open, fifth in the PBA Tournament of Champions and winning the PBA World Championship.

"I don't know exactly how I feel yet," Allen said. "People are always saying you're a lock (for hall of fame election), but you don't know until it happens. I'm just happy I finally got there. I'm going to embrace it, and now I'll have to figure out a speech.

"It was a helluva ride," the 48-year-old left-hander said. "It just went faster than I would have liked. You blink your eyes and wonder, where did it go? But the time comes for every professional athlete, and the results show that. Your mind says you can do it, but your

body won't respond. You have to know when to say when."

Koivuniemi, who now resides in the United Arab Emirates where he is coaching the UAE national bowling team, is a 14-time PBA Tour champion who earned his nickname – Major Mika – after winning two majors before he won his first "standard" PBA Tour title. In his first PBA television appearance, Koivuniemi defeated PBA star Pete Weber by a pin to win the 2000 USBC Masters. A year later he won the U.S. Open, and he claimed the crown jewel of his PBA career in 2011, when he won the \$250,000 first prize in the \$1 million PBA Tournament of

Champions.

"I'm having a really good day," the 51-year-old Koivuniemi said. "It was a really great call (from Tom Clark).

"I was 32 when I joined the PBA, but I had my experience around the world before I joined. But back then bowling on tour was something you needed to learn about. To bowl every week and to realize how good the players really were was different. Even when you had a good week, making the top 24 or a (TV) show was really hard. I knew I had to get better.

"It's amazing how fast time goes," he added. "I can't

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At Heritage

Baldwin belts 726, Cox claims 692

OKLAHOMA CITY – Kevin Baldwin headed the honor roll for the month at Heritage Lanes by stroking super solid 215-256-255 = 726 numbers in OG & E & Friends league play.

Carrie Cox, from the Bowlers R Us group, fired a smooth 264/692 set to lead the ladies.

HONOR ROLL

Lawanda Thompson 182-531, Brandon Leeseekamp 269-720, Michelle Goode 234-617, Brett Erickson 289-718, Greg Parker 205-576, Courtney Ovesny 210-559.

SENIORS

Jimmy Pope 258-675, Jeri Taylor 243-674, Payton Dawson 233-624, Jeri Taylor 234-531.

At Killeen Bowlerama

Breytspraak soars to 781, McPhail topples 728

KILLEEN, TX – John Breytspraak topped the honor roll last month at Killeen Bowlerama with a high-powered 781 Ebonite Commercial series.

Erica McPhail registered a rollicking 259/728 Sundowners set to lead the ladies on the honor roll.

HONOR ROLL

Hunter Madison 643, Hayley Brooks 238-699, Bob Chouinard 267-711, Tawana Ramey 214-629, Curtis Robinson 687, Sue Cummings 201-523, Tony Romero 663, Erica McPhail 257-721, Ed Neely 767.

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PBA HALL OF FAME

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believe it's been almost three years since I bowled on tour for the last time. But being in the hall of fame now is a great, great honor."

Johnson, who began his journey into bowling journalism at age 15, is the only person in the bowling family to serve as editor of four national bowling magazines, winning 75 national writing awards for his news, feature and editorial compositions, many of which directly involved the PBA. Currently Senior Editor of *Bowlers Journal International* and editor of the *BJI Cyber Report*, he is a recipient of both the International Bowling Media Association's Luby Hall of Fame Award and the

Mid-America Bowling Writers Golden Quill Award.

"I have been blessed to be able to cover bowling competition at the highest level, to see the best players bowl in the most pressure-packaged situations, and to be able to talk to them and write about them is a privilege I've never taken lightly," Johnson said. "To be honored for the work I've done is really something I don't have the words to describe. If I was talking about someone else, I could describe, but myself? Well, that's difficult."

Doty, who has served as general manager of Indianapolis' Royal Pin Leisure Centers chain since 1996, has served as host for every major championship tournament conducted by the PBA at least once over the past two-plus decades. The 1971 Indiana University gradu-

ate joined the Royal Pin group in 1978, working under Royal Pin founder and 2018 PBA Hall of Fame inductee Don Mitchell as marketing manager until his promotion to general manager.

"It's a nice way to start your week," said Doty of his congratulatory call from Clark.

"It's not only me; it's having a great staff of people who make these things happen," Doty added. "It's a continuing process. At Woodland Bowl, we have endeared ourselves to the PBA over the years. The bowling industry is changing, but traditions need to be retained and honored, and that's what we try to do."

The 2019 PBA Hall of Fame ceremonies will be live streamed on FloBowling. Tickets for the event will be available online (<https://www.pba.com/Tickets>).

MCEWAN

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Match Three – Williams def. Troup, 182-173.

Semifinal – Williams def. Ismail, 206-205.

Championship – McEwan def. x-Williams, 218-232, 225-179.

x-Williams had to defeat McEwan, the high qualifier, twice to win the title.

Round 4 Cashers (after 6 games, top 7 plus highest ranking Thailand player advanced to stepladder finals):

- 1, w-McEwan, 1,381,
- 2, Ismail, 1,374.
- 3, Williams, 1,352.
- 4, Troup, 1,348.

5, Simonsen, 1,339.

6, w-Jane, 1,317.

7, Rash, 1,316.

8, y-Yannaphon, 1,240.

y-Yannaphon qualified 15th but automatically advanced as the highest finishing Thailand player in the field.

Failed to advance (\$2,233 each):

9, Chris Via, Ohio, 1,306.

10, Greg Young, Fla., 1,261.

11, w-New Hui Fen, 1,260.

12, Jesper Svensson, 1,251.

13, Shota Kawazoe, 1,249.

14, w-Liz Johnson, 1,247.

15, Bill O'Neill, Pa., 1,246.

16, Francois Lavoie, 1,230.

17, Osku Palermaa, 1,218.

18, Marshall Kent, 1,212.

19, Surasak Manuwong,

Thailand, 1,199.

20, Wu Siu Hong, Hong Kong, 1,179.

Round 3 Cashers (after six games, \$1,595 each):

21, Sithiphol Kunaksorn, Thailand, 1,272.

22, Chris Barnes, 1,267.

23, w-Natasha Roslan, Malaysia, 1,252.

24, Michael Tang, San Francisco, 1,227.

25, w-Esther Cheah, Malaysia, 1,216.

26, Billy Islam, 1,214.

27, Sam Cooley, 1,209.

28, Ryan Lalisang, 1,199.

29, Napat Buspanikonkul, Thailand, 1,191.

30, Abdulrahman Alkheili, Saudi Arabia, 1,176.

31, Steve Weber, Chalmette, La., 1,168.

32, Darren Tang, San Francisco, 1,139.

33, Ryan Ciminelli, 1,128.

34, Tommy Jones, 1,068.

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Dana Miller-Mackie topped the leader board for the ladies with an outstanding 190-213-268 = 671 Bud Handicap Trios session.

Pete Sheridan garnered high-game accolades with an award-winning 12-bagger.

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(4 games) 202-699, Aileen Linares (4 games) 221-743, Alvin Thon 223-632.

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Demost Quintana 243-666, Robin Cummings 211-488, Steve Gill 211-577, Shannon Lastyona 167-485, DeeRonn Booker (4 games) 290-987, Dusti Griffin (4 games) 214-798.

Noah Pinnick (4 games) 278-941, Donna Dowd (4 games) 205-784, Rick Benard 268-717, Donielle Waite 227-532, Josh Larimore 279-644, Jenifer Wittman 182-483, Mike Avila 233-653, Monica Popp 201-442.

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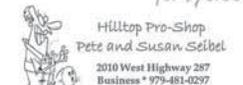
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YOUTH BOWLER OF THE MONTH



MICHAEL MELMAN

16, from Keller, TX is a Junior at Keller High School. He is a member of the Keller High School Marching Band in the percussion section. Michael is interested in continuing his bowling career in college and would like to attend Wichita State or West Texas A&M.

Hometown Bowling Center: Brunswick Zone Watauga
How many leagues? I bowl in the Roto Grip Youth Challenge league at USA Bowl in Dallas and the Jr. Gold League at AMF Bowlero in Euless.

How did you get started bowling? I started bowling when I was 11 at AMF Bowlero, just for fun. I saw other kid putting revs on a colorful bowling ball and decided I wanted to do that too. I have cousins, two uncles, and grandfather that also bowl.

How much did you bowl this summer? I bowled several of the youth bowling tournaments in the state, the Wes Malott, Texas Youth Masters, and Jr. Gold in the U20 division.

High Average and Series: I averaged 200 in high school last season, and shot 728 in the Texas Youth State this summer.

Favorite Bowler: Marshall Kent; He has a traditional form, but puts a lot of revs on the ball.

Favorite bowling accomplishment: Winning the Texas Youth Masters this summer. I was able to handle the stress of going into the title match by relaxing with my friends and listening to music; it helped keep me from being too nervous.

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