



Canada's Francois Lavoie Wins 2019 U.S. Open



U.S. Open Champion Francois Lavoie

By: Matt Cannizzaro

MOORESVILLE, N.C. - For the second time in his short professional career, Canada's

Francois Lavoie donned the coveted green jacket at the U.S. Open.

The 26-year-old right-hander defeated 14-time Professional Bowlers Association Tour champion and top seed Sean Rash of Montgomery, Illinois, 221-172, on Wednesday night to become the 12th bowler in history to win the prestigious title multiple times.

His first time hoisting the U.S. Open trophy was in 2016 on the way to PBA Rookie of the Year honors.

The latest win gave Lavoie his fourth PBA Tour title and made the fourth-year professional the first foreign-born player to win the U.S. Open more than once. Finland's Mika Koivuniemi (2001) and Dom Barrett of England (2018) also have won the event.

Wednesday's star-studded stepladder at Victory Lanes was broadcast live on CBS Sports Network.

Along with the iconic outerwear, Lavoie also earned a \$30,000 top prize. The U.S. Open was the fifth, and final, major of the 2019 PBA Tour season. The win was Lavoie's first since 2017.

"This is so surreal, and I don't even know where to begin," Lavoie said. "To win the first one was unbelievable and a dream come true. Winning the second one, wow. Especially with the way the season started, I never could've expected this. It's not something you think will happen again, and definitely not this year of all years. I feel so fortunate."

Lavoie started the final match with five consecutive strikes and cruised to the title.

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Chris Warren Successfully Defends PBA50 Waxahachie Southwest Open Title



Hilltop Proprietor's Deb and Scott Dodson with Chris Warren

By: Pete McCordic

WAXAHACHIE, TX - Defending champion Chris Warren, a native Texan now living in Grants Pass, Ore., built a 238-pin lead after the 13 games of qualifying and then coasted in the eight-game round robin

finals, to win his 55th Professional Bowlers Association Regional title in the PBA50 Waxahachie Southwest Open Sunday at Hilltop Lanes.

Warren, who held a 145-pin lead going into the final

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Hamman Wins Lone Star Invitational Scratch Division

By: Joyce Claus

PLANO, Texas - The 6th Annual Lone Star Invitational Youth Classic - A Danny Westbrook Memorial Event was held at Plano Super Bowl October 12 and 13.

Nearly 200 bowlers from Texas, Oklahoma California, No. Carolina and Louisiana participated in the event and \$8,225.00 was awarded in scholarships.

In the 185 and Over Scratch Division, top seeded Jaelle Hamman, from Jarrell, Tx., maintained her lead to win the championship and a \$1300.00 Scholarship.

In the 141-184 Handicap bracket, 7th seed Oklahoma bowler, Tobias Hurte fought his way through the competition to win the title and a \$1000.00



Scratch Division Champion Jaelle Hamman with Runner-up Ellie Drescher

Scholarship.

And in the 140 & Under average division, Amber Hill from San Antonio, bowled some impressive games to win the 140 & Under title, and a \$600.00 scholarship.

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NCTUSBC Inducts New Hall of Fame Members and Awards Youth and High Performance



NCTUSBC 2019 Hall of Fame Inductees -

Kelly Ray, Ron Coggins, Del Ballard, Jr., and Lea Anne Sikora

By: Tony Franklin, *Publisher* EULESS, TX - The North Central Texas USBC Association held their 4th Annual Hall of Fame Banquet and Awards Dinner on October 18th.

Each year, this event has gained momentum and attendees in recognizing some of the area's best bowlers. This year, there were over 175 in atten-

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Random Thoughts

Tony Franklin, Publisher



The PBA Clash was held last Sunday on Fox, the Clash is a season-ending carnival tournament that showcases the top eight money winners on the year.

Jakob Butturff, EJ Tackett, Jason Belmonte, Sean Rash, Anthony Simonsen, Kris Prather, Bill O'Neill and Norm Duke were the invitees.

The Clash is a non-title event that awards a \$50,000 prize to the winner, and yes that means its winner-take-all.

I'm not a fan of these types of events that exclude the rest of the pros. My main issue with this is the fact that the winner gets \$50k.

Last week was the US Open, the most difficult and prestigious tournament on the PBA tour, and the winner only got \$30,000. Yet here we are with a non-title event that only includes eight players and it somehow pays more to the winner than the US Open.



In most cases, these types of events are for ratings, as they include only the best of the best of the PBA tour, and the Clash does exactly that. But this is a disservice to all of the pros that support the tour week in and week out. When only eight players get to participate it's a poor use of PBA resources. And when only ONE player gets the money, that's an even bigger disservice.

The PBA needs to find ways to reward the best performances with the most money, not those that have already had a good year financially. The rich get richer should not be the goal. There should never be a time when the carnival events pay more than the biggest tournaments.

If I was a tour pro I would really hate this approach.

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I wanted to give everyone an update on one of the finest people I know, and true friend of the paper, Dee Munsell.

Dee has pneumonia and has been in the hospital since late last week. He is in ICU in room 3120 at Texas Health Harris Southwest if you want to give him a shout.

Get well soon Dee...we love you.

LAVOIE US OPEN

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Rash opened with a strike but did not throw another until the ninth frame when his third major title already was out of reach.

Rash was in a familiar position as the No. 1 seed, having won the 2007 United States Bowling Congress Masters and 2012 PBA Tournament of Champions from there.

"I'm great, honestly," Rash said. "I led the U.S. Open, which is a dream come true. I've always wanted to make this show. Frankie bowled unbelievable. He started with the front five on a pair that was extremely brutal. He's a two-time champion at this event for a reason. It was a great performance, and he out-bowled me. I'm happy with my preparation and thought process and everything that was going on. I have no regrets from today, and I feel like this still was one of my best seasons overall."

Despite the loss, Rash indeed is winding down one of his best seasons in a career that began in 2005. His 2019 campaign includes two titles and more than \$145,000 in earnings. He took home \$15,000 for Wednesday's runner-up finish.

In the night's four matches, there only were three strings of strikes longer than a double, and Lavoie had two of them on what he considered the most challenging of the week's four oil patterns.

His keys to success on all the patterns were surface management and different hand positions.

"I wasn't ever really comfortable on this pattern for the 32 games we bowled on it, and going into match play, I was

pretty nervous about holding onto a spot on the show for another 24 games," said Lavoie, who averaged less than 200 for his first eight games on the week's final oil pattern. "I had a hard time getting my hand to do what I wanted to get the right ball motion, but we stuck with it and stayed in it. Throwing the front five in the final game was huge, especially since our plan was just to try to hit the 1-3 every time. That pair was really hard."

On the way to his first U.S. Open title in Las Vegas, Lavoie also managed to string strikes in what is considered one of the sport's toughest environments. That year, he also was the second seed and advanced to the title match by becoming the first bowler in history to roll a perfect game on a U.S. Open television show.

Lavoie rolled into this year's championship match simply

by filling frames, another key to success on the demanding conditions at the U.S. Open.

The Team Canada member posted a clean 214-164 win against two-time major champion Anthony Simonsen, 22, of Little Elm, Texas, who was looking to earn his eighth PBA Tour title and become the youngest player to win three majors.

Simonsen, who won the 2016 USBC Masters and 2019 PBA Players Championship, advanced to Wednesday's semifinal with a 187-148 win against 11-time major champion and 2019 PBA Player of the Year front-runner Jason Belmonte of Australia.

After three solid shots to start the match, Belmonte failed to get more than six pins on four of his next five first balls. The 36-year-old two-hander tried everything to get back

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Date	Tournament Detail	Location
Nov 30-Dec 1, 2019	Wild Turkey Mixed Tournament - \$2k added	Forum
Jan 25-26, 2020	Mixed Doubles - \$3k added	Bowlero Eules
Feb 8-9, 2020	Youth City - \$3k added	TBD
Feb 10-23, 2020	Senior - \$1k added	Mail-O-Graphic
April 18-19, 2020	Ladies City - \$2k added	AMF Sparetime
April 26, 2020	Youth/Adult Doubles - \$2k added	Watauga
May 2-3 & 9-10	Open City Championship - \$10k added	Cityview
July 11-12, 2020	After the Fire Works - Mixed Trios - \$2k added	TBD

HONOR ROLL



Men

Bo Bolon, Tenpins & More.....	879
Brian Childress, JB's Allen Bowl.....	855
Tony Franklin, Plano Super Bowl.....	820
Jimmy McGahan, Forum Bowl.....	811
Allan Smith, Killeen Bowlerama.....	794
Larry Millican, Mel's Lone Star Lanes.....	793
Lawrence Cooks-Stallworth, USA Bowl.....	789
Micah McCracken, Cowtown Bowling Palace.....	786
Tyler Albracht, Western Bowl.....	780
Joey Hyde, Pin Center Bowl.....	766
Melvin Goss, Terrell Bowl.....	761
Ben Hogan, Hallmark Lanes.....	759
Johnny Michael, Hilltop Lanes.....	749
J C Mann, Red Bird Lanes.....	732
Michael Holtfrerich, Strikz.....	690
Tice Hopkins, Ennis All Star Bowl.....	677
Sam Gonzales, Sr., Big Spring Bowl-A-Rama.....	676

Women

Cindy Mann, Plano Super Bowl.....	771
Stacy Starry, JB's Allen Bowl.....	770
Stephanie Hamric, Killeen Bowlerama.....	760
Carrie Wichers, Western Bowl.....	759
Debby Carter, Mel's Lone Star Lanes.....	732
Dana Miller-Mackie, Tenpins & More.....	717
Patty Ellington, Terrell Bowl.....	695
Demetrya Wilson, Forum Bowl.....	689
Kim Kemp, Hallmark Lanes.....	671
Deanna Hoffman, Red Bird Lanes.....	661
Cathy Sposito, USA Bowl.....	639
Mariana Noordhoek, Cowtown Bowling Palace....	637
Selena Murray, Pin Center Bowl.....	628
Candy Torrey, Strikz.....	628
Samantha Armstrong, Hilltop Lanes.....	621
Annie Whittington, Ennis All Star Bowl.....	590
Lori Gonzales, Big Spring Bowl-A-Rama.....	529



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Jakob Butturff Shrugs Off Errant Shot to Win \$50,000 Winner-Take-All Prize in 2019 PBA Clash

By: Jerry Schneider
LAKE WALES, Fla. (Nov. 3, 2019) – Jakob Butturff of Tempe, Arizona, outlasted seven other top money earners from the 2019 Go Bowling! PBA Tour season and defeated EJ Tackett of Bluffton, Indiana, in the championship match to win the \$50,000 winner-take-all prize in the second PBA Clash which aired Sunday on FOX Sports from the Kegel Training Center.

The 25-year-old left-hander, who has won three titles in 2019 including the USBC Masters for his first major, got off to an inauspicious start in the championship match, throwing a gutter in the first frame. He learned from his mistake, converted the spare, and threw strikes in nine of his next 11 shots to beat Tackett, the 2019 Barbasol PBA Tour Finals winner, 258-244, for the win.

"If I'm executing the way I should, throwing the ball out to the gutter is my best look and where I get the best results," said Butturff. "Obviously you don't want to throw it (into the gutter) in a critical situation but if it's going to happen that's the place to do it because you have time to recover."

The eliminator format event showcased the season's top eight money earners from the 2019 season concluding with the FloBowling ATX Invite in September. In addition to Butturff and Tackett, other players earning berths in the non-title special event were Australian two-hander Jason Belmonte, Sean Rash, Anthony Simonsen, Kris Prather, Bill O'Neill and 55-year-old PBA Hall of Famer Norm Duke.

Competition began with all eight bowlers completing a 10th frame opening round with the low score eliminated. The seven remaining players then bowled subsequent rounds which consisted of a one-ball, low-man-



PBA CEO Colie Edison with Champion Jakob Butturff

out format. The two survivors advanced to the complete-game winner-take-all finale.

After the 10th frame round, Prather, the winner of the \$100,000 first prize in the inaugural PBA Playoffs in June, was eliminated with a nine-count for the frame after leaving the 2-8 and failing to convert the spare.

Butturff faced early elimination in the 10th frame round after leaving 2-4-6-7-10 split on his first ball, but he converted the spare and struck on the final ball to advance to the second elimination round.

"It was a bad shot; I thought it was the end of the tournament for me," said Butturff, who was eliminated late in the one-ball elimination round of the inaugural Clash in 2018. "If I make the spare, it's probably going to be the most difficult spare I've made on TV so I told Kris (Prather) it would be awesome for the TV show if I can make it. You have nothing to lose at that point so the pressure's off – just take your best shot and hope for the best."

In the one-ball elimination that made up rounds 2-6,

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At USA Bowl

Cooks-Stallworth conquers 789, Sposito claims 639

Lawrence Cooks-Stallworth compiled a top notch 246-278-265 = 789 Pony Express set to gain the top spot on the honor roll for the month at USA Bowl.

Cathy Sposito, also from the Pony Express group, led the ladies with a highly commendable 215-191-233 = 639 series.

HONOR ROLL

Derek Hampton 255, Mike Yates 667, Roxanne Sifuentes 158, Joyce Waltrip 422, John Alpin 244-625, Jan

Aplin 198, Vicky Alcorn 527, Devion Green 241-587, Rebecca Titus 161-381, Wendell Myers 279.

Arvese McGraw 213-570, Michael Lewis 732, Libby Burks 255, Ken Hughey 245-658, Melody Richie Foster 617, Connie Holmes 236, Jeffrey Crawford 266-714, Vanessa Brown 620, Austin Ellis 288.

Cathy Sposito 257, Al Baragas 216, Juley Anderson 167-412, Drew Thomas 595, Joseph Puckett 216-625, Dana Short 256-615, Jeffrey Crawford

248, Connie Holmes 228-603, David Johnson 684.

Earl Davis 165-300, Kaye Cameron 186-310.

SENIORS

Ron Swanson 215, Pat Warnock 166, Micky Girard, Sr. 632, Carolyn Rush 435.



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Boys

Robert Davie, Jr., Killeen Bowlerama	757
Josh Burnett, Tenpins & More.....	736
Thomas BaDour, Mel's Lone Star Lanes.....	695
Jaxson Bonnett, Hallmark Lanes	656
Gannon Takayesu, USA Bowl	644
Sean Morgan, Plano Super Bowl	629
Dustin Walters, Cowtown Bowling Palace.....	605
Zachary Smullen, Strikz.....	601
Jakob Budnik, JB's Allen Bowl.....	567
David Carter, Forum Bowl.....	545
Micah Wagner, Red Bird Lanes.....	539
Brandon Rogers, Big Spring Bowl-A-Rama.....	468
Manny Escobar, Ennis All Star Bowl.....	280

Girls

Jaelle Hamman, Mel's Lone Star Lanes.....	619
Caitlin Schirripa, Hallmark Lanes	618
Lara Kurt, USA Bowl	608
Jamie Meuth, Tenpins & More.....	566
Katie Heady, Plano Super Bowl	542
Charisse Graham, Forum Bowl	537
Madison Damer, Strikz.....	501
Grace Hinz, Cowtown Bowling Palace.....	484
Morgan Hopkins, Ennis All Star Bowl.....	471
Jessica Hubbard, JB's Allen Bowl	454
Liz Hoffman, Red Bird Lanes	441
Nyssa White, Killeen Bowlerama	414
Alyssa Pullins, Big Spring Bowl-A-Rama	335

NCTUSBC USBC Youth Results

Dustin Walters led the Fort Worth-area USBC youth bowling last week with a thundering 240-185-180 = 605 Strikers series at Cowtown Bowling Palace.

Charisse Graham paced the girls with a rollicking 209/537 Forum Strikers set at Forum Bowl.

At Cowtown Bowling Palace – Grace Hinz 162-484, Nathan Press 231, Gyanna Simmons 175, Jake Swift 224, Sommer Swiney 147, Eddie Newcomb

127, James Poff 123-347, Zayley Teeler 84-232, Gabriel Marquez 94, Noah Ritter 99-195, Maelin Pearson 86-164, Cristian Dubon 88, Alany Lopez-Crews 69, Elijah Gaudette 69.

At Forum Bowl – Cohen Jones 98-173, Aaliyah Knight 90-167, Landon Love 110-294, Makenly Branagan 106-275, David Carter 202-545, Matthew Reed (6 games) 226-729, Kelsey Quinney (6 games) 223-669.

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Tackett and Butturff were the last two players left standing with a strike and nine-count, respectively. They outscored 2019 PBA Players Champion-

ship winner Anthony Simonsen in the sixth round after he could only manage seven pins, leaving the 3-6-10.

Duke was eliminated in Round 2 with a seven-count after four roll-offs. O'Neill was eliminated in Round 3, which also required four roll-offs,

with nine. Rash was eliminated in Round 4 with eight, and Belmonte was eliminated in Round 5 after two roll-off frames, with nine.

“A format like this really tests your ability to think on the fly so you can give yourself

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Dallas USBC Youth Scores

Gannon Takayesu headed the Dallas-area USBC youth bowling last week with a power-packed 279/644 Roto Grip Youth Sport Challenge series at USA Bowl.

Lara Kurt, Takayesu's league mate, paced the girls with an outstanding 217/608 set.

At Ennis All Star Bowl – Manny Escobar 107-280, Morgan Hopkins 179-471.

At JB's Allen Bowl – Joshua Breidenthal (2 games) 110-213, Clara Campbell (2 games) 230-464, Anthony

Allen 85-206, Bryan Coggins 140-356, Heather Hubbard 137-387, Daniel Corekin 133-360, Jessica Hubbard 162-454, Karter Fales 67-184, Alberto Svedvik 127-329, Annika Svedvik 141-365, Jakob Budnik 201-567, Olivia Desderio 115-337, Richie Duvall 155-421.

At Plano Super Bowl – Caleb Ebner 125-297, Keira Sampson 78-219, Joshua Richardson 143-378, Zoha Calton 100-278, Jack Melendez 209-458, Alexis Leavell 163-427, Jonah Douglass 191-531, Cole Phan 175-456, Nicole Phan 96-268, Sean Morgan 229-629,

Brittany Eaton 120-335, Luke Henke 194-488, Noah Raleigh 188-550, Malorie Samples 141-362, Caden Witt 218-563, Katie Heady 198-542, Connor St. John 211-559, Cheyenne Williams 180-467, Brady McDonough 203-541, Landon Jones 169-500, Joshua Fullerton (2 games) 93-164, Evie Gable (2 games) 79-155.

At Red Bird Lanes – Micah Wagner 203-539, Liz Hoffman 167-441, Matt Johnson 178-487, Beverly Hoffman 144-416, Nich Sosebee 193-441, Robert Warden 158-392.

At Strikz – Zachary Smullen 245-601, Tyler Keeton 192-565, Patrick Thomas 184-463, Owen Smullen 144-383, Roman Reece 224-546, Anmol Dhar 121-328, Jake Hernandez 171-482, Hunter McMillin 155-402, Colton Bervig 168-452, Ryan Bartek 175-420, Jack Kramer 140-392, Logan Solis 187-458, Ryan Rolfe 136-342, Jack Rolfe 108-310, Matthew Abebe 116-318, Matthew Lopez 173-449, Kevin Martinez 190-399, Avery Barnes 133-313, Turner Spofford 130-347, Jake Sullivan 181-424, Enrique Arredondo 180-411, Bryce Herrington 163-468, Owen Christian 148-418, Brandon Moon 154-381, Trenell Dixon 144-309, Josh Howard 191-501, Matthew Howard 151-369, Madison Damer 186-501, Gabriela Gamboa 120-340, Emily Mendez 117-337, Bethany Abebe 157-395, Ireland Spofford 199-443, Alexia Moon 143-414.

Southwest-Area USBC Youth Scores

Robert Davie, Jr. led the Southwest-area USBC youth bowling last month with a high-powered 269/757 Adult/Youth series at Killeen Bowlerama.

Jaelle Hamman, from the Homeschool Strikers group, paced the girls with a sparkling 200-189-236 = 619 set at Mel's Lone Star Lanes.

At Big Spring Bowl-A-Rama, Big Spring, TX – Brandon Rogers 196-468, Casey Buchanan 141-374, Allen Rawls 122-361, Alyssa Pullins 135-335, Blaze Estes 121-307, Hoylt Ashton 106-303, Justin Blackwell 103-250, Jasiah Flores 74-196, Nathaniel Flores 75-196, Drake Pechacek 60-166.

At Hallmark Lanes, Killeen, TX – Solomon Loyd 170, Ty Carter 404, Hailee Duerre 113-284, Jaxson Bonnett 257-656, Kama Rangel 201-534, Ty Carter 144-422, Hailee Duerre 130-307, Aaron Duerre 232, Tyler Blackman 625, Anna Leon-Guerrero 237-615, Ty Carter 176-475, Hailee Duerre 100-271, Chance Jackson 220-574, Caitlin Schirripa 234-618, Jordan Cina 233, Jayce Borja 589, Caitlin Schirripa 189-544.

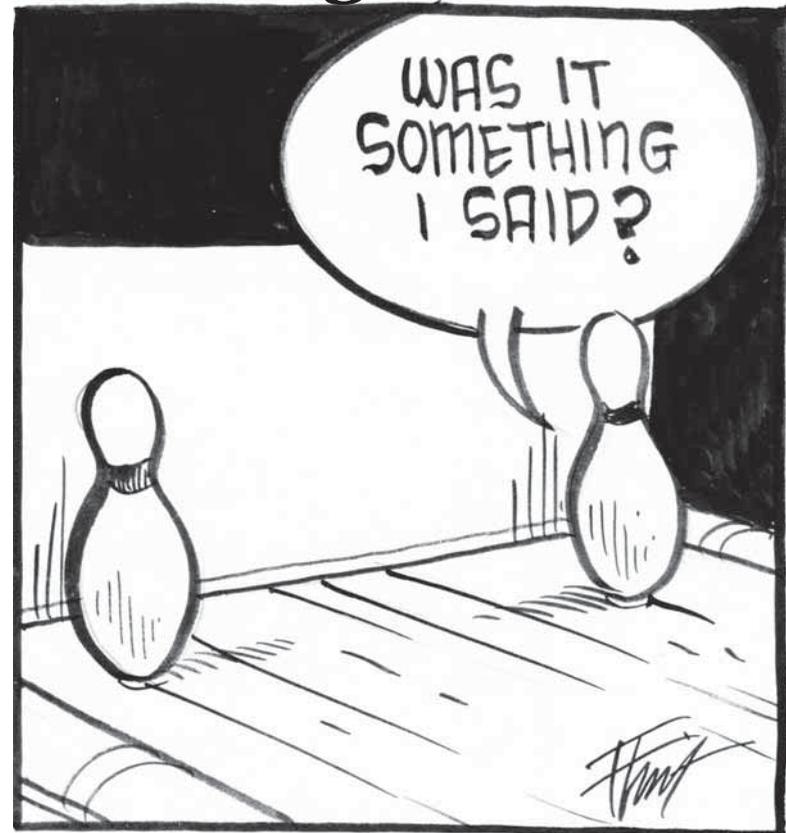
At Killeen Bowlerama, Killeen, TX – Austin Quarles 228-547, Nyssa White 146-414, Cameron Brown 130-379, Hermanhi Daniel 135-369, Jay Davie 163-374.

At Mel's Lone Star Lanes, Georgetown, TX – Robert Hamman 255-612, Robert Hamman (4 games) 219-723,

Jaelle Hamman (4 games) 259-830, Milton Hastings 196-523, Braleigh McBride 151-465, Thomas BaDour 262-695, Halia Ponce 249-551, JaMaka Duve 125-234, Holly Bermudez 119-223, Aston Lee Carrillo 91-171, Gabby Jett 90-179.

At Tenpins & More, Rio Rancho, NM – Jamie Meuth 215-566, Matthew Mulder 234-587, Jessica Heacock 177-381, Josh Burnett 279-736, Yarelis Alvarez (4 games) 236-817, Josh Burnett (4 games) 214-774, Ashley Abbott 179-508, Vincent Simmons 167-398.

Lane Laughter



YOUTH TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

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Collegiate Ticker



By: Aaron Smith

A steady performance in Baker play is an integral part of finding success throughout the United States Bowling Congress Collegiate season, and the Pikeville women and Lincoln Memorial men showcased their team chemistry on the way to victory last weekend at the Brandon Burns Collegiate Baker Classic.

The women's event was held at Lanes, Trains and Automobiles in Murfreesboro, Tennessee, while men's competition took place at Smyrna Bowling Center in Smyrna, Tennessee. The tournament featured 40 Baker games, with total pinfall determining the champion in each division.

In the women's division, Pikeville proved to be the most consistent of the 17 women's

varsity teams, claiming the top spot with a 7,801 total. Martin Methodist finished in second place with 7,692, and University of the Cumberland was third with 7,500.

On the men's side, Lincoln Memorial kept Martin Methodist at bay down the stretch, rolling scores of 201 or better in 10 of its final 11 games to earn the win with an 8,585 total. Martin Methodist was second with 8,401, and Pikeville took third out of the 20 men's varsity programs with 8,014.

In other USBC Collegiate action over the weekend:

- At the Hammer Bearcat Open in Fairview Heights, Illinois, the Nebraska women won the final two games against Central Missouri to claim the title, 4-3.

- At the Caldwell Cougar

Classic in Rockaway, New Jersey, the Maryland Eastern Shore women swept Monmouth in the bracket finals, 4-0.

- At the American Heartland Intercollegiate Bowling Conference I in Canton, Michigan, the Alma women and Bowling Green State men rolled to the top spot.

- At the Lions Classic in St. Charles, Missouri, the Midland men and women each claimed bracket wins in their respective divisions.

- At the Stout State Open in Eau Claire, Wisconsin, top-seeded Viterbo recorded the bracket win in the women's division over Marian (3-1), while the Waldorf men bounced back to win the final three games against Highland CC to claim the title, 3-1.

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the best opportunity to perform in the clutch," said Butturff, who has had issues missing easy spares at critical times in matches in the past. "In the early rounds your mindset is 'don't do worse than they did' but eventually that changes to putting pressure on your opponent when you bowl head-to-head in a title match.

"You had eight guys who got here because of their ability to come through in clutch situations," Butturff added. "It can be nerve-racking but this is what I love to do so you just get into competitive mode and get the job done."

The 2020 PBA Tour season begins with the PBA Hall of Fame Classic Jan. 14-19 at the International Training and Research Center on the International Bowling Campus in Arlington, Texas. The stepladder finals will air live on FS1 on Sunday, Jan. 19 at 1 p.m. ET.

2019 PBA CLASH FINAL RESULTS

(aired Sunday on FOX Sports)

Championship Match
Jakob Butturff, Tempe, Ariz. (\$50,000) def. EJ Tackett, Bluffton, Ind., 258-244.

10th Frame Elimination Round One (Low score eliminated)

1. Sean Rash, Mont, Ill., 30.
2. Bill O'Neill, Pa., 30.
3. Norm Duke, Fla., 20.
4. Anthony Simonsen, Tx, 20.
5. Jakob Butturff, Ariz., 20.
6. Jason Belmonte, Aust., 20.

7. EJ Tackett, Ind., 20.
8. Kris Prather, Plainfield, Ill., 9 (eliminated).

One-Ball Low-Man-Out Elimination Round (low first ball count after each round eliminates players to determine final two players for championship match. Players tying for low score advance to another one-ball roll-off to break tie)

Round 2 - Duke eliminated with 7 after fourth roll-off.

Round 3 - O'Neill eliminated with 9 after fourth roll-off.

Round 4 - Rash eliminated with 8.

Round 5 - Belmonte eliminated with 9 after second roll-off.

Round 6 - Simonsen eliminated with 7.

Tackett, with 10, and Butturff with 9 in sixth round, survived to advance to title match.

At Strikz

Holtfrerich fields 690, Torrey rolls 628

FRISCO - Michael Holtfrerich headed the leader boards last week at Strikz by logging laudable 238-216-236 = 690 numbers in Tuesday Penniless league action.

Candy Torrey paced the ladies with a tidy 201-226-201 = 628 Lousy Bowlerz set.

HONOR ROLL

Kevin Higar 235-619, Spencer Spofford 202-579, Debbie Colby 201-579, Kevin Smith 233-611, Chris Marino 202-572, Ron Rankin 236-641, Joshua Dytko 235-617, David Dytko 223-586.

Candy Torrey 194-578, Mark Timm 214-589, Jennifer Blythe 177-503, Jordan Duyck 210-575, Kathy Bernthal 160-431, Stephanie Hapka 166-457, Gena Sellers 169-456, Luanne Hinsey 174-506.

Sue Ellis 174-481, Sharon Lawrence 161-471, Julie Francis 178-439, Jacki Myrice 168-464, Cathy Eberly 225-577, Pat Murphey 166-431, Eunice Burgess 155-443, Jonny Matusik 203-577.

Don Ariatti, Jr. 222-593, Steve Ray 226-628, Mark Donnelly 256-660, Scott Noll 235-661, Jason Shuffield 257-677, Ray Barnes 202-574, Amy Marshall 201-511, Kim Lorenzen 213-626.

Kim Lorenzen 225-629, Daryl Ellis 204-559, John Flood 212-569, Tom Frank 213-503, Al Brabant 201-554, Bill Fisher 192-509, Bruce Eisen 181-518, Suzanne Ferguson 202-501, Debbie Colby 194-530.

David Gorrebeek 233-631, Cathy Eberly 171-509, Mark Johnson 266-632, Rick Irvine 257-671, Loren Tenczar 222-619, Scott Orofino 226-639, Dwight Stein 214-624, Brian Goldsmith 180-529.

Brian Vorel 209-588, Adam Damer 189-523, Christina Damer 143-411.

SENIORS

Gary Condensa 177-459, Jack Muse 180-509, Jeanne Staley 159-462, Bob Staley 189-536, Donny Segerstrom 160-434, Tom Frazier 157-448, Jack Greeley 162-455, Eunice Burgess 153-423.

Vicki Wilson 147-429, Zo Sexton 164-475.

LOOKING BACK

20 YEARS AGO

Mark Williams elected to PBA Hall of Fame...Dennis Francis wins first SASBA title over Dee Munsell in Shreveport... Thomas Sapp led the honor roll with 835 at AMF Grove, great dude...Mike Scroggins had 827 at Western...Leon Herron shot 812 at AMF Jupiter...Tiffany Stanbrough led the ladies with 744 at 66 Bowl...Sharon Gilmore rolled 712 at AMF DeSoto... Parker Bohn III wins his 22nd title in Canandaigua, NY... Dennis Kuhn a perfect game at AMF Richardson.

30 YEARS AGO

Teata Semiz wins PBA Senior title number 5 in Florida... Myra Mitchell wins the Oasis tournament at Triangle-Irving... Jimmy Thompson led the honor roll with 824 at Showplace-Austin...Benny Kirkpatrick shot 773 at Showplace-Eules... Loren Trnhaile with 772 at Blazer...Judy Bowers led the ladies with 718 at Forum...Pam Reynolds had 711 Watagua..Mitch Baltuch takes the CASH at DC West...Remo Williams wins Southern PBA Regional in Alexandria, LA...Dino Castillo takes NTTB at Bachman Lanes.

40 YEARS AGO

Jimmy Taylor shot a 300 game at All Star West...John Anderson and Roger Sellers led the honor roll respectively at Ridglea and All Star FW with 790...Robbie Kaufman had 772 at Wedgwood...Donna Dillon led the ladies with 691 at Alpine...Ruth Farris shot 679 at Meadowbrook...Nadine Foster with 664 at Valwood...Larry Laub wins PBA Kessler Open and \$11,000.

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position round match, defeated runner-up Pete Thomas, from Oklahoma City, Okla., 227-201, in that match, building his overall pinfall total including match play bonus pins for a 4,896-4,695 victory. Along with his eighth PBA50 Regional titles to go along with his 47 standard PBA Regional wins, Warren earned the \$2,000 winner's check. Warren improved his lead in the overall PBA Regional titles race to three over Dale Traber, Pete Weber and Walter Ray Williams Jr. who each have won 52 PBA Regional titles.

Thomas held off third-place finisher, Paul Fleming of Ft. Worth, Texas, who finished with 4,649 total pins, to stay in second place. Thomas earned \$1,200 while Fleming collected \$800.

The PBA Southwest Region's

next tournament will be the PBA50 Beaumont Southwest Open at Mark Williams' Crossroads Bowling Center, in Beaumont, Texas, Nov. 29-Dec. 1.

PBA50 WAXAHACHIE SOUTHWEST OPEN
Hilltop Bowl, Waxahachie, Texas, Sunday
Final Standings (after 21 games, including match play

At Ennis All Star Bowl

Hopkins hammers 677, Whittington snares 590

Tice Hopkins won high-set honors last week at Ennis All Star Bowl by polishing off robust 224-215-238 = 677 marks in Ennis Mixed Classic action.

Annie Whittington, Hopkins' league mate, led the ladies with a fine 153-192-245 = 590 set.

bonus pins):

1, Chris Warren, Grants Pass, Ore., 4-4, 4,896, \$2,000. 2, Pete Thomas, Oklahoma City, Okla., 5-3, 4,695, \$1,200. 3, Paul Fleming, Ft. Worth, Texas, 4-4, 4,649, \$800. 4, Stoney Burke Jr., Wills Point, Texas, 6-2, 4,572, \$650. 5, n-Tom Crawford, Weatherford, Texas, 5-3, 4,541, \$600. 6, John Burkett, Southlake, Texas, 5-3, 4,530,

HONOR ROLL

Mason Phillips 246-675, April Hopkins 199-569, Rick Lawrence 235-674, McKinsey Pollan 247-565, Philip Nobles 257-650, April Hopkins 215-583, Bobby Kennedy 223-564, Lisa Bittle 202-494.

Tice Hopkins 191-561, Mary Kennedy 175-468.

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7, n-Jeff Atkins, Hot Springs Village, Ark., 5-3, 4,508, \$550. 8, ss-Rick Lawrence, Waxahachie, Texas, 4-4, 4,401, \$540. 9, Tim Benson, Purcell, Okla., 3-5, 4,373, \$530. 10, ss-Steve Wright, Cypress, Texas, 3-5, 4,294, \$520. 11, Mike Bailey,

At Red Bird Lanes

Mann rings up 732, Hoffman crafts 661

J C Mann headed the leader boards last week at Red Bird Lanes by posting a high-flying 280-195-257 = 732 Sunday Night Mixed series.

Deanna Hoffman led the ladies with a sterling 221-207-233 = 661 Colts & Fillies set.

HONOR ROLL

Jennifer Thill 179-519, Lauren Cathey 205-600, Zachary Wrightstil 258-689, Roland Bernal 248-635, Phil Jackson (9 pin, no tap, 4 games) 279-988, Susan McGlothlin (9 pin, no tap,

Irving, Texas, 4-4, 4,259, \$510. 12, Steve Fields, Roanoke, Texas, 0-8, 4,211, \$500.

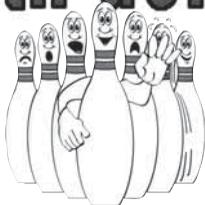
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Survey Shows Satisfaction of Open Championships Participants; 17%+ Increase Expected in Return to Reno

By: Terry Bigham

ARLINGTON, Texas – Satisfaction with the United States Bowling Congress Open Championships continued its upward trend, according to survey results of competitors at the 2019 event, and early registration numbers show the 2020 event in Reno, Nevada, projects to be at least a 17% increase in participants compared with the last time the event was held at the National Bowling Stadium.

USBC introduced significant changes to the Open Championships in 2017, including the three-division structure for better peer-to-peer competition, average requirement and team roster qualifications, and decided to withhold publication of lane patterns until after the event. The changes were designed to improve the experience and competitive environment for all participants.

The 2019 Open Championships in Las Vegas, the third year of the changes, marked the event's largest turnout in seven years, with 10,440 teams with more than 52,000 competitors. A survey of those participants showed more than 90% were either satisfied or neutral in regard to key operations of the event, including customer service, host city and venue, pace of play, event operations and online registration.

The survey also found more than 91% of participants planned to compete at the 2020 event in Reno, and the registration trend supports this finding.

The 2020 Open Championships already has surpassed the number of competitors who took part in the 2016 event in Reno (8,063 teams), and the 2020 event at the newly renovated National Bowling Stadium is trending to surpass the 2016 total by at least 17% (9,400 teams).

Other key takeaways from the survey:

- 87% either agree or don't have an opinion regarding the use of Championships Average as the entering average for the event, with 74% in the Standard Division agreeing it was a positive change for the tournament

- 79% agree or don't have an opinion regarding whether the lane conditions were appropriate for a national championship tournament and the majority (56%) agree with not revealing the lane pattern until after the event, an increase of 12% from the 2018 survey

- 94% were satisfied or neutral when asked about their satisfaction with brackets

USBC conducted the survey of 2019 USBC Open Championships participants between March 21 and Aug. 28, 2019. Based on 52,200 total bowlers in the Open Championships, 5,212 survey respondents, and a confidence interval of 95%, the survey has a margin of error of +/- 1%.



Visit BOWL.com/Open-Champ to learn more about the Open Championships.

At Cowtown Bowling Palace

McCracken turns in 786, Noordhoek hammers 637

Burkett 300

Micah McCracken earned high series honors last week at Cowtown Bowling Palace with a hard-hitting 259-265-262 = 786 Monday Mixers league outing.

Mariana Noordhoek fired a rip-roaring 245-203-189 = 637 Storm Bowling Draft Scratch Trio set to front distaff scoring.

Brian Burkett captured high-game honors with an award-winning perfecto.

HONOR ROLL

Jordan Norman 244-579, Chuck Walton, Jr. 258, Crystal Moore 233, J J Martin 257, Stella Evans 209, Cody Uthoff 289, Cathy Nelson 227, Mike Moscato 280, Caitlyn Dull 212.

Sean Lavery-Spahr 277-766, Fania Cobo 212, Mike Moore 278, Unique Edwards 216-557, Mark Moon 267-687, Les Messinger 237, George Stilen 248-693, Sandy Groh 226-633, Jason Magallon Sr. 246.

At JB's Allen Bowl

Childress tops 300/855, Starry delivers 770

Beidebach, Delaney 300's

Brian Childress outdistanced the competition last week at JB's Allen Bowl after pocketing a dual, award-winning 300-266-289 = 855 Wednesday Match Play league session.

Stacy Starry held the hot hand for the ladies with a power-packed 278-278-214 = 770 Thursday Night Mixers series.

John Beidebach and Jon Delaney shared high-game honors with Childress as each recorded an award-winning 12-bagger.

Jamie Hines 219, Tito Alegria Sr. 246, Amy Hart 218, Keith Hensle 289-747, Miki Jo Parish 227-591, Rudy Garcia, Jr. 288-759, Cathy Nelson-224, Robby Dally 279-740, R J Klann 266-758.

Grady Adams 267-696, Michael Williams 248, Gina Cochran 216-577, Jacob Olson 247, Amy Adams 205, Ray Ballaro 258-672, Lindy McKenzie 185-516, Kevin Moore 243, Kevin Smith 238.

Chris Stewart 232, April Strong 199-493, Drew Ortiz 229, Paul Nettleton 224.

SENIORS

Randy Beinlich 257, Jackie Glover 223-588, John Stewart 257-666, Gloria Walford 217, Ramiro Botello, Sr. 256, Debbie Cathey 215, Brian McKenzie 227-608, Carol Hart 180-462, Butch Beck 201.

George Hernandez, Sr. 279, Judy Biel 191-530, Johnny Zaskoda 247, Ramiro Botello, Sr. 246-665.

HONOR ROLL

John Beidebach 654, Stacy Starry 268-724, Jeremy Young 257-736, Monica Holley 225-612, Brent Ellis 277-737, Tanya Panyanouvong 188-505, Jon Delaney 716, Stephanie Calbert 228-623.

Ross Labarbera 236-650, Mike Tesauro 247-702, Kerry Smith 243-661, Glenn Funderburk 279-746, Kerry Smith 236-619.

SENIORS

Eric Waninger 224-610, Maria Robeson 214-522, Craig Lynn 230-580, Lillian Hofmann 192-521.

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At Plano Super Bowl

Franklin blasts 820, Mann levels 771

Cook-Stallworth 811, Dotson, Johnson and Tina Taylor add 300's

My bae, Tony Franklin, rocked Plano Super Bowl last week with an award-winning 289-275-256 = 820 Track Classic Trio series. Happy 20th Anniversary!

Lawrence Cook-Stallworth, from the Sportsman group, finished close behind Franklin with a 277/811 outing.

Cindy Mann led the ladies with an outstanding 215-268-288 = 771 Sportsman series.

Shawn Dotson, Chris Johnson and Tina MF Taylor posted award-winning 12-baggers to capture high-game honors.

HONOR ROLL

Jason Thomas 279-718, Danette Morgan 202-511, Chris Russell 249-712, Caroll Rodriguez 218-546, Robert Eidenier (4 games) 238-847, Natalie Walker 202-676, Alex Harcourt 288-730.

Roneshia Williams 209-538, Scott Sommer 198-542, Lou Goff 232-535, Kent Byers 267-698, Barb Wygren 182-520, Deryck Lewis 246-707, Emily Sallee 245-662, Tina Taylor 737, Cory

Taylor 254-705.

Diane Wallentine 224-620, Mario Colaluca 256-681, Susan Lee 221-568, Bruce Fallis 240-623, Marilyn Frantz 184-514, Larry Hoover 258-688, Karen Clevenger 223-562, Breanna Buchanan 226-614.

Greg Staton 278-751, Phil Tuazon 265-709, Charlie Arnt 215-604, Nancy Chalker 168-454, Doug Brown 268-723, Kelli Spencer 279-768, Matt O'Neill 279-727, Penny Eubanks 225-599.

Susan Lee 288-707, Hector Macedo 202-559, Mary Littlejohn 177-485, Bruce Greetan 252-677, Dottie Culpon 199-539, Mark Plagens 276-733, Carol Wood 236-653, Brian Shawn 242-677.

Cheryl Lucas 185-509, Jim McGarvey 278-719, Lois Abrego 200-571, Tim Crowe (4 games) 279-991, Kiyoko McDonald (4 games) 245-873, Fred Menifee 256-751, Brenda Buchanan 232-657.

Larry Parker 245-699, Pam Garcia 212-578, Terry Jones 287-755, Amber Robinson 256-647, Patrick Corey 266-759, Cindy Mann 258-742.



FOX Sports, PBA Announce Expanded Television Schedule for 2020

Go Bowling! PBA Tour Includes Additional Live Telecasts, Six Majors and More



By: FOX Sports Press Pass

LOS ANGELES – Today, FOX Sports and the Professional Bowlers Association (PBA) announced the 2020 Go Bowling! PBA Tour television schedule, which includes more shows on the FOX broadcast network, the first show featuring women bowlers and more live telecasts. The announcement was made today by Bill Wanger, FOX Sports' EVP, Head of Programming and Scheduling and PBA CEO Colie Edison.

The second year of the PBA-FOX Sports agreement features six telecasts on FOX, the most PBA action on network broadcast TV since 1999. Plus, there will be 25 shows on FS1 and a total of 23 live broadcasts, the most in 12 years (up from 19 live shows last year). Altogether, the 2020 TV schedule includes more than 60 hours of coverage.

"We are delighted to expand our Go Bowling! PBA Tour offerings," says Wanger. "In our first season, we brought new energy and excitement to the tour, highlighting the star bowlers and enhancing the broadcasts with Kegel's Specto ball-tracking technology StrikeTrack to provide real-time

ball tracking during all events."

Kicking off the 2020 PBA on FOX season will be a bonus event - PBA Clash - on Sunday, Nov. 3 on FOX. The 90-minute telecast will feature top PBA stars in a unique, \$50,000 winner-take-all competition, plus a look at the new year and upcoming events on FOX and FS1.

"We're making major investments in the PBA and the future of the tour by expanding TV coverage and increasing prize money across our tournaments," said Edison, the PBA's CEO and Chief Customer Officer of Bowlero Corp, its parent company. "Bowlero Corp purchased the PBA with the goal of strengthening its presence throughout all media and our partnership with FOX is an essential part of that objective."

Other highlights of the 2020 PBA on FOX Sports schedule include:

- Live coverage of five PBA major championships: the PBA Tournament of Champions on Sunday, Feb. 9, from suburban Akron, Ohio; the PBA Players Championship on Saturday, Feb. 15, from Columbus, Ohio; the US Open on Sunday, Feb. 23, from Lincoln, Nebraska; PBA World Championship on Wednesday, March 18, from Las Vegas, and the United States Bowling Congress Masters on Sunday, March 29, from Reno, Nevada.

- Revolutionary coverage of professional bowling's biggest event, the PBA World Series of

Bowling XI. Five consecutive days of WSOB coverage, including live finals of four PBA title events, will air from Las Vegas, March 15-19.

- The PBA Playoffs are back bigger and stronger, taking place from April 6 through May 17. The playoffs will be held in four different locations, allowing fans across the country to see their favorite bowlers in the exciting tournament.

- The PBA/PWBA Mixed Doubles take place on Sunday, July 5 live on FS1 from Denver and will include the debut of professional female bowlers on FOX Sports.

- The PBA League team competition returns to Portland, Maine, where the hometown team looks to defend its PBA League title in four live prime-time telecasts on FS1 for three consecutive nights, July 21-23.

Viewers can live stream the PBA shows on the FOX Sports and FOX NOW apps or at FOXSports.com.

In addition to the 60 hours of broadcast television, FOX Sports digital also will play a key role in expanding the PBA's visibility. Select highlights will be available on @FOXSports social handles across Twitter, Facebook, Instagram, and YouTube.

Additional details concerning tournament formats, host bowling centers and more, will be announced by the PBA soon through the PBA Network's social media outlets.

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in the match, including a switch to a urethane ball in the seventh frame and moving from the left side of the lane to the right.

The move worked on the right lane, but the 22-time PBA Tour champion split twice on the left lane, including the 2-8-10 combination in his final frame. A missed 10 pin from Simonsen in the ninth frame gave Belmonte an opportunity to at least force Simonsen to mark, but the final split ended his chances for a fifth title in 2019.

A win Wednesday would've given Belmonte his first U.S. Open title, and he would've joined USBC and PBA Hall of Famer Mike Aulby as the only players to win the Super Slam.

Belmonte has four wins at the USBC Masters, three PBA Tournament of Champions titles, two victories at the PBA

World Championship and two wins at the PBA Players Championship.

His 148 game was the lowest he has bowled on TV. His previous low came in a 214-156 loss to Wes Malott in the title match of the 2013 U.S. Open.

In Wednesday's opening match, neither Simonsen nor Bill O'Neill of Langhorne, Pennsylvania, looked immediately comfortable on the fresh 40-foot oil pattern, but two rolled 10 pins early in the game gave Simonsen a small advantage over O'Neill, who didn't deliver his first strike until the fifth frame.

A 2-8-10 split from O'Neill in the sixth frame widened the deficit, and Simonsen followed the first commercial break with four consecutive strikes to pull away for a 226-193 victory.

O'Neill, the 2010 U.S. Open winner, also was looking to become the 12th bowler in history to win the event multiple times. The 38-year-old right-hander owns 11 PBA Tour titles,

including two this season.

The field this week started with 144 players, all of whom bowled 24 games of qualifying over three days (eight games each day). Each round featured a different oil pattern, and a fourth lane condition was introduced for the cashers' round, match play and championship round.

All rounds leading up to the TV show were broadcast live at BowlTV.com and simulcast on FloBowling.

The U.S. Open is conducted jointly by USBC and the Bowling Proprietors' Association of America.

For more information on the U.S. Open, visit BOWL.com/USOpen.

2019 U.S. Open
At Victory Lanes, Mooresville, N.C.

Wednesday's results
FINAL STANDINGS
1, Francois Lavoie, Canada, 435 (two games), \$30,000

2, Sean Rash, Montgomery, Continued on Page 15

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PBA Spare Shots

By: Bill Vint

PBA PLAYER'S PERSPECTIVE: KRIS PRATHER DISCUSSES PBA PLAYOFFS VICTORY

PBA Player's Perspective, a series of YouTube interviews with PBA title winners reflecting on their victories in selected title matches, continues on Tuesday, Nov. 5, when Kris Prather of Plainfield, Ill., explains what was going through his mind when he won the inaugural PBA Playoffs in Portland, Maine.

To view the episodes, visit the PBA home page on YouTube and click on the appropriate link. Currently available is Norm Duke's perspectives on his 2011 U.S. Open victory over Mika Koivuniemi (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pQ0cGzRfnBk>).

The weekly series, with new perspectives released to the PBA's YouTube home page, will feature the following players providing personal play-by-play reflections in the weeks ahead:

- Nov. 12 - Anthony Simonsen's win in the 2019 Bear Open.
- Nov. 19 - Sean Rash discusses his 2019 Wolf Open title.
- Nov. 26 - EJ Tackett reflects on winning the 2019 PBA Tour Finals.

NICK PATE, RAFIQ ISMAIL INVITED TO WORLD BOWLING TOUR FINALS

PBA members Nick Pate of Inver Grove Heights, Minn., representing the Pan American zone, and Malaysia's Rafiq Ismail, representing the Asian Zone, have been invited to participate in the 2019 World Bowling Tour Men's Finals along with European Zone representative Arnard David Jonsson. Those three will join the top six male points leaders in World Bowling Tour for 2019 in the WBT Finals in Kuwait on Nov. 7.

The top five men, along with the top five women in WBT points, will be determined at the conclusion of the PBA-WBT Kuwait Open on Nov. 6. In the wake of his U.S. Open victory, Canada's Francois Lavoie has taken the men's points lead. The top five heading into the Kuwait Open, with current points in parenthesis, are: Lavoie (1,384); Anthony Simonsen (1,344); U.S. Open runner-up Sean Rash (1,272); AJ Johnson (1,268); Kyle Sherman (1,256), and Jakob Butturff and Jason Belmonte, who are tied with 1,240 points.

The women's points leaders heading into the U.S. Open were Danielle McEwan (2,192); Liz Johnson (2,084); Indonesia's Tannya Roumimper (1,720); Clara Guerrero (1,248); and Missy Parkin (1,184) and Maria Jose Rodriguez (1,084). Women invited to represent their respective zones are Guerrero (Pan American Zone), Singapore's Cherie Tan (Asian Zone) and Sweden's Anna Andersson, European Zone.

Both the Kuwait Open and WBT Men's and Women's Finals will be livestreamed on Nov. 6 and 7, respectively, on dailymotion.com.

CHRIS WARREN WINS RECORD 55TH PBA REGIONAL TITLE IN WAXAHACHIE

Defending champion Chris Warren, a native Texan now living in Grants Pass, Ore., built a 238-pin lead after the 13 games of qualifying and then coasted in the eight-game round robin finals to win a record 55th PBA Regional title by repeating as the PBA50 Waxahachie Southwest Open titlist at Hilltop Lanes in Waxahachie, Texas, Sunday.

Warren defeated runner-up Pete Thomas from Oklahoma City, Okla., 227-201, in the final position round match for a 4,896-4,695 victory, including match play bonus pins. Thomas held off third-place finisher Paul Fleming of Ft. Worth, Texas, who finished with 4,649 total pins, to stay in second place.

Along with his eighth PBA50 Regional title to go along with his 47 standard PBA Regional wins, Warren earned the \$2,000 winner's check.

Warren improved his lead in the overall PBA Regional titles race to three over Dale

Traber, Pete Weber and Walter Ray Williams Jr. who have each won 52 PBA Regional titles. Warren and Weber share the standard PBA Regional titles lead with 47 each while Harry Sullins of Chesterfield Township, Mich., is the PBA50 Regional titles leader with 24 wins. The current PBA Regional titles leaders include the following:

Overall Standard and PBA50 Regional Titles

- 1, Chris Warren 55
 - 2 (tie), Dale Traber 52
 - Pete Weber 52
 - Walter Ray Williams Jr. 52
 - 5, Hugh Miller 45
 - 6, Mike Scroggins 44
 - 7, Steve Jaros 43
 - 8 (tie), Ross Packard 42
 - Guppy Troup 42
 - 10, Sam Zurich 40
- Standard PBA Regional Titles
- 1 (tie), Chris Warren 47
 - Pete Weber 47
 - 3, Steve Jaros 43
 - 4, Mike Scroggins 40
 - 5, Dale Traber 39
 - 6, Sam Zurich 38
 - 7 (tie), Walter Ray Williams Jr. 33

- Hugh Miller 33
 - Ross Packard 33
 - 10 (tie), Dennis Horan 30
 - Patrick Allen 30
 - Jeff Richgels 30
- PBA50 Regional Titles
- 1, Harry Sullins 24
 - 2 (tie), Walter Ray Williams Jr. 19
 - Tom Baker 19
 - 4 (tie), George Pappas 17
 - Ron Mohr 17
 - 6, Brian Kretzer 15
 - 7, Ron Winger 14
 - 8 (tie), Dale Traber 13
 - Guppy Troup 13
 - Tim Kauble 13

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At Forum Bowl

McGahan masters 811, Wilson crushes 689

Jimmy McGahan won the high-set contest last week at Forum Bowl with a power-packed 288-266-257 = 811 Crusaders league session.

Demetria Wilson's, McGahan's league mate, blue-ribbon 210-234-245 = 689 series dominated the ladies high-set race.

HONOR ROLL

Andrea Jaksa 224-636, Sheila Burger 207-554, Jason Mahanay (9 pin) 262-735, Tami Rogers (9 pin) 280-732, Tony Herr 254-712, Tennelle Milligan 248-674, Rick Autrey 255-687, Arlette Washington 242-688, Preston Smith 255-715, Alys Hodges 177-470, Neal Cross 279-720, Karen Hoyle 226-643, Joseph Puckett 254-723, Dana Short 226-627, Gary Burch 279-704, Debbi

Czajkowski 193-498.

Jim Fullilove (4 games) 249-968, Genie Franklin (4 games) 258-926, Jason Mahanay (9 pin) 300-834, Mary Edgett (9 pin) 221-579, Leon Kinchelov 256-709, Beverly Jackson 182-485, Jason Mahanay 259-745, Holly Beers 183-486, Anthony Rowe 220-588, K C Wells 168-475, Preston Smith 269-790, Tammy Lopez 235-669, Chris Curry 260-699, Dawn Borcharding 234-655, Robert Aceves 236-692.

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NCTUSBC HOF AWARDS

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dance, that included 22 current Hall of Famers, they enjoyed a great meal, live music, and celebrated four new inductees into the NCTUSBC Hall of Fame.

This year's NCTUSBC Lewis Ray Youth Bowler of the Year awards went to Lane Thompson, 17, from Irving, and Tara Spridco, 18 a freshman at Louisiana Tech.

Thompson, won the NCTUSBC Youth City Scratch All-Events title, and bowled his first 300 game. Spridco won the Texas Youth Queens Championship and graduated Magna Cum Laude from Lake Ridge High School.

The High Performance awards were taken home by first time winners Bobby Eidenier and Genie Franklin. Eidenier had the high average with 236 and high series with 851. Franklin also took home both awards with a high average of 224 and high series of 804, both bowled at Forum.

This year the NCTUSBC Board started selecting All-Star Teams based on high averages in leagues throughout the association.

The Men's team is Bobby Eidenier, Brian Grange, Robert Warren, Kenny Hamby, and RJ Klann.

The Women's team is Genie Franklin, Jennifer Murphy, Kiyoko McDonald, Cherie DeLeon, and Tina Taylor.

The Youth All Star team is Brenden Wagner, Devin Saenz, Aidan Rickelman, Andrew Phelps, and Caitlyn Dull.

The Hall of Fame class had four highly deserving individuals, Lea Anne Sikora, Ron Coggins, Del Ballard Jr., and Kelly Ray.

Sikora, bowled her first league at the age of five in 1976 at Forest Park Lanes in Fort Worth. She has four perfect games, a high series of 801 and a high average of 220. She has multiple city and state titles along with one professional title, the 1998 PWBA SW Region Mixed Doubles title with Dave Brady.

Coggins started bowling at Hurst Bowl at the age of six, which led to a lifelong passion for the sport. He worked at Burlison Bowl during high school and eventually served as the Burlison HS Boys and Girls bowling head coach from 2003-2012. Under his leadership the school sent 16 teams to regionals and 12 team to state.

Ballard owns 13 PBA national titles that includes two US Open titles, and is a member of both the PBA and USBC Hall of Fames. His entry into the NCTUSBC HoF is more about his contribution to bowling after his bowling career slowed down. In 2010 Ballard was diagnosed with tonsil cancer, and after battling and defeating the disease, his

wife Carolyn and friends decide to start the Ballard vs. The Big C bowling tournament to raise money to fight cancer, in the eight years the event has raised over \$350,000. Ballard has owns several pro shops and the Ballard Bowling Academy which continues to teach and grow the sport.

Ray comes from great bowling bloodlines and it was just a matter of time before he was inducted into the Hall of Fame like his father Lewis and older brother Steve. He has had a prolific bowling career that began at the age of eight, and began to blossom at 14 with his first 300 game. Kelly has two PBA Regional titles along with two Red River Doubles titles with Terry Taylor.



Bobby Eidenier - NCTUSBC High Average & High Series



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NCTUSBC Men's All Star Team - Bobby Eidenier, RJ Klann and np: Brian Grange, Robert Warren and Kenny Hamby



NCTUSBC Women's All Star Team - Genie Franklin, Cherie DeLeon, Kiyoko McDonald, Tina Taylor and np Jennifer Murphy



NCTUSBC Youth All Star Team - Caitlyn Dull, Aidan Rickelman, Brenden Wagner, Andrew Phelps and np Devin Saenz



Lane Thompson - NCTUSBC Youth Bowler of the Year



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HAMMAN LONE STAR

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In the Jr. Gold competition Drake Durlinger (Liberty Hill, Tx.), Ethan Gomez (Seabrook), Breana Chewens (Wichita Falls) and Miranda Fuentes (Houston) won entries into the 2020 Jr. Gold National Championships in Las Vegas, Nevada.

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- 14th Ethan Gomez Seabrook, Tx. \$60.00
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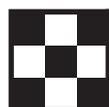
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The breakdown of this year's U.S. Open telecast on CBS Sports Network is a little more complex than my usual look at the production and presentation. In the final Open telecast on CBSSN, in a way it is a microcosm of the position the PBA has in the very fluid world of sports television.

First the telecast. The first indication of things to come was when color analyst and two time U.S. Open champion Marshall Holman said Sean Rash told him Anthony Simonsen had a great look in the practice session immediately before airtime. Well, he did, for at least the first two matches.

Going into a telecast, some know what the pace of scoring should be, but how it plays out as we saw can be stunning, shocking, or both. With the Open through the decades, we know it will be lower by design. It is a shame this wasn't explained sooner, say during the first half of the first match or to open the show. Us hard-

cores knew it was coming. But for the for the other 90% of the viewers who are learning the techy side of bowling, it may have been frustrating waiting for those 260 something games that never happened.

This is why the analysts who arrive to watch match play have an advantage. As lanes go through constant flow of transition, especially since it is only two bowlers on a pair, sharp observers take notes on ball path shape at different points of a match play block, much like the pros and ball reps do. For example, at Game 2 after the fresh is broken down, this happens. During Game 3 this style in this part of the lane may have a great look, and Game 4 this happens. Talking about these transitional traits at least gives viewers a tip of what may happen at a given time. By watching certain bowler styles using a given technique producing a specific ball path reaction (more forward roll, side roll, higher rev rate, etc.),

those signs can be used as an indicator when we might see a certain ball reaction and possible change of scoring pace.

It wasn't until between the second and third matches the difficulty in Open patterns was explained in further detail in a nice video piece by BowlTV.com's Emil Williams, Jr. Then Holman dropped the lower scoring pace of U.S. Open golf comparison in the opening frames of the Simonsen-Lavoie semifinal.

The thought had occurred to me if a third person in the booth, like Kelly Kulick and her analyst style, could have added more information, enhancing the telecast. In the world of television production, one edict over the years, as when I went through television production at St. Cloud State years ago, was to let the pictures tell the story. In today's world, however, we have come to expect with adding more information when it is relevant. That's what makes Kulick's so unique, similar Nelson Burton Jr.'s presentation years ago. Kelly simply tells us what she saw in qualifying and match play that week, then explains what will probably be the next phase of pattern transition.

One factor keeping information relevance in mind with the "World's Fastest Strike" piece and the Williams piece was Jason Belmonte's seed on the show. The interview with NASCAR driver Eric Almirola explaining his involvement with Belmo and the "World's Fastest Strike" was going to be seen before Belmo's match, whatever his seed, so that limited the placement the Williams piece where we saw it. Before the first match may

Just Paying Attention

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have set up the rest of the show would have helped, but if the telecast producer wanted to start to show with live bowling, then there wasn't anywhere else to air it.

In this high tech and information driven era, we have become accustomed to disseminating, accepting, and rejecting information at rapid paces, so breaking down a shot or what we're seeing in the next phase of pattern transition at the time it occurs can help make a television finals a joy to watch.

If you think I'm off here, write down how much information is seen in the ribbon crawl at the bottom of the screen during the telecast. Not every nanosecond of a telecast has eye riveting action for two hours, so live MLB, NBA, and NHL scores, this weekend's upcoming NFL games and the day's sports news are available.

As Fox Television and the PBA announced next year's television schedule last week, the next Open telecast is in February following the Tournament of Champions and the PBA Players Championships. It will have all the graphics Fox introduced to us last year, and I wouldn't be surprised if there are a few more new features.

The addition of the PBA to Fox Television could not have come at a better time for the

Association, helping achieve its highest television profile and ratings in decades. The network took a bit of a gamble bringing on The Association, but as it has shown over its thirty years as the fourth broadcast network, it makes those decisions pay off.

At a time when MLB's World Series, once a guaranteed ratings giant, was one of the least watched in history, PBA viewership ratings have bucked the overall trend of lower television ratings. Even featuring teams in the top ten largest media markets in the country, Series ratings have taken a slow drop over the last several decades for a variety of reasons.

I'll have a look at the PBA Clash ratings once it is released earlier this week.

Finally, this week details for the 2020 Striking Against Breast Cancer (SABC) Mixed Doubles were released on the tourney's Facebook page this past week.

According to tournament chair Donna Conners, dates will be Thursday July 30 through Sunday August 2 at Copperfield Bowl with the entry form release date of January 1, 2020. This will be the 21st version of the legendary world renown mixed doubles event, known affectionately, as "The Luci."

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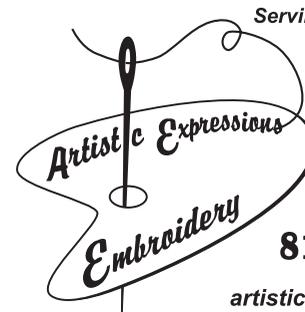
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PBA, IBM/HF PARTNER FOR SPECIAL "VIP EXPERIENCE" AT PBA HALL OF FAME CLASSIC

The PBA and the International Bowling Museum and Hall of Fame are teaming up to offer bowling fans a unique experience in conjunction with the PBA Hall of Fame Classic in January that will kick off the PBA Tour's 2020 season.

The PBA Hall of Fame Classic will take place at the International Bowling Campus in Arlington, Texas, which is home to the IBM/HF and the International Training and Research Center, where the PBA Hall of Fame Classic will be contested – all as part of a weekend that will include the induction of PBA Hall of Famers Tommy Jones, Mike Slade and Rob Glaser on Saturday, Jan. 18. The weekend will

conclude with the tournament's stepladder finals, live on FOX Sports 1 (FS1) on Sunday, Jan. 19, at 1 p.m. EST.

The IBM/HF is holding a special auction with one fan receiving a Hall of Fame VIP Experience to the weekend's activities on Jan. 18-19. The auction is underway at BowlingMuseumAuctions.com. The winner will be announced Dec. 11 at noon Eastern on the IBM/HF Facebook page and will receive:

- Round-trip travel (domestic travel only) and select meal expenses for two to the International Bowling Campus for the 2020 PBA Hall of Fame Classic;
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- Tons of photo and autograph opportunities.

All proceeds from the auction will benefit the IBM/HF's Frame4Frame Film Restoration Initiative. Go to BowlingMuseum.com to learn more about the International Bowling Museum and Hall of Fame. Also visit BowlingHeritage.com for the Bowling Virtual Vault featuring online collections at the museum.

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SCAD-Savannah Women, Webber International Men Earn Wins at Brunswick Southern Collegiate Classic

By: Emil Williams

The Savannah College of Art and Design-Savannah (SCAD) women captured their first-ever Tier I win, while the Webber International men made it back-to-back titles at last weekend's Brunswick Southern Collegiate Classic, the third Tier I event of the 2019-2020 USBC Collegiate season.

A total of 22 women's and 34 men's varsity programs competed over the weekend, with women's competition held at Bowlero Marietta and the men lacing up at Bowlero Austell. All teams bowled six traditional games Saturday and 24 Baker games Sunday, with total pinfall determining the champions in each division.

In the women's division, Martin Methodist found itself in the lead after Game 1 on Saturday, which was the last time a team other than SCAD-Savannah would hold the lead during traditional team play or Baker competition. The Bees fired 1,011 in Game 2 to move into the lead, which they never relinquished, and posted a two-day total of 10,298.

Pikeville finished second (10,095) and were the owners of the highest team game (1,071). Webber posted the highest Baker total in the women's division on Sunday to finish in third (9,955) and were followed by Martin Methodist (9,759) and McKendree (9,713).



Savannah College of Art and Design-Savannah (SCAD) Women

The Webber International men made it back-to-back Brunswick Southern titles after a dominant performance in the men's division. Like the SCAD-Savannah women, the Warriors claimed the lead in Game 2 after posting 1,166, which set the course for a trip to the winner's circle. The Warriors posted the highest team and Baker totals to cruise to the title with a total of 11,681.

Despite tossing the highest team game of the event (1,189), McKendree never could catch Webber in the standings and never fell lower than second (11,306). The SCAD-Savannah men began Baker in fifth place before posting the second-highest Baker set (4,969) to settle into third with a total of 11,216. Indiana Tech (11,153) and Lincoln Memorial (11,053) rounded out the top five.

The all-tournament teams in each division were determined

after Saturday's six-game block.

The top performers in the women's division were led by SCAD-Savannah's Rebekah Commene, who fired a six-game total of 1,298, an average of 216.33. Lauren Piotrowski of Pikeville was second (1,294), followed by Caitlyn Johnson of Webber (1,271), Emmanuel's Elizabeth O'Brien (1,206) and Paige Stokes of Northern Kentucky (1,184).

The men's team featured Jacob Balsler of Indiana Tech, who paced the field with a six-game pinfall total of 1,438, an average of 239.7. Tommy Hankey of Webber was second with (1,428), and was followed by McKendree's Andrew Orf (1,371), Webber's Evan Baranecky (1,366) and Michael Mirabile of St. John's (1,364).

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SOUTHEAST	Oct. 19-20	Raleigh, North Carolina	Buffaloe Lanes North
MIDWEST	Nov. 2-3	Olathe, Kansas	Mission Bowl
NORTHEAST	Nov. 9-10	Howell, New Jersey	Howell Lanes
UPPER MIDWEST	Nov. 10	Des Moines, Iowa	Bowlerama Lanes
LOWER GREAT LAKES	Nov. 16-17	Lafayette, Indiana	Mike Aulley's Arrowhead Bowl
COASTAL SOUTH	Jan. 4-5	Winter Park, Florida	Alama Bowl
PACIFIC SOUTHWEST	Jan. 18-19	Fremont, California	Cloverleaf Family Bowl
HEARTLAND	Jan. 26	Bloomington, Illinois	Pheasant Lanes
SOUTHWEST	Feb. 9	Las Vegas, Nevada	Suncoast Bowling Center
UPPER GREAT LAKES	Feb. 9	S. St. Paul, Minnesota	Concord Lanes
MOUNTAIN	Feb. 16	Colorado Springs, Colorado	King Pin Lanes
SOUTH CENTRAL	Feb. 23	Norman, Oklahoma	Sooner Bowl
OHIO VALLEY	Feb. 29 - Mar. 1	Dayton, Ohio	Poelking Lanes South
ATLANTIC EAST	Mar. 7-8	Murfreesboro, Tennessee	Murfreesboro Strike & Spare
NEW ENGLAND	Mar. 22	Woonsocket, Rhode Island	Walnut Hill Bowl
SOUTH	Mar. 28-29	Vestavia Hills, Alabama	Vestavia Bowl



Up Your Average

By Susie Minshew



What's the Point of That Ball Rolling Period Before League?

The ball-rolling period before league starts is not "practice," regardless of the announcement, "Good evening and welcome to the members of Split Happens League. Your

lanes are coming on for your ten minutes of practice." When your coach asks you if you have practiced since your last lesson, these brief moments before league don't count.

Practice is really training - a craft-honing event where you ignore score and focus on whatever task you have decided to improve this session. Sometimes the scoring monitor is on so the house can keep track of your frames. That doesn't mean you have to pay attention to it.

You can't practice striking, for example, but you can train on getting to the line leveraged or changing your axis rotation on demand or seeing how targeting different distances down the lane

affects your accuracy. Train-

ing is the time to develop and hone skill sets you can use in competition.

Going From One Lane to the Other

Since games are usually conducted on two lanes, which by the way are not a "pair," you usually try to throw on both lanes. Good idea. What's not a good idea is to systematically go from one lane to the other in "order." You won't get very many shots that way.

In fact, you will greatly decrease the amount of shots you get by throwing on lane 14 and then getting in line to take a shot on lane 13. If six people are in one line and three in the other, go to the shortest line. The most important thing to get as many shots as possible.

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Illinois, 172 (one game), \$15,000

3, Anthony Simonsen, Little Elm, Texas, 577 (three games), \$12,000

4, Jason Belmonte, Australia, 148 (one game), \$10,000

5, Bill O'Neill, Langhorne, Pa., 193 (one game), \$8,000

STEPLADDER RESULTS
Match No. 1 - Simonsen def. O'Neill, 226-193

Match No. 2 - Simonsen def. Belmonte, 187-148

Semifinal - Lavoie def. Simonsen, 214-164

Championship - Lavoie def. Rash, 221-172

COLLEGIATE TICKER

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- At the Golden Eagles Invite in Rockford, Illinois, the Purdue men took home wins against Mount Mercy and Rock Valley to win the bracket, while Saint Xavier bested Wisconsin-Milwaukee and Mount Mercy to claim the top spot.

- At the Canadian Maple Classic in Lockport, New York, the Rochester Institute of Technology men cruised to the top pinfall total.

- At the American Heartland Intercollegiate Bowling Conference II in Canton, Michigan, the Bowling Green State men completed the sweep with a strong showing in their final Baker game, and the Wright State women finished the weekend with a win.

For the complete results and the full schedule for the 2019-2020 season, visit www.bowl.com.



At Western Bowl

Albracht catches 780, Wichers scores 759

AMARILLO, TX - Tyler Albracht took top honors this past week at Western Bowl with a power-packed 235-289-256 = 780 Cosmo Mixed series.

Carrie Wichers drilled a classy 225-257-277 = 759 Skylighters Mixed series heading the ladies high-set chart.

HONOR ROLL

Tristan Sutterfield 278-777, Brian Collier 266-716, Billy Hill 268-726,

Brian Brown 268-749, Randall Morris 258-706, Curtis Parker 255-723, Shon Covey 248-705, Chuck Collins 267-721.

Paul Bryson 266-714, Kirk Kerbo 256-703, Mark Epperson 279-760, Eddy Kelley 268-713, Elijah Sledge 253-718, Brent Beavers 278-710, Jeff Campbell 286-731, Gary Dunn 258-759.

Cory Sharp 279-740, Candra Clary 232-677, Jennifer Polk 245-651, Cindy Brock 233-663, Melanie Scroggins 224-627.

At Pin Center Bowl

Hyde delivers 298/766, Murray crafts 628

CLEBURNE - Joey Hyde's first-rate 298-192-276 = 766 session ended as the number one set for the month at Pin Center Bowl in the Casino league outing.

Selena Murray led the ladies with a robust 237-191-200 = 628 PCB Masters showing to front the fem scoring.

HONOR ROLL

Steve Graeve 235-643, Selena Murray 235-614, Tony Maggers 277-698, Steve Graeve 232-660, Becky Lee 207-537, Joey Hyde 258-689, Debbie Harth 232-574, Brian Boase 243-646, Terra Johnson 202-567.

Jeff Sorensen 235-629, Shirley Johnson 188-496, Tim Dempsey 277-754, Terra Johnson 181-494, Jeff

Sorensen 290-699, Terra Johnson 223-579, Jackie Jones 247-641, Stacie Parrish 203-554.

Ken Garber 234-656, Stacie Parrish 177-503, Richard Sharp 256-689, Kay Scott 158-458, Ken Garber 269-727, Lyla Knick 180-456, Michael Murphy 289-701, Whitney White 194-501, Tim Dempsey 278-723.

Geri Connor 167-479, Jennifer Murphy 191-464, Joey Hyde 269-710, Whitney White 188-516.

SENIORS

Bill Barber 133-614, Kay Scott 190-502, Jack Anderson 226-634, Maggi Carroll 188-537, Tim Mattox 230-596, Anna Mae Petrey 171-464, Jack Anderson 258-634, Frances Boase 186-532.

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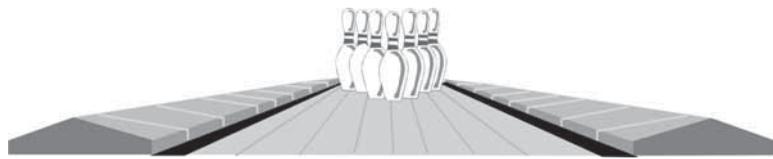


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Denton Whitten Wins Mel's Open Division House Championship

ROUND ROCK, TX - Denton Whitten outlasted the field in the annual Mel's Lone Star Lanes Open Division House Championship tournament held Saturday Oct. 12.

DJ Lichtenwalter claimed the Men's Handicap Division while Kim Tucker won the Ladies Division 1 Championship and Ping Catenacci is the Ladies Division 2 champion.



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At Big Spring Bowl-A-Rama

S Gonzales, Sr. rips 676, L Gonzales bags 529

BIG SPRING, TX - Sam Gonzales, Sr. captured the top spot on the honor roll last month at Big Spring Bowl-A-Rama with a rip-roaring 235-217-224 = 676 series in Men's Caprock league play.

Lori Gonzales was high for the ladies with a smooth 159-202-168 = 529 Tuesday Couples set.

HONOR ROLL

Tammy Newton 183-524, Kay Hendricks 167-470, Anita Maxwell 175-455, Mary Lou Saldana 171-452, Sheila Armstrong 147-427, Lorie Gonzales 147-416, Claud Fryar 225-660, James Rawls 232-659.

Ray Gutierrez, Jr. 246-640, Brad Hale 246-640, Patrick Hill 235-634,

Pete Garcia, Jr. 233-621, Adrian Zarate 226-619, Kyle Lacey 214-618, Eddie Gonzales, Sr. 208-608, David Scott 235-600.

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Aaron Farr 203-528, Shannon Coats 186-511, Tammy Newton 191-509, Mary Lou Saldana 171-502, Levi Mandrell 201-501.

At Mel's Lone Star Lanes

Millican mints 300/793, Carter levels 732

Garcia, Gibson, Jarrett 300's, Watkins 299

GEORGETOWN - Larry Millican held the hot hand for the month at Mel's Lone Star Lanes with a chart-topping 257-300-236 = 793 Thursday Thunder session.

Debby Carter, Millican's league mate, fronted fem scoring with a stately 241-243-248 = 732 set.

Albert Garcia, Travis Gibson and Michael Jarrett shared high-game accolades with Millican with award-winning perfectos. Harold Watkins took runner-up accolades with a near-perfect 299 solo.

HONOR ROLL

Albert Garcia 731, Wanda Clark 225-582, Rick Drake, Jr. 269-753, Kalista Olmeda 219-628, Harold Watkins 735, Tia Caddel 246-659, Jon Snow 287-758, Kathy Odiorne 194-540, Kim Friesen 229-622.

Bill Ruden 279 748, Pennie Chandler 205-564, Lochlaen Neurohr 259-683, Rachel Masterson 212-536, Tony Buss 279-782, Tia Caddel 223-640, Charlie Buxton 253-671, Denise Huth 231-583.

SENIORS

Bill Franks 280-741, Wanda Clark 224-606, Larry May 278-697, Wanda Clark 229-595.



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The top two scores from the first squad will be guaranteed to make the bracket finals.

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PBA REGIONAL UPDATE: CHRIS GIBBONS WINS FIRST PBA REGIONAL IN 29 YEARS

Chris Gibbons of Madison, Wis. threw three strikes in his final frame Sunday to defeat non-PBA member Jason French of Levittown, N.Y., 236-234, to win the PBA Bowl-A-Vard Midwest Open at Bowl-A-Vard Lanes in his hometown for his first PBA Regional title in 29 years.

Gibbons, who had not won a PBA Regional title since winning his only previous regional title in Belleville, Ill. in 1990, earned a first-place check for \$2,500. In the first match of the three-player stepladder finals, French defeated Jerry Marrs of Lake in the Hills, Ill., 235-187, to advance to the title match.

• Darryl Bower of Middletown, Pa. compiled an 8-0 match play record and a 16-game total of 3,417 pins to win the PBA50 Timber Lanes Open at Timber Lanes in Oxford, Pa., Sunday for his 16th career PBA Regional title.

Bower entered the position round match trailing Sammy Ventura of Norwich, N.Y. by 10 pins. Bower doubled in the 10th frame to force Ventura to throw the first strike to win the game and earn the 30 bonus pins. Ventura failed to strike, giving Bower a 215-199 win and the title by a final margin of 36 pins, 3,417-3,381.

The win was Bower's fifth in PBA50 Regional competition to go along with 11 standard regional titles. He also received \$1,500 for the win.

• Joe Cannon of Puyallup, Wash., posted a 6-1-1 match play record and knocked down 4,140 pins Sunday to win the PBA50 Dick's Pro Shop Northwest/West Open at Linn Lanes in Lebanon, Ore., for his first PBA50 Regional title.

Cannon, who earned \$1,500, defeated non-PBA member Mal Acosta of Lebanon, Ore., by 301 pins for a convincing win. Acosta had a 4-4 match play record and 3,839 total pins for his 16 games including match play bonus pins.

In the companion PBA60 Open for bowlers age 60 and older, Hugh Miller of Mercer Island, Wash., went 6-2 and knocked down 4,042 total pins for 16 games to top John Gould of Yuba City, Calif., by 114 pins and earn \$1,500. Gould had a 5-3 match play record and a total of 3,928 pins. This was Miller's eighth win as a "senior" player, and his first in the 60-and-older category.

• Kyle Mayberry of Mechanicsburg, Ohio defeated Justin

Knowles of Okemos, Mich., 269-209, to win the PBA Greater Jackson Central Open at Dave Small's JAX 60 in Jackson, Mich., Sunday for his third career regional title and the \$2,000 first prize.

Mayberry topped Chandler Stevens of Archbold, Ohio, 203-169 and Knowles downed Patrick Dombrowski of Parma, Ohio, 276-192 to set up the championship match.

• Closing out the October PBA Regional calendar will be the South Point West Challenge presented by MOTIV and the South Point Member/Non-Member Doubles presented by Hammer at South Point Bowling Plaza in Las Vegas.

PBA REGIONAL UP-**At Terrell****Goss unloads 761, Ellington uncorks 695**

TERRELL - Melvin Goss headed the leader boards last month at Terrell Bowling Center by firing a hard-hitting 225-278-258 = 761 Sunday Night Mixed series.

Patty Ellington, from the Tuesday Night Mixed group, led the ladies' race with a sky-high 246-234-215 = 695 set.

HONOR ROLL

Bryan Ellis 278-685, Katie Perales 233-544, Melvin Goss 290-721, Lisa Stewart 203-546, John Stelting 278-706,

DATE: HATTORI, WILSON, KLOEMPEN WIN AT SOUTH POINT

Zach Hattori and partner Ari Wilson, both from Henderson, Nev., teamed up to win Sunday's PBA South Point Member/Non-Member Doubles title at South Point Bowling Plaza after fellow non-PBA member Steve Kloempken of Pleasant Valley, Utah, won the South Point West Challenge portion of the PBA West Region doubleheader on Friday.

In the preliminary singles event open to non-PBA title winners, Kloempken, a former Team USA member who currently is Storm Products Vice President of Marketing, was

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At Hallmark**Hogan crushes 759, Kemp nails 671**

KILLEEN - Ben Hogan earned high-series honors for the month at Hallmark Lanes with a sizeable 268-268-223 = 759 Partytimers league showing.

Kim Kemp, from the Hit & Miss group, was red hot for the ladies with a rip-roaring 245-212-214 = 671 set.

HONOR ROLL

John Dixon 257, Mark Horton 707, Maya Dixon-Dates 193, Peyton Heidtbrink 542, Christine Scott 213-589, Mike Neal 278, Mark Horton 708, Karin Ciesiolka 244-648, Michael Dixon-Dates 237-625.

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Darius Dunem II 256, Chris Ochoa 695, Esther Navarro 246, Mark Rain3water 254, Chris Causey 645, Heather Cook 229-631, Walter Harrison 277-709, Maya Dixon-Dates 204-548, Ben Hogan 279.

Stephan Short 711, Sharon Jeffers 216-607, Tyler Combs 279-718, Kristie Duerre 268-649, John Maxwell IV 267, Kyle Bigford 665, Maya Dixon-Dates 221, Heather Cook 597.

SENIORS

Virges Collins, Jr. 255, Tony Powell 622, Sherrie Miller 205, Barbara Hernandez 547, Ray Miles 267, Chuck Lantz 674, Nee Wallace 202-518, Bob Chouinard 267-652, Barbara Person 202-524.

Rey Klossner, Jr. 255, George Chapman 732, Deb Buford 198, Brenda Washington 518, Bob Rackley 280, George Chapman 696, Brenda Washington 190, Brenda Washington 517, Rod Kensinger 259.

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perfect in defeating Deo Benard of Rio Rancho, N.M., 300-217, to earn the \$2,000 first prize.

Kloempken knocked out another non-member, Kyle Duster of La Habra, Calif., 236-192, in the semifinal round while Benard eliminated Lannodyn Carnate of Modesto, Calif., 279-236, to set up the championship match.

In Sunday's doubles title match, Hattori and Wilson defeated Cortez Schenck of Phoenix, Ariz. and Eric Hatchett of Las Vegas, 458-414, to claim the \$4,000 first prize.

Hattori and Wilson advanced to the title match by eliminating Curtis Woods of Santa Rosa, Calif. and Josh Blanchard of Mesa, Ariz., 482-459, while Schenck and Hatchett ousted Ramsey Basurto of Lancaster, Calif., and Tim Cagle II of Hercules, Calif. 435-423, in the other semifinal match.

Kloempken, Hattori and Wilson are all non-members so none of the three receive credit for a PBA title.

A busy schedule of events is on tap for November as the PBA Regional program starts to wrap up the 2019 season, beginning this weekend. On the schedule are the PBA-PBA50 Callahan's Bowling for Gold Over-Under Doubles presented by TechVision at Callahan's Bowl O Rama in Newington, Conn.; the PBA-PBA50 Decker Appraisal Services Doubles presented by Hammer at Interstate Bowl in Bristol, Va.; the Mesa East Open presented by Columbia 300 at Mesa East Bowl in Mesa, Ariz., and the

one-day Ft. Wayne Central-Midwest Open at Pro Bowl West in Ft. Wayne, Ind.

The Nov. 8-10 calendar of PBA Regional activity includes the La-Z-Boy Central Challenge for non-title winners at Monroe Sports Center in Monroe, Mich.; the Plaza Bowl Midwest Open presented by Roto Grip in Clinton, Iowa, and the Gastonia South Open presented by Brunswick at George Pappas' Liberty Lanes in Gastonia, N.C.

On the Nov. 15-17 PBA Regional weekend schedule are the PBA50 Bryan's Bowling Center Eastern Open presented by 900 Global in Laurel, Del.; the PBA50 PLYGEM Windows Rocky Mount South Open at Rocky Mount Bowling Center in Rocky Mount, Va., and the Japan Region's High Sports Cup Chameleon Open at Kashima Bowl in Kashima, Japan.

On the pre-Thanksgiving Day weekend schedule, Nov. 22-24, is the PBA50 Allstate Central Match Classic at Westland Bowl in Westland, Mich.; the Break Point Alley Member/Non-Member Doubles in Tavares, Fla., and the PBA and PBA50 Epicenter Northwest-West Open tournaments in Klamath Falls, Ore.

The only PBA Regional tournament over the Nov. 29-Dec. 1 Thanksgiving weekend will be the PBA50 Beaumont Southwest Open at Crossroads Bowling Center in Beaumont, Texas.

The PBA Regional program concludes its 2019 season with a pair of tournaments over the Dec. 6-8 weekend: the Knob Hill East Challenge at Knob Hill Country Lanes in Manalapan, N.J., and the Warren Harley-Davidson Central Challenge at

Freeway Lanes of Warren, Ohio. Both "challenge" tournaments are open exclusively to non-title winners.

For complete PBA Regional schedules, rules and entry information, visit pba.com, open the "schedules" tab and click on PBA Regional Tours to find the event(s) in your area...and remember, you can follow "live scoring" for all PBA Regional events on pba.com (easily accessible for Apple and Android device users using the PBA app).

QUICK NOTES

PBA Southwest Region Hall of Famer Nathan Bohr, a 23-time PBA Regional title-winner and three-time Southwest Region Player of the Year, married two-time PWBA champion and 11-year Team Colombia competitor Maria Jose Rodriguez in Austin, Texas.

Thirteen-time PBA Tour champion EJ Tackett and Natalie Goodman, a two-time Junior Team USA member and former Vanderbilt University bowler, will be married Saturday in Pigeon Forge, Tenn. Fellow competitors and close friends Ronnie Russell and Marshall Kent will be groomsmen.

Danny Wiseman's eighth annual Youth Scholarship Tournament held over the Oct. 12-13 weekend at AMF Country Club Lanes in Baltimore drew a sold-out field of 342 competitors and paid out \$33,850 in scholarship money. For details, visit Wiseman's website: <http://dannywisemanbowling.com>.

Reminder: The IBM/HF is holding a special auction with one fan receiving a PBA Hall of Fame Classic VIP Experience Jan. 18-19. Fans who would like to place a bid for the package must visit BowlingMuseumAuctions.com. The winner will be announced on Dec. 11 on the IBM/HF Facebook page. The PBA and the International Bowling Museum and Hall of Fame are teaming up to offer the unique experience in conjunction with the PBA Hall of Fame Classic in January that will kick off the PBA Tour's 2020 season.

Reminder: Nominations are being accepted through Nov. 22 for the 2019 PBA Tony Reyes Community Service award. To be eligible, the nominee must be a PBA member in good standing. To nominate an individual, use the nomination form available at this link: www.pba.com.

Correction: Upon further review of PBA Regional records, Ron Mohr is tied for second place among all-time PBA50 Regional winners with 19 titles. Harry Sullins is the leader with 24. Walter Ray Williams Jr. and Tom Baker also have won 19 PBA50 Regional titles.

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At Killeen Bowlerama

Smith blasts 794, Hamric jams 760

McKinney, Payne add 300's, Odette 297

KILLEEN, TX - Allan Smith was the top bowler last month at Killeen Bowlerama with a booming 794 Track series.

Stephanie Hamric led the ladies with a top-notch 760 Rebels set.

Moty McKinney and Regis Payne shared high-game accolades with award-winning 12-baggers while Eric Odette took runner-up honors with a near-perfect 297 solo.

HONOR ROLL

Russell Brown 756, Brian Joseph 279-733, Robert Hermsillo 641, Karin Alleman 519, Phil Thurston 701, Tawana Ramey 218-597, Bob Alleman 275-681, Nee Wallace 202-518, Curtis Robinson 677.

Robert Hermsillo 672, Erica McPhail 256-748, Brian Williams 776, Brittney Williams 681, Joe Young 747, Eric Odette 742, William Ganem 740, Eric Odette 782, Christi Hellon 263-721.

Allan Smith 770, Emily Berger 665, Regis Payne 749, Erica McPhail 665, Gene Betts 744, Lisa Davie 579, Bobby Wacker 289-758, Russell Brown 735, Larissa Mitchell 683, Keith Desmarais 730.

Jen Morgan 288-679, Mac McMasters 684, Cheryl Dewald 644, Russell Brown 279-732, Kim Dewald 677, Luis Baez 707, Alycia Blackwell 236-599, Rob Rackley 705, Carl Chandler 690, Joe Young 289-720.

Tina Miller 211-491, Larry Morris 657, Bill Buren 656.

Bowling Update

From Ten Pins & More

* Local bowler, Matt Smith came close to setting a new house record during last weekend's "Dick Tanner Invitational" at Tenpins & More.

Smith opened with 278, 216 and 277 for 771 then added 275, 253 and 279 for 807 and a second highest six-game set of 1,578, an average of 263 per game to trail only Bob Dillman's 1,614/6 output in September of 2014.

With the 4-person team event to go in his all-events quest, Smith threw another 279 for 1,857/7, however stubborn 10-pin leaves gave him 226 and 222 to finish with 2,305/9 and a likely NM State record at an average of 256.1.

By the way, the national and world record all-events score is 2,468 thrown by Eugene McCune in 2010.

In other tournament results, the Rio Rancho quartet of Mike and Becky Fisher, Sally Kantz and R C Brown won teams, while Kantz and Mike Fisher also won B division doubles by three pins from an Albuquerque pair.

Kassi and Joe Romero took A doubles, Kimberly Gaps women's B singles and Kevin Seier men's A all-events.

Kantz, Debra Garcia and Melissa Danks won all three women's handicap all-events, with Smith, Aida Stewart and Dana Miller-Mackie capturing scratch all-events titles, creating a strong result for Rio Rancho league bowlers.

* The next three weekends sees action in the almost "sold out" State Senior Championships at Tenpins & More, which attracts bowlers from all parts of New Mexico.

They'll contest teams of four, doubles, singles and all-events in various age groupings.

Then follows the New Mexico Games state finals as well as a High School tournament on November 23, along with the annual Thanksgiving Eve Doubles Marathon on November 27, as Tenpins' "Fall Bowling Fest" continues through the end of December.

* Short-season winter leagues get started as early as November 30 here, creating competitive opportunities for over 150 bowlers. Sign-up flyers are available at the front desk at Tenpins & More at 1416 Deborah Road SE.

* Tenpins & More pro-shop manager, Billy Grant put his own bowling balls to work in El Paso last weekend at the International Friendship tournament between teams from the US and Mexico.

Grant top scored in the five-person team event, carding a 243.5 average over ten games - his personal best.

Grant put together 234, 258,

253, 253, 238, 252, 236, 242, 236 and 233 to lead his team "Club Juarez A" to an easy win in the event, with able assistance from Carlos Fourzan, C J Patterson, Eloy Bayona and Beto De La O.

In the singles event, Grant shot 220 to advance but an errorless, spare-filled 190 eliminated him in the next round. However, team-mate Fourzan went on to win that crown two games later.

By the way, Grant drills all the balls for both Fourzan and Patterson, as well as his own, at the Tenpins' Pro-Shop.

He was recently engaged to Kelly McNeil, herself a 185-average bowler.

* Six doubles pairings won trophies and discounted entries to the upcoming "Champion of Champions" tournament at Tenpins & More in December in Perry Hampel's recent "Family Twosome" tournament.

In the 10 & under, father and son Josh and Logan Tru-

jillo crushed it with 1,406, with young Logan shooting 166, 161 and 175 - well over his entering average of 140, while Kira Vanderlip and Marc Vernon had 1,220 for the other 10 & under win.

Aubrey and Eric Vanderlip captured 13 & under with 1,347 after dad shot 674/3, assisted by Aubrey's finishing 158 and 142 from a 117 average.

Noah Saul and Billy Grant combined for the 16 & under win carding 1,329. Saul, recently moved here from Florida fired 213, 201 and 236 (650), while Grant had 236, 217 and 217 (670). In the girls division, Kadence Haines and Shawn Haines took first by 14 pins from Krystal Campos and Brandon Gervasi.

In 19 & under, Josh Burnett and his uncle, David won by 86 pins, shooting 1,383 to beat J D Messenger and Cory Messenger, with David's 242 providing the "coup de grace".

At Tenpins & More

Bolon drills 300/300/879, Miller-Mackie masters 717

Smith 807, Romero 300/801, Bolon (2) 300, Martinez, Jr., Sanchez, Jr., Sheridan 299

RIO RANCHO, NM - Bo Bolon won high-set honors for the month at Tenpins & More with a power-packed, award-winning 300-300-279 = 879 Senior Trios league series.

Matt Smith finished close behind Bolon with an award-winning 807 series in the Dick Tanner Invitational while Joe Romero followed with a 300/801 outing in NM State Senior Tournament play.

Dana Miller-Mackie topped the ladies' leader board with an outstanding 259-222-236 = 717 session.

Bo Bolon captured high-game accolades with an additional two award-winning 12-baggers. Larry Martinez Jr, Rudy Sanchez, Jr. and Pete Sheridan took runner-up honors with near-perfect 299 solos.

At Hilltop Lanes

Michael polishes 749, Armstrong bags 621

WAXAHACHIE, TX - Johnny Michael pocketed power-laden 278/749 numbers en route to earning high-series honors for the week at Hilltop Lanes.

Samantha Armstrong rolled a lofty 261/621 set to lead the lady bowlers.

HONOR ROLL

Charlene Fairchild 197-471, Larry Fairchild 224-606, Dana Miller-Mackie (4 games) 259-881, Lance Emerson (4 games) 269-1010, Paula Amschler 248-621, Robert Edwards 249-708, Becky Fisher 230-645. Sandra Chavez 247-693, Bob Bolon 797, Troi Donnachaidh 234-619, David Burnett 223-654, Aileen Linares (4 games) 207-762, Jeffrey Chauveau (4 games) 222-847, Kristen Bramblett 246-677.

Joe Romero 278-722, Karen Barcal 226-637, Matt Smith 267-710, Frank Dutton 237-627, Dusti Griffin 285-667, Alvin Thon 243-700, Kathleen Lee 231-561, Dustin Rose 245-676, Jessica Simkins 155-413. Tavio Borba 226-643, Troi Donnachaidh 244-599, Joe Herrera 267-743.

SENIORS

Dana Miller-Mackie 258-709, Becky Fisher 233-648, Bob Thurston 266-738.

HONOR ROLL

Stephanie Moore 214-598, Johnny Michael 278-749, Nisa Sawyer 210-545, Rod Lewis 269-714, Samantha Armstrong 261-621, Kyle Shoemaker 248-708.

SENIORS

Joyce Johnson 234-612, Wally Mahoney 214-625, Myrtis Anthony 233, Ann Mauldin 233-504.

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JAELE HAMMAN

16, of Jarrell, TX, is a Junior and home schooled by her mother, Anna. She won the Lone Star Youth Tournament at Plano Super Bowl the weekend of October 11-13 after finishing runner-up last year. She bowls in two leagues, a Sport shot league that she averages 190 in and a regular youth league where she averages 210.

Hometown Bowling Center: Mel's Lone Star Lanes and I also work at the Pro Shop there.

How did you get started bowling? My sister started bowling when she was 6 or 7, and I started bowling the next season.

High Game and Series: I have two 299 games. I left 10-pin on the first, and a 9-pin on the second.

Favorite Bowler: Francois Lavoie, Kyle Sherman, Daria Pajak and Diana Z. for the ladies. Lavoie is so smooth, as is Kyle. Diana's style is unique, but she makes it look so easy.

Favorite bowling accomplishment: Making the Jr Team USA Developmental team last year, and bowling in the Tournament of Americas in Florida this year.

What other hobbies do you have: Bowling is basically it for me. I'm just focused on bowling at this point, but I am interested in bowling in college.

What do you love most about bowling: The uniqueness of the sport. I was telling a friend how difficult it is to hit your mark and focus on every shot, that's what I like. At Jr. Gold, you meet so many people that don't live close, but we are able to stay connected because of the sport.

What is the strongest part of your game: My spare shooting normally, but it's been up and down lately. It takes practice and I make sure that I'm working on something, not just chunking the ball down the lane.

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