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# Bill O'Neill Wins PBA Playoffs for 13th Title and \$100,000



By: DDZiomba

Centreville, Va.—Bill O'Neill claimed the final title of the 2020 PBA Tour season by defeating Anthony Simonsen in two straight games to win the 2020 PBA Playoffs.

O'Neill's 13th career PBA Tour title and second of the season earned him a \$100,000 first-prize check and an official

WWE championship title. O'Neill, who finished second in last year's PBA Playoffs, was especially gratified to earn the title this season.

A lot of redemption," said O'Neill, the overall number two seed. "I didn't want to come in second again in this event. I was confident in my ball reaction and I knew if I made

good shots, I was going to come away with the win.

The championship match featured a race-to-two-points format in which one point was awarded to the winner of each game. If tied after two games, the players would go to a ninth-and-10th-frame roll-off, but O'Neill didn't let that happen. He secured a 235-203 win in game one, then claimed the championship with a 249-195 triumph in game two.

"The back half of game two was some of the best bowling I've done in a long time," said O'Neill, who rolled eight consecutive strikes to finish the

second and decisive game.
O'Neill made an adjustment during his quarterfinals match that helped him feel comfortable throughout the rest of the

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2021 USBC Women's **Championships Moving to** Reno, 2022 Event Heading to Chicagoland Area



**By: Aaron Smith** 

ARLINGTON, Texas - The 2021 United States Bowling Congress Women's Championships now will be hosted by the National Bowling Stadium in Reno, Nevada.

The 2021 event previously was scheduled to take place

at Stardust Bowl in Addison, Illinois, while the 2022 tournament was slated for Reno and the NBS

Agreements between USBC and the Reno-Sparks Convention and Visitors Authority (RSCVA), DuPage Convention

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McKnight Lanes

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In media work, the following item is an example of what is known as a cross promotion, meaning mentioning or plugging another media piece in one's own media work. In this case, I'm adding to an item several weeks ago in the new TBN column, Dave's Corner, by Dave Williams.

Williams wrote in the October 29 TBN about the current occupant of what used to be Satellite Bowl, a very vibrant center outside Detroit, his home

Last week, the Bowlers Journal International's weekly podcast featured comments from both Randy Pedersen and Ernie Schlegel on the 25th anniversary of their famed title match of the 1995 PBA **Tournament Players Champion**ship on the campus of Robert Morris University in Coraopolis, Pennsylvania, just northwest of Pittsburgh. You know, where Randy's nightmare Stone 8-pin leave on a ball when a strike would have won the tournament took place.

As regular JPA readers know all too well over the last twenty-two plus years, any mention of the "Burgh, the movie "Kingpin," and/or yinzer life have been a benchmark in this column.

What one finds on initial looking for more tournament info, say on the PBA or Wikipedia web pages, is the home center of the earlier parts of the tournament. It's listed as Olympic Lanes—Harmar.

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### There's an Argument to be **Made for South Point Casino**

When I first started accumulating names of bowling centers from throughout the world with 80 or more lanes a few weeks ago, there may have been a huge exception that I missed in Las Vegas. It's not entirely my fault because the South Point Casino appeared to have two different bowling centers, one with 64 lanes (South Point Bowling Center) and another with 60 lanes (South Point Bowling Plaza).

Although I spent a fair amount of my early career with AMF in Las Vegas, I have not been back to visit since 1993. There have been a vast number of changes in Las Vegas in the past 27 years, including the



South Point Casino, Las Vegas

construction of many mega bowling centers, mostly in the 50 to 70 lane size. What caught my eye was the fact that South Point Bowling Center (64 lanes) and the South Point Bowling Plaza (60 lanes) shared the same address.

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#### **JUST PAYING ATTENTION**

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Now here's the cross promotion of Dave's Corner, another weekly column found here in The Bowling News.

As my childhood neighbor John Burkett can also tell you, that is not the original name of that center. We grew up knowing it and will probably always refer to it by its original name, McKnight Lanes, on McKnight Road/U.S.19 (the same McKnight Road which once doubled as a drag strip of former Steeler Antonio Brown), where North Hills, McCandless Township, and Ross Township, my Dad's home area meet.

Opened in 1961, McKnight Lanes was the first north-side mega center, a 48-lane pillar free center, with all the modern amenities common to many suburban centers in the bowling facility construction boom of the early 1960's.

As a grade schooler being shuttled between grandparents' homes hundreds of times, McKnight Lanes was about halfway between the two. It always looked modern, if not sparkling, inside and out. It took a few times asking my maternal grandfather to bowl with him and his AMF Dick Weber 1965 Three Dot, but finally relented after balking at its dime higher per line price.

Like Satellite Bowl in Dearborn Heights, Michigan being converted into a Home

Depot after its 1994 closing, McKnight Lanes was converted into mega retail. Bed, Bath, and Beyond opened after the prior's April 15, 1997 closing. The current service door facing McKnight Road was the main doors to McKnight Lanes. See for yourself in the after photo, courtesy of Google Street Maps. The before photo, as us yinzers remember McKnight Lanes, is from a personal page on Pinterest. The new main entrance is a BB&B project.

Can't recall off the top of my head which scenes were filmed here, but the crew of "Kingpin" made a pitstop here, too.

What brought this together was the trip back to the 'Burgh' in late summer to say goodbye to Dad. While heading, ironically, to Home Depot to pick up moving boxes to clean out Dad's place, I drove by the building on McKnight Road and had a flashback I hadn't imagined. I didn't see Bed, Bath, and Beyond, but McKnight Lanes and the triangles on the front side of the building from the shotgun seat of my grandfather's car as he grumbled how the extra dime per line better be worth it. It sure was.

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A television news story with bowling as a backdrop. Yeah, OK, we've seen them always at as the last story in the 10pm newscast, but what about at the end of the first segment. You know, after all the serious news of the day, in this case, the Covid spike and local

schools retuning to remote only learning.

First airing last Friday on WQAD-TV in Moline, Illinois, a station that could have changed my life if it had OK'ed my internship application years ago, had a story about seven vear-old Bryce Arquilla and his love of bowling.

Bryce has had a series of health issues beginning with a stroke before birth, compromising the right half of his body. Once several forms of physical therapy began, a new one was introduced soon after he watched his dad bowl. As you'll see here (https://www.wqad.com/ article/news/community/ bowling-to-recovery-one-littleboys-hobby-that-is-helpinghim-heal/526-d6aec985 3058-4772-b21e-0edc902fdf63), his mom says Bryce, laughed, giggled, and he loved it.

After all the local sobering



McKnight Lanes converted to Bed Bath & Beyond

news, scheduling it in the first segment may have been a stroke of genius with or without my internship. ######

Finally, this week, one of the bowlers mentioned several weeks ago in a JPA Lost Classic is receiving a similar honor as Matt McNiel will soon.

Larry Stepp, member of the 1990 National Collegiate Bowling Champion (NCBC) Nebraska Cornhuskers, was announced

with four others as part of the Missouri State USBC Hall of Fame Class of 2021.

**Bowling out of the Greater** Kansas City USBC, Stepp was regular on the PBA Midwest Region circuit during much of the 1990's and 2000's, winning three times and being a regular competitor in the annual PBA Regional Pro Invitational, featuring the top players in each of the PBA's then seven regions.

at how much our early careers mirrored one another, including a three-year segment on the Professional Bowlers Tour. Mike was sponsored by Eddie Hurd, who replaced Boswell at Bowlero Lanes. Bill had left AMF for "an offer he couldn't refuse" at the new privately held Edgewater Casino and Bowling Lanes in Laughlin,

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"I didn't lose any money, but I didn't make any either,' Monyak said of his time on the tour. He eventually hooked up once again with Boswell at the **Edgewater Casino and Bowling** Lanes in 1986. That's when Mike developed an interest in the computerized systems offered at Edgewater, and put his knowledge to work arranging

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#### DAVE'S CORNER

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centers and they're both in the same building, and they share the same back office, said Mike Monyak, Director of **Bowling Operations at South** Point for the past 21 years. Mike and I both came up under the tutelage of many famous and noble individuals at AMF that were willing to share their knowledge and interest in furthering our careers.

I first met Mike at AMF Bowlero Lanes in Tacoma, Washington, when AMF stationed me there in a promotion's capacity for their properties in Oregon and Washington. Mike was the Assistant Manager, working with General Manager Bill Boswell, a longtime veteran that had managed centers for AMF throughout California, Nevada and Washington.

"I learned a lot from Boswell," commented Mike, "particularly in regard to financial statements and the computerized scoring system." My immediate reaction to Mike's comment was that Bill always seemed so regimented in everything that he did. "He was a retired Marine," stated Monyak, as he chuckled at my remark.

When I left the northwest later that year, AMF stationed me at New College Park Bowl in Las Vegas, where I spent a brief stint as General Manager before beginning my trek towards the corporate office in a series of moves (and advancements) across the country. Just a few years later, Mike was promoted to General Manager of New College Bowl, at the tender age of 23.

As we continued to converse about our past, I was surprised

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At Red Bird Lanes

### Vogel rolls 729, Cathey harvests 630

Shannon Vogel recorded a top-notch 267-224-238 = 729 Thursday Night Mixed league series to head the leader boards for the week at Red Bird Lanes.

Lauren Cathey paced the gals with a lofty 214-189-227 = 630 Career Girls set.

### HONOR ROLL

Debbie Cathey 226-608, Robert Richardson 246-659, Mel Richards 224-635, Shannon Vogel (9 pin, no tap, 4 games) 278-1096, Sheila Keeland (9 pin, no tap, 4 games) 235-735, Pam Lambrecht 154-430.

Cindi Wilson 180-450, Tyree Jennings 235-629, Karen Strang 187-515, Darnette Hardin 211-547, Chris Lopez 232-655, Darnette Hardin 246-595, Mel Richards 213-614, Debbie Cathey 200-571.

Jeremy Gills 241-560, Angela Chalmers 204-528, Art Fletcher 247-690, Darnette Hardin 232-573.

At Ennis All Star Bowl

## Thomas lands 679, Cathey mints 658

Gary Thomas led the scoring race for the week at Ennis All Star Bowl with a super solid 215-231-233 = 679 Ennis Mixed Classic league series.

Lauren Cathey, also from the Ennis Mixed Classic group, paced the ladies with a nice 193-258-207 = 658 set.

HONOR ROLL

Rick Lawrence 234-673, Ryne McKenrick 225-608, Justin Lesly 234-651, Lori Ivey 220-568, Tice Hopkins 223-586, April Hopkins 228-626, Philip Nobles 215-569, Mary Sikes 183-482.

Gary Thomas 138-364, Caitlan Christopher 127-363.

#### **BILL O'NEILL**

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event

"I moved back on the approach about six inches and it gave me a little bit more time," said O'Neill. "If I got a little too quick to start, I wasn't cramped at the foul line, and even the shots that were just a pinch out of time were still going in the right direction."

O'Neill put himself into the title match for the second straight year with a 235-216 quarterfinals victory over the seventh seed Kyle Troup and a 245-216 win against 14th seed Tom Smallwood in the semifinals. The title is O'Neill's fourth in the last two seasons.

"It's been unbelievable the last couple years," he said. "I certainly didn't expect to have the success I've had. I knew I was going to get back into the winner's circle, but I didn't expect all this. I owe so much

of it to my dad who put in so much work with me and really knows my game in and out. He's the one who got me ready for this event."

Simonsen, the fourth overall seed, earned his way into the championship match by eliminating defending champion Kris Prather, 270-195, in the quarterfinals, then knocked out top seed Jason Belmonte, 285-214, in the semifinals. This was Simonsen's fourth runner-up finish in 2020 and the first time since 2015 that Simonsen did not win at least one title.

In the other quarterfinals matches, Belmonte bested Francois Lavoie, 266-227, and Smallwood ended Brad Miller's run, 242-194.

Quarterfinals Results
(Sunday, November 8 on FS1)
Single-game matches
Losers earn \$12,000
No. 1 Jason Belmonte def.
No. 9 François Lavoie, 266-227
No. 4 Anthony Simonsen
def. No. 5 Kris Prather, 270-195

No. 2 Bill O'Neill vs. No. 7 Kyle Troup, 235-216 No. 14 Tom Smallwood def. No. 11 Brad Miller, 242-194 Semifinals Results Single-game matches Losers earn \$25,000 No. 4 Anthony Simonsen def. No. 1 Jason Belmonte, 285-214

No. 2 Bill O'Neill def. No. 14
Tom Smallwood, 245-216
Championship Match Results
Race to two points
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loser earns \$50,000
No. 2 Bill O'Neill def. No. 4
Anthony Simonsen, 2-0
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Simonsen, 235-203



Game 2 - O'Neill def.

Simonsen, 249-195



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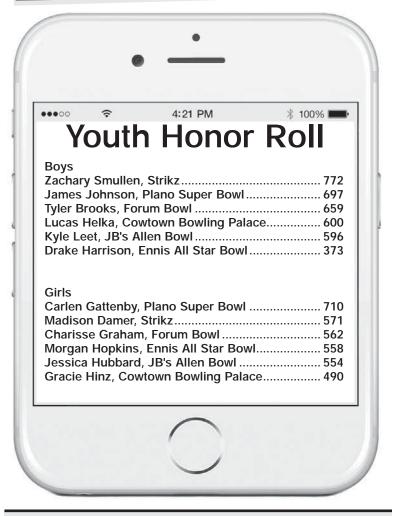






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### **Dallas USBC Youth Scores**

Zachary Smullen headed the Dallas-area USBC youth bowling last week with a hard-hitting 245-248-279 = 772 series at Strikz.

Carlen Gattenby led the girls with an impressive 256-202-252 = 710 Saturday Gold Sport set at Plano Super Bowl.

At Ennis All Star Bowl - Drake Harrison 156-373, Morgan Hopkins

At JB's Allen Bowl - Cooper Powell 125-324, Adrian Allen 123-353. Zaiyic Bickel 156-430, Clara Campbell 164-459, Daniel Young 204-567, Annika Svedvik 180-488, Kyle Leet 249-596, Jessica Hubbard 194-554, Richie Duvall 162-390, Cooper Powell 112-326, Isaac Wilson 134-355, Bryan Coggins 143-422, Lydia Breidenthal 153-390, Cooper Mandrell 143-385.

At Plano Super Bowl - Caleb Ebner 137-357, Olive Sterling 146-328, Jaycob

Felder 247-646, Payton Perry 175-471, James Johnson 267-697, Mya Murray 191-479, Cole Phan 178-506, Nichol Phan 131-357, Brandon Ingram 267-683, Brittany Eaton 126-340, Robbie Baum 199-522, Isabella Hudson 130-349, Luke Henke 247-644, Charisse Graham 237-647. Aaron Coleman 249-620. Noah Raleigh 243-586, Jake DeVoe 278-674, Katie Heady 231-651, Vanessa Renfro (2 games) 71-141.

At Strikz - Tyler Keeton 223-602, Turner Spofford 162-452, Jake Sullivan 178-471, Matthew Lopez 157-467, Ethan Long 168-426, Jakob Haraputczyk 148-425, Roman Reece 144-410, Logan Solis 176-474, Jack Rolfe 167-448, Matthew Bervig 167-429, Colton Bervig 200-508, Matthew Sifford 157-408, Nico Smith 175-485, Patrick Thomas, Jr. 168-438, Caleb Stovall 164-462, Madison Damer 201-571, Tori Franklin 160-452, Ireland Spofford 200-459, Julie Rouse 151-403,



**High Series House Record with** 245-248-279 = 772.

### **NCTUSBC Youth Scores**

Tyler Brooks topped the Fort Worth-area USBC youth bowling with a thundering 252/659 Forum Strikers series at Forum Bowl.

Charisse Graham, Brooks' league mate, paced the girls with a high-flying 202/562 set.

**At Cowtown Bowling Palace** – Jake Smith 236, Gracie Hinz 211, Lucas Helka 230-600, Gyanna Simmons 165, Jacob Michael 211, Brilyn Fowler 172-490, Troy Gaudette III 114, Tryg Meshell 112, Gabriel Marquez 111, Paul Helka, Jr. 81, Elizabeth Cain 87, Cristian Dubon 111.

At Forum Bowl - Cohen Jones 89-173, Ava Harriman 74-137, Leland Kelley 127-326, Danica Voracek 82-200, Carter Sena (6 games) 197-956, Caitlyn Chapman (6 games) 213-1074.



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Gabriela Gamboa 119-334, Alexia Moon 163-430, Jayme Brooks 130-318, Isaiah Reece 86-246, Jude May 76-216, Alyssa Eller 73-174, Caleb Cuningham 103-243, Anthony Gamboa 95-230.

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### **Lane Laughter**



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and Visitors Bureau (DCVB) and Stardust Bowl allow for swapping of host centers and gives USBC the opportunity to have additional schedule flexibility in conducting the 2021 event with the current uncertainty of the COVID-19 pandemic.

As a tournament-only venue, the National Bowling Stadium has the capacity to handle an extension of tournament dates if public health concerns with COVID-19 continue into 2021.

"We appreciate our partners at the RSCVA, DCVB and Stardust Bowl working together to make this switch possible for the 2021 and 2022 Women's Championships," USBC Executive Director Chad Murphy said. "Without knowing what the future holds with COVID-19, bringing the 2021 event to the National Bowling Stadium gives us the best opportunity to run the tournament in a safe manner for our bowlers and staff, without causing any additional challenges for Stardust Bowl in running its leagues, tournaments and day-to-day business.

"Returning to the Midwest has been a priority for us, though, so we're excited to be able to bring the tradition and history of the Women's Championships to Stardust Bowl and DuPage County in 2022."

Reno and the National Bowling Stadium share a long history with the Women's Championships, with the 2021 event marking the tournament's 12th visit to the city and ninth appearance at the famed and newly remodeled venue.

At Cowtown Bowling Palace

# Magallon, Sr. rockets to 725, Craft bags 675

Jason Magallon, Sr. rocketed to the top of the honor roll last week at Cowtown Bowling Palace with a thundering 264-238-223 = 725 Wednesday Winners series.

Jacki Craft's sky-high 279-221-175 = 675 Just For Fun set fronted fem scoring.

#### HONOR ROLL

Tony Woodruff 267, Lolita Vasquez 235, Josh Karpinski 256, Tracy Brower 224-580, Mike Karpinski 253-700, Sarah Cole 221, Cody Uthoff 277-698, Fania Cobo 256-625, Bill Uthoff 266.

Nicollette Gaudette 212, Adam Beasley 265, Catie Jensen 205, Don Ellis 276, LuAnn Satchell 194-513, Jace Simon 246, Harlan Tunnell 244-697, Miki Jo Parish 247-653, George Stilen 258.

Michelle Teel 218, Larry Cox 245, Amy Hart 214, Vernon Smith 290-723, Cherie Deleon 269-657, Toby Gardner 286-713, Amy Drescher 237-617, Jonathan Bolejack 286, Ruth Crawford 207.

Grady Adams 289-695, Michael Williams 258, Amy Adams 213, Jonathan Wood 248, Jeff Simpson 245-642, Amie Grace 202-549, Todd Grace 232, Nick Aspero 232, Les Couch 232, Nancy Turner 191.

Andrew Franko 232-620, Mike Harmelink 213.

#### SENIORS

James Poledna 237-631, Brenda Settle 212, Ken Knowles 223, Jackie Glover 209-556, Johnny Zaskoda 223, Pete Schneider 223, Jim Pile 203-545, Sandy Bell 212-575, George Hernandez, Sr. 236-637.

Kim Price 214, Randy Beinlich 235, Luis Morales 225. The 2020 USBC Open Championships originally was scheduled to be held in Reno's 78-lane facility prior to being canceled in July due to the pandemic.

The NBS had undergone a \$4.5 million renovation leading up to the 2020 Open Championships, including the removal of stadium seating, an expanded settee area and new furnishings across the fourth floor of the

"The entire Reno-Tahoe community is honored to welcome the USBC Women's Championships back to the National Bowling Stadium for the first major tournament at the NBS since its recent \$4.5 million transformation," RSCVA Interim President and CEO Jennifer Cunningham said. "It feels very symbolic that the ladies will be the first to bowl at the all-new facility. I think we're all excited for a fresh start."

The DuPage Convention and Visitors Bureau worked with Stardust Bowl to submit a Request for Proposal (RFP) to host the Women's Championships and was selected by USBC in 2017 to host the event in 2021.

The Women's Championships will be making its first visit to the Chicagoland area in more than 85 years. Chicago hosted the tournament in 1920 and 1935.

"DuPage County has enjoyed a long legacy of hosting championship tournaments, and we are delighted to welcome the USBC Women's Championships in 2022," DuPage Convention and Visitors Bureau Executive Director Beth Marchetti said. "With only a handful of large venues in the United States able to accommodate a national event of this size, Stardust Bowl in the Village of Addison stands ready to welcome nearly 30,000 Continued on Page 6

At Plano Super Bowl

### Parman plasters 300/846, Mann delivers 698

Pitts 805, Beadle 300/804, Staton 300

Geoffery Parman outscored the competition last week at Plano Super Bowl with a dual award-winning 289-257-300 = 846 Pepsi Classic Trio league production.

Ted Pitts and Sterling Beadle finished close behind Parman with an 805 and a 300/804 series respectively in Pepsi Classic action.

Cindy Mann locked up the top score for the ladies with an impressive 217-225-256 = 698 Sportsman set.

Greg Staton shared high-game honors with Parman and Beadle as each recorded award-winning 12-baggers.

#### HONOR ROLL

Keith Beagle 257-680, Staci Murden 158-408, Brian Miller 210-519, Lydia Gilbert 198-546, Lance Dirksen 258-698, Kristi Bennett 218-552, Justin Pittsinger (4 games) 246-823, Kyla Simons (4 games) 209-663. Sang Huynh 259-693, Roneshia Williams 235-630, Bob Willingham 231-569, Shirley Patterson 204-492, Deion Lewis 206-597, Barb Wygren 184-506, Tony Jolly 226-638, Sybil Kowalski 190-529.

Johnnie Arriago 269-712, Ashley Crowe 178-493, Matt Powell 258-670, Rita Skillman 194-547, Speed Elsner 247-682, Michelle VanGilder 225-630, Jimmy Dean 193-538, Susan Breedlove 173-475

Doug Brown 279-792, Michelle

Stephens 253-694, Beverly Goff 205-531, Bill Leonhart 277-719, Greg Staton 678, Mark Harris 286-722, Lisa Lemoine 278-670, Jason Thomas 277-744.

Alex Schmieg 246-637, Linda Blain 267-638, Check Gibson 202-569, Emily Ryan 142-395, Wes Wade 253-709, Beverly Houston 220-574, John Ramsey, Jr. 248-724, Jessica Ford 236-577.

Nick Wyatt 245-703, Jennifer Eckstrom 211-509, Jeremy Bostock 278-780, Cindy McBride 233-594, Geoffery Parman (4 games) 1070, Kiyoko McDonald (4 games) 249-905, Cliff Honeycutt 248-721.

Lori Wacker 267-650, Doug Brown 256-705, Shana Poe 237-628, Brian Thompson 247-688, Stephenie Robinson 251-695.







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Chris Lucas, Kelly Ray, and Chad Glines are upping their game this year to raise money for Christmas for single parents.

Dec 12th, Chris and Kelly's sub (RJ Klann) will attempt to break the Guinness World Record of 37,653 for the highest pinfall in a 24 hour period by a pair. Hosted by Rowlett Bowl-a-Rama. Donation page is on PerfectStrike.com. You can donate .01 a pin or a flat donation.

We are excited to host the attempt. Whether the guys achieve the record or not, the kids still win.

~ Stephen Keblish, Bowlarama GM





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#### **USBC WOMEN'S CHAMP**

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guests. Discover DuPage and the DuPage Sports Commission have been planning this event for years, and we will be ready to invite the bowlers and their families to visit our charming communities.

Stardust Bowl is the largest bowling center in Illinois, featuring 84 lanes. It has hosted several national events, including the 2016 U.S. Women's Open and 2015 Junior Gold Championships. The center also has hosted the Intercollegiate Team Championships and Intercollegiate Singles Championships sectional events many times.

"Although we were eagerly awaiting the chance to host the USBC Women's Championships in 2021, we will be even more excited to welcome the tournament to Stardust Bowl in 2022,' Stardust Bowl owner Henry Barber said. "We are looking forward to working with USBC and DuPage County to create an unforgettable tournament experience for each and every

At JB's Allen Bowl

bowler."

The starting date for the 2021 Women's Championships will change from April 18 to April 23. The final doubles and singles squad still is scheduled for July 4. The USBC will also be adjusting squad start times to improve the experience.

To make these changes, online access to register or adjust a team for the 2021 Women's Championships will be suspended until Nov. 6, 2020 at 9 a.m. Eastern.

Teams scheduled to bowl in the 2021 tournament will not have to take any additional steps to ensure their reservations, as all dates, starting on April 23, remain the same.

Captains of teams currently scheduled to bowl during the April 18-22 time frame can reschedule their dates by managing their reservation online after Nov. 6, 2020 at 9 a.m. Eastern or by sending their request to usbcwomenschampionships@bowl.com.

Teams that wish to request a refund or roll their funds to 2022 can do so by emailing a request to usbcwomenschampionships@bowl.com.

The squad times and capacities for the 2021 Women's Championships currently are structured to accommodate for social distancing, including reducing the number of teams competing per squad and

having only one team per pair

of lanes.

The USBC Queens will remain connected to the Women's Championships in 2021 and also will make the move to the NBS in Reno. The Queens will be held May 12-18. Registration for the Queens will open Jan.

The USBC Convention and Annual Meeting will remain in Lombard, Illinois, in 2021. The event is scheduled to be held at the Westin Lombard Yorktown Center from April 26-29.

#### **DAVE'S CORNER**

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for a vast number of Sweeper Leagues that would converge upon the center every weekend.

Monvak returned to Tacoma in 1989 to care for his father before he passed away. He was then approached by a friend to return to Las Vegas and help him with a pro shop operation at the Gold Coast Bowling Center. After Mike made the move back to Las Vegas, another opportunity opened up with the construction of the Silver Nugget Bowling Lanes, a facility that essentially took the place of New College Park Bowl that had been razed a few years earlier.

Following the successful opening of the Silver Nugget project, an entrepreneur in the bowling industry, Michael Gaughan, began to take notice of Monyak and offered him a job to come and work for the Orleans, a powerhouse in the Las Vegas marketplace with multiple bowling locations. "That was in 1994, and not long after that Gaughan sold all of his stock and purchased the South Point Casino from the Orleans chain," added Mike.

"I came with the package," said Mike, who has been the **Director of Bowling Operations** at South Point since 1999, and an employee of the conglomerate since 1994.

We now have a new leader in the currently operating largest bowling centers in the world, with the South Point Bowling Properties overtaking Inazawa Grand Bowl in Inazawa City, Japan, with 116 lanes, although we will have to preface South Point with a footnote regarding the two separate sections within the same building. It should also be noted that the Tokyo World Bowling Center in Tokyo, Japan, with 512 lanes, reportedly had multiple sections of lanes that might have been housed in separate buildings.

### Fong racks up 299/774, Kock scores 675

Bill Fong turned in the top score of the week at JB's Allen Bowl with a sky-high 299-256-219 774 Wednesday Match Play showing. Heather Kock led the ladies

with an outstanding 221-261-193 = 675 Tuesday Classic Singles outing.

#### HONOR ROLL

Roland Martsolf 258-660, Joy Sheffield 167-474, Mark Donnelly 255-691, Cindy Powell 233-641, Maria Robeson 180-505, Donald Crawford, Jr. 259-734, Tammy Crawford 193-536.

Randy Barnard 247-667, Jennifer Lynn-Eckstrom 192-526, Charles Schuler 244-698, Cindy Powell 226-652, Josh Burnham 258-705, Beth Campbell 215-633.

#### **SENIORS**

Danny Kerley 210-589, Jeanette Hooper 188-518, Glenn Funderburk 234-579, Kelly Fuller 192-480.



### Grange crunches 835, Taddy blasts 741

Brian Grange, from the Fast Lane Trio group, pocketed powerladen 279-278-278 = 835 numbers en route to earning high-set honors for the week at Forum Bowl.

Regina Taddy, from the Sundowners group, dominated scoring for the ladies with her blue-ribbon 227-258-256 = 741 set.

#### HONOR ROLL

Sheila Burger 226-618, Tristan Bridgewater (9 pin) 300-865, Caitlyn Dull (9 pin) 200-516, Justin Johnson 284-788, Teresa Ross 258-659, Eddie Murillo 279-703, Tish Patterson

Derrik Omey 217-601, Marguerite Vonkol 170-458, Anthony Rowe 196-524, Susan Brownell 198-528. Bill Skillman 267-746, Kara Bazaldua 206-609, Jerry Ankenbrandt 248-721, Donetta Fleming 211-563.

Mike Dull 262-744, Brian Grange (4 games) 1032, Dawn Borcherding (4 games) 268-927, Robert Grigsby (9 pin) 277-723, Hazel Bunyea (9 pin) 256-753, Bobby Adkison 242-656, Regina Stewart 222-651.

Evan Dahl 236-676, Marla Martin

167-458, Raymond Lussier 277-780, Regina Taddy 268-683, Talmadge Welch 258-736, Leritha Pride 255-677, Korey Euckert 278-725, Jeanette Manzano 182-494

Myron Fleming 243-624, Phillis Muray 184-526, Jim Gharrett 268-746, Jennifer Zachry 205-553, Robert Carvahal 254-651, Veronica Sherrin 187-445, Steven Nutt 244-621, Luann Burkhalter-Mills 181-500.

#### **SENIORS**

Austin Hill 257-667, Debbi Czajkowski 193-552.



### Smullen blasts 772, Tenczar bags 675

#### Davis 300

FRISCO - Zachary Smullen, Youth Bowler, won the high-set contest last week at Strikz as he tossed top-notch 245-248-279 = 772 numbers in Youth league play. Smullen now holds the house youth high series record.

Loren Tenczar led the ladies with a sterling 205-244-226 = 675 Thursday Quattro set.

Tommy Davis captured highgame accolades with an awardwinning 12-bagger.

#### HONOR ROLL

Tommy Davis 707, Rick Irvine 257-726, Debbie Colby 184-542, Kimberly Emerson 192-566, Ron Rankin 202-587,

Spencer Spofford 248-605, Scott Noll 197-572. Billie Bennett 223-634.

Kevin Connell 243-640, Tommy Davis 255-636, Mark Johnson 207-585, Bobby Brierton 221-571, Jason Haraputczyk 247-620, Joseph Jimenez 226-604, Seth Moore 211-614, Jeanie Martilla 192-516.

Candy Torrey 192-566, Greg Foster 252-665, Sherri Lyons 170-469, Pat Murphey 188-460, Cathy Eberly 182-527, Debra Gorman 165-459, Sue Ellis 222-563, Gerald Walters 205-592.

Joseph Jeanjacques 223-582, Peggy Smiley 186-503, Ross Carranza 245-651, James Fitzsimmons 206-588, Angela Garcia 195-506, Debbie Colby 245-604, Candy Torrey 212-576, Cindy McBride 204-566.

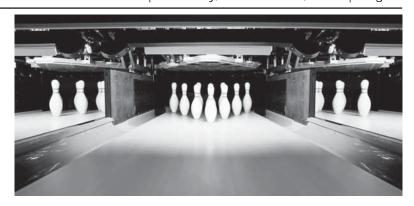
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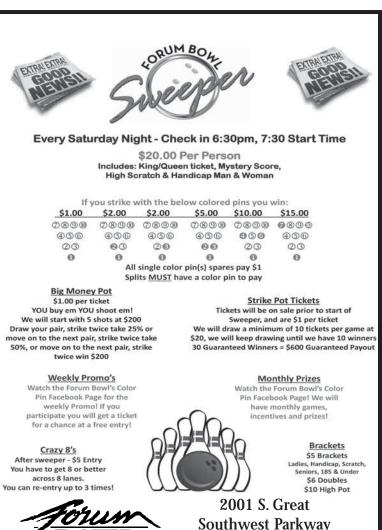
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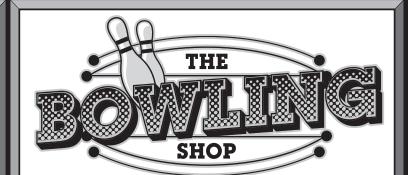
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