

Bohn III Earns a Major Victory at PBA50 National Championship


PBA50 Major Champion Parker Bohn III

By: Jill Winters
The Villages, Florida - All week long it was full steam ahead for Parker Bohn III at the 2022 Florida Blue Medicare PBA50 National Championship. In the title match, Brad Angelo was looking to start the season off with back-to-back

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wins. As for Bohn III, he relied on the ball that had got him to this point, his DV8 Collision.

The lefty started with 9 -spare and rolled off five straight strikes to take control of the match. But after back-toback 7-pins failed to be taken out by messengers, Angelo then put together his own string of five strikes. So, it all came down to the 10th frame.
"A fter he struck in the 9th frame, it didn't matter what I did in the 9th and 10th," Bohn said. "It was going to be ball in his hand when he would get back up."

Bohn III struck in the 9th
and 10th before picking up a 6 -pin to finish with 247.
"By making a spare that ultimately forces him to throw the first strike," he said. "Sitting on the bench, I did not expect Brad to 2-10 there like he did."

Angelo failed to convert the split, as Bohn III won the match, 247-233. He also won a check for $\$ 15,000$, another major title, and a coveted green jacket.
"Winning never gets old," he said. "To win this early in the season, hopefully it will propel me to go on and win two or three more times before the season is done."

Bohn III got emotional after the win having lost his mother at this time about a year ago due to COVID-19.
"I think that she was looking down on me today," he said. "She is very much a part of that trophy just as much as my bowling ability was fortunate enough out here on the lanes."

Angelo got to the championship match after a strike fest against lefty J ason Couch. Couch, who had won a national title at The Villages in 2001, doubled and got two spares before closing out his game Continued on Page 4

## Doug Barron, Hank Jordan, Brad Hunter, Clint Johnson Win SASBA Foursome



Clint Johnson, Doug Barron, Brad Hunter and Hank Jordan

## By: Kathy King

FORT WORTH, TX - We had 21 teams for the 70/60/50/ Guest at Cow town A pril 9.

The top 5 teams bowled a Baker stairstep final.

In the first match Team Barron (Doug Barron, Hank Jordan, Brad Hunter, Clint Johnson) defeated Team Thompson (Gene Thompson, Continued on Page 6

## USBC Convention Awards



BPAA Association of the Year - North Central Texas USBC Yolanda Payton, Terry Taylor, Tina Taylor, Sherry Houghton and Genie Franklin


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## Random Thoughts <br> Tony Franklin, Publisher



Golf carts are the mode of transportation in The Villages, FL

Here are some random thoughts concerning my first two tournaments on the PBA 50 tour.

This is something I've wanted to do for a very long time. I spent a lot of time working and talking with Del Ballard over the last six months to get ready for this moment, and it's so cool that it is actually here and I am bowling with some legends of the game.

I hadn't realized this until right before the first practice squad, but I hadn't bowled a professional tournament in 20 years and hadn't bowled a national professional tourna-
ment in 30 years...so let me just say that my little heart was pumping that first round of qualifying...I was calm but nervous at the same time.

One of my takeaways was from watching the hall of famers, Pete Weber, Walter Ray Williams, Amleto Monacelli, Parker Bohn, etc. They haven't lost the inner fire in the slightest. During the Advancers round the first week, Weber was bowling to my left, and in the 6th frame of the very first game he just about lost his Sh!\#... You would think after bowling 1500-2000 professional tournaments that he might be


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a little more relaxed, and have a whatever attitude, nope, not in the slightest, he was going all out.

That first week, I got down to the top eight, and bowled a three-game match against Walter Ray Williams for a spot on the show. W hat's better than that, to bowl possibly the greatest bowler ever, and have it come down to the 9th frame of the last game...it was an exciting dream moment for me. I did not get the win, but we battled, and I can't wait to do it again.

For me, that's the reason I'm here. When I did bowl on tour 30 years ago, it wasn't everything I wanted it to be for lots of reasons, my life went a different direction, of which I could not be happier how that worked out. BUT I think I still have a little left in the tank, and I want to challenge myself against the best senior bowlers on the planet on their floor.

After a couple of weeks, that is exactly what I'm seeing, the best of the old bowling generation, are just as tough to beat as they ever were. Walter Ray doesn't make mistakes, Weber shoots 270 when he needs to, Parker posts every shot like he's still 22, and Amleto still has the most flaw less release.

I'm so happy to have this opportunity, and I'm pleased with how friendly everyone is.. but at the end of the day, I just want to tussle with the greats of the game, just to see what happens.

The second week was at The Villages, the largest retirement community in the world. I've always wanted to bowl and


Jason Couch's trophy bookcase with Genie doing her best Vanna White.
visit this area, and it did not disappoint. There are golf carts everywhere... and I mean everywhere...check out the picture, just to get a taste.

Before the tournament started, Jason Couch, ANOTHER hall of famer, had a group of us over to his house for an afternoon cookout, one of the late arriving guests was none other than Norm Duke, a neighbor of Couch's, who just finished a round of golf.

Duke, recently retired (so he says), mentioned that after 41 years of bowling professionally he was just done. With that being said, I'm sure that you all just watched him finish second to Anthony Simonsen in the USBC Masters. He said that regardless of his age at that moment, he was really proud of himself, but also really disappointed to get that close, and not finish the job.

I did however have to ask Duke my usual questions... W ho's the greatest bow ler he's ever seen, and who is his all-time favorite bowler?

He said that he would have to say that Walter Ray Williams is the best bowler he's ever seen, but also considers himself in that conversation (he ain't scared). As for his favorite bowler, he said Amleto, which is pretty cool, because Amleto is also my favorite bowler of all-time.
How cool is it to get to hangout with legends of the game...very memorable and moments that won't come around again for me.

Check out the pic of Couch's trophy case, and his iconic ToC Three-Peat silhouette.

On to week three for me, in Aberdeen, North Kakalaka. What a beautiful part of the country this is.



At Cityview Lanes

At USA Bowl
Mostowfi handles 775, Brown decks 592

Kam Mostow fi won the battle for top billing at USA Bowl with outstanding 289-259-227 = 775 numbers in Sharon's Stars league action.

Vanessa Brown fronted the Iadies with a stellar 200-224-168 $=592$ Just For Fun set HONOR ROLL
Mark Dolenuck 243-655, Cathy Masterson 184-490, Ricardo Martell 235-701, Vanessa Brown 183-534, Deneace Johnson-Bolton 179-487, Tom Bow man 230-673, Charles Cole 265-745.

Katelyn Nel son 215-573, Jared Uhing 215-633, Dana Short 213-582. SENIORS
Micky Girard, Sr. 215-561, Andrea Calloway 170-497.


## Thomas, Jr. tips 836, Simmons unloads 682

Sanford 298/811, Thomas, Jr. 300/804, Thomas 299/801, Ringus, Thomas, Jr. 300, Childers, Luttrell 299, Lamb 298, Hendrix 297

Keith Thomas, Jr. lit up Cityview Lanes last month with a power-packed 289-268-279 = 836 M onday Night Mixer series. The following bowlers finished close behind Keith Thomas Jr. with award-winning 800 series. Kevin Sanford, Sunset Combo group, with a 298/811, Keith Thomas, Jr. fired a 300/804 with the T.G.I.F. league and Keith Thomas, shot a 299/801 in 5-Pin action.

Brooke Simmons fronted the ladies with an impressive 213-268-201 = 682 T.G.I.F set.

Dick Ringus and Keith Thomas, Jr. shared high-game honors
with Thomas, Jr. with awardwinning 12-baggers. Patrick Childers and Wayne Luttrell took runner-up accolades with nearperfect 299 solos while James Lamb and Rob Hendrix followed up with games of 298 and 297 respectively.

## HONOR ROLL

Mike Valle 279, Lusi Morales 767, Pam Candler 267-627, Alma Rodriguez 224, Sandy James 622, Mike Kent 236, Lanny Madden 614, Denise Ament 223-551, Mark Migilo 279-734.

Stefany Brown 242-670, Wayne Luttrell 760, Tilly Triplet 242, Susan Monteith 562, Rob Hendrix 790, Pearl Tucker 236, Alexis Simpson 629, Cherie

Deleon 215-610, Patrick Childers 743. Kecia Andries 225, Richard Melendez 276, Tyler F 742, Cassandra Bayerl 267-655, Cary Fleming 258-685, M egan Simon 233, Dejuan Brown 227-649, Beulah Evans 192-478, Mary Smiley 177-474.

David Schiell 280, Jim Wright 713, Barbara Arceneaux 246-639, Keith Thomas, Jr. 752, Cherie Deleon 246-631, Dick Ringus 718, Peggy Rios 201-561, Jeff Crenshaw 253-710, Bambi Curtin 222-543.

Charles Wanat 276, Humm Smith 782, Kitty Reisz 235-620, Tricia Guzman 266, June Barker 628.

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## NCT USBC Youth Results

Tyler Brooks headed the NCT USBC youth bowling last month with a sky-high 278/781 Forum Strikers series at Forum Bowl.

Charisse Graham, also from the Forum Strikers group, paced the girls with a high-flying 269/ 662 set.
Cityview Lanes - M J Becker 213-586.

Cowtown Bowling Palace - Mason Chapman 257-671, GracieHinz 201-538, Jake Swift 199, Brilyn Fowler 168, Landy Smith 195, Gyanna Simmons 162, J R Cain 151, Kaydence Rinebold 140,

Jayson Smith 127, Kyndal Smith 161 Maddox Denbow 122, Dallas Rinebold 102, Kendrick Williamson 121, Elizabeth Cain 112, Landon Trubenstien 83, Rileynn Helka 78, Eddie Randall 88.

Forum Bowl - Joseph Banks 97-184 Olivia Huggins 110-189, Rickey Deck ard 70-136, Cherish Thompson 74-141 Jaxon Reese 73-203, Lindsey George 115-325, Ella Fuller 107-281, William Jewel III 245-703, Stephanie Leclear 226-604, William Jewell III 252-694, Charisse Graham 221-581, Tyler Brooks 211-618, M akenly Branagan 186-531.

## BOHN PBA50

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with 7-in-a-row, for 267. Angelo started off with a strike and back-to-back 9-spares before finishing with 9 strikes for 269.

In match one, Couch defeated defending champion Pete Weber, 244-216. M atch two featured three open frames between Couch and lefty Troy Lint through the first three frames. But then Couch settled in to earn the win, 223-184.

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FLORIDA BLUE MEDICARE PBA 50 NATIONAL CHAM PIONSHIP FINAL STANDINGS

1. Parker Bohn III $\$ 15,000$

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Congratulations to Zachary Smullen, Frisco, TX, signing with Newman University

## Dallas USBC Youth Scores

A aron Coleman headed the Dallasarea USBC youth bowling last month with a power-packed 237-279-213 = 729 Saturday Gold "Sport" league series at Plano Super Bowl.

Morgan Hopkins paced the girls with a rollicking 224-192-211 = 627 Tuesday Night Cubs set at Lions Lanes.

JB's Allen Bowl - Cooper Powell 161-417, Kamie 65-187, Paddy Larkin 187-436, Hayden McBride 198-540, Payton Lamp 109-289, Hudson Martin 235-566, Clara Campbell 215-574, David Winchester 214-500, Richie Duvall 174437, Cooper Powell 153-419, Anthony Spagnuolo 135-354, Issac Wilson 192408, Lauren Hubbard 200-547, Bryan Coggins 236-599, Lydia Breidenthal 148-419, Annika Steinway 110-314.

Lions Lanes - Charlie Rogers 212-487, Xander Yrlas 163-445, Kaleb Yrlas 155-338, Gavin Crockett 133-294, Erin Guy 111-266, Beryl Odlozil 78-225.

Plano Super Bowl - Nikolas Buddenhagen 126-300, DanielleThompson

## Southwest <br> Area USBC Youth Scores

Makayla Beckett headed the Southwest-area USBC youth bowling last month with a booming 299/668 Youth/Adult series at Killeen Bowlerama.

Leo Solis, Beckett's league mate, led the guys with a powerful 239/648 set.

Killeen Bowlerama - Leo Solis 255-642, Thomas Shotwell 189-503, Makayla Beckett 222-637.

Tenpins \& More, Rio Rancho, NM - Josh Wilson 174-471, Lucia Griego 83-218, Donald Gal legos 194-555, Alyssa Burks 180-504, Derick Romero 244-584, Tegan M CK ay 209-601, Steven Gallegos 237-645, Gillian Mulder 206-575, Drew Hutchinson 226-568, Victoria Tallbear 152-339.

127-367, Charlie Rogers 177-501, Keira Sampson 176-426, Nick Hardin 189482, Olive Sterling 209-499, Kenneth Zarate 218-614, Marisa Munguia 233-583, Zachary Planey 246-717, Megan Wente 193-547, Jarret Coleman 171-430, Audrey Du 104-282, ColePhan 215-575, NicolePhan 184-479, Matthew Cain 222-567, DenA sia Bellew 171-449, Gabe Sanchez 176-474, Ava Sullivan 158-457, Diego de la Torre 246-643, Charisse Graham 224-598, Kari Beyer 215-586, Caleb Ebner 162-438, Trevor Thompson 170-419, Brady McDonough 216-600, Yakibeth Guerrero 175-441, Shaw $n$ Hardin 255-671, Hunter Wright (2 games) 86-160, Addison Zabojnik (2 games) 82-147.

Strikz - Ashton Batman 270-691, Jake Sullivan 255-650, Kolin Williams 233-645, Owen Smullen 223-602, Jonathan Hattar 208-600, Aiden Wylie 210-511, Zach Goyco 178-413, Maximus Rouse 189-489, Enrique Arredondo 176-461, Jakob Haraputczyk 187-471, M isha Brown 153-424, Caleb Williams 147-420, Emily Mendez 182-430, Adrian Salinas 169-419, Alexia M oon 202-542, Julia Rouse 143-381, Isaac Llamas 150-408, Ellie Rouse 131-353, Allison Rouse 115-333, Jayme Brooks 138-390, Vanessa Rodriguez 144-399, Ireland Spofford 175-482, Hannah Erickson 146-366, Haidyn Erickson 128-326.
USA Bowl - Zachary Smullen 253688, Alyssa Ballard 212-558.

## Lane Laughter



## 2022 USBC Convention Concludes

By: Aaron Smith
LAS VEGAS - Delegates elected three board members and voted on one legislative proposal at the 2022 United States Bowling Congress Convention and Annual M eeting, which concluded Thursday at The Orleans Hotel \& Casino.

The ballot for the USBC Board election had five candidates slated by the USBC Nominating Committee - Brandon Bow man of Mukilteo, Washington; Anthony Colangelo of Meridian, Idaho; Bo Goergen of Sanford, Michigan; M elissa McDaniel of Raleigh, North Carolina; and Cheryl Younger of Leavenw orth, Kansas.

On the first ballot, incumbents McDaniel ( 580 votes), Goergen ( 397 votes) and Colangelo (396 votes) were re-elected, with Younger receiving 346 votes and Bow man receiving 340 votes. A candidate had to receive a majority of votes from the 701 votes cast to be elected.

Team USA athletes re-elected Andrew Anderson of Holly, Michigan, to a second term and elected Sydney Brummett of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

The newly elected board members begin their three-year terms Aug. 1, 2022.

The USBC Board of Directors re-elected McDaniel to serve a second two-year term as president. Dennis Hacker of Longtown, Missouri, was elected to his first two-year term as vice president

Angel Metsch of Statesville,
North Carolina, is joining the

International Bowling Campus Youth Committee, which also returns current members Chrissie Kent of Newark, New York, and Christopher Floyd of Lockport, Louisiana.

In addition to the board elections, delegates voted on one proposed bylaw amendment. Delegates rejected a bylaw proposal to allow remote electronic voting for future USBC Annual M eetings.

Indiana State USBC was awarded the Association Excellence Award at the event. Hacker, the USBC Awards Committee chair, surprised the Indiana State USBC delegates as part of the USBC Convention awards ceremony.

The presentation of national awards, including the Alberta E. Crowe Star of Tomorrow Award to Lara Kurt of Leland, North Carolina, and the Chuck Hall Star of Tomorrow Award to Spencer Robarge of Springfield, Missouri, also took place.

McDaniel and USBC Executive Director Chad Murphy presented their annual reports, and delegates heard reports from the USBC Strategic Planning Committee and from International Bowling Campus Youth Development.

During Convention week delegates attended a variety of educational seminars. The agenda also featured presentations from USBC charity partners Bowlers to Veterans Link (BVL), which provides recreational and therapeutic programs and services to

## At Forum Bowl

# Warren collects 808, McDonald bags 759 

Johnson, Murillo, Presley, Simmons 300's

Robert Warren's first rate 259-280-269 = 808 Forum Classic session ended as the number-one set of the month at Forum Bowl.

Kiyoko McDonald posted a sky-high 279-277-203 $=759$ Wednesday Night Mixed set to front fem scoring.

Justin Johnson, Eddie Murillo, J R Presley and James Simmons shared high-game accolades with aw ard-w inning 12-baggers.

## HONOR ROLL

Sheila Burger 235-658, Duane Bates (9 pin) 288-844, Vicki Williams (9 pin) 90-788, John Hartsel 279-727, Regina Taddy 245-714, Brad West 269-794, Jennifer Zachry 257-691, Carlos Ortiz 256-707.

Julie Ramirez 183-511, Kenny Hamby 279-783, Brook Simmons 246-712, Tracye Chovanec 251-712, Frank Elam, Jr. 279-736, James Stewart

289-757, Troylen Howell 270-703, Eric Dawson 268-780.

Jennifer Zachry 257-682, Bobby Galan 289-769, James Fitzsimmons (9 pin) 279-780, Sherri Clemmer (9 pin) 265-713, Carol Shockley (9 pin) 259-713, Cameron Adkison 257-759, Zaneta Jones 226-664.

Dustin McDonald 256-698, Marla Martin 215-533, Jackie Fisher 246-694 Aaron Deckard 286-757, Troy Howel 246-668, Robert Warren 280-787, Karen Sykes 242-657, Jessie Sereseroz III 267-680.

Phyllis Murray 190-508, George Forde II 279-714, Kat Stevens 215-564, Bruce Taylor 234-667, Donna Soto 154-429, Phillip Mills 266-678, Bertha Nutt 180-453.

## SENIORS

Mike Young 269-753, Karen Hoyle 244-655.


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| 2. Brad Angelo | $\$ 7,500$ |
| :--- | ---: |
| 3. Jason Couch | $\$ 4,000$ |
| 4. Troy Lint | $\$ 3,000$ |
| 5. Pete Weber | $\$ 2,500$ |
| M ATCH SCORES |  |
| Match 1 - Couch def. Weber |  | 244-216

Match 2 - Couch def. Lint 223-184

Match 3 - Angelo def. Couch 269-267

Championship match - Bohn III def. Angelo 247-223

At J B's Allen Bowl

## Fales rips 824, Starry lands 746

Dotson 821, Delaney, Rankin add 300's

Brad Fales headed the leader boards last month at J B's Allen Bowl by compiling an awardwinning 267-279-278 = 824 Wednesday Match Play series.

Reggie Dotson finished close behind Fales with an awardwinning 821 Thursday Night Mixers outing.

Stacy Starry, Fales' league mate, paced the ladies with an outstanding 287/ 746 set.

Jon Delaney and Ron Rankin shared high-game accolades with award-w inning perfectos.

HONOR ROLL
Chris Sivak 258-757, Levi Bishard 289-752, Ron Rankin 719, Loren Tenczar 279-698, Arvese McGraw 248-688, Josh Burnham 268-766, Jon Delaney 756, Monica Holley 288-702, Cindy McBride 233-612

Andi Hall 225-544, Brent Ellis 267761, Tammy Craw ford 238-652, Derek Schaab 278-729, Trang Nguyen 204-559.

## SENIORS

Craig Klocek 250-726, Kelley Fuller 226-541, George Holland 247-682, Andi Hall 187-533.

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SAT 5／7－JB＇S YOUTH INVITATIONAL
SAT／SUN 5／14 \＆5／15－DFW OPEN
5／19－5／29－TNBA NATIONAL TOURNAMENT
6／12－9 PIN NO TAP DOUBLES

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## SASBA FOURSOME

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Rick Cheshier，Billy Hutchin－ son，Brandon Carlson）234－192．

Team Barron won the second match against Team Ensminger（Jim Ensminger， Keith Hensley，Thomas Gwin， Scott Dull）215－192．

In the third match，Team Barron once again prevailed beating Team Summers（Randy Summers，Jim Stephens，Royce Rusher，Dimitri Cruz）237－

## At Plano Super Bowl

203 to set up the final match against Team Chesbro（Roy Chesbro，Pete Thomas，Scot Nack，Terence McQueen）．

Their first game，they tied 204－204 necessitating a second game．

It was a nailbiter with Brad striking his first ball in the tenth then leaving a 10 pin and missing for a 190.

Pete got up and spared then needed a strike for the win．

He left the 4－6 for a 189 and Team Barron prevailed for \＄4，200．

## Phillips polishes 300／834， Mann shines with 812

Hancock 824，Timmins 300／811，Planey 300／804， Sheehan 300／804，Caldwell 802，
Ashenden，Bangston，Bedingfield，Bozarth（2）， Cain，Coffman，Compton，Crump，Ferguson， Lipinski，Marquis，Montes，Nguyen，Pritts，Rash， Stephens，Tilley add 300＇s

Tanner Phillips led the scoring parade for the month at Plano Super Bowl with a dual，award－ winning 266－300－268 $=834$ Friday Funsters session．

The following bowlers finished close behind Phillips with award－winning 800 series． James Hancock in the Thursday Classic league with an 824，J acob Timmins 300／811 Sportsman league，Howard Planey 300／804 Thursday Classic，Bradley Sheehan 300／804 Sundowners and Tim Caldwell an 802 in Sportsman league play．

Cindy Mann captured top honors for the Iadies with an outstanding 255－279－278＝ 812 Sportsman outing．

Patrick Ashenden，David Bangston，Randy Bedingfield， Robert Bozarth，Josh Cain， Bradford Coffman，Chris Compton，Jon Crump，Bill Ferguson，Darryl Lipinski， Harvey Marquis，Ulises Montes， Andrew Nguyen，Ted Pritts，Gid Rash，Jim Stephens and Brian Tilley shared high－game honors with Phillips，Timmins，Planey and Sheehan as each registered award－winning 12－baggers．

HONOR ROLL
Phirum Phan 266－756，Lindsay Gable 243－641，Keith Beagle 258－ 751，Jaime Beagle 220－592，Randy Bedingfield 799，Cat Amrose 257－682， Rudy Obregon（4 games）258－969．

Kaylee Switzer 132－420，Roneshia Williams 249－661，Larry Froning 218－629，Monica Adams 238－617， Ron Blocker 255－712，Monica Adams 216－555，Craig Smith 262－755，Emily Sallee 278－691．

Brian Linderman（4 games）290－ 1044，Jada Davis（4 games）268－934， Cody Thomas 257－717，Monica Adams

245－687，Wes Wade 268－799，Beverly Houston 245－640，Jim M onroe 254－645． Linda Whitlock 211－558，Michelle Stephens 253－727，Michelle Artman 224－565，Gerald Marquardt 279－772， Mark Harris 266－769，Dawn Klapper

It was Doug＇s 8th SASBA title，Hank＇s 6th and Brad＇s 2nd．They all threw the Storm Dark Code．

Kenny Gullette，Jimmy Tay－ Ior，Charles McLean，Anthony Lavery－Spahr and Stoney Burke had 300 games this week．

Mark Busscher and Mark Cozark left the lily！

Thank you to Mike Velasco and crew for hosting．They did a great job as usual．

May 14－15 we are in Baton Rouge，LA for a 60／50／guest trio at All Star Lanes．

M ay 21－22 is the Super Senior Singles in Denton at University Lanes．It will fill up．

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224－577，Jimbo Land 288－755，Christy Woods 267－684．

Charlei Arnt 246－677，Michelle Duke 221－561，Rita Skillman 226－643，Randy Peters 223－561，Anne Crain 187－529， Wes Wade 267－737，Lisa Wasson 238－ 661，Michelle Stephens 257－701．

Alan Gohike 257－714，Carrie Williams 257－596，Roland Martsolf 279－771，Keli Spencer 226－658，Chris Warren（4 games）289－1081，J ana Luden （4 games）259－937，Scott Buchanan， Sr．278－780．

Rita Skillman 258－699，Dan Metevier 260－734，Tammie Hilton 237－ 674，Kaitlin Williams 236－637．


## USBC Hall of Fame Welcomes Classes for 2021 and 2022

By: Aaron Smith
LAS VEGAS - The United States Bowling Congress Hall of Fame added two classes of inductees Wednesday night when it held its second induction ceremony of the 2022 USBC Convention and Annual Meeting at The Orleans Hotel \& Casino.

The 2021 class kicked off the night, as Sandra Jo Shiery of Coldwater, Michigan, and Mark Williams of Beaumont, Texas, were inducted in the Superior Performance category, while Barbara and Bill Chrisman of Pleasant View, Utah, were inducted for Meritorious Service.

The Chrismans were the seventh husband and wife overall to be inducted into the USBC Hall of Fame, but the first to be enshrined in the same year.

The 2022 class featured Tammy Turner of West Palm Beach, Florida, for Superior Performance, while Bo Goergen of Midland, Michigan, was inducted in the Outstanding USBC Performance category. Bill Allen of Orlando, Florida, and Roger Zeller of San Antonio were inducted posthumously in the Veterans and Meritorious Service categories, respectively.

The 2021 induction ceremony was pushed back to 2022, as the 2021 USBC Convention was held virtually. The 2020 USBC Hall of Fame class was inducted Tuesday night after COVID-19 forced the cancellation of the 2020 Convention, along with all supporting activities and events.


USBC Hall of Fame 2022 Class
Bo Goergen, Bill Allen (Paul Allen), Roger Zeller (Connie Smoot) and Tammy Turner

Shiery, 57, is a nine-time Professional Women's Bowling Association Tour champion, which includes one major victory at the 1997 USBC Queens. She also had a runner-up finish at the Queens (1989) and three top-five performances at the U.S. Women's Open.

One additional win for Shiery in the PWBA spotlight came in 1989, when she won the South Bend Classic as a non-member.

At USBC's premier event for female members, the USBC Women's Championships, the Coldwater USBC and Michigan State USBC Hall of Famer collected eight top-10 finishes, including back-to-back thirdplace efforts in the team event in 1995 and 1996.

Prior to embarking on her successful professional career, Shiery spent a year on Team USA.

In 1987, she had the opportunity to represent the United States at the International Bowl-
ing Federation Super World Championships, where she earned gold medals in team and all-events and a bronze medal in trios. A Team USA woman would not win the all-events crown again until 2013.

After her pro career ended, Shiery found success leading the next generation of stars as the coach of the Coldwater High School girls bowling team, which she helped to three consecutive state championships from 2005-2007.

Williams, 64 , is a Professional Bowlers Association Hall of Famer (1999), owns seven PBA Tour titles, including three majors - the PBA Tournament of Champions (1985 and 1988) and the PBA Touring Players Championship (1986). He also has logged a runner-up finish at the USBC Masters and two top-10 finishes at the U.S. Open.

His presence in the PBA spans more than four decades, Continued on Page 8

## USBC CONVENTION

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In 2023, the USBC Convention will be held at South Point Hotel, Casino \& Spa in Las Vegas in conjunction with the USBC Women's Championships, with the event scheduled to run from April 24-27.

Visit BOW L.com/Convention to learn more about the USBC Convention and Annual Meeting.

RESULTS OF 2022 USBC ANNUAL MEETING LEGISLATIVE SESSION

2022 LEGISLATION
Bylaws (two-third votes needed)

Amendment No. B 1 - Rejected ( 351 accept, 344 reject) USBC National Bylaws Article IV, Meetings Section A. Annual Meeting

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and his success also includes three PBA 50 Tour titles, with the most recent being the 2010 Senior U.S. Open.

In 2018, Williams celebrated turning 60 with a second-place finish at the Super Senior Classic. A year later, he picked up his first PBA60 title. He also ow ns nearly two dozen wins in PBA/ PBA50 regional competition.
"I spent about three or four years on tour really not doing good at all," Williams said. "It finally daw ned on me one day, 'you need some help, you need a coach.' And, I've had two of the greatest coaches in the history of bowling help me along the way ... Fred Borden and Bill Spigner. Thank you for all you've done."

Over more than three decades, Bill Chrisman, 72, and Barbara Chrisman, 70 , have used their positions and success as co-founders of Storm Products, Inc., one of bowling's premier manufacturers, to have an immeasurable impact in the sport beyond just the production of balls, bags, shoes and accessories for Storm, Roto Grip and now 900 Global.

Together, the two have supported bowling, particularly women's bowling, through
sponsorships of countless bowl ers and bowling tournaments across the globe, including the USBC Senior Queens, National Golden Ladies Classic and PBA/ PW BA Striking Against Breast Cancer Mixed Doubles.

Storm Bowling also has sponsored numerous youth and other events, but supporting the tournaments for women has been a major part of Barbara's mission, as she always has been supportive of women's bowling as a competitor and a fan. She was the keynote speaker at the 2016 Singapore Women's International Coaching Symposium.

As a member of the USBC Board of Directors from 20052011, Barbara Chrisman served on the Financial Committee and Legal and Legislative Committee. She also helped establish the Diversity Committee.
"As someone who has bowled recreationally and in organized competitions since I was 11, it is indeed a privilege to be inducted into the USBC Hall of Fame," Barbara Chrisman said. "This is crazy. I can't believe I'm standing up here, where I watched so many of our great leaders and superior bowlers go before me. What a great group I'm included in."

Before the Storm brand came to be in 1991, along with the company's first bowling balls, Bill Chrisman's High Score Products was in its sixth year

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as a one-product company, producing U Clean/ U Score Urethane Bowling Ball Cleaner. Under his leadership, Storm has been a leading innovator, introducing such things as bowling balls with distinctive fragrances.

Individually, Bill Chrisman also has served the sport at the association level, spending time as a director on the Ogden (Utah) Bowling Association Board from 1981-1989. He was inducted into the association's hall of fame for superior performance in 1994 and was inducted into the Utah State USBC Hall of Fame in 2005 for meritorious service.

His efforts and determination earned him special recognition from USBC in 2014 - the J oyce Deitch Unity Award - given to individuals who have made important contributions to bowling as motivators, visionaries, leaders and innovators.
"If you work with Storm, you're committed to trying to make the sport of bowling a better sport, and the act of bowling more fun," Bill Chrisman said. "We make bowling balls so people can have more fun, enjoy the sport more and try to recruit more bow lers as much as we can. That's what everybody at Storm is about, and that's what we try to instill into everybody. And, if you don't feel that way at Storm, you're not there for very long."

But, as much as bowling has benefitted from their individual dedication, the Chrismans likely will be remembered for their collective contributions and the role their company has played in the future of the sport.

As a team, the Chrismans
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At Cowtown Bowling Palace

## Klann blasts 785, Beasley plasters 657

White 300

RJ KIann captured high-series honors last month at Cowtown Bowling Palace with a powerIaden 279-269-237 = 785 Storm Bowling Draft Scratch Trio league production

Catie Beasley, Klann's league mate, paced the gals with an outstanding 237-206-214 $=657$ set.

Ronnie White earned highgame accolades with an awardwinning 12-bagger.

## HONOR ROLL

Doug Estes 267-754, Stella Evans 202-536, Ben Tunnell 255, Tony Edwards 254, Steven Ward 289, Lorenzo Cisneros 279, Cathy Nelson 235, Jamie Hines 176, Ronnie White 673.

Unique Edwards 234-612, Ben Tunnell 249, Anita Lamaster 212, David Pulliam 247, Frankie Mata, Jr. 267, Alma Rodriguez 225-628, Harold Loftis 265, Jamie Hines 204, Jason Magallon, Sr. 263.

Mike Moscato 290, Amy Drescher 267, Ryan Boroff 289, Maria Joyner 212, Pat Currie 279, Cathy Nelson 208, Jeremy Trubenstein 279, Leonard Harris 279, Timothy Landers, Jr. 279-779.

Amy Adams 207-610, Doug Estes 268, J acki Craft 200, Michael Williams 258, Ben Tunnell 221, Diane Dudley 214, Ivory Davis, Jr. 221, Allan White 219, Timothy Landers, Jr. 251-679, Ginny Wenck 195.

Ben Tunnell 249, Harlan Tunnell 246, Luis M orales 247-620, Julie Smith 200-491, Hayden Nettleton 236, Keith Miertschin 225.

## SENIORS

Larry Stevenson 245, Neva House 234, Luis M orales 244-708, Diane Fleck 214, David Pruitt 243, Debbie Cathey 211-594, David Pruitt 225, M arsha Giarrusso 188, Johnny Zaskoda 258-729 Sandy Bell 190, Randy Beinlich 258, Luis Morales 257.

## At Strikz

## Smith racks 296/728, Tenczar bags 697

## Irvine 300

FRISCO - Scott Smith lit up the Ianes at Strikz last month with a high-flying 164-268-296 = 728 Thursday Throwdown series.

Loren Tenczar paced the gals with a top-notch 247-235-235 = 697 Monday Mixerz set.

Rick Irvine's award-winning 12-bagger earned high-game accolades.

HONOR ROLL
Devin Roy 267-727, Chandler Ritsch 280-719, Raymond Law rence 253-657, Scott Noll 243-702, Mark Johnson 265-655, Klayton Colgrove 255-694, Noah Riegel 240-644, Jeremiah Scanlan 268-681.

Robert Gorrebeeck 228-643, David Gorrebeeck 247-692, Mark Johnson 232-594, Chris M arino 225-608, Robert Marino 212-578, LaM arr M oss 234-649, Tiffany Emerson 219-625, Arvese McGraw 196-524.

Mark Connor 245-602, Adam Walker 226-656, Daniel Colgrove 213-590, M ichael McCoy 218-640, Billie Bennett 225-622, Kevin Connell 204603, Eileen Iderlied 232-535, Jeannie Martilla 187-520.

Daniel Anderson 246-599, Robert McGraw 205-606, Ann Brabant 178-486, JoAnn Fitzgerald 200-504, Jacki Myrice 199-536, Cathy Eberly 215-570, Connie Johnson 198-511, Sue Ellis 164-481.

Sharon Lawrence 185-524, Beverly Davidson 168-458, Debra Gorman 187-535, Eileen Inderlied 187-503, Soup Davidson 201-583, Johnny Matusik

251-643, Vicki Barnes 204-514, Jeffery Purkett 247-665.

Michael Holtfrerich 240-630, Michael Gabriel 254-610, Kim Lorenzen 214-579, Chad Sigler 232-622, Jacob Harding 226-600, Steve Ray 236-627, Bobby Pritchard 212-614, Mark Donnelly 214-628.

Amy Marshall 227-561, David Gorrebeeck 267-666, Rick Irvine 238681, Dana Davidson 183-504, Jacki Myrice 189-510, Skip J enkins 224-572, Mark Spittell 205-584, Bill Hughes 214-583.

Dan Anderson 212-583, Ed M atthies, Sr. 269-665, Eddie M atthies, Jr. 257-696, Ryan Delossantos 197-572, Yolanda Payton 215-582, Eileen Inderlied 201536, JoAnn Fitzgerald 214-540.

Kyle Hobbs 258-671, Suzanne Ferguson 234-567, Debbie Colby 183512, Christina Damer 193-497, Adam Damer 239-570, Mike Caruso 183-534, Richard Halliwell 220-508, Marcus Patterson 257-690.

Noah Riegel 233-546, Travis Hogman 237-561, Brody Kovacs 202572, C. T. Sutton 208-568, Devin Roy 208-589, James Estes 184-511, Brett Paul 189-514, Dennis Radcliffe 182-509, Brent Waechter 199-521.

## SENIORS

Bob Gray 237-582, Larry Froning 203-579, Tim Johsnon 192-542, Donny Segerstrom 211-518, Bonnie Long 172392, Eunice Burgess 152-417, Connie Johnson 161-466, Lilndell Daubresse 176-486, Dee Lanzing 152-378.

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have received numerous honors from the bowling industry, including the 2016 International Bowling Media Association Alberta E. Crowe Meritorious Service Award, 2014 Billiard and Bowling Institute of America's Industry Service Award in recognition of their contribution to the promotion of the sport, 2003 William Landgraf Memorial Award for Distinguished Service and the 2013 John Davis Memorial Award.

They also have made numerous charitable contributions, including donating to Susan G. Komen Bowl for the Cure, BPAA Hall of Fame Xtravaganza, International Bowling Museum and Hall of Fame and Weber State University.

Turner, 51, excelled col-
legiately with West Texas A\&M internationally with Team

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## At Red Bird Lanes

## Alonzo

 raises 783, Cathey claims 749
## Lockett 300

Frankie Alonzo rolled a freewheeling 267-257-259 $=783$ Sunday Night M ixed series to lead the scoring at Red Bird Lanes.

Lauren Cathey, Alonzo's league mate, paced the ladies with a top-notch 267-204-278 = 749 set.

Gary Lockett captured highgame accolades with an awardwinning perfecto.

HONOR ROLL
Tommy M oreland 243-640, Carolyn Large 190-503, Pam Lane 212-577, Lauren Cathey 214-603, Leroy Willis, Jr. 279-753, Zach Wrightsil 245-724, Jha'Mon Birmingham (9 pin, no tap, 4 games) 300-1124.

Julio Castenada (9 pin, no tap, 4 games) 298-1051, Carolyn Large 164-468, Pam Lane 177-477, David Green 240-695, Karen Strang 202-518, Gary Lockett 266-745, Lauren Cathey 268-726.

T J Rudd 255-696, Paula Kennedy 235-564, Paul M arquez 278-712, Angela Davis-W hite 202-564, Billy Cathey 256-712, Debbie Cathey 230-609, Tyree Jennings, Jr. 279-728, Angela Chalmers 230-623.

Pedro Silva, Jr. 257-715, Gail Walker 186-478, B J Jennings 194-478, Mike Miller 257-751, Brittany Pope 226-621, Scotty Salazar 245-577, Diane Ihle 66-195.


# Indiana Tech's Carey, Wichita State's Keplinger Named NCBCA MVPS of 2021-2022 Season 

Ryan Barnes All-American First Team; Hope Gramly All-American Second Team

By: Aaron Smith
NAPERVILLE, III. - Indiana Tech's Maryssa Carey and Wichita State's Alec Keplinger have been named the Most Valuable Players of the 20212022 collegiate season by the National Collegiate Bowling Coaches Association (NCBCA).

The announcement was made during the Night of Champions banquet Wednesday at the Embassy Suites Chicago Naperville. In addition to Carey and Keplinger being recognized, the NCBCA All-America teams and several other award winners were announced.

The ceremony was broadcast live at BowITV.com.

The Storm/ International Bowling Media Association (IBMA) Collegiate Award winners also were announced Wednesday, with Carey and Keplinger being named Bowlers of the Year.

Carey, who is in her fifth season with the Warriors, finishes her career with four appearances on NCBCA AllAmerica teams. She also was on the first team during the

2019-2020 season and collected a pair of second team nominations in 2017-2018 and 2018-2019.

The right-hander recorded five wins and nine top-five finishes in 12 events during the 2021-2022 season. Carey also led the women's division in average (211.07) and average differential (43.1).

Joining Carey on the women's NCBCA All-America first team this season is Mount Mercy's Ayra Aminuddin, Wichita State's Juliana Botero, Duquesne's Oliva Farwell and St. Ambrose's M egan Hess. Botero also was recognized as the top new comer during the 2021-2022 season, winning the women's NCBCA Rookie of the Year award.

Keplinger, a junior, earns his second NCBCA All-America nod after earning Honorable Mention during the 2020-2021 season, when he helped the Shockers claim the Intercollegiate Team Championships and finished as the runner-up at the Intercollegiate Singles Championships.

The right-hander posted two wins, three top-five finishes and seven top-10 placements during 11 events in the regular season. He was second in average differential (34.77) and third in average in the men's division with 216.68 .

Keplinger is joined on the men's NCBCA All-America first team this season by Wichita State teammate Ryan Barnes, Tyrell Ingalls of Savannah College of Art and DesignSavannah, Tennessee Southern's Hayden Stippich and St. Ambrose's Nathan Stubler.

The men's NCBCA Rookie of the Year is Wichita State's Spencer Robarge, who al so earned a spot on the All-America second team.
The NCBCA Gordon Vadakin and Kerm Helmer Coach of the Year awards went to Katie Thornton of Savannah College of Art and Design-Savannah and Andy Diercks of Mount Mercy, respectively.

Thornton earned the distinction for the first time in her career. Diercks claims the award for the third straight


Maryssa Carey - Indiana Tech and Alec Keplinger - Wichita State
year, becoming the first coach to earn the honor on either the men's or women's side for three consecutive seasons.

The Gordon Vadakin Coach of the Year award recognizes the top coach in the men's division, and the Kerm Helmer Coach of the Year award is given to the top coach in the women's division.

Bo Shipley was named the Gordon Teigen Meritorious Service Award winner for 2022. Shipley was recognized through his work in helping preserve and grow the Hoosier Classic which typically serves as the final Tier I competition of the

United States Bowling Congress Collegiate season. The annual award recognizes an individual for outstanding service to collegiate bowling.

For more information on USBC Collegiate, visit BOWL. com/ Collegiate.

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People are watching bowling on television. Yes I know, I know, this is not the first time I've w ritten those words in this column, but ever since the PBA's television deal in 2019 with Fox Sports solid numbers back it up. And yes, there's that other show people are watching on Thursday nights, but first the PBA numbers.

Starting after the World Series of Bowling animal pattern finals in March through the April 24th PBA Playoff

Round of 8 telecast on FS1, the telecast average viewership has been above 200,000 and at least 663,000 on the main Fox netw ork.

According to Nielsen ratings posted on showbuzzdaily,com, the Sunday, A pril 3 USBC Masters finals on the main Fox netw ork averaged 847,000 view ers, 199,000 in the key 18-49 age group, and a 0.53 rating (percentage of households using television watching). PBA Commissioner Tom Clark

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added in an April 7 Tweet, the Anthony Simonsen/ Norm Duke final match had 1.547 million watching. View ership is measured every fifteen minutes, then averaged. To have nearly a $55 \%$ difference in the average to the peak number indicates the strength of the programming. Audience tuning in for the following program did not hurt, either, as that weekend's NASCAR race averaged nearly four million viewers.

The only hiccup is the World Series of Bowling animal pattern finals airing the week of the start of the NCAA Division I Men's and Women's Basketball Tournaments. The highest of the three animal pattern finals was the Scorpion Championship averaging 158,000 view ers.

Fox will have the last two rounds of the Kia PBA Playoffs Sunday May 8 and May 15.

CBS Sports Net will air the PBA Tour Finals Saturday June 4 and Sunday June 5 before FS1 resumes with the PBA League Wednesday July 6 and 7. \#\#\#\#\#\#
And now as promised, the other part of story about more people are watching bowling on television. The CBS sitcom based in part on the life story of PBA touring player Tom Smallwood, "How We Roll," has had some decent Nielsen numbers of its own the first five weeks of the eleven shows recorded.

Airing at 8:30 pm CT Thursday nights, "HWR" has had four very nice weeks, averaging nearly four million viewers with a 0.37 rating. Being inserted in between two stronger shows, "Ghosts," the network's best new sitcom, and "Bull," the longtime drama staple at 9:00pm CT, the show has signs of getting a regular audience. As is par for the course these days, bowler's social media reactions vary from lukewarm to disappointing, claiming the

## Just Paying Attention <br> By Mark London <br> Mark@TheBowlingNews.net


treatment of the game and sport should be better.

Some threads on social media are downright despondent about how bowling not being portrayed accurately in HWR. This is NOT a documentary about being a pro bowler as we've already "been there, done that" with the "League of Ordinary Gentlemen" film twenty years ago. The fact that lanes are not said to be waxed cosmic lights are constantly flashing, or bowlers bowling in street shoes are signs Smallwood the creative consultant is spreading the knowledge. This series is striking a nerve to some, but if the series gets season two, we'll hear a little more bowling lexicon we are used to hearing.

Now that we have evidence of the genesis of a regular audience developing, viewers are
enjoying the story based on the life of Smallwood, not a $100 \%$ factual portrayal of finer details.

First, if you've carefully noticed, there is PBA signage in the bowling scenes, Yes, that is THE PBA logo. Clark stated in an earlier J PA this year The Association has and will fully cooperate with the show's producers to help with what it can. Next, as a creative consultant, Tom Smallwood told J PA he was on set to address concerns on how bowling lingo works and how it is best used. In at least two episodes, references to both the PBA National and Regional tours were spot on. Last week, there were "Cheetah," "oil pattern," or "release

point" mentions in language in, let's say, Randy Pedersen would mention them.

As my non-bowling and serious television show watching wife Michelle has reminded me for years is this. A vast majority of viewers don't care about the nuances and subtleties the bowling world knows like the back of our collective hand, or in bowler talk what the first two balls we pull out of our bag.

This is also the time of year networks decide what shows are considered for the fall lineup. If a show's rating drops off dramatically the first three to five or six weeks, it often cancelled. If there is a slight drop in the same time frame then a stable number after as "HW R" has had, then there is a good chance it will be at worst a mid-season replacement in the 2022-23 season.

Another potential hurdle could have been the back-to-

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## The Greatest Bowler Of All Time

A recent article in Bowlers Journal International ("Completed It, M ate," by George Wooten) got me wondering about that age old question who really is the greatest bowler of all time? What caught my eye was a chart near the end of the column that bestowed the elite eight - those that have completed the Triple Crown in bowling.

But what may be even more interesting to ponder are the famous players that are NOT on the list. Five of the most famous bowlers of all time are not included. There's no Dick Weber or Don Carter from the golden age of bowling (the 1950's and 1960's), and there's no Walter Ray Williams Jr. Mark Roth or Earl A nthony from more contemporary years (1970's to the present)

The Triple Crown is made up of the PBA Tournament of Champions, the U.S. Open and the PBA National (now known as the World Championship). Billy Hardwick was the first to complete the trifecta in 1969, and he remained the only bowler to accomplish the feat for more than a decade, when Johnny Petraglia joined him in 1980.

It was almost another decade before Pete Weber joined the duo in 1989. Since then, another five professionals have joined them: Mike Aulby in 1995, Norm Duke and Chris Barnes in 2011, Jason Belmonte in 2020, and the most recent member Dom Barrett, when he won the Tournament of Champions this year to complete the run of wins in the three events.

Until Belmonte burst upon the scene in 2014 with his first win in the Triple Crown events at the Tournament of Champions, you would be hard pressed to argue against Pete Weber when it comes to dominating the big events. Weber started his run at the Triple Crown when he, like Belmonte, first claimed a victory at the Tournament of Champions, way back in 1987.

Pete, who recently announced his retirement from the national tour, is the only player to complete the Triple Crown... twice! He also has five victories at the U.S. open considered by the players to be the most difficult event because of a premium on accuracy to make good shots.

I first met a young Pete Weber when AMF was negotiating to purchase Dick Weber Lanes from his father. He had heard of my 300 games and 800 series exploits and was eager to challenge me when arrived at the center. Once I had convinced him that I had no interest in challenging him, and that I was content just to bowl once a week in a league at Deer Park Bowl on Long Island N.Y., we became fast friends in a relationship that has lasted until this day.

Pete's record of nine victories in Triple Crown events is being challenged by J ason Belmonte, who has a total of seven in just eight years. W hat no one can ever challenge is Pete's longevity factor - he has won those nine events over the course of 26 years! Add to that the fact that he's won a total of five U.S. Open events, while none of the other Triple Crown holders have totaled more than one, and you can begin to see why Pete Weber could arguably be the greatest bowler of all time.

I remember when AMF first signed Pete to the AMF Staff of Champions and everyone wanted Pete to come to their center for exhibitions, learn to bowl clinics, and the like. "There were so many benefits to having Dick Weber at an exhibition," I wrote in an article for BCM Magazine in August of 2018. "His personalty. His coaching expertise. His ability to motivate bowlers to want to get better. But times were changing, and most of the managers wanted the younger, brash 'PDW' to ingratiate their lanes."

It took a while, but I was able to locate an old article from some press clippings titled, "Weber, Williams Slated for Celebrity Bowling." Pete and I were scheduled to roll against TV and radio celebrities from throughout the state of South Carolina and northern Georgia. A couple of future nationwide celebrities were included in the list of teams that would be rolling against us... J.D. Hayworth and Mike Seidel.
Both Hayworth and Seidel were working for WYFF-TV in Greenville, S.C., at the time. Hayworth went on to a successful career in the United States Congress as a representative from Arizona (1995-2007), and


Here's an ad that appeared in local newspapers, announcing the appearance of Pete Weber at AMF Anderson Bowl.


The Doubles Challenge Match participants included
(l-r) Dave Williams, Mike O'Barr, Pete Weber and future Congressman J.D. Hayworth.
then as host of Newsmax Prime on cable television. He now owns The Great 48th Group, a consulting company. Seidel also has enjoyed national success as a reporter for the Weather Channel, where he has excelled for more than 30 years.

Mike O'Barr, the manager of AMF Anderson Bowl in Anderson, S.C., was the first to come up with the unique doubles format to gain maximum exposure with the media, while at the same time capitalizing on Pete's competitive energy when confronted with a challenge. The learn-to-bowl and exhibition clinics just did not fit his style, unlike father Dick Weber, who was at his best when conversing with individuals that came to watch and learn from the master.

So, who is the greatest bowler of all time? In terms of absolute numbers (titles and earnings), the nod would have to go with Walter Ray Williams J r., whom Pete Weber often referred to as "the only one that had my number." And as for looking to the future, there's no question that J ason Belmonte, or perhaps Anthony Simonsen will receive the approval of most.
But as for me, I think that it would be safe to say that the greatest bowler of all time comes from the Weber household - Pete for his ability to win the big ones, in addition to titles and earnings exceeded only by Walter Ray; or Dick, the greatest ambassador for bowling that the world has ever known, and one exceptional human being.

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Listening to all the "coaches" in your league That's anyone who averages more than you (and maybe a couple who don't). I hear, "There was so much oil, I couldn't keep my ball on the lane." Or "The lanes carried down and I didn't know where to move." They have been listening to people in league and feel they understand the concepts but, obviously, they haven't quite gotten it.

They mishear (like rosin for resin) or misunderstand, and then we have lots of thoughts to undo and replace with good information. That's actually really a lot of fun and one of my favorite things to do: empowering people with the truth. The bowling version of Mythbusters..

Although the intention of the people you are listening to is probably pure, telling you that you're dropping your shoulder (you cannot bowl without doing so) or rushing

First of all, what if you are? Is that bad? W hat does that cause you to do? Is whatever it causes something you want to do or want to avoid? Did they give you advice on how to change it or did they plant a worry seed you're nurturing? Now you're concerned about how to "fix" something that may not even be broken.

And then there's "Get some fingers in it." This is a throw back phrase that actually used to work. It meant to curl your fingers as you let go of the ball, putting more "stuff" on it.

That's a real no-no in today's game. A lot of "stuff" is already built into today's bowling balls. If you add to it, it only makes the ball misbehave.

If you are "rushing the line" and you shouldn't be (which is not a given), are your feet fast or is your arm slow? The effect is the same. If you try to fix one or the other without a plan, you'll really mess with your timing to your detriment. You are one entity moving harmoniously to the line. "I am the ball." You can't effectively slow your feet down while your arm stays at the same old speed. Get a coach who can accurately diagnose what might be going on with your game, who can help you design a plan with several keys so you can know what to do when a real culprit sneaks into your game.

You can visit Susie at strikeability.com.

At Western Bowl

## Frazier soars to 299/841, Larson notches 715

Ingram 300, Hill 299
the line won't help you a bit.


AMARILLO, TX - David Frazier pocketed prime 299-266$276=841$ Super Bowl Mixed league numbers to head the honor roll for the month at Western Bowl.

Megan Larson, Frazier's league mate, rolled a tip-top 231-257-227 $=715$ series to take top honors for the ladies.

Randy Ingram's awardwinning 12-bagger earned high-game honors while Billy

At Terrell

## Holley handles 784, Shaw collars 728

## Rogers 300

TERRELL - Bobby Holley won high-series honors last month at Terrell Bowling Center by polishing off robust 269-258-257 $=784$ numbers in Monday Night Mixed action.

Barbara Shaw led the ladies' leader board after registering a sizzling 280-207-241 = 728 Friday Night Quads series.

Billy Rogers earned high-game accolades with an award-winning 12-bagger.

## HONOR ROLL

Donald Davis, Jr. 259-755, Meagan Blasius 201-555, Billy Rogers 760, Patty Ellington 218-615, Bo Jones 260-720, Sammy Winstead 288-648, Teresa Conn

234-607, Gary Lovejoy, Sr. 268-739. Lisa Stewart 211-590, Marshall Morrison 279-750, Kristy Lovejoy 224 645, Mark Blasius 248-712, Jennifer Williams 228-585, Mark Sleeper, Jr. 245-724, Mary Mason 215-577, Eldon Pickens 258-718.

Kari Bell 200-583, Bobby Holley 279-770, Paige Ellington 218-552, Josh Renfro 256-736, Kaylee McGinnis 236-569, Stoney Burke, Jr. 257-716, Brandon Johnson 244-709, Kevin Carbo, Jr. 276-715.

Josh Orr 255-721, Tyler Worthington 243-710, M ark Dearment, Jr. 278-721, John Wilson 258-716, Joe Findling 278-731.

Hill shared runner-up accolades with Frazier with a near-perfect 299 solo.

HONOR ROLL
Chuck Collins 278-791, Billy Hill 778, Randy Ingram 777, Tyler Albracht 258-762, Joe Miranda 244-753, Elijah Sledge 260-744, Terry W hite 269-738, Andrew Baliey 256-737, Brennen Chaparro 266-733.

Gary Dunn 266-733, Jamer Hill 254-730, Grayham Sim 268-727, Kevin Edmondson 248-725, Jeremy Dubose 246-725, Jim Turner 267-724, Nathan Herring 247-722, Robert Sicks 267-720.

Kent Neal 247-716, Chris Davis 255-715, Glenn Groves 264-714, Jimmy Buckner 280-709, Chris Woosley 268707, Russell Hervey 256-706, Brennan Gredes 280-697, John Reichert 258-695.

Randy Skovbo 257-694, John Walton 255-694, Cory Stewart 279-694, Derek Jones 258-691, Brent Beavers 264-690, Terry Thome 257-686, Mark Epperson 256-684, Joey Rivers 241-684.

Michael Baucom 268-683, Tyler Sharp 279-682, Zach Encinas 237-680, Rick Sevier 268-680, Brian Collier 266-677, J eff Chaparro 240-675, Danny M oreland 264-669, Jim Faust 239-669.

Rick Weiss 243-667, Trent Kennedy 244-667, Billy Watson 238-674, Laure Leucke 239-680, Carrie Wichers 237674, Halea Secor 235-663, J ennifer Polk 252-662, Debbie Shannon 245-640.

Cindy Brock 229-617, Julie Huff 225-608, Mildred Anthony 245-602, Brenda McMahon 223-585, Mandy Frazier 213-581, Tracie Bailey 212-578, Samantha Ellis 224-577, Kat Swindell 221-575.

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## USBC HALL OF FAME

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USA and then on the PW BA Tour during the 1990s, before back surgery late in the decade derailed her professional career.

She was the 1994 PW BA Rookie of the Year and went on to earn four PWBA Tour titles in her first three seasons, including a pair of victories in 1996.

Though she left the tour for good in 2002, she remained in the national spotlight as a regular participant at the USBC Women's Championships, where she collected more than a dozen top-10 finishes and two Classic Team titles through 2013.

With the PWBA Tour on hiatus from 2003-2014, competitive opportunities for women were limited, but Turner capitalized on one in 2009, when she burst back onto the sport's top tier with a win at the 2009 U.S Women's Open for her first major title.

She was the runner-up at the U.S. Women's Open in 1998 and finished second at the USBC Queens in 1996
"I was born with a congeni tal heart defect that restricted me from playing some organized sports in middle school and high school," said Turner, when describing her start in the sport. "I've heard many people say I have natural talent, but there wasn't anything natural about how I started in bowling. Due to this congenital heart defect, my heart problem was a liability, but one of the sports I could play was bowling. I was determined at that point to prove them all wrong I could be a good athlete, and I was determined to be the
best I could be and be a great bowler."

Goergen, a 61 -year-old right-hander and current USBC Board member, is a two-time champion at the USBC Open Championships

He won the 2009 Regular Singles title with a record score of 862 , which included games of 299, 299 and 264 and still is the highest series ever rolled in Open Championships competition.

Goergen returned to the tournament lanes in 2010 as a defending champion, and though he was not able to repeat in singles, he posted a 2,031 all-events total and helped Northern Lanes Pro Shop of Sanford, Michigan, to the Team All-Events title with a 10,284 total.

In 42 years on the tournament lanes, Goergen has maintained a 205 average and collected five additional top-10 finishes. He also earned a pair of titles at the 2015 Bowlers Journal Championships.
"I've had a great career with 42 years at the Open Championships," Goergen said. "I want my son to experience the same thing. This month, when we come back to Las Vegas, I'm bowling with my son, my brother, my nephew and my first cousin, because we're going to bowl as a family from now on. Bowling is a family. I appreciate all of you who have supported me in this journey. I didn't think I really deserved this award, but every one of you who congratulated me told me I do belong here. Now, I'm going to be a part of the USBC Hall of Fame family."

Allen was a 13-time PBA Tour champion, with all of those wins coming betw een 1963 and 1968. During the

## At Killeen Bowlerama

# Anguiano masters 300/858, Morgan snags 742 

Baez, Haslett, Ledet 300's, Beckett 299

KILLEEN, TX - Adam Anguiano lit up the lanes last month at Killeen Bowlerama with a dual, award-winning 300/858 Commercial league outing and he also set a new House record.

Jen Morgan paced the Iadies with a sturdy 277/ 742 Rebels set.

Luis Baez, Tyronne Haslett and Jeremy Ledet shared highgame honors with Anguiano with aw ard-winning 12 baggers. Makayla Beckett, Youth bowler, took runner-up accolades with a near-perfect 299 solo.

HONOR ROLL
Luis Baez 791, Tawana Ramey 228620, Phil Thurston 704, Nee Wallace

553, James Hall 674, Annette Richeson 548, Kevin Lewis 670, Emily Berger 278-712, Stephanie Hamric 691, Regis Payne 767.

Sandi Charles 688, Luis Baez 760, Erica McPhail 684, Jeremy Ledet 760, Ed Hellon 758, Kim Dewald 257-685, Sam Cominsky 738, Sandi Charles 683, Allan Smith 722, Eric Odette 289-719.

Bobby Wacker 289-783, Gregg Lewis 756, J ean Maxson 724, Mark Raymond 745, Darryl Martin 741, John Pasch 730, Alycia Blackwell 257-674, Jason Stockton 289-706, Erika Shaffer 661.

Walter Harrison 693, Kim Rathbun 627, Ray Hiller 682, Brian Joseph 268-729, Stephanie Alexander 257-632, Robert Davie 669.
same time frame, he collected three top-10 finishes at the U.S Open.

He was a regular on the USBC and Bowlers Journal All-America teams in the 1960s and claimed seven top-10 finishes at the Open Championships between 1966 and 1976.

Allen was inducted into the Florida State USBC Hall of Fame in 1970, the Orlando USBC Hall of Fame in 1982, the PBA Hall of Fame in 1983 and the Central Florida Sports Hall of Fame in 1984.

Allen's brother, Paul, accepted the award posthumously on behalf of Bill, who died in 1992.

Zeller helped leave his mark on the sport as the ow ner, president and chief executive officer of Columbia Industries, which he purchased in 1960. He initially focused on the creation and distribution of plastic and polyester bowling balls.

After selling the company in 1964, the decorated military veteran bought it back in 1967, serving as the majority owner for approximately 30 years.

As the sport hit its highest participation points in the 1970s and 1980s, Columbia 300 produced more than 5,000 bowling balls a day, and the company sold more than 1 million bowling balls for the first time in 1976. Through the 1990s, Columbia was the largest manufacturer of bowling balls and even produced balls for AMF and Track.

Connie Smoot, Zeller's longtime friend and colleague, was there to accept the award for him. Zeller died in 1997.

Columbia 300 served as the title sponsor for many professional events on both the men's and women's tours over the years, and Zeller was elected to the PBA Hall of Fame for meritorious service in 1995.

Zeller also spent time as a proprietor, served as a National Bowling Council board member and as trustee for the International Bowling Museum and Hall of Fame.

He was inducted into the San Antonio Bowling Council Hall of Fame in 1977 and received the Billiard and Bowling Institute of America Industry Service Award in 1988.

Zeller established the John Jowdy Scholarship Fund and created the Roger L. and Laura D. Zeller Charitable Foundation, which funded a wing of the Cancer Therapy \& Research Center in San Antonio.

Including the 2021 and 2022 classes, there are 446 members of the USBC Hall of Fame - 228 in Superior Performance, 125 in Meritorious Service, 53 in Veterans, 22 in Pioneer and 18 in Outstanding USBC Performance.

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## INTERCOLLEGIATE MVPS

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## Keplinger, Wichita State;

 Hayden Stippich, Tennessee Southern; Nathan Stubler, St. AmbroseSecond Team - James Bennett, Indiana Tech; David Hooper, Emmanuel; J oshua Imhoff, Oklahoma Christian; Marcus McClain, Indiana Tech; Spencer Robarge, Wichita State

Honorable Mention - Alex Acosta, Saint Xavier; Alex Glinski, Savannah College of Art and Design-Savannah; Andrew Guba, Nevada-Las Vegas; AIexander Linnenbrink, Lincoln Memorial; CJ Petrin, Oklahoma Christian; Zachary Price, Tennessee Wesleyan; TJ Rock, Wichita State; J orge RodriguezRosas, McKendree; Evan Thro, Muskingum; AJ Wolstenholme, Webber International

Most Valuable Player - Alec Keplinger, Wichita State

Rookie of the Year - Spencer Robarge, Wichita State

WOMEN
First Team - Ayra Aminuddin, Mount Mercy; Juliana Botero, Wichita State; M aryssa Carey, Indiana Tech; Olivia Farwell, Duquesne; M egan Hess, St. Ambrose

Second Team - Rebecca Dodson, Mount St. Mary's; Hope Gramly, McKendree; Bea Hernandez, Sam Houston State; Addie Herzberg, Wichita State;


## JUST PAYING ATTENTION

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back episodes Thursday A pril 28 airing up against the NFL Draft on both ABC and ESPN. Ratings did take a little hit, drawing 3.3 million and 3.1 million below the 3.5 to 3.9 million of other episodes, but "Young Sheldon" and "United States of AI" offered a strong lead in audience followed up the veteran drama, "Bull." And don't worry, the show is also available on CBS' streaming service, Paramount+ along with the entire current CBS netw ork catalog, if you have time to binge watch.

Entertainment critics have panned the show, saying it isn't breaking new ground and the netw ork reduced the original series order from 13 to 11 episodes, not a good sign.

We should know something by Iate May or early June if Tom Smallwood boards a plane for LAX to help out what hopefully is a sophomore season of "How We Roll."

Madison McCall, Tulane Honorable Mention - Alyssa Alexander, Mount St. Mary's; Denise Blankenzee, Sam Houston State; Kasey Eaton, Davenport; Olivia Komorowski, Wichita State; Allie Leiendecker, Louisiana Tech; Caitlin Lucas, Baker; Cassidy Potter, Rochester Institute of Technology; Laurin Prebelich, Law rence Tech; Lauren Tomaszewski, North Carolina A\&T; J aqueline Witura, Webber International Most Valuable Player Maryssa Carey, Indiana Tech Rookie of the Year - Juliana Botero, Wichita State

Kerm Helmer Coach of the Year - Andy Diercks, Mount Mercy

Gordon Vadakin Coach of the Year - Katie Thornton, Savannah College of Art and Design-Savannah

Teigen Meritorious Service Award - Bo Shipley, Hoosier Classic

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2021-2022 COLLEGIATE AWARDS

WOMEN
Bowler of the Year - Maryssa Carey, Indiana Tech

Runners-Up - Ayra Aminuddin, Mount Mercy; Juliana Botero, Wichita State; Addie Herzberg, Wichita State; Caitlin Lucas, Baker

Honorable Mention - Oliva Farwell, Duquesne; Bea Hernandez, Sam Houston State; Megan Hess, St. Ambrose MEN
Bowler of the Year - Alec Keplinger, Wichita State Runners-Up - Tyrell Ingalls, Savannah College of Art and Design-Savannah; Spencer Robarge, Wichita State; Hayden Stippich, Tennessee Southern; Nathan Stubler, St. A mbrose

Honorable Mention - Ryan Barnes, Wichita State; J oshua Imhoff, Oklahoma Christian; Marcus McClain, Indiana Tech

## INTERCOLLEGIATE CHAMP

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be greenlighted as head coach Shawn Wochner was retiring after the match

But, needing a mark to stave off elimination, WisconsinWhitewater senior Donovan Thomas followed his three teammates and struck on his first shot in the 10th frame to win Game 3 (223-192). This began the rally for the Warhawks, in which they won Game 4 (182-168) to force the deciding fifth game.

With the momentum in their favor, the resilient Warhawks built a lead with three strikes in their first four frames as the intrigue continued to build, with Wichita State struggling late in the match.

The Shockers, who were looking to repeat as champions at the ITC, had three opens in the first six frames. This allowed W isconsin-W hitew ater to fill frames until the ninth, when the Warhawks tossed a strike to lock up the game (204161) and a 3-2 win to claim the program's first Helmer Cup.

Wochner, who had announced his retirement from coaching in previous months, finally broke through as the Wisconsin-W hitewater head coach after a couple of thirdplace finishes in recent years. He's now in rare company as a winner of the ITC as both a player (Western Illinois in 2001) and coach.

The bleachers were filled with current and former Warhawk alumni, as well as Wochner's family and friends from the Quad Cities. It's a moment Wochner or the team will never forget.

Thomas, who was named the men's Most Valuable Player of the ITC, stepped up and performed in clutch moments throughout the tournament,

## At Mel's Lone Star Lanes

## Fogarty compiles 792, Sharp topples 764

Odom, Spells, Stafford 300's

GEORGETOW N - Terry Fogarty racked up a powerpacked 279-279-234 = 792 Thursday Thunder session to earn the top spot on the honor roll last month at Mel's Lone Star Lanes.

Kira Sharp's banner 279-249$236=764$ Pot O Gold set claimed the lead for the ladies.

Kaleb Odom, Daniel Spells and Scott Stafford shared highgamehonors with award-winning 12-baggers.

## HONOR ROLL

Kaleb Odom 270-760, Kristi Maxey 249-568, Thomas Standley 240-658, Mariae Bui 183-512, Debby Carter 245664, Scott Stafford 789, Mel Bergeron 215-577, Braden Dickerson 278-687.

Dalton Gazda 247-690, Lana Rybaski 215-601, Dustin Sharp 279-723, Kylie Santos 254-670, Danny Adkins 280-783, Lori Schultz 224-635.

SENIORS
Ken Bland, Jr. 255-706, Claudia Burroughs 223-614, Adam Suson 267690, Laurie Alkier 225-615.

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and it did not stop in the finals. He's someone the team trusts in the anchor position not only for his striking abilities, but for his leadership and understanding of the game.
"It feels amazing," Thomas said. "Getting to TV was an amazing feeling, but now that we've won, it's definitely the best feeling in bowling. Becoming a leader definitely came over time. I've been a team captain for the last two years, and it's just gaining the trust of everybody, and having a lot of knowledge in the sport helps, too, because I can help in any aspect they want. The way I see the lanes is super analytical, and I can help with other players moves and work with coach in that aspect."

The 2022 championship team for W isconsin-W hitew ater featured Thomas, Drake Bazzy, Maguire Hansche, Garrett M eadows, M ason Peterson, Ty Peterson, Quinn Sheehy and Brett Beuthin.

Joining Thomas on the men's all-tournament team was Savannah College of Art and Design-Savannah's Alex Glinski, Emmanuel's David Hooper, Wichita State's Alec Keplinger and Indiana Tech's Marcus McClain.

The Chris Stoehr Sportsman-
ship award went to Michael Nape Jr. of St. Francis-Illinois.

In the women's title match, two-time NCAA champion Stephen F. Austin started Game 1 with four strikes in their first five frames, while Wichita State began with three consecutive opens.

The Shockers, who entered the 2022 event as the defending champion in the women's field, were able to right the ship dow $n$ the stretch and forced Stephen F. Austin senior Carlene Beyer to mark in the 10th frame. Beyer was able to seal a Game 1 win, 193-182.

In Game 2, the Ladyjacks tossed eight strikes to defeat the Shockers, 240-159.

In Game 3, Wichita State came out aggressive with four straight strikes but followed with three consecutive open frames, including two splits. Stephen F. Austin saw their first double appear in the fifth and sixth frames, but perhaps the moment of the match came in the seventh frame, when right-hander Katie Heady left a 1-2-4-10 washout. She was subbed out for left-hander Megan George, who converted the spare and sent the team and its fans into a frenzy.

The Shockers had a chance Continued on Page 18


## SOUTMTIETTR EPORT

# PBA King of the Lanes Returns in June and Introduces KOTL: Royal Family Edition 

## Ballards, Barnes and Malotts vie for the royal family crowns

By: J ef Goodger
The 2022 PBA King of the Lanes will air in prime time on Fox Sports' FS1 over five consecutive weeknights, June 6-10. The first three nights will feature the new PBA King of the Lanes: Royal Family Edition in which prominent PBA stars team with their talented children in the quest to become bowling's royal family. The final two nights will showcase four contenders challenging to take down reigning King of the Lanes Jason Sterner.

Guppy and Kyle Troup, who own the most PBA Tour titles (eight apiece for a total of 16) among any living father-son combination, will
be the inaugural Royal Family. Contenders who will challenge for familial superiority include Chris and Ryan Barnes, Wes and Jordan Malott, Tom and Brady Smallwood, Ronnie and Cayden Russell, Parker and Brandon Bohn, and Carolyn Dorin-Ballard and Alyssa Ballard. A side from the Troups, the criteria for contending teams was professional bowlers with teenage kids, highlighting an incredible time for second- and third-generation bowlers.

J ason Sterner earned the King of the Lanes crown last season, first defeating Tim Mack in the contenders match and then taking the throne from Parker Bohn III. Sterner



Carolyn Ballard competing with daughter Alyssa


Chris Barnes competing with son Ryan
then successfully defended his position against Tom Daugherty, earning a return trip to the King of the Lanes in 2022.

The first challenge for Sterner will either come from PBA Hall of Famer Norm Duke whose stirring run at the USBC Masters, in which he finished second, may have been his final PBA Tour event as a competitor, or Carlos Granados, who earned his way into the King of the Lanes by winning the 2021 PBA Regional Players Invitational.

On the final telecast of the series, the contenders will be the two players who make it to

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to shut out Stephen F. Austin in the 10th frame, but a split from senior Addie Herzberg left the Ladyjacks with a chance to win the game and the title.

Needing a mark, Beyer left a 6-10 on her first shot and converted the spare to give the Ladyjacks their first ITC title in program history. The final score was 196-188.

In the month of April, the team has bowled in 11 matches across two national championship competitions and have lost just one match during that span, which was last week's NCAA Women's Bowling
Championship to McKendree.
Beyer, who was named the women's Most Valuable Player,
the championship match of the Kia PBA Playoffs, which will be determined in the semifinals airing Sunday, May 8 at 1 p.m. ET on FOX Broadcast Channel.

PBA King of the Lanes:
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## Florida

Monday, June 6 at 9 p.m. ET Chris and Ryan Barnes vs. Wes and J ordan Malott

Winners vs. Guppy and Kyle Troup

Tuesday, June 7 at 9 p.m. ET
Tom and Brady Smallwood
vs. Ronnie and Cayden Russell
Winners vs. Reigning Royal Family

## has been on a roll in April

 during Stephen F. Austin's run She brought her striking ways to Stardust Bowl and now is a two-time national champion, after winning the 2019 NCAA title as a freshman."To me, this means so much, because we had a little experience last weekend bowling McKendree and getting swept," Beyer said. "This weekend, we kept telling ourselves 'go out, be fun, be loose and just throw the ball dow $n$ the lane and whatever happens, happens.' It's really something special. We had each other's backs, and we showed it again on the show."

The 2022 championship team for Stephen F. Austin featured Beyer, her sister, Brystal Beyer, Crystal George, Megan George, Katie Heady,

Wednesday, June 8 at 9 p.m. ET

Parker and Brandon Bohn vs. Carolyn Dorin-Ballard and Alyssa Ballard

Winners vs. Reigning Royal Family
PBA King of the Lanes
Thursday, June 9 at 9 p.m. ET

Norm Duke vs. Carlos Granados

Winner vs. J ason Sterner
Friday, June 10 at 9 p.m. ET
Playoffs Finalist 1 vs.
Playoffs Finalist 2
Winner vs. Reigning King

Isabel Hughes, Hana Roers and Chloe Skurzynski.

Joining Beyer on the all-tournament team were Herzberg, Sam Houston State's Denise Blakenzee, Pikeville's Kristina Catoe and Mount St. M ary's Rebecca Dodson.

The Chris Stoehr Sportsmanship award went to Mount St. Mary's Tamera Stanton.

In the men's singles title tilt, Vallone beat St. A mbrose's Nate Stubler, 184-158, to win the ISC crown.

The title match began with both players producing open frames, but Stubler was the first to double in the third and fourth. Stubler found trouble later in the match, though, leaving back-to-back splits in the sixth and seventh frames.

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Ione traded strikes and spares until the fifth frame, when an untimely split left him facing a 19-pin deficit. Following Stubler's troubles, Vallone took the lead in the seventh frame, and a key ball change helped him lock up the match with a strike in the ninth.

Vallone's first year of college bowling has been life-changing, especially with the time he has spent with his William Paterson teammates. He is one of the hardest workers on the team, and both his coach and teammates couldn't be prouder

Vallone defeated Calumet's Daniel Chin, 201-174, in the opening semifinal match. Both players didn't look comfortable through the first five frames, but Vallone was able to remain clean and put together strikes in frames six, seven and eight to secure the victory. Chin was looking to follow in the footsteps of teammate Pete Vergos, who won the men's title in 2021.

Stubler advanced to the final by defeating Oklahoma Christian freshman CJ Petrin, 217-183. Petrin found an early double to start the match but followed with two consecutive opens, while Stubler stayed
clean early and followed with five straight strikes to advance. In the women's final, Skurzynski, who has been nursing a back injury during the previous three weeks, began the title match against Duquesne's Olivia Farwell with strikes in three out of the first four frames, but she left the 4-6-7-10 split on the right lane in the fifth frame to momentarily pause her momentum

Meanwhile, Farwell, the 2022 National Tenpin Coaches Association Division I Player of the Year, was clean through the first five frames until she left a 4-6-7-10 of her own in the sixth. Skurzynski seized the moment and followed with a double to take the lead, which she never relinquished. Needing a mark to win and finishing on the left Iane, Skurzynski tossed a strike to claim the singles crown.

In total, she tossed a total of 10 strikes in 13 chances on the left lane across two matches.
"I bowled against Liv for years in Pennsylvania," Skurzynski said. "We've been bowling since we were 15 years old through high school and now in college. So, it was somew hat comforting bowling against her in the match, but with the injury, I wasn't sure what was going to happen. I still don't know what it is, except it started three weeks

At Tenpins \& More

## Valencia leads at 828, Prioleau fires 737

Pearce 300/800,
Beach, Brenning, Campos, Carrillo, Gill,
LaRosa, Linares, Romero add 300's,
Epstein, Griego, Price 299's

RIO RANCHO, NM - C J Valencia captured high-series honors for the month at Tenpins \& More with an award-winning 290-259-279 = 828 M onday Draft League series.

Kyle Pearce finished close behind Valencia with an awardwinning 300/800 J ersey Doubles series.

Robin Prioleau fired a thundering 213-255-267 $=737$ Sunday Sunset session to lead the lady bowlers.

Michael Beach, Dan Brenning, Jorge Campos, Roan Carrillo, Steve Gill, Joe LaRosa, Aileen Linares and Joe Romero shared high-game honors with Pearce with aw ard-winning 12-baggers. Aaron Epstein, Steven Griego and Daniel Price took runnerup honors with near-perfect 299 solos.

HONOR ROLL
Michael Beach 704, Robin Prioleau

267-737, Michael Radasa 279-634 Ashley Abbott 196-491, Billy Grant 269-772, Kelly Grant 254-711, Michael DeVore (4 games) 257-942, Jeremiah Martin 266-759.

Sandra Chavez 245-664, Aaron Epstein 751, J'Dee Sandin 229-645, Beau Masse 262-744, Aileen Linares 246-694, Troian Donnachaidh 235-653, Dan Brenning (4 games) 1033.

Dana Miller-Mackie (4 games) 259-946, David Burnett 279-735, Troian Donnachaidh 231-641, Tammy Michel 161-450, Kevin Jones 237-601, Carla Bond 188-513, Steven Griego 796.

Vanessa Griego 124-318, J oe LaRosa 279-795, Robin Prioleau 279-731, Josh Burnett (2 games) 259-490, Kenzie Algire (2 games) 160-308, Michael Beach 288-715, Robin Prioleau 278-736.

Joey Jimenez 213-574, Tiana Mendosa 145-411.

## SENIORS

Lane Grado 238-687, Dana MillerMackie 266-726, Jerry Chavez, Jr 238-634, Becky Fisher 202-578.
ago at the NCAA Arlington Regional.
"It was really bad after ISC qualifying. I actually didn't bowl during the first day (Thursday) of team event, and I threw one fill shot the next day. When I practiced this morning every shot hurt so I said, 'it's going to hurt regardless, so I might as well throw it as best as I can, since the season is over.'"

Skurzynski has had quite the run in 2022. It began in January, when she won the U.S. National Amateur Bowling Championships to earn a spot on Team USA
"I'm just somebody who likes to go for the moment in the moment," Skurzynski said "But, when you start saying the accomplishments together, and looking back on it, it's a lot. Honestly, I haven't had a lot of confidence in my game lately, especially when my back started flaring up. I was probably $75 \%$ today. I'm incredibly grateful for the Team USA opportunity, the amateur title, the opportunity to compete at the ISC and the title, and the ITC win with the girls. I honestly didn't even know if I'd be bowling because of my back. It's crazy.'

In the first women's semifinal, a ball change following two open frames was key for Skurzynski, who tossed six out of the last seven strikes to defeat Duquesne's Kiearra Saldi, 205-164. Saldi was looking to battle her teammate, Farwell, in the finals.

In the other semifinal Farwell defeated Vanderbilt's M abel Cummins, 213-191. Farwell tossed five strikes in the first seven frames, while Cummins, who controlled the pocket and was clean with no open frames, was never able to find a double in the match.

2022 INTERCOLLEGIATE TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS

At Stardust Bowl, Addison, III. Saturday's Results
Men's Championship
Wisconsin-W hitewater def
Wichita State, 3-2 (211-213, 138-203,
223-192, 182-168, 204-161).
Women's Championship
Stephen F. Austin def. Wichita
State, 3-0 (193-182, 240-159, 196-188) 2022 INTERCOLLEGIATE
SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIPS
At Stardust Bowl, Addison, III.
Saturday's Results
Men's Semifinals
Brandon Vallone, William Paterson def. Daniel Chin, Calumet, 201-174.

Nathan Stubler, St. Ambrose def. CJ Petrin, Oklahoma Christian, 217-183.

Men's Final
Vallone def. Stubler, 184-158
Women's Semifinals
Chloe Skurzynski, Stephen F
Austin def. Kiearra Saldi, Duquesne, 205-164.

Oliva Farwell, Duquesne def
Mabel Cummins, Vanderbilt, 213-191. Women's Final
Skurzynski def. Farwell, 202-167.

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## CONNOR FLEMING

18, Ft Worth, TX is a Senior at Timber Creek High School He recently won the Region II Boys singles division, and ended up finishing 5th in the State Finals, along with the Timber Creek team finishing in the top 20. He is the son of Andrea and Paul Fleming, two outstanding bowlers, who both bowled collegiately at Nebraska Univ., but Conner will not be following in those footsteps as he just signed a letter of intent to bowl and play baseball at Oklahoma Christian University. He will be studying sports management. He is coached by multiple people, his dad Paul, along with Del and Carolyn Ballard.
Hometown Bowling Center: Bowlero Watauga
How did you get started bowling? Both of my parents are highly skilled so they put a ball in my hand when I was five and it was history from there.

## High Game: 279

Favorite Bowler: John Burkett. He has excelled at both of the sports that I'm passionate about.
Favorite bowling accomplishment: Definitely winning the singles regional. I didn't miss any makeable spares, and I was very consistent in all five games of qualifying.
What other hobbies do you have? I like to play golf,
workout, hang-out with my friends and play pickleball.
I probably play more baseball, than bowling, but I am having more success on the lanes.
What do you love most about bowling? I like the competitiveness and all of my friends. It's very easy to make friends in the bowling world.
What are your bowling goals? I would like to be an All-American on the bowling team and on the baseball team.


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