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Lane Chatter

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Look for the Lane Chatter every month!

Welcome Back Bowlers!

Welcome to another season on the lanes. I am sure that some of us will be a bit rusty from not bowling this summer but hopefully we will find our "game" soon enough. You will see some new faces on your local SEOH USBC board this year and sadly we have seen some move on but I think we will be able to tap into their talents when needed.

We have a challenge this year to come up with new bowlers to replace those that have been unable to get out and bowl for whatever reason. So ask your friends and families to come on out and join a league. I think we all might be surprised to see the results if we ask and welcome new bowlers to join in.

I start my second term serving you. I hope that I will be able to do a good job for you this year. I look forward to meeting more of you as time permits. I want all of you to get to know your board members when you see them. They work for you because of their love for the game.

I hope bowlers from Circle D will find a spot to bowl this season until we see what the future holds for Circle D. I would also like to invite our bowlers from Pickaway Lanes, Lincoln Lanes, Tiki and Starlite to come out and support our local centers. I would also like to welcome the new owner of Starlite Lanes, Duane Wood to our area bowling family and wish him success.

When the local tournaments commence this year, go out, get together with new bowlers and join in the fun.

I hope that all of our bowlers look at our new yearbooks and notice the sponsors we have and support them when you shop.

Tom Beswetherick, President

Report from your Association Manager

As the 2012-13 season begins, the SEOH USBC faces many challenges. With the fire at Circle D and the dropping membership, one of the most important is the issue of finances. The local dues have been \$5 since the merger of the Lancaster Bowling Association and the Lancaster Women's Bowling Association. Dues pay not only the association manager's salary, which was cut for the second time in as many seasons, but covers many things including office equipment, office supplies, tournament supplements, Pins Over Average Contest Prize awards, awards for association record scores and much more. Things are not going down in price.

The board is working very hard to not ask for a dues increase. They will continue the programs and making choices to provide the best services for the association members.

Please support the fund raisers and events your association holds.

I thank you for your past support and hope to see all of you during the coming season.

Joy Kellenbarger, AM

People will forget what you said and people will forget what you did
but people will never forget how you made them feel ♥



"Strike Out Breast Cancer Tournament"

October 14, 2012

Complete details on page 3.

Hall of Fame Applications...Submit someone today!

The SEOH USBC Hall of Fame Committee is looking for men, women and sponsors to be recognized for their contribution to the sport of bowling. Do you have someone you would like to submit? Categories are: Pioneer Division, Superior Performance, Meritorious Service, Senior Award of Merit or as a sponsor with the Service Award. Applications are available online or you can contact Alice Snider, 740-654-1176 for applications and complete information.

Fall Fundraisers!

Yard Flag Sale will run through October 10. There are many new and beautiful flags for every day, every season and every holiday. Flags and poles are still only \$6.00. They make great gifts for that hard to buy for person. If your league does not see an order form or if you have any questions, contact Joy Kellenbarger at 740-653-1598.

\$\$\$ Lottery on the Lottery \$\$\$ - *Pick a lucky number today!* For a donation of \$5, you will have a 3 digit number good for the entire month of February for a chance to win money. The Ohio Lottery 3 Digit Number drawn in the evening will determine the winners. Two winners are possible each night. The exact number drawn will win \$50 every night except Wednesday when \$100 will be won. If you hold the number that is one less than the number drawn you will win your \$5 donation back. You don't even have to watch, if you win your check will be sent to you. Wow! What else could you ask for?
Sales will begin in October. Call 740-653-1598 for further information.

Parents: Do you have a youth bowler who could use the SEOH USBC Scholarship? Your association is always searching for ways to bring benefits to our youth & adult bowlers for bowling in certified leagues and tournaments.

The SEOH USBC Scholarship is available for youth bowlers grades 9 through 12. Guidelines and applications are available at all centers and on the website.

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One important requirement is to bowl in the youth tournament.

You can contact Alice Snider for more information by calling 740-654-1176 or by sending an email to: alicesnider@att.net

11-12 AVERAGE BOOKS FOR SALE...Check it out!

There is a limited number of the SEOH USBC Average books for sale at only \$3.00. Check it out and when you go into a business that has advertised in the average book mention where you saw their ad and thank them for their support.

800's and 300's from last season are included in the average book. A complete listing of 800's and 300's and Association Records are available at every center and online.

Check out the discounts and free offers in the average book and be sure to take advantage of these. **A special thanks to all of our sponsors.**



Bowl for the Cure



“Strike Out Breast Cancer”



“Strike Out Breast Cancer” Tournament will be held at Tiki Lanes on October 14th. There are squads at 10 AM and 1 PM.

The cost is only \$10! You don't have to be a league bowler to participate. Invite all of your friends, family and co-workers to bowl, have fun and help “Strike Out Breast Cancer”.

All bowlers are encouraged to get pledges.

There will be a “Chinese Auction” with many great items to choose from. \$5 will get you 15 chances to win items of your choice. Drawings will be held each squad during bowling.

We are selling T-Shirts again this year. Get yours for a minimum \$5 donation.



Help us “Strike Out Breast Cancer”!

Entries are available online at:

www.seohusbc.com



REMINDER



To all League Presidents: Your league bank statement must be sent to you. The President must verify it with the records of the Treasurer to be sure the money is correct and being deposited within the 7 day time frame. Two signatures are required on all accounts. Each league is to have an Employer Identification Number. ***Don't forget to have your prize list completed and approved by your league no later than 5th week of bowling.***

To all League Secretaries: Be sure to get a membership card for each and every bowler. Cards are pre-printed for all of your returning league members. Remind bowlers that have moved, that they need to update their information. All new members and subs complete a card. Make sure that you can read their writing. ***If you can't read it, I can't read it.*** Give the receipt end of the card to ***only*** bowlers who pay dues in your league. The certification form, membership cards (alphabetically) and fees are sent to Joy Kellenbarger within 30 days of the start of your league. Awards have changed this season be sure to use the 12-13 forms so your bowlers get the awards they deserve. No more magnets. We now have bag tags.

If you have any questions, call Joy at 740-653-1598 or email seohusbc@aol.com

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Tournament Entries, Lane Chatter, Upcoming Events, Hall of Fame Forms, Board & Committee Applications, SEOH USBC Scholarship Applications, Lloyd Russell Scholarship Forms, Links to other bowling sites and much, much more!



Fall Membership Meeting, Workshop and "Fun Tournament"

August 5, 2012 at Tiki Lanes the Annual Fall Membership Meeting was called to order by President Tom Beswetherick.

The usual business of the association was conducted. Minutes from the last membership meeting were approved. The annual budget was approved by the membership. Information about upcoming events and tournaments.

Elections were held for these delegate positions with the following results. Elected were:

National Delegates— Ken & Joy Kellenbarger

Ohio USBC BA—Joe Austin, Tom Beswetherick, Brad Kalb and Joy Kellenbarger

Ohio USBC WBA—Joy Kellenbarger, Linda Poole, Wendy Wyrick, Vicki Becker and Lynn Ridenour.

Updates and changes from USBC were covered including the awards program.

Record breaking scores were recognized.

Everyone was invited to enjoy a bite to eat before the "Fun Tournament".

Joy Kellenbarger

Let the "Fun Tournament" begin!

Immediately following the snacks your local association hosted a 9 Pin No Tap "Fun" Tournament with 24 participants. It was a nice addition to the tournament when Terry Pescosolido from Circle D Lanes stayed and bowled.

The entry fee was only \$10.00. There were several 300's bowled by Shawn Stevens (1); Bill Becker (1); Erica Kellenbarger (1) and Joe Austin (2). Top Three scores were recognized: 3rd place Erica Kellenbarger, 2nd place Shawn Stevens and the top spot went to Joe Austin. Thanks to all who participated.

Fun Prizes were given for fun accomplishments. Everyone enjoyed the friendly competition.

This tournament as well as the meeting and workshop is open to all SEOH USBC bowlers. Next season, why don't you come... "Join the Fun and Bowl with US!"

Shawn Stevens reporting



Lancaster Women's 600 Club Report

The 600 Club met and decided to hold a Contest for members. All members who pay their dues are eligible to enter and "It's FREE!". The contest runs from August 25 through February 23. See entry for complete details. Bowl a 600 and enter. Dues must be current or sent with the entry. Contact Lynn to verify if you are not sure.

The singles tournament will be held on December 2, 2012 at Lincoln Lanes. Entries will be out mid October. There will be male monitors again this year. "Fun" awards will be continued and snacks will be served at the annual membership meeting.

The 600 board will work with the Lancaster 700 Club to hold the annual doubles tournament again this season. Details will follow when finalized.

Do you have the new 600 Club shirt? They are on clearance for only \$8. A few shirts are still available in limited sizes. Contact Lynn Ridenour at 740-687-0230 or Alice Snider 740-654-1176 for more information.

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