

# SEOH USBC Hall of Fame Inductions

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## Lane Chatter



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### **SUPERIOR PERFORMANCE PIONEER – Ron Castle**

Ron began his bowling career in 1958 at the Columbus Jewish Center Lanes and was coached by his cousin and later the Lanes manager, Ethel Wiese. His first ball was a rubber red and black Ebonite, which he still has today. Ron bowled in many leagues and houses in Columbus and sometimes bowling back to back shifts. He served in the Army and after his return, he continued bowling several times a week again. Over the course of 60 years, he has won 150 league and association awards, he has six 300 games and a high series of 825 to his credit. Ron has also bowled in 34 ABC/USBC National tournaments. While he is busy running Scenic Lanes, he is very active in three leagues and still enjoys the game as much as he did at the age of 17. He is very dedicated in keeping youth involved in the sport of bowling and has been coaching them over 40 years. Ron was inducted in the YABA Hall of Fame for Meritorious Services to the Youth in 1999, along with his wife Cindy.

Congratulations on this prestigious award Ron!

### **SUPERIOR PERFORMANCE – Becky Woltz**

Becky began her bowling career early at age seven at Mt. Pleasant, which is where her mom worked and her family bowled. She has a 'back up ball' style and was once asked about stopping that, she commented 'with a 180-190 average, why would I want too!' When she hit her high average of 194, she was using a Pink White DOT, along with her back up ball style. Becky has bowled over 42 years on the Mua Wahine league with only missing a couple years, the Friday Night Mixed League for 15 years and a few other leagues at Tiki Lanes. She rolled her high series of 695 in 1990 and high game of 277 in 1993. She has bowled many local tournaments and a couple state tournaments. Becky has many accomplishments to be proud of in her 53 straight years of bowling. She was part of the team on the Mua Wahine League that set a new 5 person scratch game record of 1,054 and scratch series record 2,999; her part was a 247 and 681 respectively. In the 1998 LWBA tournament, Becky won the All Events scratch with 1,800 and in the Doubles Event with Wendy Russell; they took the prizes of Scratch game along with, Scratch and Handicap series.

Becky will also be receiving a Hall of Fame Certificate from the Ohio USBC Women's Bowling Association.

Welcome Becky and Congratulations!

### **PIONEER MERITORIOUS AWARD – Dick Schorr**

Dick was a famous personality and was from a little town in southeastern Ohio, called Logan. He began his career at the age of 19 at WHOK Radio in Lancaster and not long after, was known for his voice in various broadcasting arenas. Dick was the "Voice of the Bobcats", announcing football and basketball games play by play, for over 30 years on the OU Athens radio network. He also was heard on Mid-American Conference championship men's basketball games, NCAA tournaments and OSU men's basketball games. Dick was the first host of the "Bowling for Dollars" TV shows and later known as "Mr. Bowling" for a few other All-Star Central Ohio bowling shows, which aired for over 20 years. Dick was inducted into the Logan High School Hall of Fame in 1978, he became a charter member in MAC Media Hall of Fame in 1996 and lastly, OU Athens Hall of Fame in 2007 for broadcasting. He retired after 31 years and was quoted, "I never worked a day in my life, because I enjoyed it so much". Dick was also an active bowler in the day, bowling at Tiki Lanes, two leagues and carried a 187 average. Continued page 2.



Dick Schorr

## More honorees!

### **Dick Schorr continued:**

Sadly, Dick passed away December 29, 2016 at the age of 80. We thank you for your dedication on being a sports commentator and especially for promoting the game of bowling.

Dick is being honored posthumously.

### **SENIOR AWARD OF MERIT – Frank Uhl**

Frank has bowled at Lincoln and Tiki Lanes for over 52 years and only missing a few years here and there. He bowled in a couple leagues but, notably the K of C league since 1963. Frank also sponsored teams for leagues and tournament play, for Uhls Backhoe Service. During his bowling career, Frank has been part of many winning teams on his leagues and been honored with the Art Bevinger Award twice, in the K of C league. Frank's high game is a 279 and has a 678 series to his name. Frank finished last season with a 154 average and due to health issues, he is currently not bowling. Congratulations Frank!

### **SENIOR AWARD OF MERIT – Paul Brown**

Paul has been involved in several men's, mixed and adult/youth leagues during his 47 years of enjoying the sport. He has bowled at Lincoln and Tiki Lanes and has been part of the K of C league since 1970. Paul is currently bowling in the K of C league and carries a respective 105 average.

Congratulations Paul!

### **SPONSOR OF THE YEAR – Scenic Lanes**

Scenic Lanes is a 12 lane house situated in the small town of Logan and has been around since 1960. The original four lanes were downtown and owned by Ed & Fred Thomas family. Ron and Cindy Castle have made many changes since buying the house in 1984, from oil applicators, scoring equipment and lane machines. Since joining the Southeastern Ohio Association last year, Scenic has held many SEOH tournaments along with nightly league play. Scenic is home for the Logan High School bowling team and also youth leagues. In January 2016, the house had a bowler bowl back to back 300's and set the house record of 879. The family tradition continues with Chris and Steve helping at the center today. The whole family strive to make Scenic a fun place for family & friends and also a place for the serious bowler.

## **Did you know???**

Prior to each new season the SEOH USBC Board accepts applications for the Association Manager position.

The application is available online at [www.seohusbc.com](http://www.seohusbc.com)

If you are interested, complete the application and return it today to Joe Austin, President. All applications will be considered and reviewed.

## **Tournament Standings!**

Tournament checks have been distributed and all tournament champions have received their invitation to the banquet. All results are posted at each center and are online at [www.seohusbc.com](http://www.seohusbc.com)

All members are invited to attend the SEOH USBC Spring Banquet.

Reservations must be submitted by March 22 and \$22 for each reservation must be paid.



## **CONGRATULATIONS! 2017 PINS OVER AVERAGE WINNERS –**

Submitted by Sandra Wince Entries were accepted from January 2<sup>nd</sup> to January 31<sup>st</sup> 2017. Four divisions were paid with the Men's & Women's top three winners as follows:

### **MEN'S DIVISION WINNERS**

#### **Division 191 Average & Up Winners (8 entries)**

1<sup>st</sup> Place – tie (125 pins) – Todd Brooks, Sr. – Tiki – Friday Mixed —\$17.50

Leo Kunkler, Jr. – Tiki – Friday Mixed – \$17.50

3<sup>rd</sup> Place (111 pins) – William Foltz – Tiki – Need an Average League – \$10

#### **Division 171-190 Average Winners (10 entries)**

1<sup>st</sup> Place (187 pins) – Gavin Underwood – Tiki – Friday Mixed – \$20

2<sup>nd</sup> Place (159 pins) – Blair Lambert – Tiki – Tiki Misfits – \$15

3<sup>rd</sup> Place (150 pins) – Dustin Mohler – Tiki – Friday Mixed – \$10

#### **Division 150-170 Average Winners (17 entries)**

1<sup>st</sup> Place (144 pins) – Harry Benson – Tiki – Tiki Misfits - \$20

2<sup>nd</sup> Place (168 pins) – Ronald Money Penny – Tiki – Tiki Misfits – \$15

3<sup>rd</sup> Place (112 pins) – Dwight Hoover – Tiki – Thurs. Nite His & Hers – \$10

#### **Division Up to 149 Average Winners (20 entries)**

1<sup>st</sup> Place (175 pins) – David Darfus – Tiki – Thurs. Nite His & Hers – \$20

2<sup>nd</sup> Place (144 pins) – Andrew Evans – Tiki – Monday Night Church – \$15

3<sup>rd</sup> Place (135 pins) – Andy Pillar – Tiki – Monday Night Church – \$10

### **WOMEN'S DIVISION WINNERS**

#### **Division 156 Average & Up Winners (10 entries)**

1<sup>st</sup> Place (118 pins) – Midge Rahm – Tiki – Mua Wahine - \$20

2<sup>nd</sup> Place (81 pins) – Jolena Sark – Tiki – Mua Wahine – \$15

3<sup>rd</sup> Place (77 pins) – Michelle Shannon – Tiki - Mon. Women's Classic – \$10

#### **Division 141-155 Average Winners (15 entries)**

1<sup>st</sup> Place (134 pins) – Phyllis Mirgon – Tiki – Mua Wahine – \$20

2<sup>nd</sup> Place (102 pins) – Brandy Walker – Tiki – Streamliners – \$15

3<sup>RD</sup> Place (96 pins) – Helen Mulroy – Tiki – Perfect 10 + 2 – \$10

#### **Division 126-140 Average Winners (15 entries)**

1<sup>st</sup> Place (167 pins) – Gina Lefever – Tiki – Ladies Variety – \$20

2<sup>nd</sup> Place (158 pins) – Diane Roby – Tiki – Mon. Women's Classic – \$15

3<sup>rd</sup> Place (140 pins) – Kim Lecrone – Tiki – Friday Mixed – \$10

#### **Division Up to 125 Average Winners (24 entries)**

1<sup>st</sup> Place (163 pins) – Emi Hawk – Tiki – Mua Wahine – \$20

2<sup>nd</sup> Place (128 pins) – Randolyn Slack – Tiki – Perfect 10 + 2 – \$15

3<sup>rd</sup> Place – tie (98 pins) – Lana K. Hoover – Tiki – Thurs. Nite His & Hers – \$5  
Ashley Irwin – Tiki – Perfect 10 + 2 – \$5

