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# Lane Chatter

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Look for the Lane Chatter every month!

## Welcome Back A message from your President.

I have been thinking about this message to all of you because it will be my last one now that I am entering my final year. I have looked back over the time I have served you and we sure have had a great deal of changes. Not all good but then, not all bad.

I think we all hung our heads when we lost Circle D a while back. She was a fine "lady" who gave pleasure to many bowlers as well as a safe place for kids to roller skate. We now have lost Lincoln Lanes and Starlite so again we have bittersweet memories of those bowling centers. If only the walls could talk in those places of fun and memories.

Now my attention turns to more sad news that as I get older I guess this is just a fact of life. Earlier this year we lost Brad Kalb and just a short time ago we lost Kenny Kellenbarger. These two men cannot be replaced and I truly think they should be considered the "Gentlemen" of bowling here in our association.

As the new year approaches I have hope that we may soon have Scenic Lanes in Logan join our fold and with that we shall gain a fine group of men and women bowlers and ,of course, a fine group of youth bowlers. They are our future so when you see any one of our kids out on the lanes I ask you to encourage them to do their best and stick with the game. No joy stick but it will provide many years of quality fun and friendship.

We have seen a few of our board members say goodbye but we also are pleased to see a group of new members join. Please welcome them when you meet them and remember, they are doing this for the love of the game so go easy on them.

I think you will see some changes in the services we will provide for you and we are doing our best to give you more bang for your buck. These changes will be implemented the best way we know how so trust us when we say we are giving it the best shot we can.

As I close here I wish to thank you all for the support you have given me and my people and I hope that whoever takes my place will be given the same respect that you have shown me. I am sure that they will be a little more on the ball than me. You all know I "shoot from the hip" when it comes to getting things done. With that I say, Good Bowling and enjoy your new year. Thanks



Tom Beswetherick

### News and Information:

Scenic Lanes and the bowlers from Logan have joined our association.

## Welcome Scenic Lanes and Bowlers!



“Strike Out Breast Cancer Tournament”

October 12, 2014

Complete details on page 3.

## Hall of Fame Applications...Do you have someone to submit?

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 Brenda Hatfield at 614-306-1812 or Joy Kellenbarger at 740-653-1598 for applications and complete information. Applications can be found on the website [www.seohusbc.com](http://www.seohusbc.com)

**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. [www.seohusbc.com](http://www.seohusbc.com)

*One important requirement is to bowl in the youth tournament.*

You can contact Joy Kellenbarger for more information by calling 740-653-1598 or by sending an email to: [seohusbc@aol.com](mailto:seohusbc@aol.com)



### Report from your Association Manager's Report

August 2014

#### **Many changes have happened last season.**

The closing of Lincoln Lanes hit our association very hard. Keeping this in mind I am happy to announce that Scenic Lanes has joined our association now. Tiki will once again host a big tournament which would have made it even tougher to schedule tournaments for the association. So with Scenic Lanes now available to host tournaments, this helps us to be able to hold the tournaments that all of you like to bowl in.

Our membership stayed close to what it was last season. We hope to maintain that again this season.

USBC has stopped all awards for games and series except for the honor score which is now limited to one per your lifetime. I have heard many complaints about this but I can tell all of you that I have bowled for many years and have yet to get one of those 300 awards or 800 awards. Here I am after all that time still bowling. These awards are not what make bowling rewarding. I would love to get one but if I don't I will continue to bowl. We will have awards.

I would like to thank the board and all of my friends for their support this season. It has not been an easy one for me. Everyone needs to know how much I appreciate them.

Good Luck Good Bowling and remember that I always close with a saying or quote so here is one of my favorites.

**Winners are the people who when the odds are stacked against them, and those around them have fallen, will have the courage to look within themselves and make the unbelievable believable, and the impossible possible.**

— C. Phillips

Thanks again and have a great season.

**Joy Kellenbarger**





## “Strike Out Breast Cancer”



“Strike Out Breast Cancer” Tournament will be held at Tiki Lanes on October 12th. 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 for a \$5 or more donation.**



Help us “Strike Out Breast Cancer”!

Entries are available online at:

[www.seohusbc.com](http://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.

**Visit your website! [www.seohusbc.com](http://www.seohusbc.com)**

**Be informed about what is happening in your association!  
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!  
Check it out today!**



## Fall Membership Meeting and Workshop

August 10, 2014 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— Valerie Eckman & Joy Kellenbarger

Ohio USBC BA—Tom Beswetherick, Valerie Eckman, Joy Kellenbarger and Lynn Ridenour

Ohio USBC WBA— Valerie Eckman, Joy Kellenbarger, Linda Poole, Lynn Ridenour and Wendy Wyrick. Sandra Wince and Vicki Becker will serve as alternates.

Ohio State Youth Reps.— Valerie Eckman and Lynn Ridenour

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

Record breaking scores were recognized.

Everyone who stayed were included in drawing for prizes which included a paid standard membership for this season and coupons for three (3) large pizzas from Domino's were drawn.

Joy Kellenbarger



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**13-14 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.**

**Be sure to say thanks to all of our sponsors.**

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