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Lane Chatter

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Look for the Lane Chatter every month!

Welcome Back Bowlers! A message from your President

Hello my fellow bowlers!

Well, it's that time of year. Another year bowling is upon us. I look forward to seeing all your smiling faces at the bowling centers! Remember, I'm the people's president! If you feel the need to ask me a question, please don't hesitate. Also, don't despair if I have to check into your question and get back with you.

While I've got your attention, I would like to encourage you to consider subbing. It's a great way to meet new friends and experience different leagues. If you have a night when you're free most often give it a try. The friendly associates who are working can tell you what leagues bowl that night and who the secretary is.

Last but not least, I would like to thank the incredible and extremely talented, Southeastern Ohio USBC board members!

See you on the Lanes,
Joy Austin



SEOH USBC is looking for a Board member.

Are you interested in serving area bowlers by helping to conduct tournaments and assist with other projects.

Applications are being accepted for the position of **Youth Director.**

Would you like to have more information about this?

Please contact Joy Kellenbarger at 740-653-1598
or send an email to seohusbc@aol.com
Applications are available on our website.

Visit the website today:
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Pancake Breakfast

September 24, 2016

Applebee's 8 to 10 AM

See page 3 for more information.



"Strike Out Breast Cancer Fund Raiser & Tournament"

October 9, 2016

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

Report from your Association Manager

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Another season in the books.

Every season, I talk about change. Change is a hard thing to deal with. Changes are hard to accept. But with that said, change is necessary. No dues increase in 2016-17. But there will be a \$2 increase in 2017-18. Just letting all of you know. I am sure this will be met with much disdain and complaints. It shouldn't be. USBC has not increased dues in 10 years. Yes, I know they did away with the awards. I am very pleased to share that USBC is updating the software that is used or processing your memberships and the tournament. So get over it. Things change. Do you belong to any group who give you rewards for doing what you love? There are awards for you. Your local dues help pay for those and we have added a new item.

We would love to hear about what you like. We also welcome feed back and suggestions for how you would make changes if you don't like something.

This year every youth bowler, who meets the game and membership requirements, will have an opportunity to bowl for Smart Scholarship money. Both Tiki and Scenic Lanes have made this possible. Get your youth bowler signed up and bowling this fall.

I am looking forward to this season and I hope you are too. I will close with a quote.

*There are no secrets to success. It is a result of preparation,
hard work and learning from failure.*

Colin Powell

Thanks again and have a great season.

Joy Kellenbarger

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





“Strike Out Breast Cancer” Fund Raiser



“Strike Out Breast Cancer” fund raiser will be held at Tiki Lanes on October 9th. There are two squads 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 \$8.

Help us “Strike Out Breast Cancer”!

“Don’t monkey around! Strike Out Breast Cancer!”



Entries are available online at:

www.seohusbc.com

REMINDER

To all League Presidents: Your league bank statement is to 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 on a monthly basis. 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 members including 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.

Are you hungry???

The Southeastern Ohio USBC will be hosting a Pancake Breakfast at Applebee’s on Saturday, September 24 from 8 until 10 AM.

The cost of a ticket is only \$7 and your local board members will be serving you. If you buy your ticket in advance, you will be included in a drawing for 2 – \$25 gift cards. You don’t need to be present to win.

Money raised will be used for the purchase of In-School Bowling lanes that will be donated to area elementary schools. JOIN US!



Fall Membership Meeting and Workshop

August 7, 2016 at Tiki Lanes the Annual Fall Membership Meeting was called to order by President Joe Austin.

The usual business of the association was conducted. Minutes from the last membership meeting were approved. The annual budget was approved by the membership. A By-Law change was approved. Information, about upcoming events and tournaments, was shared.

Elections were held for these delegate positions with the following results. Elected were:
National Delegate & Alternate: Joy Kellenbarger, Delegate, Joey Austin 1st Alt.
and Valerie Eckman 2nd Alt.

Ohio USBC BA: Joe Austin, Valerie Eckman, Joy Kellenbarger and Linda Poole.

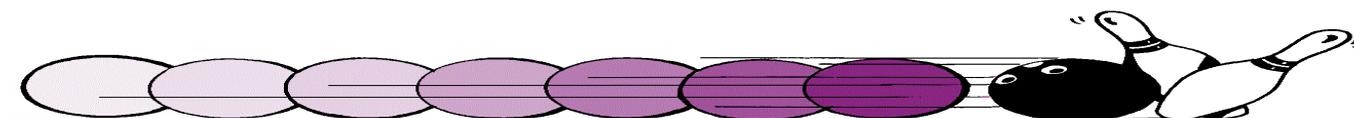
Ohio USBC WBA: Valerie Eckman, Joy Kellenbarger, Linda Poole, Wendy Wyrick and Cate Kimple will serve as delegates. Lynn Ridenour will serve as an alternate.

Ohio State Youth Reps.: Valerie Eckman and Linda Poole will serve as delegates and Lynn Ridenour will serve as alternate.

Updates were shared about upcoming events and tournaments.

Record scores were honored. Chuck Rankin set a new 3 game individual high series record by rolling games of 300, 300, 279 for a 879 total. Ryan Daubemire set a new high individual average record by averaging 240. Congratulations to both of these bowlers.

Joy Kellenbarger



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15-16 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.

Be sure to say thanks to all of our sponsors.

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