

## Welcome Back Bowlers! A message from your President:

My fellow bowlers, as we set sail into a new season of bowling, it's my privilege to welcome you all to all the great opportunities that await you this season. Summer is great, but there is something special about football games, cooler nights, bon fires, and bowling leagues starting. Your SouthEastern Ohio USBC welcomes you back. This report will highlight some of things we do for you. We honor our past, look to the future, and serve you now.

This year, we will help you fight breast Cancer, help our veterans, and feed the hungry. We not only have a scholarship to give away, but we give SMART scholarships as well. If you have someone you know and love that is a youth bowler, we offer a chance to offset the rising cost of higher education, as well as the vital trade school opportunities. We can help you find education to become a bowling coach.

Our Hall of Fame committee will be meeting to add to our amazing Hall of Fame. If you need info on how to nominate someone, or any questions at all, please ask any board member. Applications are available, but please be ready to give some stats if it's for the Superior Performance, or some background info if it's for Meritorious Service. Our Hall of Fame is not only filled with some the best bowlers from our area, but to the folks who worked and sacrificed for the good of the bowling community.

The SEOH USBC offers you the chance to bowl for our local championships, as well as the State and National tournaments. Some of my best bowling memories are of the great times with friends, the road trips, the great victories, and the shenanigan's after bowling not so great. Just like a great metaphor of life, it's the road we travel, not the destination. We have all the info for all the tournaments! Also, if you need a bowler, ask any one of the board members, and we try to help you out!

Lastly but not certainly not least, we offer youth leagues, tournaments, and coaching. The USBC makes it mandatory that anyone on our board have passed a background check and gets yearly SafeSport training. There is education opportunity to gain coaching certification, if you're willing and wanting to help, just remember, you will have to take the same background and once a year training that our board is required to complete. Our Youth is our future.

Thank you, be safe and no ten pins, Joey Austin

## Association Manager's Report 22-23 Joy Kellenbarger

Welcome Back! I suppose that everyone has heard the amount to join the SEOH USBC has increased to $\$ 27$. As promised 5 years ago, the National dues were increased to $\$ 15$ and the Ohio State USBC increased to $\$ 2$. We did not increase our local dues, which remain at $\$ 10$. Our neighboring association, Central Ohio USBC increased their local dues as well and now they will pay $\$ 30$. See, we are a bargain!

We have many things planned for this season. The "Strike Out Breast Cancer Fundraiser" will be held October 23 at Tiki Lanes. Entries are out. We will on November 13, hold a Best Ball Doubles Tournament to raise funds for our Bowling for Veterans event.

The SEOH USBC has some very special board members. I am looking forward to another successful season. You should say thank you to them as well. These board members are volunteers and they give a lot of time to help make sure that your association is running smoothly.

Things have changed and will continue to change. We must continue to be proactive and not reactive. We all must remain positive and flexible.

We hope you will visit our website. www.seohusbc.com And be sure to look for us on FaceBook. I am closing with a quote as usual. I used this last season and it seems to be appropriate for this season as well.
"Sometimes we're tested not to show our weaknesses
But to discover our strengths. " Success.com
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"Strike Out Breast Cancer Fund Raiser"
October 23, 2022
Complete details on page 3 .

BVL Best Ball Doubles Tournament Game \$15 per bowler Get a partner and come bowl! Raffle table and much more!
Join this fun event. Nov. 13 at 1 PM at Tiki Lanes. You will bowl 2 games. $100 \%$ of 225 . 1 in 10 payout

Bowler \#1 $\qquad$ Bowler \#2

Address $\qquad$ Address $\qquad$
City $\qquad$ Phone\# $\qquad$ City $\qquad$ Phone \# $\qquad$
Are you a veteran? $\qquad$ Are you a veteran? $\qquad$


Email: Email:

Rules:

1. Each set of doubles will be assigned a pair of lanes and will bowl across from each other. 2. Bowlers will remain on that lane. 3. Each frame the bowlers will throw their first ball. If no strike, they decide which ball is the best and they record it on the score sheet. 4. The spare will be shot by the bowler who left it if neither bowler rolled a strike. This will continue until the game is completed. 5. The doubles with the highest two (2) game total including handicap will be the champions. 6. Bowlers with no average will use 120. 7. This is a fun fundraiser to honor our veterans, so everyone is required to have fun! 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

Scholarships are awarded in the local youth tournament and in our youth leagues.
You can contact Joy Kellenbarger for more information by calling 740-653-1598 or by sending an email to: seohusbc@aol.com


Hall of Fame Applications...Do you know someone to submit?
Help! The SEOH USBC Hall of Fame Committee is looking for men, women, seniors and sponsors to be recognized for their contribution to the sport of bowling. Do you have someone you would like to submit?

The Hall of Fame Categories are: Pioneer Superior Performance and Meritorious Service, Superior Performance and Meritorious Service.

We also have a one time honor for Senior Award of Merit winners. We honor our sponsors with our Service Award.

All inductees are honored at the Spring brunch.
You also can contact Joe at 740-974-1067 or Joy at 740-653-1598 for applications and more information. Applications can be found on the website www.seohusbc.com

To all League Secretaries: Be sure to get a membership card for each and every bowler. The cards are pre-printed for all of your returning league members. Be sure that there is a date of birth on every card. Remind bowlers that have moved, that they need to update their information. All members including subs complete a card. $\$ 27$ standard membership dues and $\$ 10$ local dues. Make sure that you can read them. If you can't read it, I can't read it. Give the receipt end of the card to only the bowlers who pay dues in your league. The certification form, membership cards (alphabetically), rules and fees are sent to Joy Kellenbarger within 30 days of the start of your league. Awards forms are included in the packet.

If you have any questions, call Joy at 740-653-1598 or email seohusbc@aol.com
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 EIN-Employer Identification Number. If you fail to verify the account monthly, you could be suspended if shortages are found. The league bonding is not in effect if you don't comply.
Don't forget to have your prize list completed and approved by your league no later than the 5th week of bowling.

> WE NEED YOUR HELP!
> Did you know the SEOH USBC has a Resolution of Respect? Would you help us honor our deceased bowlers? When you hear of the death of one of our bowlers, please share this info with Ellen Altop 740-974-4586 or Joy Kellenbarger 740-653-1598. Thanks for your help.

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