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Editor: Joy Kellenbarger The Southeastern Ohio USBC Board sends you and yours warm wishes for a joyful, wonderful and Holiday Season, Happy Hanukkah, celebrate Kwanzaa, Merry Christmas and a Happy and Safe New Year.

Board members are: Joe Austin,



Valerie Eckman, Linda Poole, Directors: Ellen Altop, Danny Barnett, Bill Becker, Vicki Becker, Marty Bolin, Beth Cooke, Teddy Crist, Christi Middendorf, Kristen Thacker, Deb Thornton, Denise Wingard, Wendy Wyrick and Association Manager Joy Kellenbarger.

Big news from Brenda Hatfield, Hall of Fame Committee Chair!

The Southeastern Ohio USBC Hall of Fame works to honor bowlers at different levels of competition, dedication and support of the sport.

The SEOH USBC Hall of Fame committee met and has decided to add another category starting this season. This honor will be for two individuals that have bowled many seasons and as of August 1<sup>st</sup> respectively, the oldest MALE and FEMALE currently still bowling in a certified league.

Sponsoring this accomplishment will be Thimmes Fish Shack with a certificate presented during league play. These individuals will also be invited to the Spring Banquet in April, with their meal covered by the SEOH USBC Association. Our Association Manager, Joy Kellenbarger will be able to determine who is the oldest with the records that everyone fills out at the beginning of the season. This is an accomplishment that we all hope to see in our bowling careers!

### **Upcoming events!**

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SEOH USBC Championships Tiki Lanes will host this season. Team event will begin January 13 at 11 AM, Doubles and Singles events begin January 20 at 1 PM Entries will be out soon!

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700/600 Doubles Tournament Jan. 14 Scenic Lanes at 1 PM

This year, we would like to thank everyone that helped with our Strike Out Breast Cancer Event. We will share final figures in our newsletter when all monies are collected but currently we are over \$17000.00. It was so nice to see everyone bowling. We had over 100 people participating!

Thanks to these tee shirt sponsors that helped to make our event such a success...
Bay Food Market, Bob Boyd Auto Family, Buckeye Honda, Carr Supply, Fairfield Federal Bank,
Fairfield Medical Center Foundation, Friendly Bremen Bank, Garner Financial, Hawksnest, Kater 4
You, Krile Communications, Lancaster Eagles #2120, Lancaster Bingo, Lancaster Campgrounds,
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The Dental Hub, Tiki Bowling Lanes, The Ultimate Look, Earth Angels, Frisch's,
Horns & Halos RC, M & M Diner in Logan, A & R Pest Solutions, Echard Collision,
Cristy's Pizza, Twisted Sisters Team, Dr. D'Onofrio, Dress4Less, FHP Cardiology, Fifth Third Bank,
Harper Family McDonald's, Kia Motors, MooMoo Car Wash, Ohio Glass Museum,
Rockside Winery, Revolution Rockbridge Winery, Nancy's Scoops, Tuffy's Oil Change,
APG Media, Country Lanes, FairHope Hospice, National Telehealth, Wolf Run Timber & Metals,
Ruscilli Construction, Handy Hibbler LLC, Christi Middendorf Accounting Services and Rise Realty.
We also had several individual sponsors that did not wish to have their name on the back of our shirts.

#### Now to our Chinese Auction . . . thank you to these individuals and businesses that donated something for our auction

Advance Auto Parts E. Main St, Anchor Hocking, Bay Food Market, Buckeye Honda, Buffalo Wild Wings/Krile Communications, Castaways, Tom Cooney/Ruscilli, Dairy Queen E Main St, Fairfield Federal, Frisch's, JoAnn King, Kate Alder, Kathy Young, Lancaster Bingo, Lancaster Campgrounds, LuLaRoe Kerry's Butterfly Boutique, Nan Wood, Nick's Pizza, Pink Cricket, Pizza Cottage/Krile Communications, Provisions, Punky's Tack & Feed, RL Wright, Sam Glenn, Shannon Anderson, Tim Horton's E Main St, Tina Cass, Tiki Lanes, Tiki Lanes snack bar ladies, Wendy's E Main St, Rushcreek Grub & Pub, Cherry Street Pub, Sugar Bears Pizza, Domino's Pizza, Don's Furniture, Tuffy's Oil Change, Cassandra's Family Haircuts, Rise Up Arts, Auto Zone, O'Reilly's Auto, Cristy's Pizza Pierce Avenue and Main Office, Lancaster Animal Clinic, Advance Auto Parts Memorial Drive, CineMark Theatre, Giant Eagle, McDonald's, IHOP, Megan Bowers, Cristy's in Baltimore, Max & Erma's, Scooters, 7Brew, MooMoo Car wash, Ohio Glass Museum, Red Lobster, Rockside Winery, Revolution Rockbridge Winery, Rooster's, Scramblers, Texas Road House, and Piper's. Special thanks to the SEOH USBC Board members for donating, working and helping to make this event such a huge success! Please stop by these businesses and let them know how much they are appreciated! Without those that bowled with us, those that have survived breast cancer or

known those that have had breast cancer,

this would not have been such a HUGE SUCCESS!

### Thank you each and everyone who worked, donated, bowled and supported this event.

If you are interested in being a part of our 2024 Fundraiser, please contact Valerie Eckman or Joy Kellenbarger co-chairs

Submitted by Valerie Eckman



3rd Annual Bowling for Veterans Event !



Tiki Lanes was the place to be on Sunday, November 19 when our bowling community came together to honor our local veterans and raise money for the Bowling to Veterans Link during the SEOH USBC Bowling for Veterans Event.

The event began with a welcome to all and announcements. All veterans were thanked for their service and were asked to come forward. There were 14 bowlers who were veterans in



attendance. Each of the veterans shared which branch of the service and the years that they served.

Each was given a handmade thank you gift.

Place cards were given to everyone in attendance and each person wrote the name of a veteran who were important in their life. Everyone was asked to stand and SEOH USBC Board member and veteran Wendy Wyrick called the group to attention. After a moment of silence, Wyrick put the group at ease. This patriotic ceremony ended with the playing and singing of our National Anthem.

The bowling part of the Bowling for Veterans Best Ball Doubles Tournament began. There were 32 sets of doubles and one person came but didn't have a partner but he wanted to bowl so he was welcomed.

First place honors were claimed by Jeff and Tina Davis with a two game total with handicap of 786. In 2nd place were Harold McClaskey and Steve Dearwester with a total of 770 with handicap. Third place was taken by the duo of Elaine Hoch and Nancy Hogle who rolled a total of 753 with handicap. Rich and Jen Sluss held the 4th position with the handicap total of 746. The first place winners were given gift cards. Standings are posted at centers.

Raffle tables were filled with a wide assortment of baskets, wreaths and many very nice hand crafted items. There were a gift cards and coupons donated by local businesses. Military Ducks were sold and those who purchased were in drawings for 10 \$25 gift cards. Bowlers and guests participated in the raffle and made cash donations. Many local businesses made donations of items or monetary donations. A special "Thanks" go to the Logan Eagles #2168 and Ruscilli Construction for their generous donations.

The tournament was enjoyed by all. An amazing total of over \$9500.00 was collected. All of this money will be sent to the BVL and designated to the Chillicothe VA Clinic to help area veterans.

Submitted by Joy Kellenbarger



# SEOH USBC Championship Tournaments to begin soon.

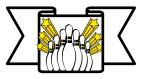
Tiki Lanes will host the Team event will begin January 13 at 11 AM, Doubles & Singles events begin January 20 at 1 PM. This tournament is sponsored by Fairfield Federal Bank.

Be sure to get your entry in early. Squads and lanes are limited.

Check at the desk of both centers for entries and online at seohusbc.com

Read the rules on the back of the entry for complete information.

## Championship Tournaments entries will be out soon .



Feed the Hungry!!

Once again, the SEOH USBC will be collecting donations to Feed the Hungry.

Don't forget to bring your donation of *non-perishable unexpired food items* to the tournament and you will be entered in a drawing for a paid 24-25 SEOH USBC standard membership! One winner drawn each squad.

Forget the food...you can donate cash to be in the drawing.



Get your team and doubles partner ready to bowl. Remember, lanes are limited. So get you entries in as soon as possible.

### League Secretaries:

The cut-off date, for **mid season averages, is January 1**. *Include bowlers' names in alphabetical order, ID#, total pins, number of games and current average.* Submit to Joy Kellenbarger **by January 5, 2024.** 

## Youth Tournament Results!

The SEOH USBC Championship Youth Tournament was held at Scenic Lanes.

Results will be shared as soon as tournament is finalized.

Have a daughter or son or grandkids? Get them registered to bowl in one of our youth leagues. There are multiple scholarship opportunities available.