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Lane Chatter

Look for the Lane Chatter! Visit our website at: seohusbc.com

BOWLING

Strike Out Breast Cancer Event!

When? October 22, 2023

Where? Tiki Bowling Lanes

Time? Squads are 10 AM and 1 PM

Who can bowl? Everyone is welcome.

How much? \$15 per person

2 games - 9 pin No Tap

Many great raffle items including: Baskets, Gift cards, Handmade items, Milwaukee Tools including a \$2300 battery powered generator and many other items.

**Join us and help us
"Strike Out Breast Cancer"!**



SEOH USBC Youth Championship Tournament

Youth tournament action begins November 6 at Scenic Lanes and action concludes on November 26. Youth bowlers get your entry in today. Smart Scholarships will be awarded.

BVL Best Ball Doubles Tournament

Nov. 19 at Tiki Lanes at 1 PM. \$30 per set. Come support our veterans.

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Southeastern Ohio Women's 600 Singles

December 3 at 1 PM Scenic Lanes. Entries should be out soon. Contact Valerie Eckman for more info.

SEOH USBC Senior Tournament!

December 10 at Scenic Lanes at 1:00 PM. Division for men and women. The entries are out.

Are you getting all of the benefits you are entitled to with your SEOH USBC membership?

Have you ever wondered what you get as a certified SEOH USBC member? We have 20+ offers for you with your SEOH USBC membership, not only are you eligible to bowl in the SEOH USBC Local, State and National Tournaments but you also have access to the USBC Member Rewards Program offering you discounts and savings on hundreds of everyday items. Go to bowl.com/MemberRewards.

But...Did you know that the Southeastern Ohio USBC also has it's very own Member Benefits Program? Just show your 2023-24 SEOH USBC membership card to receive discounts:

FOOD: **Bay Food Market**–740-653-9606 - \$5 off any meat box with coupon which is available on our website; **Frisch's on Memorial Drive**–10% off inside dining only; **Nick's Restaurant & Pizza** 740-653-3268 - 2 subs for \$16 or an Xlg 1 item Pizza for \$15.99.

OTHER OFFERS: **CL DJ Service** with Chance Lamb – 740-409-1090 - 10% off any DJ Service; **Hawk's Nest** – 740-385-3515 - 10 % off any in-store purchase; **EJ Nailed It!** –740-408-2189 - 10% off regular priced services; **Dress4Less, LLC** – 740-277-7226 - 20 % off any store purchase; **Cassandra's Family Cuts** - New clientele \$3 1st haircut - \$1 off haircut current clientele; **Middendorf Accounting Services** – 614-769-3750 - \$10 off tax prep for new customers; **Ohio Glass Museum** - 740-687-0101 - 10% off gift shop purchase or on any classes; **Precise Bookkeeping & Billing, LLC** - 740-808-6561 or send an email to: precisebkbkg@gmail.com - \$25 off any new tax, payroll or bookkeeping service; **Sage Consulting and Development** - 740-408-2189 - SEOH USBC members will receive 15% discount on resume's and more - "excluding special events"

Offers may change and/or be discontinued without notice.

If you have a business that you would be interested in offering discounts to our local bowlers, please contact the office at 740-653-1598 for further information or contact, Member Benefits chair, Valerie Eckman at 740-422-8298 or 740-503-8234. There are no additional fees for this free advertising.

Parents & Grandparents:

Do you have a youth bowler who bowls in a SEOH USBC youth league? Did you know that youth bowlers can qualify for scholarship money by bowling in our tournament and in our leagues? The SEOH USBC awards additional scholarships to our youth.

Your association is always searching for ways to bring benefits to our youth 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

Scholarships are awarded in the local youth tournament and in our youth leagues.



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 current or past bowlers, please share the information with Ellen Altop 740-974-4586 or Joy Kellenbarger 740-653-1598. Thanks for your help.

Hall of Fame Applications...Do you know someone to submit?

Please help the SEOH USBC Hall of Fame Committee by submitting names of bowlers, sponsors and our seniors to be recognized for their contribution to the sport of bowling. Do you have someone you would like to submit? The deadline for submission is October 31.

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

3rd Annual BVL Best Ball Doubles Tournament Game \$15 per bowler

You use your own ball, wear your own shoes and bring your own partner or we will try to find you one with prior notice! Nov. 19 at 1 PM at Tiki Lanes.

You will bowl 2 games. 100% of 225. Join this fun event and show your support for our veterans!

Bowler #1 _____ Bowler #2 _____

Address _____ Address _____
City _____ Phone# _____ City _____ Phone # _____

Are you a veteran? _____ 22-23 avg _____ Are you a veteran? _____ 22-23 avg _____

Email: _____ Email: _____

Rules: 1. Each set of doubles will be assigned a pair of lanes. 2. Bowlers will rotate lanes. 3. Each frame the bowlers will throw their first ball if they do not throw a strike. 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 partner if neither bowler rolled a strike. This continues until the game is completed. This will continue for the following game. 5. The doubles with the highest two (2) game total including handicap will be the champions. 6. Bowlers with a 22-23 avg of 21 games will use the highest 21 game avg. Bowlers with no average: Women will use 120. Men will use 140. 7. This is a fun fundraiser to honor our veterans, so everyone is required to have fun!

1st place champs will receive an Award.



Bowlers to Veterans Link...

Do you know what the BVL is and does?



By: Joy Kellenbarger*

This great organization was founded in 1942 as the Bowlers Victory Legion, by a group of concerned and caring bowlers who promised “We will not forget about the sacrifices made by America’s service men and women.” The name was changed in 1972 to the Bowlers to Veterans Link.

BVL is a national nonprofit charity (501(c) 3) which supports the neediest veterans. BVL responds to veterans in need - recuperating veterans, veterans suffering from Post Traumatic Stress Disorder and aging veterans - giving them an outlet for the joy, freedom and friendship that recreation and sport can bring. Bowlers to Veterans Link provides arts and crafts programs, music and sports activities, reading materials, board games and much more for recuperating veterans in all 172 VA hospitals.

A growing number of WWII veterans in their later years are suffering the often lonely days of long term care. Thanks to you and your donations to the BVL, these often forgotten heroes can enjoy billiards, cards and bingo. They spend their days fishing, bowling or gardening through programs at the State Veterans Homes throughout the country. The group Recreation performs for these veterans. They are amazing, uplifting, patriotic and inspiring to all.

The BVL is supported and guided by the bowling industry and the nation’s league bowlers. More than 1,200 local bowling associations nationwide participate in the BVL fund-raising effort and coordinate local efforts.

The Bowlers to Veterans Link is America’s only national sports organization specifically devoted to veterans with 80% of all money collected being used for the veterans, 13% for promotion and only 7% for the administration costs. BVL prides itself on one of the lowest overhead percentages. The commitment remains to insure that America’s veterans are the recipients of the most funds possible.

Are you wondering what happens to the money we collect? The money, we collect, is donated to the BVL and is designated to help our local veterans. The monies collected will go to the Chillicothe VA Hospital. This in turn helps the Veterans in Lancaster and surrounding areas with whatever our local veterans need. You can go to this website for more information. <http://www.bowlforveterans.org>

The annual weekly fundraiser will be held Nov. 5 –11.
November 19 at 1 PM at Tiki Lanes Best Ball Doubles Tournament.
Please show your support by participating & donating!

*Information for this article was gathered from the above website and other BVL sources.

