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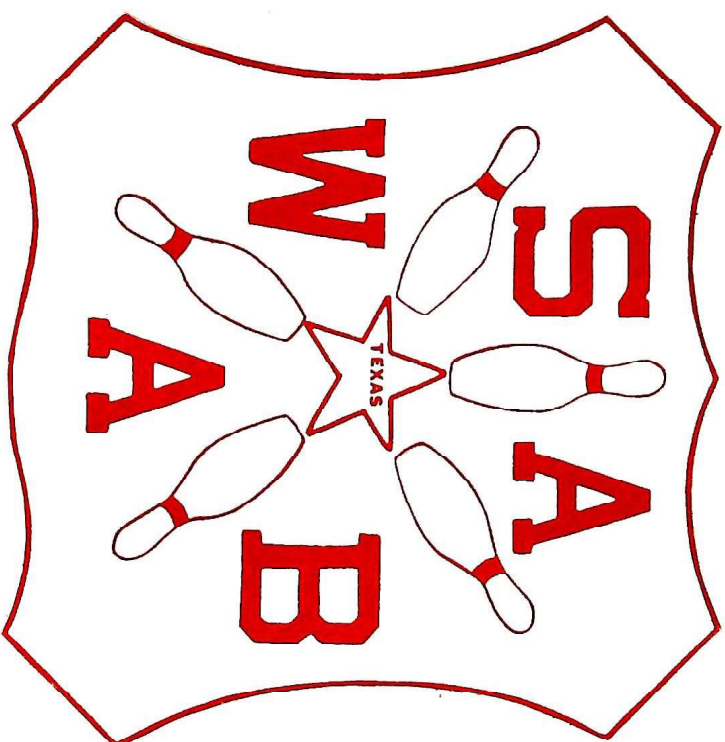
**1989—1990**

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Women's Bowling Assn., Inc.



1989--1990 Season



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Friday August 4, 1989 KEGLER

### 1990 SAWBA Tourney Sites Selected

The Board of Directors of the San Antonio Women's Bowling Assn. selected University Bowl and Bandera Bowl as the sites for the 1990 Locah Championship Tournament for the members.

Also finalized were the rules for this year's Championships, scheduled to roll the first three weekends in November.

This year's events will be at Spare Time Lanes (team event) and Astro Bowling Center (singles and doubles).

Entry forms for this year's

tournament will be available after the Mond-Tuesday Workshops for League Officers, at all bowling centers and at the SAWBA Office.

Entry Closing Date for this year's event is October 19 and once again there'll be Instant Cash and at Astro Bowling Center, the Hall of Fame feature for the bowler rolling most pins over average the second game.

There is no increase in entry fee which is \$11.00 per person per event with optional all events.

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### League Officers Workshop Monday - Tuesday

You know the new bowling season is beginning when SABA and SAWBA stage their annual League Officers Workshops.

The Workshops, open to any interested bowler is the time when league secretaries can pick up all the needed supplies -- and information -- for the coming season.

The two association secretaries will explain any pertinent changes in ABC and WIBC rules which affect the smooth running of leagues across the city.

The League Officers Workbooks are a "must" for all newly elected officers and all League officers have an opportunity to meet and visit with association officials.

To make it convenient for all league officials there are four League Officers Workshops planned. Two on the southside of the city and two on the northside.

The first Workshop is set for Monday, August 7 at 10 a.m. at Moose Lodge No. 744, 826 Highland Blvd. The second on the southside is at 7 p.m. the same evening.

On Tuesday, August 8 two more Workshops will be held at the Meeting Place next door to University Bowl) 12332 IH 10 West at De Zavala Road...again at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.

The Workshops are approximately one hour in length and association officials will be on hand to distribute league supplies.

Any league officials not attending the Workshops must visit the association offices -- no supplies will be mailed.

So...bring your questions, your inquisitive minds, have a cup of coffee and learn more about SAWBA and SABA services offered to the membership, acquire your supplies -- and have a great new bowling season!

RUTH JAMES registers everyone for the SAWBA-SABA Workshops for the 1989-90 Season











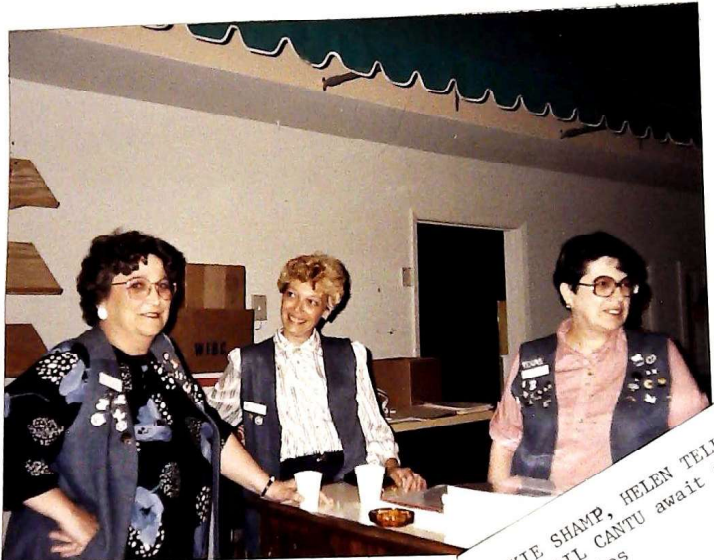
SAWBA Secretary Louise Mangelsdorf



SABA President Joe Lacy folds his arms while he awaits the Secretaries as Secretary Bob Martin looks on.



SANDIE LACY LOOKS ON AS YASKO WHITESELL prepares to go to work



ROXIE SHAMP, HELEN TELLER and GAIL CANTU await the secretaries

# WORKSHOPS



Treasurer HELEN KALALA gets supplies ready to dispense at the 1989-90 Workshop.



# Good Attendance At League Officers Workshops Assures Well-Run Leagues In Fall

Local association officials were more than pleased with the turn-out for the annual League Officers Workshops at Moose Lodge and The Meeting Play as over 250 league officers and league coordinators gathered the materials needed for the new bowling season.

SABA secretary Bob Martin and Louise Mangelsdorf of SAWBA shared information from Bowling Headquarters in Greendale, Wisconsin with league officials regarding rule changes, up-coming events, had league supplies available and explained the sanctioning process.

Two Workshops were held at Moose Lodge, two at the Meeting Place (10 a.m. and 7 p.m.) and league officers also received information on local awards, new WIBC awards and were urged to discuss the new awards with their league organizational meetings were held.

Cost of the ABC sanction cards for the 1989-90 season remain the same - \$7.00 per member payable the first competition of the season.

WIBC dues were increased one dollar over last year following the delegate vote at the annual meeting in Bismarck, making that cost also \$7.00. The dues increase for WIBC returns to the members the individual playing rulebooks, the 200 average award, WIBC tournament participation patches, emblems for local and state association tournaments as well as senior tournaments; communiques throughout the year from WIBC, two new awards, and much more. It's a very nominal - one time per year fee - to ensure that WIBC will always remain the largest sports organization in the world for women, while introducing new programs and standards for the members.

WIBC by popular request will now offer an award to those ladies who roll a series which is 150 pins over their average (3-games) during a sanctioned league play or in a tournament. The local award for that feat will be replaced by the WIBC award.

The special new league award will be in the secretary's Awards Kiis to be mailed later, however, the league at its organizational meeting, or when the prize committee meets, should determine how the special award will be given. Put it in your league rules!

League presidents were cautioned to perform their duties as outlined by WIBA and ABC with care -- checking league banking records monthly and verifying that all league funds are in tact throughout the year.

League officers were also cautioned to make certain that their existing league rules are workable and enforceable. Particular emphasis was given to position round determinations since there is a rules change. Presidents were reminded of the importance of appointing a Postponement Committee at the beginning of the season to avoid problems later in the year.

Most of the Workshops guests had an opportunity to visit with their center Directors from the two associations and league officers were reminded that their center representative is available for assistance at all times.

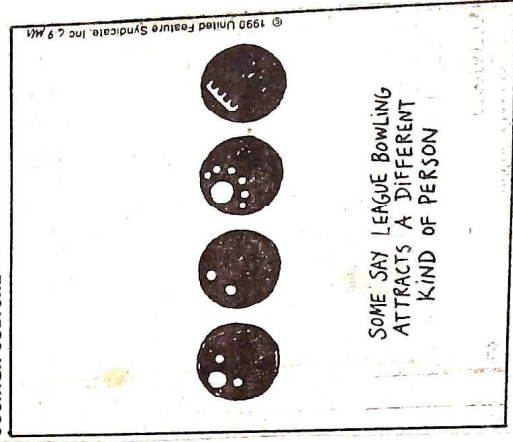
And, as usual secretaries were urged to put into effect the "no pay, no play" concept to keep the league prize fund losses to a minimum. Effective league rules can make that mandatory.

For league officials who were not able to attend one of the four Workshops, supplies may be obtained at the two association offices: SABA, 4226 Hall Park (657-7070) or the SAWBA Office, 10221 Desert Sands (342-3129), but please call ahead before making a trip to the offices. Secretaries are at times out of the office on association business.



President ELIA O'QUINN and SANDIE LACT toast their coffee cups.

## COUNTER CULTURE



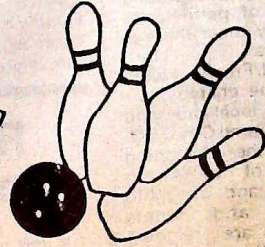


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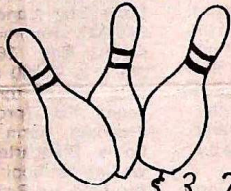
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SATURDAY 30 SEPTEMBER 1989

LONE STAR BREWERY 2 P.M. TO 11 P.M.



**bar-b-que**

BY GRADYS

\$3.75 PER PLATE — SERVED 4 P.M. TO 6 P.M.

ADMISSION AT GATE

21 YR. AND OVER \$3.00 12 YR. THRU 20 YR. \$1.00

11 AND UNDER FREE

INCLUDES FREE BEER, SOFT DRINKS & ALL LONE STAR EXHIBITS

BINGO BY SABA FROM 3 P.M. TO 5:30 P.M.

CAKE, COFFEE, TEA, ETC. BY SAWBA

POPCORN, SNOW CONES, ETC. BY YABA

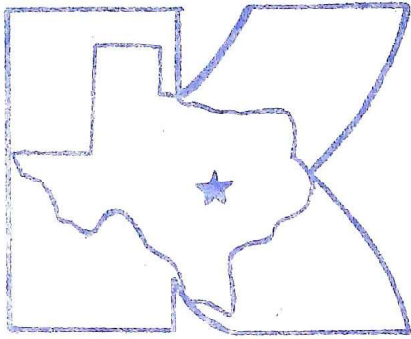
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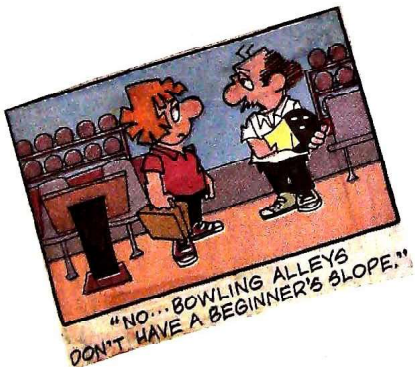
**OF TEXAS BAND 6 P.M. TO 10 P.M.**



# 30th ANNUAL TEXAS STATE BOWLING JAMBOREE



KILLEEN, TEXAS  
SHERATON PLAZA HOTEL  
SATURDAY, AUGUST 12, 1989



TWBA Vice President MILLIE  
WOOD and TWBA President  
DORIS COFFMAN at the Jamboree  
in Killeen



LOUISE MANGELSDORF  
ANNE BROYLES  
HELEN KALALA



Shirley Cockrell and Sylvia  
Broyles, TWBA Secretary await  
the start of the meeting.





WIBC Director Bea Lane and SAWBA Secretary Louise Mangelsdorf relax during the Dinner/Dance



Ft. Worth's Sandy Cash with SAWBA's Roxie Shamp and Helen Teller during the Cocktail Hour.



SABA's Directors Edwin Winn and Ed Crabb  
Bottom: Gus and Tip Pfeiffer from San Antonio



Friday August 25, 1989

## Rocky Boubel Swats 2nd Highest All Time Series of 752 In Chester's

It was during the 1986-87 season when a new all-time city record for women (series) was set, and last Wednesday night in the Chester's Classic League at Country lanes, "The Rock"--Rocky Boubel came within six pins of breaking the record.

The diminutive right-hander pumped out games of 277, 269 and 206 off her summer league average of 210 for a 752 series.

The record was set in the 1986-87 season by Liz Williams who went on to become SAWBA Superior

Performance Award winner and TWBA "Texas Woman Bowler of the Year".

The team on which Rocky bowled in the Classic summer league also featured a 622 by teammate Kathy Kirst (games of 211, 166 and 245) and Dennis Chotkeyves a 649 with games of 209, 209 and 231.

Rocky's explosive performance topped all the men in the league. Kathy and Rocky are the two only women rolling in the Chester's during the summer, and during the Fall season. Both have been drafted for the coming season.







# It's SAWBA Tournament Time Get Signed Up!!

Just around the corner is the 52nd annual SAWBA Championship Tournament at Spare Time Lanes (team event) and Astro Bowling Center (singles and doubles). And, entries are at all lanes or may be obtained at the SAWBA office.

Entries are available now at all lanes or may be obtained from the SAWBA office. For those who can only bowl on a specific squad, reserved entries will be taken until October 5th, but final entry closing date isn't until Thursday, October 19.

The entry fee remains the same - \$11.00 per person per event, with the prize fund being enriched \$4.90 from each entry. Additionally, each lady is eligible to participate in the all events prize fund upon payment of the \$1.00 entry fee for each class.

Once again all ladies entered in the event may participate in the Instant Cash feature (at no additional cost) for various split conversions or strings of strikes. There's no limit as to the number of awards to be given and cash awards are paid immediately after the score is verified. This feature is available only to those participating in Team Event.

For those rolling doubles and singles, again there's

the National Hall of Fame special feature. Each lady may pay the \$1.00 entry fee prior to completion of her first game, and to the lady rolling most pins over average the second game goes one-half of that squad's special prize fund. One half of the fee is a donation to the NBHF/M.

The Championships will roll the first three first weekends in November with two squads each Saturday; two on Sunday and one on Fri., Nov. 10 at noon.

There are also two doubles and singles squads each of the days of the tournament, one at 12 noon, one at 3:30 p.m. plus a 12 noon squad on Monday, Nov. 13th.

All entrants will be divided according to averages (Yearbook of 1988-89) in four Divisions and handicap is 80% within each division.

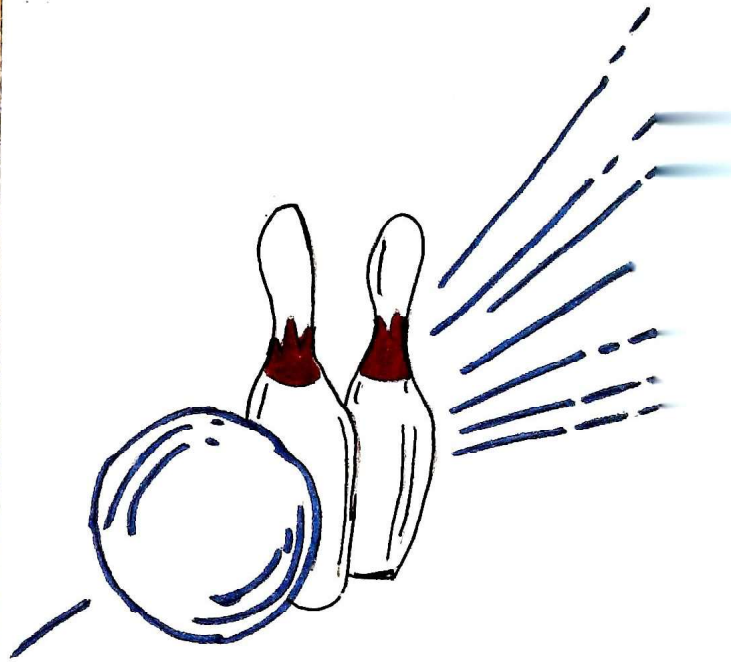
In the Championships the scratch score winners in each division will be declared Champions and the highest all events scratch score, regardless of division will be declared Local Champion. Handicap score winners in each division will be the Handicap Champions and the highest all events handicap score, regardless of division will be declared Local Handicap Champion.

**Special Awards:** A plaque will be given for high scratch series and high scratch game for the tournament, only one award per person. Senior League Bowlers: a plaque will be given for high scratch series and high scratch game for the tournament, only one award per person.

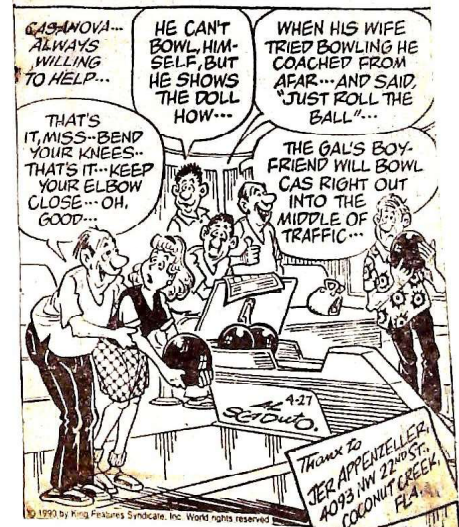
Singles and All Events breakdowns are as Div. 1: 165 and up; Div. 2: 150-164; Div. 3: 135-149 and Div. 4: 134 and under.

A SAWBA member may bowl as often as she wishes in team event, however, not more than three players on one team can place more than once in the prize list for position standings. In Doubles and Singles, ladies may only be entered once. Bowlers entering Doubles must also enter singles, and vice versa.

When a bowler bowls in team event more than once, her first team score shall count toward her all events score.



## THEY'LL DO IT EVERY TIME





# It's Awards Time For SAWBA

## At Sunday Open Membership Meeting

### SAWBA Superior Performance Award Winner To Be Named

The first of two open membership meetings for the San Antonio Women's Bowling Assn is set for Sunday, 1 p.m. at The Meeting Place (next door to University Bowl).

One of the highlights of the meeting will be the

naming of the SAWBA Superior Performance Award winner, for her performance on the lanes for the past season.

All officers and directors elected by the membership will be installed by TWBA secretary Sylvia Broyles

who is also 5th WIBC vice president

Members attending the meeting have the opportunity to earn a little spending money for themselves prior to the Open Meeting.

There's Scotch Doubles

planned for 11 a.m. (check in one hour prior to bowling) for just \$3.00. If a bowler doesn't have a partner planning to attend the meeting, they will be paired from others looking forward to a partner.

The Scotch Doubles are

three-games with handicap based on 90% of the difference between composite averages and 200 (current Yearbook averages).

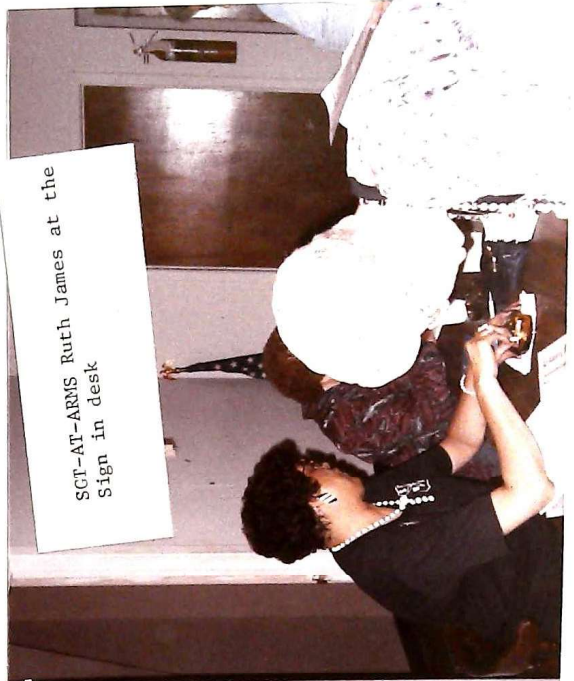
The Scotch Doubles will be rolled inside University Bowl, which will also have breakfast specials until 12 noon.

Prize monies will be returned to cashiers during the Open Meeting.

On the agenda of the Open Meeting in addition to the awards and installation is the annual Memorial Service for members who passed away the past season, approval of the proposed budget for the 1989-90 season, election of the Nominating Committee and other routine business of the association.



Joye Duncan and Myrc Deltis  
desk the San Antonio 600 Club



SCT-AT-ARMS Ruth James at the  
Sign in desk







Top: SAWBA President Ella O'Quinn, Vice Presidents Anne Broyles & Betty Holamann, Secretary Louise Mangelsdorf & Treasurer Helen Kalala



Middle: Sgt-At-Arms Ruth James, Directors Gail Cantu, Helen Teller, Lee Pundt and Carol Schroeder

OPEN MEETING



Bottom: Directors Elsie Mitchell & Sherilyn Crain  
SAWBA Life Members Mad Spreng and Helen Baetz



Jane Wright, Elsie Mitchell and Betty Holzmann. Memorial Committee members



# INSTALLATION



# MEMORIAL



Twba Secretary Sylvia Broyles helps with the installation of Officers & Directors



Above: Installing officer, Sylvia Broyles who is also WIBC 5th Vice President and TWBA State Secretary.



Newly installed Directors and Officers of SAWBA are (back row) Carole Poff, Elsie Mitchell, Debbie Kirst, Carole Schroeder (front row) Irene Castaldo, Betty Field, Lee Pundi, Janet Meyer and Jane Wright. (Far

right) Betty Holzmann, first vice president, secretary Louise Mangelsdorf, and Sgt-Al-Arms, Ruth James



Memorial



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## Kathy Kirst Wins SAWBA Superior Performance Award For Past Season

With three SAWBA Local Championship tournament All Events titles to her credit, a State All Events title (plus a State doubles title), Kathy Kirst earned the SAWBA Superior Performance Award for the 1988-89 season, an honor not previously bestowed on the talented lefthander.

The SAWBA Superior Performance Award is the highest honor the local association can bestow on a member based on that member's performance on the lanes for a single season.

All of the titles listed above weren't all Kathy's in the previous season, but her year was sensational!

First of all, for her four leagues (TCBA Traveling League, Bluebonnet Mixed, Chester's Classic and Ladies Major) Kathy compiled the city's highest composite average of 195.7, and in the Chester's Classic, in which she is one of only two local women on the roster, her high average was a 201.

During last year's Local Championship, Kathy was a member of the first place team (scratch) in Division I and a member of the third place team in handicap. Additionally she was one-half of the winning Div. I doubles team. During her singles event she had a 693 series which brought her total number of 600 series for the year to 57. Of those, thirteen were in the 650-699 range with her 701 series. During the local championships she had a scratch all events total of 1829 for a 203.2 average for her nine games.

She was USA local qualifier for her play in the Local Championships.

In Abilene at the Texas Bluebonnet Queens tournament, Kathy was one of two local women to make the finals, and she finished in 9th place with a 186.5 average.

In the TWBA Championships at El Paso last Spring against the state's top average women in Div. I, Kathy was on the 7th place

doubles team with a 1214, was 8th in singles with a 655, and finished in 14th in Div. I All Events with an 1821 (202.3 average).

Then came the Oak Hills Martha Washington Tournament where another first place team win was hers plus three placings in doubles (1st, 3rd and 4th), and another all events title.

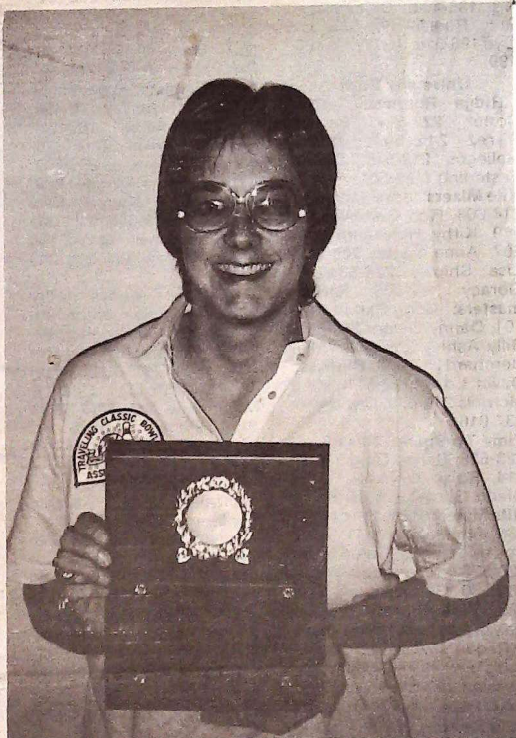
To complete her year, too, was a first place in the scratch division of the San Antonio 600 Club singles tournament, and a second place finish in the Texas 600 Club tournament at El Paso.

Kathy was one of six local women to roll series over the 700 mark during the past season in either sanctioned leagues or tournaments. She was also active in non-sanctioned events such as the Ladies Red River Mixed Doubles in which she and partner finished 5th, and she was extremely active in weekend tournament companies, carrying the highest average in the ACT Tournament for a woman.

Kathy has been a SAWBA member since late 1970s after a record-setting junior career. At age 15 she set the high series in the nation for a junior girl, an honor which would lead her to be named Texas 20-Year Club "Miss Texas Junior Bowler of the Year". In 1977 she was named by the late WIBC President as the recipient of the Alberta E. Crowe "Star of Tomorrow".

She has earned three Local Champion crowns (1977-78, 1982-83 and 1983-84). Two years ago when TWBA was in San Antonio Kathy earned the State Champion's crown with an 1875 all events total, and the same year shared the Division doubles crown.

Kathy's outstanding



performances during the previous season will be submitted to the TWBA Awards Program for recognition on a statewide level.

SAWBA president Ella O'Quinn presented Kathy with a plaque symbolizing her honor, together with a silver charm to mark the quiet lefthander's outstanding performances.

In her own quiet and humble way, Kathy's words of thanks included "This is one honor I have always wanted to earn. I thank you for giving it to me."

Questionnaires were mailed to all SAWBA members who finished the season with a 180 average or above by Awards Chairman, Betty Holzmann. A total of 48 ladies were eligible to submit their qualifications.

Previous recipients of the SAWBA Superior Performance Award since its inception in 1970 are Myrt DeFily, Elfi Tomczyk, Mary Falconer (8 seasons), Donna Wallace (4 seasons), Liz Williams (2 seasons) and Laurie Jo Scales, last year's winner.



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# SAWBA Members Look Ahead To New Season

The message to the membership of SAWBA at the Open Membership Meeting Sunday was loud and clear. SAWBA president Ella O'Quinn reported that the group is bouncing back from the disappointment of not acquiring the huge WIBC events for 1993, but with belt-tightening measures and several fund raisers planned, the association is "alive and well" and looking forward to its unjaded strength and a bright new season.

Membership is, as it is all across the nation, down a bit and according to secretary Louise Mangelsdorf now standing at 11,311 for the past season a drop of just over 400 members.

Planned for the association, members was an afternoon visit to the S.A. Little Theatre production "Sound of Music" but this will be delayed since the theatre group had problems getting the tickets printed in time, for sale by SAWBA directors.

"Jump Right In" is the theme of this year's League Visit on to encourage ladies to enjoy the fun of the Local Championship Tournament. Entries are at all centers and at the SAWBA office, and the tournament is scheduled for the first three weekends in

November at Spare Time Lanes and Astro Bowling Center. Entry fee remains the same: \$11.00 per person per event plus optional all events. SAWBA directors will be visiting leagues encountering entry and a sistin; with illi gteams or accepting entries.

The ladies attending the Open Meeting approved Helen Kalala's treasurer's report and also approved the association budget for the coming new season. Members were also apprised of all the new rule change; for the new season by Legislative Chairman Betty Holzmann, and reports on both the WIBC and TWBA annual meetings were given by Sherilyn Crain and Helen Teller.

Open Meeting attendees were treated to a preview fashion showing by officers and board members of a new

Wash & Means Project. The colorful tee-shirts come with either round neck or v-necks and will be available at the Local Tournament in November. However, teams wishing to wear the shirt while competing may advance order by contacting Chairman F.V. & M.ans. Rut' games at 654-6579. Sizes of the shirts range from small to XXI for just \$7.50. They're attractive washable, comfortable and sport the SAWBA logo.

Other reports given the members were on the Hospitality Room by Betty Holzmann, the senior bus trip to Fort Worth by Anne Broyles, "Keeping Posted" by Helen Teller, Equipment & Specifications (Louise Mangelsdorf) and the Senior League Mixed Tournament and SAWBA Singles Classic tournaments (Betty Holzmann and Ella O'Quinn). Both will be conducted later in the season. Too there was an exciting informational



PRESIDENT Ella O'Quinn presents Superior Performance Plaque to Kathy Kirtic.

### Congratulations!

State All Events Champion in Div. 4, Ann Dixon receives appreciation charity from SAWBA presxy Ella O'Quinn. Mrs. Dixon had a 1702 winning total for her nine games in El Paso.

meeting Div. 3 All Events champ, Chris Pohlman. Both ladies were awarded silver charms for their performances and for their outstanding representation of SAWBA.

Elected to serve as chairman of the 1989-90 Nominating Committee was Mary Elizabeth "Tip" Pfeiffer with members Clara Grimes, Madelyn Spreng, Myrt DeFily and Dorris Turner.

Several members were recognized for outstanding play during the past season in addition to Kayle Goolwyn's high series for the year of 735, awards were announced for other 700 series shooters: Rosi Rook 731, Pat Sereno 728, Kathleen Kurtz 726, Neil Sadler 714 and of course, Kathy Kirtic's 701 which led to her becoming SAWBA Superior Performance Award winner (see related story, this issue).

Members approved the date of April 1st (Sunday) for the 1990 Annual Meeting and Election.

report on the BVL Fund and how the funds are used locally were received at Audie Murphy Memorial VA Hospital given by Jane Wright.

Members were also advised by Sherilyn Crain that tickets for the Powlows Picnic (September 30) are available at the SAWBA office and at all bowling center control counters. During balloting members were up-dated on the activities of the 500 Club and the San Antonio 600 Club by club presidents Yesko Whitesell and Gail Cantu.

Sylvia Broyles reviewed many of the new awards from WIBC and listened as league secretaries report on how they are giving the new WIBC league award. She also reported on the new Star Award available to leagues from TWBA.

Members were introduced to one of the two State Champions from the El Paso TWBA Championships -- Ann Dixon who was the 1989 Div. 4 All Events Champion. Unable to attend the



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## Corol Butlin-Pat Suttin Take SAWBA

### Scotch Doubles Win with 646 !

Ladies love to get together to talk, renew acquaintances and to bowl -- and that's what happened with 21 teams signed up for the Scratch Doubles Sweeper prior to the SAWBA Open Membership meeting at University Bowl.

Scotch Doubles is a fun-format with one partner rolling the first ball in the frame, the second partner converting the leave, until a game is completed. Teaming together for the top score after three games were pretty blond, Corol Butlin with partner Pat Suttin with a 646 handicap series.

Tying for runnerup honors were Ly ia Johnston and Betty Walton with Ann Trease and Elida Ortega, each team with 43s.

In order of finish with their scores were Ameedah Shakir and Ann Dixon 634;



Margie Vinson and Rose Loudermilk 631, Belinda Redus and Fay Staub 630; Darlene Wallis and Betty Field 603; and Willveen and Betty McGeary with 598.

Total prize fund for the

teams was \$63 and the SAWBA members serving on the Sweeper Committee were Helen Teller, Lee Pundt and Carole Schroeder.

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## Members Assist At SAWBA Open Meeting

It took a lot of women to keep the Open Meeting running smoothly and on time, as the 60 members and three guests listened to the 19-point business agenda at The Meeting Place next door to University Bowl last Sunday.

One of the highlights of the meeting was the induction of all the officers and directors elected by the members attending the Annual Meeting last April, and installation ceremonies were conducted by TWBA Secretary (and 5th WIBC Vice President) Sylvia Broyles.

She laid the foundation for great association board using the SAWBA logo as a theme. As each officer and

director placed a felt cut-out on a prepared board, the logo began to take shape.

Mary Helen Smith and Lillian Raby accepted the appointment of the President to serve as Reading of the Minutes Committee while Dorris Tanner gave the report of the Annual Meeting Reading of the Minutes Committee.

Only one ballot was necessary for the election of the Nominating Committee to serve the coming season and those who served with Sgt At Arms Ruth James speedily counted ballots and returned the results. Serving as Ass't Sgt-At-Arms for the meeting was Arline Pape with members

Marlene Stader, Lisa Schulmeier, Virginia Brailey, Thelma Marshall and Rose Loudermilk.

Traditionally the Open Membership Meeting is opened with a Memorial Service to remember members who passed away the previous season. A simple and meaningful service was conducted by chairman Jane Wright with Board Members, Betty Holzmann, Debbie Kirst and Elsie Mitchell.

Midway in the meeting members stopped to enjoy refreshments and to visit with their center Directors. The refreshment committee was Gail Cantu, Barbara Schulmeier, Roxie Shamp and Betty Holzmann.

Friday, September 22, 1989

## Local Leaders To State Workshops

Sixteen SAWBA officers and directors will be taking a journey to Austin this Saturday to attend a once-a-year event known as the TWBA Bowling Leaders Workshop.

The all-day conference will be at the Wyndham Southpark Hotel from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. and state and national officials will be sharing their knowledge of planning ahead for local associations, budget management and all the many facets and problems facing local association leaders.

Workshop chairman is TWBA first vice president Millie Wood, Abilene, with assistance from the two WIBC Board of Directors members on the TWBA Board, Sylvia Broyles, state secretary and 5th WIBC vice president, and Beverly McLendon, TWBA 2nd Vice President and Director of WIBC.

Attending the session from SAWBA Board are president Ella O'Quinn, vice presidents, Betty Holzmann, Anne Broyles and Unice Powell, treasurer Helen Kalala and sergeant-at-arms Ruth James. Directors in the group are Debbie Kirst, Helen Teller, Carole Schroeder, Sherilyn Crain, Roxie Shamp, Janet Meyer, Patti Hines, Jane Wright, Gail Cantu and Zelma Craven.



## Linda Bray and Carol Young Are 600 Club Winners !!

### Club Members Give SAWBA \$290 Boost !

The weekend belonged to the ladies who are members of the San Antonio 600 Club, but the beneficiaries of their generosity were the SAWBA members who are attempting to retire the debt of staging the Hospitality Room in Bismarck last spring. Through a drawing for three special gifts members raised \$290 in ticket sales which will be credited to the debt.

In the two-day event at Oak Hills only Linda Bray was able to find the right key to the "600 Door". With games of 213, 180 and 220 Linda won the scratch division with a 613 series, and earned \$55 in prize money.

With games of 192, 197 and 189 plus 118 pins handicap, Carol Young became the handicap division winner with 696. First place prize money was also \$55 for the 156 averager.

Tournament rules provided that ladies could place in either division, wherever their score was highest. Also cashing in the scratch division was runnerup Tracy DeSmit rolling her first Club tournament. She had games of 192, 222 and 175 for 589.

Patti Hines had 587 with a 242 scratch game on Sunday, highest of the tournament which earned for her a Columbia Yellow Dot.

Also placing in scratch division were Karen Johnson with 585 and Rocky Doubel, 579, for \$15 and \$10.40 respectively.

Handicap runnerup was Betty Burke rolling off a 156 average with games of 223, 184 and 149 plus 118 pins handicap for 674. Lorene Hance, a 152 average had a great day with games of 184, 193 and 193, plus 129 pins handicap for 673. Rose Ivey had 654 and Jeanne Kirk, 651 handicap.

One dollar of each entry was earmarked as a donation to the BVL Fund and \$89 was donated.

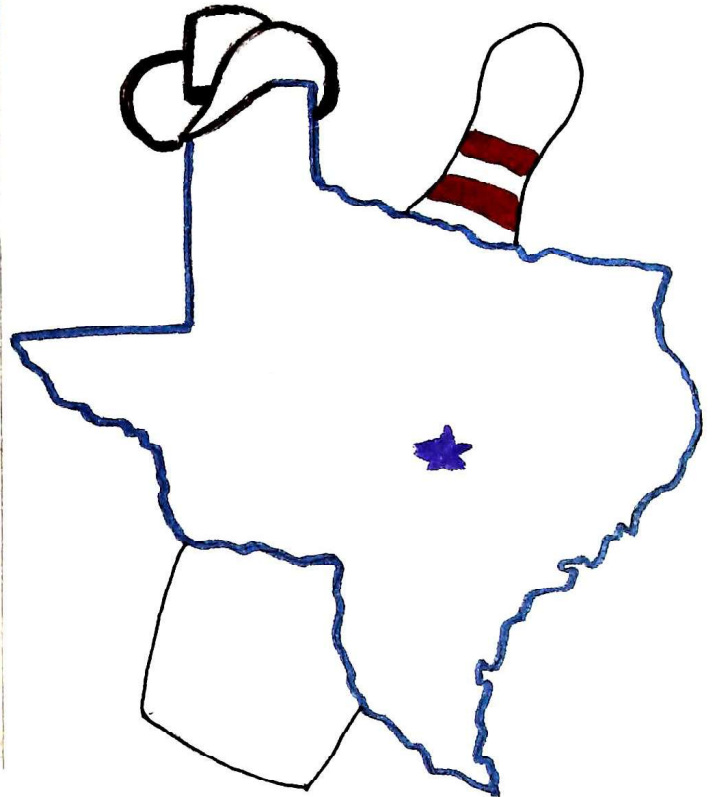
Special prize winners in the drawing were Bettie Jo Geisler, handmade baby quilt donated by Mildred Emmot, Josie Scales, bowling pin telephone donated by Gail Cantu, and Joan Paradowski, Magnavox 5" color television donated by Lee Pundt.

At the brief membership meeting president Gail

Cantu awarded a plaque to Kathy Kirst as the member rolling the most 600 series, 57, to Robin Qualls for high game of 279 and to Rosie Cook for her series of 731.

Club members agreed to give a helping hand to the patients at the Mental Health/Mental Retardation Center. A donation of \$200 was authorized for use by the center for birthday parties, and collection boxes will be at the SAWBA local tournament sites (Spare Time and Astro Bowling) for activities supplies. Needed items are puzzles (100 to 300 piece), magazines, crayons, games, paints, poster board, artists' pads and the like.

In other action secretary Unice Powell reported membership of 216 last season, the date for the "Bring A Friend" doubles was set as Feb. 10-11 and elected to serve on the Nominating Committee were Nell Recroft, chairman, Debbie Kirst and Carole Poff.



September 22, 1989 KEGLER

### FINAL FRAME

One of the most delightful ladies in our bowling family died on September 14th and her passing went almost unnoticed to the general bowling population.

ANNA N. LOSEY, better known to most of us as "Miss Annie", the caretaker of the nursery at Astro Bowling Center, suffered a heart attack Thursday and her final services were Monday.

"Miss Anna" was a 'corker'. She was filled with life and her love of the youngsters in her care while moms and pops bowled their league play was almost unequalled.

"Miss Anna" came to Astro Bowl first as a snack bar employee and her pleasant demeanor and cute sense of humor made her a favored

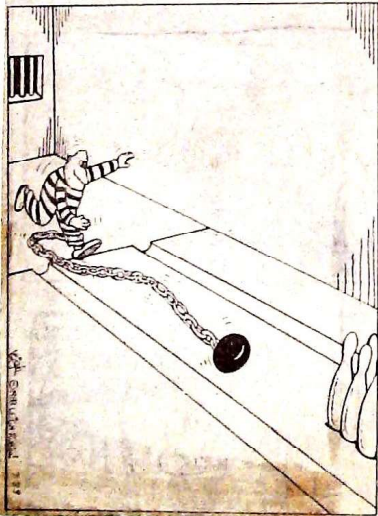
employee at the center. Following a stroke and complete recovery, the spry little lady returned to the center to take charge of the nursery. Hundreds of parents were included in her long list of friends. Hundreds of youngsters' lives were enriched as she generously hugged, scolded with a soft voice, and praised her charge's pre-kindergarten works of 'art'.

"Miss Anna" was a loyal and dependable staffer at the center giving nearly two decades of love to bowling families. She was a beloved member of the Faith Missionary Baptist Church where her funeral services were held. Her interment was in Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery. Her children, Dorothy Ayers, Seguin,

Howard Losey, Cibolo, Harry D. and Pat Losey of San Antonio, brought great happiness to her when they blessed her with seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren, and "Miss Anna" spoke of them often and with great love.

There just are not enough "Miss Annas" passing through our lives. Her clever wit, happy outlook and 'spunk' are to be admired and will be missed. "Miss Anna" was a jewel.

### RUBES





# Leaders Workshop A 'Smash' For Record Attendance In Austin

It was a record attendance at the TWBA State Leaders Workshop which was cancelled last year in Austin due to an impending storm, and this year's version was a lively program mixed with fun and learning.

A record attendance of 276 officers, board members and interested bowlers were reminded of their duties to the memberships which elected them with clever skits performed by sister bowler attending the all-day semina at the Wyndham hotel in Austin.

Proper (and improper) ways to conduct committee meetings was stressed including Budget & Finance Committees of associations, Nominating Committee work, dealing with new Board Members joining associat on boards and stressing use of association policy manuals.

A new program from WIBC to be followed by TWBA and ultimately by SAWBA is a Membership Recruitment Committee, and TWBA board member Shirley Cockrell, president of Temple WBA has been asked to serve as area director. The recruitment program will devise ways to find new members, inviting old members to return to the lanes, and determining reasons why members drop out of the bowling game.

Several SAWBA members were part of the various skits: Money Sense (budget

and financial reports; Win Lose or Draw (voting procedures and tier's reports); "If I Don't Hang Together, We Hang Alone" moderated by TWBA Secretary Sylvia Broyles. That particular skit featured SAWBA director Carol Schroeder playing a lady with a split personality seeking advice and who after medical attention given by Gail Cantu and nurse Helen Miller, learned how to find new ways to get jobs done, lead discussions, resolve problems, discuss, listen and even disagree with an open mind.

Sgt.-At-Arms: Ruth James and Tip Pfeiffer were part of the Budget skit and Sherilyn became the "7-Pin" in the highly amusing segment called "The Pins Talk Back". SAWBA ladies attending the Annual Meeting in the Spring will be treated to a repeat of that Bowling Pin segment after the Board, at its regularly scheduled Board Meeting Wednesday, agreed to re-enact the skit -- and it's a show no member will want to miss!

The Workshops were concluded with a "Stars & Strips" "over" skit featuring BIF the WABA mascot, and a lively question/answer portion, plus sharing time as socialion efforts reported on successful projects in their home towns.

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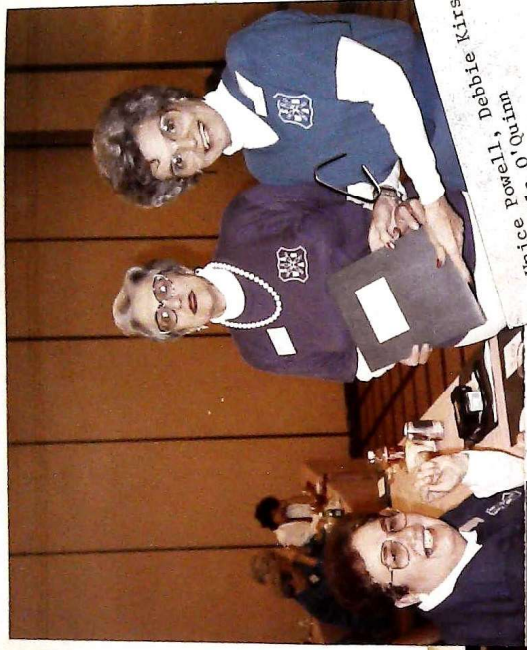


Shirley Crain, Anne Broyles, Jane Wright and Lori Stein held in Austin, Texas workshop



and Ruth James and Katala Mitchell: Helene Heller & Helen Bartz, Sylvia Rappese and Helen Bartz





Unice Powell, Debbie Kirst  
and Ella O'Quinn



Patti Hines Shamp  
and Roxie Shamp



STATE LEADERS WORKSHOP



Margaret Eckart and Gail Cantu  
enjoy the State Leaders  
Workshop.



Left: Tip Pfeiffer  
Carol Schroeder and Helen  
Bertz





WORKSHOP SKITS





Friday September 29, 1989 KEGLER

### FINAL FRAME

The bowling family was saddened to learn of the passing of Mrs. Laura J. Donathen last Friday.

Laura, wife of past president of the San Antonio Men's Bowling Assn., S. L. Donathen, was a member of the Ponderosa Bowl Outcast Mixed League and the Saturday Nighters, also at Ponderosa Bowl.

Diagnosed as a cancer patient, Laura had been receiving chemotherapy treatments since last February, but suffered an apparent heart attack on Friday.

What a tremendous force this lady had on the lives of so many students. She won recognition for her innovative teaching methods during her 32 years in the Harlandale School District. She was also honored for the progress of her math students after she developed a more effective way to teach her pupils.

Laura and her husband, known to most as "Red" celebrated their 40th

wedding anniversary last June 10th, and her teaching years began back in 1947 before she got her degree. She returned to Incarnate Word College and earned her bachelor of elementary education degree in 1971.

In addition to the many friends she made in the bowling family, Laura was also interested in gardening, sewing and cake decorating.

Final services were Tuesday in St. Margaret Mary's Catholic Church with burial in the San Jose Burial Park.

The sympathy and love of the bowling family is extended to Red, their sons and a daughter, five grandchildren and Laura's two sisters. The ability to teach the youngsters in her classes and her ability to reach so many youngsters is truly an enviable legacy. Laura filled a special place in so many lives, and those whose lives she enriched will always remember this special lady.

Friday September 29, 1989 KEGLER

### Columbia 300 & Bluebonnets A Neat Combination!

One of the most exciting announcements to come from the TWBA State Leaders Workshops came from State Secretary Sylvia Broyles, who revealed that Columbia 300 will become the co-sponsor of the popular Texas Bluebonnet Queens tournament, this year to be held in Beaumont the first weekend in March.

Browning's Trophies & Awards of Garland have co-

sponsored the prestigious scratch event with TWBA for the past several years, and Broyles warmly thanked TWBA past president F. Browning for their love and support of the state event. Mrs. Browning is also a Life Member and Hall of Fame member in TWBA.

Bluebonnet Queens entries will be available in the State Office and at the SAWBA office in just a few weeks.

BAR-B-Q TICKET - \$3.75

No 00201

### BOWLER'S PICNIC

SATURDAY - SEPTEMBER 30, 1989

### LONE STAR BREWERY

BINGO — 3:00 - 5:30 p.m.

GRADY'S BAR-B-Q — 4:00 - 6:00 p.m.

HEARTLAND OF TEXAS BAND — 6:00 - 10:00 p.m.

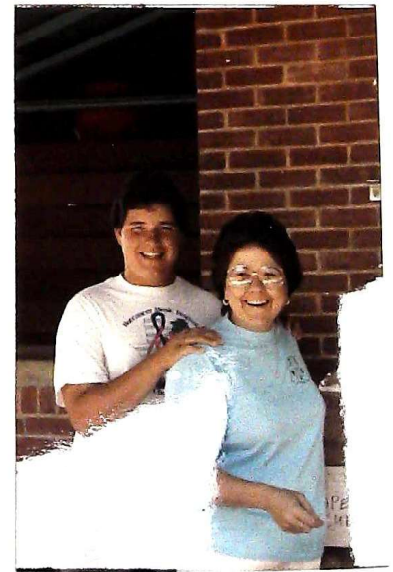
ADMISSION AT GATE EXTRA

21 AND OVER — \$3.00

12 THRU 20 — \$1.00

11 AND UNDER — FREE

FREE BEER AND SOFT DRINKS





Friday October 6, 1989 KEGLER

# SAWBA Board and Friends Visiting Leagues To Promote Local Championships

October 19th -- a special day for the women bowlers of the city!

That's the absolute deadline for entering the SAWBA Local Championship Tournament with team event at Spare Time Lanes and singles and doubles at Astro Bowling Center, the first three weekends in November.

Expensive? No!! Entry is just \$11 per lady per event, and of course, optional all events for just an additional \$1.00...and a special prize for all ladies in all four classes in that portion.

And of course you don't have to bowl all three events if you can't or don't care to, but entry into team event is encouraged. And that \$11 could mean plenty of extra shopping bucks.

The 1988 first place teams in each of the four divisions earned \$134, \$200 (Div. 2 and 3) and \$100 in Div. 4 from the total prize fund

which amounted to nearly \$12,000...and that was with just 228 teams.

But this is League Visitation time and SAWBA Directors, led by chairman Ruth James and her Committee, are visiting leagues encouraging entry, assisting with completing entry forms and putting together teams. By saying "yes" ladies of the city can generate an even larger entry than last year's from among the over 11,000 SAWBA members eligible.

"Jump Right In" -- Local Tournament time is the highlight of women's bowling for the year! There's a division for every lady, regardless of league average, and ladies roll only against other ladies with like averages. And each lady receives handicap -- 80% of 200, and in most cases current Yearbook averages determine divisions.

But there's even more!

Each lady rolling in the team events at Spare Time Lanes can make additional on-the-spot cash! Strings of strikes payoff and should SAWBA have its first tournament 300 game during that portion, there's a crisp \$100 bill waiting in each of the four divisions. Converting pesky splits even pay off in this event...with payoffs from \$1.00 up to \$50 for converting the 7-10 and 5-7-10 split.

When singles and doubles are rolled at Astro Bowling Center each lady is eligible to participate in the special feature known as the National Bowling Hall of Fame/Museum sidepot. By payment of \$1.00 prior to the completion of the first game, every lady is eligible to use her second game score to earn additional spending money. One half of all funds collected that shift go to the lady rolling most pins over average that second game, and one half

is a donation to the NBHF/M.

And, the Senior ladies aren't left out either! Special awards regiven for the high Senior scratch series and high scratch game in the tournament. To be eligible for these specials the member must rolled in a mentioned senior league in the city, and ladies are reminded to make certain that their entry form is so designated.

Blue entry forms are in all centers or can be obtained from the SAWBA office. But the deadline for entry is October 19th.

Completing the form is easy. Name your team, give the captain's name, address and telephone; list your team members with their averages (check the paying option at all events and if senior league competitors) and select dates and squads you prefer. Enclose your checks

and return to the SAWBA office...it's that easy!!

Do Iler who can't complete their teams, should contact their center SAWBA Directors and individuals requesting a place to bowl will be added to complete lineups.

You time is limited?? SAWBA knows that, so there are plenty of choices to fit almost any lady's schedule. Weekend bowling is at 12 noon and 3 p.m. for teams event November 4-5, 11-12 and 11-19, with a Friday Nov. 10 at 12 noon for those who can't participate on weekends.

For Doubles and Singles squads are at 12 noon and 3:30 p.m. on Nov 4-5, 11-12 and 11-19, plus a noon squad on Monday, November 13th.

So make your choices...complete your forms and JUMP RIGHT IN...YOU'LL BE GLAD YOU DID!!

Friday October 6, 1989 KEGLER

## Leagues To 'Pass The Hat' To Help SAWBA Fund

Leagues around the city are still attempting to give a helping hand to the San Antonio Women's Bowling Assn. to retire the debt incurred in staging the Hospitality Room in Bismarck when SAWBA bid for the 1993 WIBC events.

Several leagues, and individuals, have made donations to help defray the cost, and the San Antonio Women's 600 Club via a drawing for valuable prizes, enriched the fund to the tune of \$290.

During the League Officers Workshops, league officials were asked to seek donations of just 50¢ per bowler when the leagues were on the floor, sanction fees paid and the final weeks

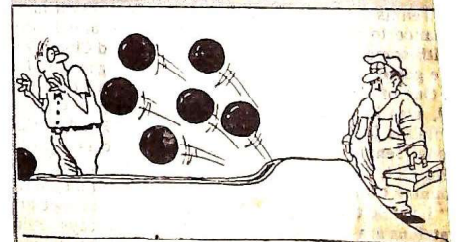
of league fees paid, to help the ladies.

As secretaries are completing their sanctioning papers, NOW is the time to pass the hat for the donations. League officials can contact the SAWBA office if additional information is needed, or if donations need to be picked up at the centers. In the supplies given to each secretary is an envelope already addressed for use in mailing donations (but please don't send cash).

This publication will be public, thanking all those who have been generous with their donations, and SAWBA truly appreciates the help from the bowling family.



SIDELINES  
By Bill Whitehead



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Looks like your return mechanism has gone berserk!



# LADIES! DON'T FORGET YOUR CITY TOURNAMENT

DEADLINE IS OCTOBER 19TH

## TOURNAMENT

FIRST THREE WEEK ENDS  
IN NOVEMBER

TEAM

## SPARE TIME

DOUBLES & SINGLES

## ASTRO BOWL

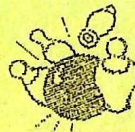
Or Call your SAWBA office:  
LOUISE MANGELSDORF - 342-3129



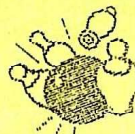
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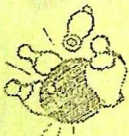
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ANN BROYLES  
Lane 24



JANET MEYER  
Lane 26



ZELMA CRAVEN  
Lane 34

KEGLER Friday October 13, 1989



Deadline For  
Entry OCT. 19

SAWBA  
Local Tourney

Nov. 4-5; 10-11;  
12-13- and Nov.  
18-19

\$11 Per Person  
Per Event

Wonder Bowl  
Astro Bowl



Friday October 20, 1989 KEGLER

## Scorekeepers/Workers Needed At City Tourney

While waiting for a final tally on entries in the SAWBA Championship Tournament (Nov. 4-5, 10-13 and Nov. 18-19) the ladies of SAWBA are finalizing the large number of details necessary for a successfully run tournament.

Without a final count on entries it's impossible to determine the exact number of scorekeepers needed, but with the team center (Spare Time Lanes) being non-automatic, dozens of volunteers will be needed. At the singles and doubles center (Astro Bowling Center) volunteers will be needed to transfer scores from the computerized scorers to the officials scoresheets.

Co-chairmen for Score-

keepers at Spare Time Lanes are Roxie Shamp (684-2766 after 6 p.m.) and Yesko Whitesell (675-2869) who will happily schedule anyone wishing to help during the run of the tournament.

At Astro Bowling Center chairman is Janet Meyer (494-7549) with assistance from Floor Supervisors (Barbara Schulmeier 655-7576 and Debbie Kirst, 684-6075) or volunteer helpers can just call the SAWBA office at 342-3129 and leave their names, phone numbers and times they can help.

Bowlers coming to bowl in the tournament who have a friend or hubby who would like to keep also are welcome.

KEGLER Friday October 20, 1989

## 25th Anniversary At Oak Hills For Marie Caldwell

Can you remember what you were doing on October 15, 1964?

Hmmmm, maybe loss of memory really is one of the first signs of aging!

Marie Caldwell can tell you EXACTLY what she was doing that day!

It was her first day on the job at Oak Hills Lanes, and her 'boss' was one of the great ladies of the bowling game, Billy Simon.

Billy's gone now, but

Marie always remembers that date. And, Sunday marked her 25th Anniversary on the job!

Back in those days Marie was extremely active on the lanes -- carrying averages in the high 170s while urging men, women to join leagues and bowl. And she was teaching the youngsters of the day the game as well.

She's seen many changes in her 25 years at the center.

And, back in those days

the women of the city had their eye on becoming hostesses to the great WIBC tournament, and Marie was right in the middle of things when the WIBC Delegates finally approved San Antonio to become hostesses in 1968. She stayed in the middle of all the activities before, during and after staging that mammoth event.

In fact, over these 25 years she has stayed right in the middle of women's bowling doing great good work for the women's association and her center -- most from behind the control counter at the center.

For her years of dedication game and to the betterment of the San Antonio WBA Marie was recognized with the first SAWBA Service Award in 1982.

Her many friends at Oak Hills and around the area remembered those 25 years and enjoyed an appreciation cake with her last week to commemorate her years ...and as her request we extend her thanks to all who remembered.

We're happy to extend her thanks, but with great love from all the bowling family, we also extend our heartiest congratulations to Marie for being such a vital part of San Antonio's bowling scene. God bless her!

Friday October 20, 1989 KEGLER

## Craft Supplies/Magazines Needed For Mental Patients Therapy Sessions

Women bowlers participating in the 52nd annual SAWBA Championship Tournament at Astro Bowl and Spare Time are urged to give a helping hand to some less fortunate than we.

At each tournament site will be collection boxes for puzzles, children's games such as checkers, dominoes and the like, craft items such as crayons, paints, color books, construction paper, playing cards and most of all

magazines.

Items collected will be used at the Mental Health and Mental Retardation center to keep patients busy during their hospitalization free time. Nurses at the center who work with the MHMR patients have found that busy patients who can create artworks during their rehabilitation are soon on the way to recovery, if they have the above supplies readily available for use.

So, while you're packing up your bowling equipment ready to bowl in the tournament, stop a minute, and clean out a junk drawer of leftover crayons, construction paper from that art project you never completed --- anything that will keep idle hands busy --- and bring it to, the tournament where MHMR patients can benefit!



Friday October 27, 1989

# SAWBA Tourney To Roll With 209 Teams

## \$14,000 Plus Prize Fund

Although the SAWBA Championship Tournament, scheduled to roll the first three weekends in November at Spare Time Lanes and Astro Bowling Center won't be as large as some in the past, the prize fund is sizable -- \$14,840.50 for the members entered.

Once again the largest field will be in Div. 2 for those ladies with averages in the range of 150-164 where 93 of the 209 teams will compete. Div. 1 for the higher average ladies (those with 165 or above) drew 38 teams, Div. 3 (averages 135-149) will feature 69 teams, and Div. 4 for those with averages under 135 will have nine teams.

Team prize fund total will be \$5,120.50 with \$4,427 in doubles for the four divisions, \$4,427 in singles, and \$866 in optional all events.

During team play at Spare Time Lanes the ladies entered in the tournament can also earn additional money in the Instant Cash feature which pays off immediately for strings of strikes in each division or for converting splits.

At Astro Bowling Center there'll be 466 sets of doubles during the three weekends with 89 teams in Div. 1; 169 in Div. 2; 167 in Div. 3 and 41 in Div. 4, and all members may participate in the National Bowling Hall of Fame/Museum feature. By payment of \$1.00 prior to the completion of the first game, ladies can share in a special

prize fund each shift. One half of the funds collected is a donation to the NBHF/M, and one half of the fund goes to the lady rolling most pins over average the second game.

Of the 932 ladies signed up for Singles, 211 are in Div. 1; 312 in Div. 2; 277 in Div. 3 and 132 in Div. 4.

In all events, totals show that 204 paid the optional \$1.00 fee to participate in that special prize in Div. 1; 298 in Div. 2; 253 in Div. 3 and 111 in Div. 4.

Shifts at Spare Time are at 12 noon and 3 p.m., except that the Sat., Nov. 3rd 3 p.m. shift has been cancelled, and shifts at singles and doubles are at noon and 3:30 p.m. each of the weekends except that the 3:30 p.m. shift on Sat. Nov. 4 was also cancelled. Additionally, there is a noon shift on Friday, Nov. 10 and a Monday, Nov. 13 singles and doubles shift.

During the run of the event SAWBA will have its concession stand open, featuring for the first time t-shirts and bowling towels, plus many other items of interest to women bowlers, and as usual, there'll be a drawing for special gifts available to competitors or visitors.

When all the bowling is completed champions in all divisions will be feled by the SAWBA Board of Directors at an Awards Party on Sunday, December 10th at The Meeting Place next door to University Bowl.

KEGLER Friday October 27, 1989

## SAWBA CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT

(Record Scratch Scores under 4-Division Format)

TEAM EVENT:  
Div. 1: Splatter Blasters 3020  
Div. 2: Lucky Strikers 2716  
Div. 3: St. Cecilia's #5 2590  
Div. 4: Kookie's Killers 2339

DOUBLES EVENT:  
Div. 1: Kathy Kirst & Laurie Jo Scales 1279  
Div. 2: Jutta Brookman-Hanne Davis 1150  
Div. 3: Betty Kirchoff-Evelyn Lambrecht 1123  
Div. 4: Linda Sotello-Elaine Hoffner 1051

SINGLES EVENT:  
Div. 1: Elizabeth Williams 736  
Div. 2: Gloria Perez 635  
Div. 3: Paula Little 589  
Div. 4: Tamara Lagana 532

ALL EVENTS:  
Div. 1: Elizabeth Williams 2013  
Div. 2: Mary McIntosh 1792  
Div. 3: Nancy E. Williams 1594  
Div. 4: Carol Opperman 1540

ALL TIME SCRATCH SCORES  
All Events: Elizabeth Williams, 1986, 2013  
High Tournament Game: Elizabeth Williams, 1986, 288  
High Tournament Series: Elizabeth Williams, 1986, 736  
Senior High Game: Mays, 1975, 244 game  
Senior High Series: Evelyn Barrett, 1979, 592 series  
All Time Handicap All Events:  
Elizabeth Williams, 1986, 2106

KEGLER Friday November 3, 1989

# TWBA Names Fort Worth Veteran Record Breaker To Hall Of Fame

Jere Price Mulcahey, Fort Worth, has been selected as the 29th member of the TWBA Hall of Fame in the Superior Performance category.

Since joining her first league in 1949, Jerry has been bowling over 40 years and is still either breaking or setting records. During the past season she broke an 18-year-old state record in her class i singles. Her games of 244, 268 and 247 earned her the singles crown and a 705 series.

At the state level she was a member of a championship team in 1969 and 1967, runnerup in 1953 and third in 1957. She and her partner were doubles winners in

1972, second in 1957 and third in 1958. Her singles crowns were in 1953 and 1959. Additionally she was an all events champ in 1953, runnerup in 1958 and 1959. At home in Fort Worth she has four city titles, a singles trophy and five all events' crowns.

She still holds three qualifying records in the World's Invitational tourney. She and her partner won only the Western division in 1965, but also the Eastern division doubles in 1963.

During her ten years as a Brunswick staffer Jere taught bowling, gave exhibitions and spoke at many banquets throughout the country.

Jere's top average was 193 with many 700 series to her credit, with a high game of 278. She is married to an accomplished golfer, Joe Mulcahey, who joins Jere in League at Don Carter Lanes and she is a member of one of the oldest ladies leagues in that city.

The TWBA Hall of Fame was established in 1965 to honor TWBA members who had rendered valuable service to TWBA and/or have distinguished themselves in the outstanding performance category. Formal induction ceremonies this year will be at the TWBA Annual Meeting and Banquet to be held in Corpus Christi on May 18th.







**PARTIAL TOURNAMENT RULES AND REGULATIONS**

(Complete tournament rules may be found in each bowling establishment)

This tournament shall be governed by the provisions of Chapter IX of the WIBC By-Laws pertaining to Local Championship Tournament.

- ELIGIBILITY:** Entry will be open to members of the San Antonio Women's Bowling Association. Members of other associations who bowl in leagues sanctioned through this association may enter, but participation shall be confined to the team event with the team of which the bowler is a regular member. Every entrant must be a member of WIBC.
- TEAM EVENT:** A member may bowl as often as she wishes in team event; however, not more than three players on one team can place more than once in the prize list for position standings.
- DOUBLES AND SINGLES:** Doubles and Singles may only be entered once. Bowlers entering Doubles must also enter Singles, and vice versa.
- ALL EVENTS:** All events are automatically entered without fee when bowler enters team, doubles, and singles; however, only those paying the optional all events fee shall be eligible for prize money in all events. Paid All-Events are not transferable unless substitute replaces original entrant in all three events and the transfer is made by the tournament manager or her assistants prior to substitute's participation in any event.
- When a bowler bowls in team event more than once, her first team score shall count toward her all events score.**
- HANDICAP:** Handicap to be 80% from the highest in each division. Division 1 will receive 80% handicap from the following scratch figures: Team event from 1000; Doubles Event from 400; Singles Event from 200. All other divisions will be handicapped from the top of their respective categories. There will be four divisions.
- TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONS:**
  - In this tournament, the scratch score winners in each event shall be the **CHAMPIONS** and the highest all-events scratch score, regardless of division shall be declared and acclaimed the **LOCAL HANDICAP CHAMPION**. The handicap shall be based on 80% difference of 200.
- TOURNAMENT AVERAGE:**
  - Entrants will use their highest WIBC sanctioned average of 21 or more games taken from previous winter leagues or as of mid-night, May 1st as listed in the year book. Entering averages is subject to change if participant bowled in any league which did not submit averages, providing final average sheet is on file in the SAWBA office prior to distribution of prizes.
  - If no previous winter season average, an entrant shall use her highest WIBC sanctioned league average as of the end of the previous summer season, provided she has bowled 21 games or more.
  - If no previous winter or summer league average has been established, an entrant shall use her highest current WIBC sanctioned league average of nine (9) games or more as of closing date of entry (Thursday, October 19, 1989).
  - Entrants not having an average as specified in either a, b, or c, will use her highest average for nine (9) or more games as of date of participation.
- Participants must check in 45 minutes before scheduled time of events and **MUST SHOW WIBC CARD** upon checking in. Replacements may be allowed for just cause in any event upon notification to the Local Secretary at least one (1) hour before squad time. Substitutes will not be required to reimburse the original entrant with the entry fee paid nor shall she be expected to give the original entrant any prize money or trophy she (the substitute) may win.
- Scorekeeper will be furnished by the San Antonio Women's Bowling Association.
- Any player or team arriving late shall begin play with the score counting beginning with the frame then being bowled. No frames may be made up. No absentee average at any time is permissible in tournament play.
- Entry fee must accompany entry form. **RESERVATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED BY TELEPHONE** but will be forfeited unless all fees are in the hands of the Secretary by Thursday, October 5, 1989.
- Members are requested to wear suitable attire when appearing in the Local Tournament. **SHORTS WILL NOT BE PERMITTED.**
- A prize list of winners will be posted in each bowling establishment ten days after the close of the tournament. **ONE WEEK** will be allowed for protest of the winners prize list. After that time prizes shall be paid according to the posted list.
- SPECIAL AWARDS:** A plaque will be given for high scratch series and high scratch game for the tournament, only one award per person. SENIOR LEAGUE BOWLERS: A plaque will be given for high scratch series and high scratch game for the tournament, only one award per person.

**OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM**  
ENTRIES CLOSE OCTOBER 19, 1989

INDICATE DATES AND TIMES PREFERRED FOR TEAM, DOUBLES & SINGLES

Team - Date & Squad	Doubles and Singles - Date and Squad
1. _____	1. _____
2. _____	2. _____
Confirmed Date and Squad Team Event	
Confirmed Date and Squad Doubles and Singles	
NOTE: DO NOT WRITE IN THESE SPACES	

**PRINT OR TYPE ALL INFORMATION**

Name of Team \_\_\_\_\_  
 Team Captain \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 Telephone No. \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_  
 PARTICIPANTS WILL BE REQUIRED TO SHOW CURRENT WIBC CARD UPON CHECKING IN AT THE TOURNAMENT (Rule 6).  
 LIST IN ORDER OF BOWLING LINE UP WILL NOT BE REARRANGED.

Team Event: ENTRY FEE \$65.00 - Optional All Events \$1.00

Enter Name as Shown on WIBC Card	AVERAGE	CHECK AE	CX. SECTOR LEAGUE BOWLER	LEAVE BLANK PLAYER CODE	
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TOTAL OF AVERAGES					
DIVISION	AVERAGE	SINGLES DIVISION	CHECK AE	SR. LEAGUE BOWLER	LEAVE BLANK PLAYER CODE
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1. _____					
2. _____					

**TEAM AVERAGE**

Division 1	825 - Up
Division 2	750 - 824
Division 3	675 - 749
Division 4	674 - Under

**DOUBLES AVERAGE**

Division 1	330 - up
Division 2	300 - 329
Division 3	270 - 299
Division 4	269 - Under

**SINGLES AVERAGE**

Division 1	165 - up
Division 2	150 - 164
Division 3	135 - 149
Division 4	134 - Under

**HANDICAP 80% WITHIN DIVISION**

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:  
**SAN ANTONIO**  
**WOMEN'S BOWLING ASSOCIATION**  
 LOUISE MANGELSDORF, SECRETARY  
 10221 Desert Sands, # 111  
 P. O. Box 791260  
 San Antonio, TX 78279

Team Captains must carry a check in their name for their respective team. If a member is unable to attend, the team captain must carry a check in their name for that member. If a member is unable to attend, the team captain must carry a check in their name for that member. If a member is unable to attend, the team captain must carry a check in their name for that member.

Team Captain's Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
 DATES REQUESTED \_\_\_\_\_  
 TEAM PLEASE INDICATE CAPTAIN'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

For Those Individuals NOT Having Year Book Averages Please Complete the Reverse Side

FOR SECRETARY USE ONLY

ENTRY NO.	TIME
TEAM DATE	TIME
DOUBLES & SINGLES	TIME
Entrance Fee \$ _____	
Registration Fee \$ _____	

INDIVIDUALS MUST BOWL BOTH DOUBLES AND SINGLES

A double entry must be complete - Two Women - and fully paid for. If your fifth woman is paired with a lady from another team, enter BOTH on this entry. CHECK OFF THE ENTRY BLANK FOR THE OTHER TEAM - DO NOT SIGN ON EACH ENTRY.

NO REMITTANCE TO COVER

Team \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$55.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Doubles Sets @ \$22.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Singles @ \$11.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 All Events @ \$ 1.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 TOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_



# 52nd SAWBA Championships Ready To Roll Saturday At Spare Time-Astro Bowl

They say fame is fleeting, but that's not necessarily so. With the upcoming SAWBA Championship Tournament, we thought you'd enjoy a look back at the past few championships. On Page 3 of this issue is a list of the Defending Champions together with the record scores since SAWBA went to the four-division format.

Twice since 1980 the Championships were not held because SAWBA was hostess to the TWBA State Tournament.

As we look back at those years the largest team entry came in the 1976-77 season when 365 teams were entered. The largest doubles

and singles record came in the 1982-83 season when 2,888 doubles sets were recorded with 1444 singles. That same year 1,316 ladies participated in the all events prize fund, and the largest total prize fund came in 1985-86 when \$22,397 was distributed among the city's women.

Several of the local ladies since SAWBA first began holding the Championships have held the Local (or City) Championship scratch title for their nine games in the three events. Grace Baskin, a member of the S. A. and TWBA Hall of Fame won the title six times before retiring from the lanes with

arm problems. Myrt DeFily, also a member of both Halls of Fame, earned the crown six times as well, and is still active on the lanes.

Three local ladies have earned the crown three times. Billy Simon, now deceased, won in the late 1930s and in 1940. Since 1975 Glenda Recker and Kathy Kirst have each won three crowns and both are expected in the field again this year. Others with two titles are Joan Paradowski (59-60 and 61-62) and currently active on the lanes; Robbie Frey (1955-56 and 54-55) who moved from the city but has since returned after being inducted into the

California Hall of Fame, and local Hall of Famer, Lil Canfield won two titles (1950-51 and 1949-50).

Team winners have changed each year the past eight years and since 1979-80 the all time record has been broken three times in Div. I (or Class A a term used prior to the use of the office computer). Monarch Trophy #2 had the title in 1980 of 2846, then came in order: Oak Hills Lanes with 2722, the record-busting Big State Electric score of 2864; Monarch Trophy 2945, Havlin Paint 2677; J.J.'s Gang with 2604; then Astro Bowling Center team with 2786 before the Splatter Blasters recorded a new record of 3020 in the top division last year.

No doubles team has won the title twice in the past eight years. Debbie and Kathy Kirst, a mother-daughter team carded the title eight tournaments ago, then Donna Wallace and Mary Falconer set a new record 1235. Candy Malone and Debbie Lauzon, both now residing outside San Antonio, won with 1143; Paula Wright and Mary Jane Shelton carded 1167; then Shelley Buchholtz and Karin Siegler swatted 1185, with Shannon Bell and Liz Williams posting 1198 before Kathy Kirst and Laurie Jo Scales set another new record with 1279 in Div. I.

Only Laurie Jo has captured the singles crown twice in the past eight years (a record 666 and 622), but when Liz Williams demolished the SAWBA Record Book in 1986-87 event, she slammed in a 736 three-game set. Other singles champs have been Nancy Freeman and Gloria Davis (tied 589; Laurie Jo 666; Nina Faye Weber 620; Gayle Olivares 634; and last year's champ, Paula Wright with 670).

Five times SAWBA has declared both a scratch and handicap All Events winner and earning the scratch titles have been Kathy Kirst, Ann Martin, now of Austin, Laurie Jo Scales, Elizabeth Williams, who holds the record for both divisions with 2013 and 2106, and last year's defending champion, Nell Sadler with 1919 scratch and Carol Opperman, the handicap champion with 2029.

In the past eight years more than \$147,000 has been awarded to contestants in the Championships and this year's prize fund will be in excess of \$14,000.

Action in this year's tournament begins at noon at both Spare Time Lanes and Astro Bowling Center and shifts will continue until Sunday, November 19.

## KEGLER Friday November 3, 1989

### Defending Champions SAN ANTONIO WOMEN'S BOWLING ASSN. CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT

Local Scratch Champion: Nell Sadler - 1919  
Local Handicap Champion: Carol Opperman - 2029

#### DIVISION 1:

TEAM Event:  
Splatter Blasters \_\_\_\_\_ 3020  
No Slack \_\_\_\_\_ 3'93

#### DOUBLES:

Laurie Jo Scales & Kathy Kirst \_\_\_\_\_ 1279/1203

#### Singles:

Paula Wright \_\_\_\_\_ 670/732

#### ALL EVENTS:

Nellwyn Sadler \_\_\_\_\_ 1919

Paula Wright \_\_\_\_\_ 1959

#### DIVISION 2:

#### TEAM EVENT:

Classy Ladies #1 \_\_\_\_\_ 2616

Lady Pin Busters #3 \_\_\_\_\_ 2653

#### DOUBLES:

SUE HARPER & YVONNE WRIGHT \_\_\_\_\_ 1106/1132

#### SINGLES:

Hattie White \_\_\_\_\_ 608/610

#### ALL EVENTS:

Linda George \_\_\_\_\_ 1646/1688

#### DIVISION 3:

We Are Trying \_\_\_\_\_ 2492/2511

#### DOUBLES:

Betty Kirchhoff & Evelyn Lambrecht \_\_\_\_\_ 1123/1125

#### SINGLES:

Paula Little \_\_\_\_\_ 589/580

#### ALL EVENTS:

Bett. Kirchhoff \_\_\_\_\_ 1549/1570

#### DIVISION 4:

#### TEAM EVENT:

Communifax \_\_\_\_\_ 2270/2291

#### DOUBLES:

Linda Sotelo & Elaine Hoffner \_\_\_\_\_ 1051/1053

#### SINGLES:

Cynthia Wauters \_\_\_\_\_ 521/533

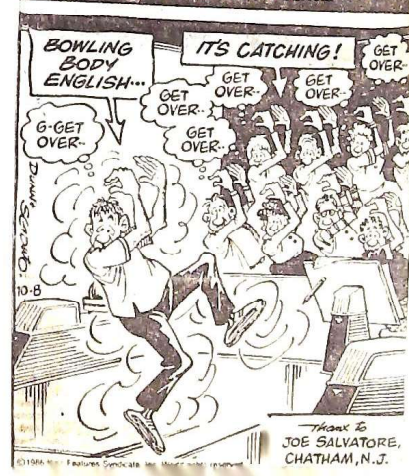
#### ALL EVENTS:

Carol J. Opperman \_\_\_\_\_ 1540/1552

Senior Hi Series: Lenora Rose \_\_\_\_\_ 5'1

Senior Hi Game: Mary Layman \_\_\_\_\_ 234

## THEY'LL DO IT EVERY TIME





Friday November 10, 1989 KEGLER

# First Weekend of SAWBA Championships Sparked by Good Scores - No Records

Although there were no records broken first weekend during the SAWBA Championships at Spare Time and Astro Bowl, the bowling was exciting and extremely good.

Karen Johnson completed her nine games in Div. 1 with the top tally with scratch series of 562 for her

team, 560 in doubles and 481 in singles for the top scratch score. With 222 pins handicap she also leads the division with 1825 all events, and the handicap All Events lead for all four divisions.

After three squads, Karen Wheeler, a 163 averager, holds the scratch lead in the tourney after swatting series

of 564 in team, 572 in doubles and 496 in singles.

Other all events leaders (scratch and handicap) are Tanya Taylor 1476 in Div. 3 with Cathy Novak 1543 and in Div. 4, Christine McCoy hold down the top two places with 1481 and 1553 handicap.

The Terminators posted the top score in Div. 1 team event. Leadoff Pam Zuelzke swatted 603, penny Smith 436, Roxie Shamp 422, Cindy Berlanga 568 and anchor, Kathy Kurtz 605 for their scratch 2634. They are also the leader in handicap with 2931 (297 pins handicap).

Taking the initial lead in Div. 2 team event was a team sponsored by the Lytle State Bank which features two SAWBA Life Members and a Member Emeritus. Faye Vogel started the action with 443, with Life Members Madelyn Spreng and Lois Scott adding 470 and 516, as Clara Grimes, Member Emeritus, slammed in 581 and anchor Pat Cumberland added 562. The team's top score scratch is 2572. Barbara's Team with 2638 took the divisional handicap lead with 2638.

For the teams with averages 675-749 leader is the team known as Stars & Strikes, rolling with no handicap. Members and their totals are Martha Baker 530, Cathy Novak 551, Marilyn Reininger 393, Judy Blount 516, and Pat Lee 568, for a scratch 2558.

The Eagles Mixed #3 team recruited sub Debbie Burkhardt and swept into first in both scratch and handicap with 2112 and 2164. Members are Louise Penalver 499, Joan Rudd 333, Sandra Joyce 439, Edna Clement: 412 with Debbie's 429.

### Doubles Event

In action at Astro Bowl, Mary Laughlin really enjoyed her doubles and singles play. Rolling with former City Champ Bettie Jo Geisler, the team posted the top total in Div 1 doubles,

1124 and with 139 pins handicap, the top handicap total of 1263. Mary had games of 208, 211 and 235 for the team, then added 568 (games of 204, 177 and 187) in singles. Her game and series is the tournament high thus far.

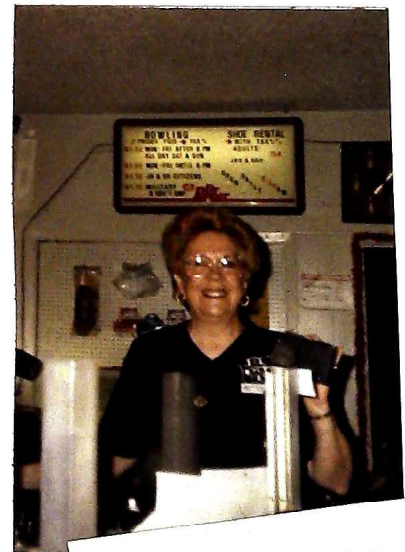
In the other three divisions the doubles teams leading scratch are all also handicap leaders. In Div. 2 it's Carol Duffell and Betty Traylor with 1057/1081; in Div. 3 Charlene VanderPoorten and Mary Lou O'Connor 1026/1033; and in Div. 4 Lorene Tolleson and Beverley McCarthy 803/860.

With Mary Laughlin holding down the scratch lead, Becky Akers, who could roll just her singles and this weekend, but is available as a sub in the following two weekends, moved into the number one slot with 636 handicap.

Chris Onofre is the Div. 2 leader with 580/613; Barbara Barnett and Rosie Gonzalez share honors in Div. 3 with Barbara's 517 scratch and Rosie's 531. Beverly McCarthy, a 119 averager, has the lead all by herself in Div. 4 with 510 scratch, and 546. Her 510 scratch series will earn a 150 pins over series award from WIBC.

Shooting for the tournament senior awards Louise Marx is in the driver's seat with a 521 series, and Lois Scott has the high senior game of 187.

The SAWBA Championships continue for the next two weekends, and assistance is needed with scorekeeping, particularly at Spare Time Lanes. A special daytime team squad will roll at 12 noon today, with a singles and doubles squad at noon on Monday at Astro Bowling Center.



SAWBA SECRETARY Louise Mangelsforf puts a squad on the lanes.



Friday November 10, 1989 KEGLER

## Tourney Bowlers Aid NBHF/M

The ladies who rolled first weekend in the SAWBA Championship Tournament at Astro Bowl used their tournament averages to participate in the National Bowling Hall of Fame and Museum feature -- and enriched the Hall and four members to the tune of \$139.00.

On the opening three shifts, the four winners made a little holiday shopping money, as one half of each of the sidepots is shared by the bowler and the NBHF/M.

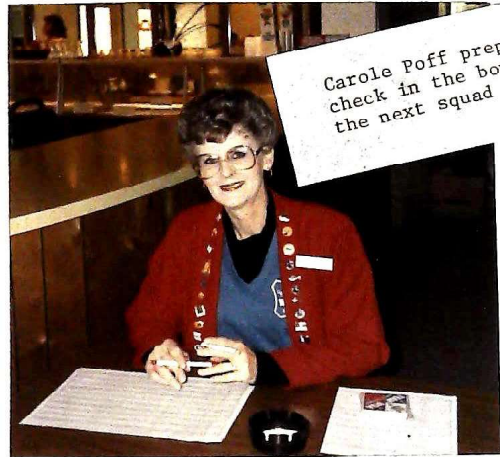
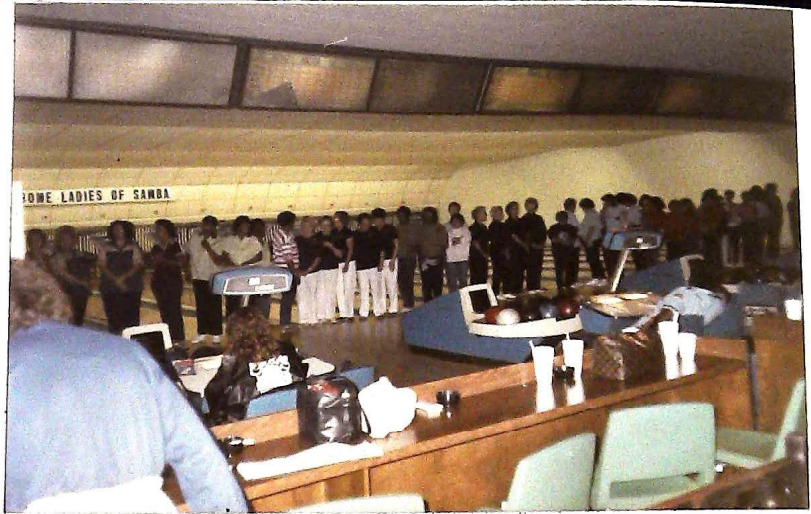
First winner was Barbara Lust, who rolled off a 157 average, slamming in a scratch 209 game to earn \$26.

Sunday it was Carol

Underwood, rolling off her 140 average going 45 pins over average for \$16 on a shift in which every woman on the squad supported the NBHF/M.

The final Sunday shift found Karen Johnson, 169 average, and Gerlie Williams, a 138-averager, sharing the sidepot and earning \$13.75. Karen's scratch game was 218 and Gerlie's a 187.

The NBHF/M feature is open to all contestants in the Championships by payment of just one dollar prior the completion of the first game. One half is SAWBA's doation to the national bowling shrine, and the remainder is shared with the lady going most pins over average the second game.



Carole Poff prepares to check in the bowlers for the next squad



OPENING SQUAD

SAWBA CHAMPIONSHIP ASSOCIATION

NAME	AVG	SCORE	NAME	AVG	SCORE
BARBARA LUST	157	209	KAREN JOHNSON	169	218
CAROL UNDERWOOD	140	187	GERLIE WILLIAMS	138	187
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**Friday November 10, 1989 KEGLER**

**SAWBA Championship Tournament**  
Sapre Time & Astro Bowling Center  
Standings After First Weekend  
ALL EVENTS

Div. 1:	
Sc: Karen Johnson (T 562, D560, S481)	1603
1. Karen Johnson	1825
2. Nell Recroft	1824
3. Pat Lee	1805
Division 2:	
Sc: Karen Wheeler (T564, D 572, S496)	1632
1. Martha Baker	1648
2. Chris Onofre	1647
3. Karen Wheeler	1638
Division 3:	
Sc: Tanya Taylor (T488, D 517, S 471)	1476
1. Cathy Novak	1543
2. Tanya Taylor	1497
3. Carol Underwood	1469
Division 4:	
Sc: Christine McCoy (T500, D 474, S 507)	1481
1. Christine Mc Coy	1553
2. Martha A. Bower	1338
3. Rosada Hill	1335

**TEAM EVENT**

Division 1:	
Sc: Terminators	2634
(Pam Zuetzke 603, Penny Smith 436, Roxie Shamp 422, Cindy Berlanga 568, Kathy Kurtz 605)	
1. Terminators	2931
2. Columbia 300	2780
Division 2:	
Sc: Lytle State Bank	2572
(Faye Vogel 443, Madelyn Spreng 470, Lois Scott 516, Clara Grimes 581, Pat Cumberland 562)	
1. Barbara's Team	2638
2. Lytle State Bank	2581
3. Pals	2560
Division 3:	
Sc: Stars & Strikes	2558
(Martha Baker 530, Cathy Novak 551, Marilyn Reininger 393, Judy Blount 516, Pat Lee 568)	
1. Stars & Strikes	2558
2. The Blazers	2459
3. Lucky Ladies	2402
Division 4:	
Sc: Eagles Mixed #3	2112
(Louise Penalver 499, Joan Rudd 333, Sandra Joyce 439, Edna Clements 412, Debbie Burkhardt 429)	
1. Eagles Mixed #3	2164
2. Barnett's Team	1889

**DOUBLES EVENT**

Division 1:	
Sc: Bettie Jo Geisler & Mary Laughlin	1124
(Geisler 137, 163, 170/470; Laughlin 208, 211, 235/654)	
1. Bettie Jo Geisler & Mary Laughlin	1263
2. Linda Bray & Connie Smoot	1197
3. Helen Norris & Kathryn Jones	1177
Division 2:	
Sc: Carol A Duffell & Betty A Trayler	1057
(Duffell 174, 178, 172/524; Trayler 177, 196, 160/533)	
1. Carol A. Duffell & Betty A. Trayler	1081
2. Tanya Taylor & Geneva Taylor	1077
3. Deborah O'Connor & Donna O'Connor	1055
Division 3:	
Sc: Charlene VanderPoorten & Mary Lou O'Connor	1026
(Charlene 181, 177, 179/537; O'Connor 149, 177, 163/489)	
1. Charlene VanderPoorten & Mary Lou O'Connor	1033
2. Patty Wilson & Judy Martinez	1031
3. Cathy Novak & Martha Baker	1024
Division 4:	
Sc: Larene Tolleson & Beverley McCarthy	803
(Tolleson 108, 152, 152/412; McCarthy 113, 153, 125/391)	
1. Lorene Tolleson & Beverley McCarthy	860
2. Roberta Hooks & Rosada Hill	839
3. Cecilia Wilcox & Joan Rudd	828

**SINGLES EVENT**

Division 1:	
Sc: Mary L. Laughlin	568
(204, 177, 187/568)	
1. Becky Akers	636
2. Mary L. Laughlin	618
3. Tammi Keeble	615
Division 2:	
Sc: Chris Onofre	580
(170, 212, 198/580)	
1. Chris Onofre	613
2. Noemi Vasquez	570
3. Kitty Parker	566
Division 3:	
Sc: Barbara Barnett	517
(173, 147, 197/517)	
1. Rosie Gonzales	531
2. Tonie Martinez	522
3. Brbara Barnett	517
Division 4:	
Sc: Beverley McCarthy	510
(212, 167, 131/510)	
1. Beverley McCarthy	546
2. Christine McCoy	531
3. Edna Clements	477

High Tournament Series: Mary Laughlin-654  
High Tournament Game: Mary Laughlin - 235  
High Senior Series: Louise Marx - 521  
High Senior Game: Lois Scott - 187



**RUTH JAMES -  
WAYS & MEANS**





# SAWBA Tourney Rolls To Conclusion Stella Wood Leads All Events

Stella Wood, who carries averages of 177 and 170 in two Thousand Oaks leagues took the scratch lead in the SAWBA Championships after a 4-day weekend of rolling by the city's women.

Wood captured the top spot in Div. 1 All Events after hammering out 610 in her team event, a 549 in doubles and a 646 in singles. She's also on the standings board as top handicap scorer in both all events and singles in the high average division.

Division 2 All Events lead (scratch) is now in the hands of Caryolyn Wheeler who posted 564 in team, 572 in doubles and 496 in singles for a scratch total of 1632.

And, it was a great weekend for Beverly McIntosh who led her Potteet National Bank team into the runnerup slot in handicap Div. 3 with a nifty 577 total (games of 171, 212, 194). The 142-averager then hammered out 454 in doubles and added games of 177, 191 and 188 for 556 to take the divisional scratch lead in Div. 3 singles, as well as the handicap lead with 572. Beverly's team total will also earn WIBC recognition since she was 151 pins over average in her three-game series. Beverly's scratch all events total was just 7 sticks shy of the SAWBA All Events record set by Nancy E. Williams, a 1594 in Div. 3.

In Div. 4 Christine McCoy's all events totals withstood the four-day battering and she continues to hold both the scratch and handicap lead with two days remaining in the Championships.

The only scratch lead change in team event in the four divisions came in Div. 4 when the Strugglers ousted the Eagles Mixed league team. Members with their totals are Pee Wee Hensarling 451, Susan Herbst 366, Carolyn Richter 420, Lana Robertson 440 and Jane Knight 468. Their 2145 total is top scratch, and their handicap total is 2152, just behind the Eagles with 2164.

And, the only change in scratch doubles came in Div. 4 as well when Adriane Smolen and Phyllis Stauffer, with 917, took the top spot and the runnerup space in handicap. Stacey Sereno and Christine Bice moved into the number one position in handicap with 988. For Stacey this year's SAWBA event will be a memorable one for another reason. She shot her first career 200 game (off her 121 average) to earn one of the SAWBA lapel award pins for games over the 200 mark.

The other change in first place came when Rheneae Viner and Donna Rognoholt teamed together for a 1091 handicap total in Div. 2.

Rocky Boubel had spectators gathering around her at Astro Bowl when she smashed in 9-in-a-row on her way to the tournament high series of 671 scratch in Div. 1 singles. She is tied with Pat Turbo in the runnerup slot in handicap.

Maureen McEiyea made her mark in Div. 2 with sets of 583 scratch, 616 handicap, good enough for first. Beverly McIntosh grabbed the lead in Div. 3 singles and Gayle Crane, with a scratch 520 took the top slot with Beverly McCarthy holding down high handicap in division 4 with 546.

Tournament highs belong to Rocky with her 671 scratch and Sharon Temple with tournament high game of 267. In the race for the Senior honors Lois Scott, past SAWBA President, Life Member and Hall of Famer, holds onto the top senior game of 234 with Flo Tolle ousting Debbie Kirst for high series with 595.

Final squads this weekend will begin at 12 noon at Spare Time and Astro Bowl with the final squads on Sunday at 3 p.m. and 3:30 p.m.

The SAWBA Awards Party for all champions will be December 10 at The Meeting Place.



TOP: Helen Kalala  
MIDDLE: Louise Mangelsdorf  
BOTTOM: Elsie Mitchell  
OFFICE AND FLOOR WORKERS





**KEGLER November 17, 1989**

**SAWBA Championship Tournament  
Spare Time & Astro Bowling Center  
Standings After First 2 Weekends**

**ALL EVENTS**

Division 1:	
Sc: Stella Wood	1805
1. Stella Wood	1970
2. Pat Turnbo	1907
3. Linda Doege	1903
Division 2:	
Sc: Carolyn Wheeler	1632
1. Maureen McElyea	1714
2. Elizabeth W. Hewitt	1695
3. Maggie McFadden	1651
Division 3:	
Sc: Beverly McIntosh	1587
1. Beverly McIntosh	1635
2. Cathy Novak	1543
3. Rosie Gonzales	1526
Division 4:	
Sc: Christine McCoy	1481
1. Christine McCoy	1553
2. Stacye Sereno	1466
3. Jan Ingram	1422

**TEAM EVENT**

Division 1:	
Sc: Terminators	2634
(Pam Zuelzke 603, Penny Smith 436, Roxie Shamp 422, Cindy Berlanga 568, Kathy Kurtz 605)	
1. Dolly's Dolls	2990
2. Shake, Rattle & Roll	2935
3. Terminators	2931
Division 2:	
Sc: Lytle State Bank	2572
(Faye Vogel 443, Madelyn Spreng 470, Lois Scott 516, Clara Grimes 581, Pat Cumberland 562)	
1. Barbara's Team	2638
2. Poteet Bank	2612
3. Brunswick Belles II	2605
Division 3:	
Sc: Stars & Strikes	2558
(Martha Baker 530, Cathy Novak 551, Marilyn Reininger 393, Judy Blount 516, Pat Lee 568)	
1. Stars & Strikes	2558
2. The Blazers	2459
3. Alley Cats	2420
Division 4:	
Sc: The Strugglers	2145
(Pee Wee Hensarling 451, Susan Herbst 366, Carolyn Richter 420, Lana Robertson 440, Jane Knight 468)	
1. Eagles Mixed #3	2164
2. The Strugglers	2152
3. Unpredictables	2137

**DOUBLES EVENT**

Division 1:	
Sc: Bettie Jo Geisler-Mary Laughlin	1124
1. Bettie Jo Geisler-Mary Laughlin	1263
2. Wanda Gousie-Linda Doege	1237
3. Marie Denman-Annie L. Taylor	1225
Division 2:	
Sc: Carol Duffell-Betty Trayler	1057
1. Rhenae Viner-Donna Rognholt	1091
2. Carol Duffell-Betty Trayler	1081
3. Tanya Taylor-Geneva Taylor	1077
Division 3:	
Sc: Charlene Vander Poorten-Mary Lou O'Connor	1026
1. Charlene VanderPoorten-Mary Lou O'Connor	1033
2. Patty Wilson-Judy Martinez	1031
3. Cathy Novak-Martha Baker	1024
Division 4:	
Sc: Adriane Smolen-Phyllis Stauffer	917
1. Stacye Sereno-Christine Bice	988
2. Adriane Smolen-Phyllis Stauffer	917
3. Lisa Aldaco-Freida Donzls	906

**SINGLES EVENT**

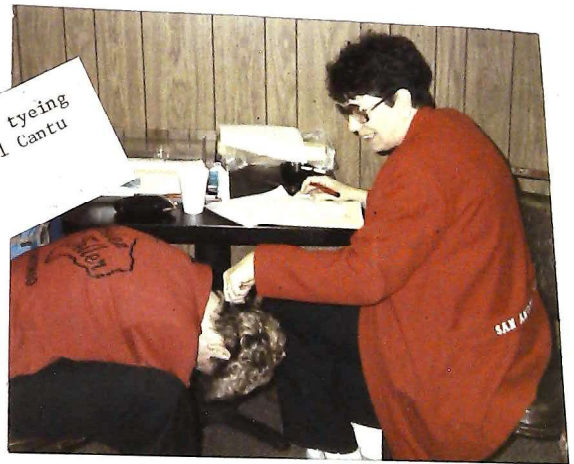
Division 1:	
Sc: Rocky Boubel	671
1. Stella Wood	701
2. (tie) Rocky Boubel-Pat Turnbo	675
3. Laurie Jo Scales	654
Division 1:	
Sc: Maureen McElyea	583
1. Maureen McElyea	616
2. Chris Onofre	613
3. Toni Otto	578
Division 3:	
Sc: Beverly McIntosh	556
1. Beverly McIntosh	572
2. Olga Beamesderfer	555
3. Martha Koehler	549
Division 4:	
Sc: Gayle Crane	520
1. Beverley McCarthy	546
2. Rita Saldivar	542
3. Stacye Sereno	536

**TOURNAMENT HIGH GAME: Sharon Temple - 267**  
**TOURNAMENT HIGH SERIES: Rocky Boubel - 671**  
**SENIOR HIGH GAME: Lois M. Scott - 234**  
**SENIOR HIGH SERIES: Flo Tolle - 595**



GAIL CANTU could not bowl with her team mates but she poses with them before they bowl

Helen Teller must be tyeing her shoes??? as Gail Cantu watches.



**Friday November 17, 1989**

**SAWBA  
Donations  
To NBHF/M  
Grow !**

SAWBA ladies rolling in the Championships at Astro Bowling Center during their singles and doubles enriched the National Bowling Hall of Fame and Museum donation by \$130, and five shared a like amount rolling most pins over average their second game of tournament competition.

The total donation to date to the NBHF/M is now \$199.50 with four more squads to go.

Winners this past weekend with the Monday shift were: Lisa Aldaco, 118 average, 153 game, 35 pins over for \$18.50; Linda Goode, 172 average, 220 game, 48 over, \$16.50; Rosa Johns, 130 average, 196 game, 66 pins over for \$41.50; Marie Denman 168 average, 223 game, 55 over, \$40.50; and on the Monday squad, Madelyn Spreng, 159 average, 203 game, 44 over for \$13. Spreng is a past SAWBA president, Life Member and member of the Hall of Fame.





Harry Page

Bowling

## Game sees challenge in the '90s

Sandy Harsell, a bowling industry consultant, told the American Bowling Congress board of directors the game would experience unprecedented change in the 1990s.

"Most bowlers don't understand the industry and don't care," Harsell said during a recent meeting in Milwaukee. "Forty percent perceive no benefit in belonging to membership organizations."

"The challenge is to make organizations like the ABC and WIBC relevant to the customer without hurting those members it now has."

Harsell said everyone must adapt for survival, determine what motivates bowlers and recognize that bowling center operations have changed and will continue to change.

He also said that there was a perceived division between the membership organizations and proprietors for two reasons. One, the sanctioned leagues now account for only 50 percent of a center's business and, second, the uneasy working relationships between associations and proprietors at all levels.

Friday November 24, 1989 KEGLER

# Grace Richardson Is SAWBA Local Scratch Champ

## Christine McCoy Takes Hdcp Title

All the cheering, rolling and hugging is over and the last ball has been rolled in the 52nd annual SAWBA Championship Tournament and unofficially it's Grace Richardson capturing the Scratch Local Champions awards and Christine McCoy, rolling in her first Championship, capturing the Handicap honors.

Most of the large salvos were fired on closing weekend and as the scores were fed into the office computer, three records scores were logged.

Two of the all-time SAWBA records fell in Division 2 when Gwen Lorch and Diann Heckman went eleven pins over the existing record set by Jutta Brookman and Hanne Davis. And on the way to their record setting doubles score Diann swatted the tournament high series of 707, her first set over the 700 mark. Gwyn, rolling off a 156 average, rolled games of 141, 159 and 154 for 454, while Diann added games of 198, 245, and 264 for their winning total of 1161 scratch.

Also in Division 2 Patricia Garcia topped the existing record of 635 by just four pins. Rolling off a 160 average, Garcia rolled 241, 200 and 198 for a new tally of 639. The previous record was held by Gloria Perez, a 635.

One of the longest standing records, set in 1979 by Evelyn Barrett, also went by the wayside as Flo Tolle, rolling off a 161 average in her Ponderosa Bowl league, hammered out a 595.3-game series to earn High Senior Series honors.

Both Richardson and Heckman carved their names in the record books when they shot 300 games. Grace's came in 1987. Diann's two years earlier.



Grace Richardson  
SAWBA Scratch  
Local Champion

Team:  
185-213-213

Doubles:

210-191-214

Singles:

158-214-208

Sc. Total: 1806



Diann Heckman  
Tourney High Series  
707-Her First 700

For her Scratch Local title Grace was extremely consistent but without a divisional title. For the Astro Bowling Center team she swatted games of 185, 213 and 213 for 611. The team finished in second in the handicap division.

In doubles with partner, Annie Webb, the team was far off the pace, but Grace sizzled in games of 210, 191 and 215 for a 615. In singles Grace started slowly with a 158, but jumped to a 214 and 208 for her scratch 580 series, and her leading scratch all events score of 1806. She rolled in the tournament with a 188 yearbook average.

None of Christine McCoy's friends were certain that she would survive her first SAWBA tournament, but she came out on top of the Handicap Local Tournament title list. Rolling just two seasons and coached by her mom, Christine entered the event with a 124 league average. For her team it was a 500 series on the nose, a 474 in doubles and another 500 (507) in singles. With her nerves literally jangling she moved not only into first in the divisional singles with 1481 all events, but to the top of the handicap in the same division with 1553.

Four of the final weekend rollers also will be rewarded by WIBA and TWBA. Marion Phillips had the tournament's only all spare game of 181. Diann, of course will earn 700 honors and 185 pins over average for a three-game series. Pam Settemeyer shot her first 600 series and was 171 pins over her average and Toni Otto who captured Div. 2 all events honors was 184 over in a 649 series.

All scratch and handicap champions will be guests of the association at the annual SAWBA Awards Party set for December 10 at The Meeting Place.



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**SAWBA Championship Tournament  
Spare Time & Astro Bowling Center**

Unofficial Final Standings

**ALL EVENTS**

<b>Division 1:</b>	
Sc: Grace Richardson	1806
(T: 611, D: 615, S: 580) Scratch Local Champion	
Sc: Stella Wood	1805
1. Stella Wood	1970
2. Jaye Jean Smith	1917
3. Pat Turnbo	1907
<b>Division 2:</b>	
Sc: Toni Otto	1679
1. Toni Otto	1742
2. Maureen McElyea	1714
3. Elizabeth Hewitt	1695
<b>Division 3:</b>	
Sc: Beverly McIntosh	1587
1. Beverly McIntosh	1635
2. Pam Settemeyer	1573
3. Cathy Novak	1543
<b>Division 4:</b>	
Sc: Christine McCoy	1481
(T: 500, D: 474, S: 507/ 547 Hdcp/ 2028 Handicap Local Champion	
1. Christine McCoy	1553
2. Stacye Sereno	1466
3. Jan Ingram	1422

**TEAM EVENT**

<b>Division 1:</b>	
Sc: 4-Hand Picked	2935
(Linda Bray 572, Carole Poff 519, Pam Zuelzke 596, Rocky Boubel 641, Laurie Jo Scales 607)	
1. 4-Hand Picked	3124
2. Astro Bowling Center	3033
3. San Antonio Finest	3025
<b>Division 2:</b>	
Sc: Olivia's Team	2739
(Olivia Martinez 617, Marie Tubig 503, Cecelia Jackson 601, Alice McKenzie 503, Tracy Beeler 505)	
1. Olivia's Team	2827
2. North Park Hyundai	2697
3. The Wood Peckers	2645
<b>Division 3:</b>	
Sc: Stars & Strikes	2558
(Martha Baker 530, Cathy Novak 551, Marilyn Reiningger 393, Judy Blount 516, Pat Lee 568)	
1. Stars & Strikes	2558
2. The Blazers	2459
3. Alley Cats	2420
<b>Division 4:</b>	
Sc: The Strugglers	2145
(Pee Wee Hensarling 451, Susan Herbst 366, Carolyn Richter 420, Lana Robertson 440, Jane Knight 468)	
1. Eagles Mixed #3	2164
2. The Strugglers	2152
3. Unpredictables	2137

**DOUBLES EVENT**

<b>Division 1:</b>	
Sc: Jaye Jean Smith-Gayle Olivares	1179
(Smith 160, 193, 205/558; Olivares 213, 190, 218/621)	
1. Jaye Jean Smith-Gayle Olivares	1294
2. Sharlotte Rutledge-Ardene Hines	1291
3. Esther Love-Gayle Dasher	1284
<b>Division 2:</b>	
Sc: Gwyn Lorch-Diann Heckman (NEW RECORD)	1161
(Lorch:141, 159, 154/454; Heckman 198,245,264/707)	
1. Gwen Lorch-Diann Heckman	1163
2. Pam Settemeyer-Kathryn Moore	1138
3. Pat Cabe-Dori Johnson	1105
<b>Division 3:</b>	
Sc: Charlene Vander Poorten-Mary Lou O'Connor	1026
(VanderPoorten 181,177,179/537; O'Connor 149, 177, 163/489)	
1. Charlene VanderPoorten-Mary Lou O'Connor	1033
2. Patty Wilson-Judy Martinez	1031
3. Cheryl Kokal-Cindy Hubright	1029
<b>Division 4:</b>	
Sc: Jamie Barnes-Carmen Johnson	961
(Barnes: 158, 159, 119/436; Johnson 198,188,139/525)	
1. Jamie Barnes-Carmen Johnson	968
2. Stacye Sereno-Christine Bice	964
3. Mary J. Williams-Ruby Fewell	935

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 TOURNAMENT HIGH GAME: Sharon Temple-267  
 TOURNAMENT HIGH SERIES: Diann Heckman-707  
 SENIOR HIGH GAME: Lois M. Scott - 234  
 SENIOR HIGH SERIES: Flo Tolle-595 (New Record)

**SINGLES EVENT**

<b>Division 1:</b>	
Sc: Rocky Boubel	671
1. Stella Wood	701
2. (tie) Rocky Boubel-Pat Turnbo	675
3. Vickie Grandle	667
<b>Division 2:</b>	
Sc: Patricia Garcia	639
1. Patricia Garcia	648
2. Tracy Beeler	623
3. Maureen McElyea	616
<b>Division 3:</b>	
Sc: Beverly McIntosh	556
1. Beverly McIntosh	572
2. Olga Beamesderfer	555
3. Martha Koehler	549
<b>Division 4:</b>	
Sc: Gayle Crane	520
1. Beverley McCarthy	546
2. Rita Saldivar	542
3. Stacye Sereno	536

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**SAWBA Contestants Donate  
\$361.50 To National Hall of Fame**

The final weekend's sidepots for the National Bowling Hall of Fame and Museum during the SAWBA Championships were some of the largest during the three weekend run. Betty Kirchhoff was the first winner, going 49 pins over her average for \$29.50; then Christi Palmer was 62 over for \$32.50; before Pam Settemeyer slammed in her

first 600 series and a 233 game which was 86 pins over her 147 average. The sidepot that squad was \$23. and closing out the tournament Diann Heckman won the largest pot of \$50 on the final shift when she went 73 pins over on her way to the tournament high series of 7070. For the three weekend of the Championships the

ladies donated \$361.50 to the national bowling shrine, and 13 ladies shared a like amount by going most pins over their average their second game of competition during singles and doubles play. SAWBA extends their sincerest THANKS to all the ladies of the tournament who supported the NBHF/M fund raiser!

**December 1, 1989 KEGLER**

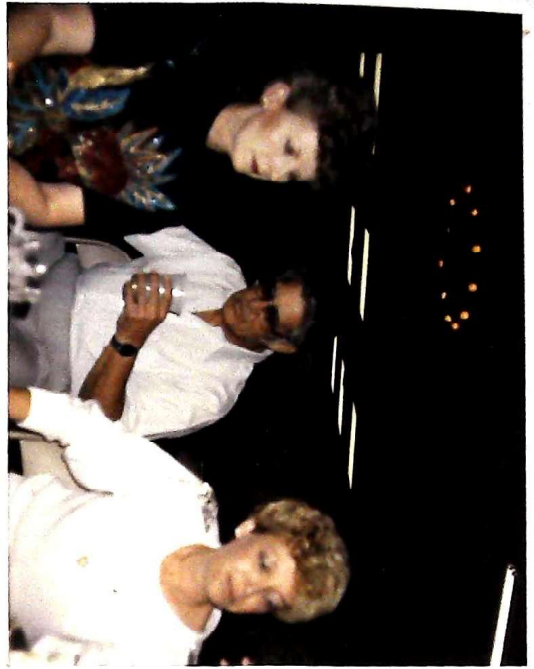
**Final Frame**

CHARLOTTE M. BUFORD died Thanksgiving Day at age 65, but the lovely, lively lady will be remembered for years by many involved in the Special Olympics program. Charlotte was more than just involved. She gave it a great deal of her life and she involved others. Back in the days of the Sports Palace she was everywhere asking for donations of unused light balls, shoes, bags and bowling equipment for her 'friends' in the program. She coordinated trips for her group, helped raise money for their transportation, food and housing so they could

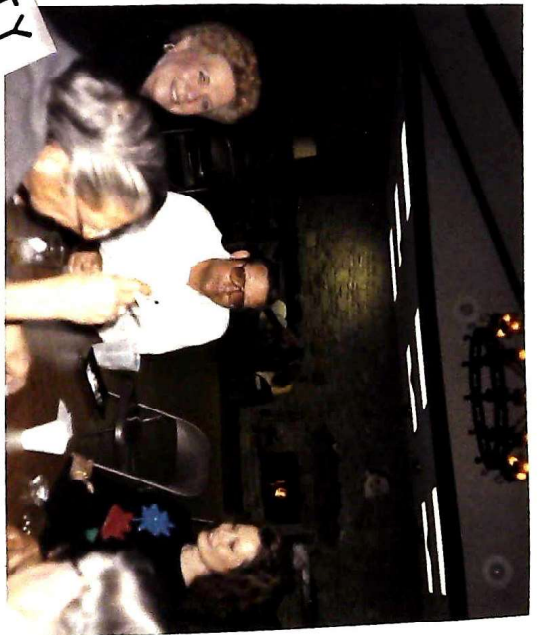
enjoy bowling tournaments across the state. And Charlotte's friends truly enjoyed her happy outlook, ready smile and hugs. Special Olympians loved her and she loved them. Her Memorial Service was held Saturday with interment at Mission Park North. She is survived by her husband, a daughter, two sons and two grandchildren. Her special caring for those less fortunate physically is an inspiration to all volunteers in the Special Olympics.







CHRISTMAS PARTY









# Mary Falconer Selected For Induction Into Hall of Fame

The San Antonio Bowling Council Hall of Fame selection committee named just one inductee this year — MARY FALCONER, who totally dominated the women's bowling world locally from 1973 through the early 1980s.

And Mary's list of accomplishments is extensive. She's been honored as Texas "Woman Bowler of the Year" (1980); has been SAWBA Superior Performance winner EIGHT consecutive seasons (1973-1980); and her list of titles is breathtaking.

In her heyday she became only the second woman bowler in San Antonio history to carry an average of 200 for a complete season. The first to do so was legendary Billy Simon (now deceased) back in the 1930's-1940s. Mary added her name to that list in the 1978-79 season when she carded a 201 high average. She was one of only 63 women in the world in the WIBC record books (when WIBC membership was at 4 million) to be recognized that year. She repeated the feat two seasons later with a 200 average during the 1980-81 season.

Mary is a 1961 graduate of Robert E. Lee High School who met her husband, Kenneth, in 1962. Ken was already bowling in six or seven leagues, and it was a case of "love me, love my bowling."

The two were married in 1966.

rolled games of 158, 119, and 163 for a whopping 440 series. But the same year she also had a 131 triplicate and her first WIBC award.

That did it! With plenty of practice, guided by Ken and equipment drilled and re-drilled by Okie Carberry, because of her physical handicap of being double-jointed, Mary continued to improve.

By the early 1970s, she was becoming a force to reckon with in women's bowling in the city



Mary Falconer

One of her first titles came when she won the handicap division of the local 600 Club, and she carried the little clipping of the results in her wallet for a year. When she checked in the following year she showed it to the secretary saying "remember me". A year of Ken's non-coddling way of dealing with Mary and her bowling came out. "What would you want to be...the top of the bottom (meaning handicap) or the top of the top?" he asked. And that year included a lot of more dedicated practice

and learning...and that second year she won the Scratch title.

In the 1973-74 season Mary really proved Ken right! She was top of the top earning her first SAWBA Superior Performance award with a 725 high series (one of three shot that year), a high average of 193, and a 270 high game to go with her 31 series over the 600 mark.

For the next four seasons Mary continued to dominate the women's field. Another 705 came each season and the number of 600 series

reached 40 for two years and in the 1976-77 season, came a City Mixed Tournament win for her team and a doubles title with Ken.

The 1978-79 season brought the WIBC recognition for her 201 average, with a new record in doubles in the Local Tournament with Donna Wallace. The duo swatted 1235 scratch and during league play for her Monarch Trophy team, Mary almost broke the existing high series mark set by the late Jan Goodwyn. She slammed in games of 227, 258 and 255 for a 740 series. Jan's record was 745. That year Mary had 63 series over the 600 mark and two more series over 700.

The next season may have been one of her finest. She hammered out six series over 700, and she calls her most rewarding experience came too. Mary rolled in the Women's Professional Bowling Assn. as a guest at Post Oak Lanes in Houston. She shot her highest career series of 762 -- three games across six lanes, and averaged 204.9 for 18 games against some of the world's finest women bowlers. Her highest local series was a 739 together with 59 series over the 600 mark.

In 1980-81 it was another 718 bringing her total to 16, but Mary was beginning to find the outdoors more appealing to her sports instincts.

Back in 1974 my husband, Karl was writing the golf column for the Express/News, and Mary "conned" eighth Superior Performance Award, another 200 average, a 718 average, and 51 series over 600.

Golf has become a part of her daily diet and the number of bowling leagues in which she participated began to dwindle. Mary's now a 14-handicapper and just a sub in bowling.

In her outstanding list of accomplishments, these are just some of the highlights. Mary has given a lot back to the game. She became a certified coach, employed

full-time several times as in-house instructor, and she continues to take students on a one-to-one basis now.

She's a true team player and included in her list of firsts too are a team title in the SAWBA Championships for the Duval County Ranch team in 1975 (2909), a first place win in Class A for the Fudruckers team in 1978, which gave her her City All Events crown (team 551, doubles 624, singles 653) for 1828 scratch with a 274 high game.

During TWBA competition she's been a member of two teams in the top three, second in 1980 and third with her Duval County Ranch team. In addition she's cashed in the WIBC Queens in Denver (9th place); been a Martha Washington (Oak Hills) all events champ and a first place team winner. She's won the local 600 Club scratch title three times, been second twice and her last placing was in 1988 when she was the handicap champion first place winner.

But it's always been more than 'just bowling' for the loquacious righthander. She loves teaching the game and seeing others enjoy their bowling. She's been involved in SAWBA functions...decorations when SAWBA for hostess to the TWBA Banquet in 1980...as president of the 600 Club for several years when Club members entertained the handicapped...learning more about rules and conducting associations by

keep her head on right when she receives bowling highest honor next February. Ken's teasing about her selection included these words, "that night will be very short," but Mary knows that's Ken's way of saying his congratulations. "He's the one who should be going in," Mary says, "how many can stay away from the game, never practice, and still come back and average 190?" she praises.

But without a doubt this honor is richly deserved.



You and your guest are invited to join us at Astro Bowling Center's Annual League Officers Appreciation Party at Astro Bowling Center on Sunday, December 10, 1989 from 1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

For your enjoyment, the Astro Bowling Center staff will provide margaritas, draft beer, sodas, iced tea, coffee, snacks, and a singles bowling tournament for men and women. Door prizes and tournament prizes will be presented. Come join us for an afternoon of fun and let us show you how very much we appreciate your efforts.

For more information call Donna O'Connor at Astro Bowling Center 824-6348

*Please No Children*

Please R.S.V.P. By December 4th

**December 15, 1989 KEGLER**

## Kathy Kirst's 299 Game Is Third in Family !

The Kirst family certainly has carved their own special niche in the bowling game in San Antonio, and may now be in the ABC Media Yearbook "Statistics & Oddities" portion after Kathy Kirst slammed in her first 299 game at Wonder Bowl last Thursday night in league play.

Kathy, her brother, John and mother, Debbie, all now have 299 games to their credit!

John's 299 came in league play at World of Sports (now University Bowl) in 1983, then while working at For Worth, Debbie posted her near-perfect game in the Fort Worth WBA Local Championship Tournament in 1986.

Kathy's game is the highest rolled by a woman at

the center and she added games of 191 and 235 for a WIBC award 725.

Both Kathy and Debbie are 'lefties' and Kathy left the 7 pin on her final ball, Debbie, the 6-pin. John's 'almost perfect' game saw the 10 pin stan, and he's the righthander in the family.

The ABC Media reference book lists another local family. The Merck family, Grandfather, Jerry now deceased, Wes, a Hall of Famer, and his son, Jerry II now inactive on the lanes, all have 300 games to their credit. Since they came into the book three other families have turned that trick.

Incidentally, Joe Vito Buenrostro is also listed in the 10-Year averages in the ABC Tournaments in the reference data.

**KEGLER December 8, 1989**

## SAWBA Champs To Be Honored Sunday

All Champions from the just concluded SAWBA Championship Tournament will be guests of the SAWBA Board of Directors Sunday.

Trophies, patch awards, plaques and prize money will be given at the party which begins at 2 p.m. Sunday at The Meeting Place next door to University Bowl.

All other prize checks will be in the mail this coming week.

**KEGLER December 22, 1989**

## Ponderosa Bowl Happiness!



Sec'y Joni Wenck & 'Birthday Girl' Catherine Boubel

Birthday's are special, and when you're marking your 81st year, among bowling friends, even more special!

That was the case with Catherine Boubel who marked her 81st birthday with her St. Cecilia's Ladies league mates on November 23rd.

Catherine didn't get into the bowling game until about 8 years ago, but she's mother and granny to bowlers - her son, now deceased, daughter-in-law and granddaughter, Rocky, one of the city's best, all bowl.

Catherine also plays piano at Baptist Temple for the daycare. She is a substitute teacher at Highlands Hills Baptist Church, where she also plays the piano and keeps even busier with all types of handcrafts - crocheting, needlework, etc.

Although she lives with her daughter-in-law, she is still pretty independent, driving her self to all her commitments and carries a 118 average in league.

The league had a special birthday party for the lively and lovely lady, who shared her cake and flowers with all her friends. Happy Birthday, dear lady!



January 5, 1990 KEGLER

# Fantastic Decade Of The 1980's Ends !!

## Looking Back To The 1980's

Ten years ago, just about this time, as friends wished one another "Happy New Year", two legendary professionals were named "Bowlers of the Decade" on the national scene. Those were Earl Anthony and Betty Morris, and their selection was almost unanimous.

The world around us has undergone great changes in the past ten years - some good, some not-so-good. And in bowling the story was about the same - membership in both WIBC and ABC was skyrocketing with over 8 million members on the rolls at Bowling Headquarters.

So it was great news that year for us of the opening of a new, 40-lane center, Brunswick Thousand Oaks Bowl to be opened in August at an approximate cost of \$2.2 million. Going into the new decade '90 was a change of presidents in the SABA as Bob Martin stepped down to make room for Ed Crabb, only to return several years later as Association Secretary.

The Association would also be hosts to the men of the state at Wonder Bowl and Southside Lanes, and a neighbor, Bruce Carter of Austin, would capture the State All Events crown and begin a sterling career in PBA.

That year Wayne's Shirt Shop & Bowling Supply would open a new facility on the northside. Mayor Lila Cockrell (yes, she was Mayor then too) would be part of the welcoming of International Matches at San Pedro Lanes, and Joe Straus Sr. (now deceased) and Rosalie Bushick, past president and secretary of SAWBA would be inducted into the Bowling Council Hall of Fame.

In 1980 it would be a gala evening and Annual Banquet at TWBA when Mary Falconer, who will enter our Hall of Fame this year, was saluted as Texas Woman Bowler of the Year, and San Antonio's Myrt DeFily would enter the TWBA Hall of Fame for her years of outstanding performances on the lanes.

Reigning City Champ, Jimmie Rivera and Mario Valdez were Match Doubles champs, and what excitement there was when a local men's team finished third in the ABC Tournament (Joe Vito, Carlos Castaneda, Mike Freehaufl, Curt Elliott and Randy Burns). Joe and Carlos were also third in doubles and Joe was 4th in All Events.

Sylvia Broyles led the women of SAWBA through hosting duties for the TWBA Championships asking "Are You A San Antonio Rose?" and the ladies staged a gigantic Kick Off for the tournament using a Mexican theme.

The decade was off to a great start! Con't P. 2





# The 1980s- From P. 1

1981

Perhaps the highlight of the year 1981 was SAWBA's staging of the 1981 TWBA Championship Tournament and the 3,086 teams entered in the event from all across the state. That event also drew 15,498 doubles and singles entrants and 14,814 all events participants, records which still stand today. The frosting on the cake was when Laurie Jo Scales was crowned State Champion at the end.

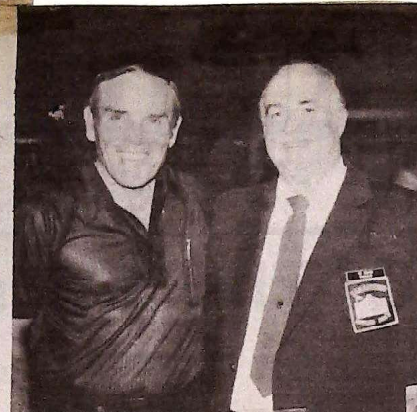
For the men it was another state title as Ken Falconer teamed with youthful Shannon Stone to capture the Cl. A Doubles title with 1382, and Jerry Merck sizzledtop score in the Match Singles, staged at World of Sports and All Star Lanes, both centers now a part of San Antonio's past. Mary Falconer and Jimmie Rivera shared "Bowler of the Year" honors (or SAWBA Superior Performance Award) and Glenda Recker annexed her third SAWBA all events title for the ladies.

Sports Palace lost the lease on the premises on Loop 410 and plans were announced for Country Lanes on San Pedro, and the bowling family shared a delightful evening that year with friends and family of Lois M. Scott and Robert "Pepper" Martin who were inducted into the Bowling Council Hall of Fame. Honored that evening too, posthumously was past SAWBA and TWBA president Mrs. Estha Perkins McCrory.

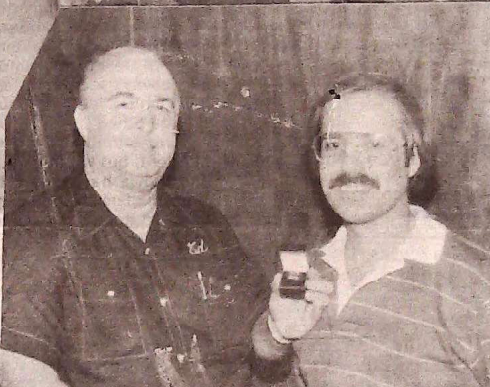
1982

Two-year into the 1980s it was another new center -- championship rings -- and bowling on television.

The Summit at Universal City opened, and SABA approved the giving of Championship rings to their divisional champions, and what fun the weeks were as bowlers rolled in front of local television cameras -- and the weekly televised bowling shows hosted by the proprietors in their participating centers.



Top: Pepper Martin (l) congratulated by Council President Ed Crabb on his election to Hall of Fame together with Lois M. Scott (r.).



2nd Row: Laurie Jo Scales, State All Event Champion of TWBA hosted by SAWBA. (2) "Mr. 900" Glenn Allison visits the city which the ball he used to roll three consecutive 300 games in league play. Connie Smoot, Vice President of Columbia Industries shares the moment when the ball was donated to Columbia. Below: SABA president Ed Crabb presents the first gold City Champion's All Events ring to Curt Elliott, who later went on to win the American Dream Classic in 1982.

Jerry Merck continued his winning ways, this time in the Scratch Match Doubles with partner, Ronnie Hulme, and Curt Elliott not only won the first SABA All Events Champion's ring with a record 2153, but the \$130,000 American Dream Classic tournament in Illinois (now known as the Hardee's Deluxe tournament in Las Vegas).

Although it didn't happen here, who will ever forget the word of three consecutive 300 games by "Mr. 900" Glenn Allison, using his Columbia 300 bowling ball!

1982 was also a 'first' for the city when Astro Bowl hosted the Resident Pro Championships, and Dallas' Steve Ray was the titlist.

Liz Smith carded the first 300 game for ladies that year adding her name to the list which now included Myrt DeFily, Dottie Overstreet, Shirley Mansfield, Bettie Jo Geisler and the 1981 300 shooter, Rita Dalton of Fort Sam Houston.

At the TWBA Championships it was Eli Tomczyk hammering out a 279 game, a score which still stands for the State Tournament's high for senior age women. Rosalie Bushick was honored as the recipient of the TWBA Service Award as Wichita Falls' dynamo. Doris Coffman assumed the reigns of TWBA.

Bowlers of the year were Joe Vito and Superior Performance award winner was Donna Wallace, but it was Kathy Kirt capturing the SAWBA All Events title with 1760.

1983

Sylvia Broyles was completing her last term as President of SAWBA and following a year's service as 3rd Vice President of TWBA was elevated to the post of 2nd Vice President. And the Queens came to town - Texas Bluebonnet Queens at Wonder Bowl, with Sylvia serving as tournament director. Action was highlighted by a record three-game series by Houston's Luci Bonneau (games of 256, 268 and 266 for 790) but a first Queens' title and crown went to perky Mary Wolfe Betke of Waco.

The year had its conflicts as well. The Alamo Area Bowling Proprietors withdrew their support of the Southwest Texas Junior Association and opted to conduct the youth program without participation from surrounding cities.

In other annual highlights, Debbie Lauzon swatted a 300 game at The Summit, and three more were inducted into the Hall of Fame - Tom Dugosh, Boerne, now deceased; Bettie Jo Geisler and Wes Merck. Joe Vito earned the scratch all events title for SABA, the Satellite Scratch and Handicap singles, and another match doubles title with Carlos Castaneda. But Jimmie Rivera was named Bowler of the Year with Liz Williams capturing the

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# The 1980's --

## From P. 2

Superior Performance Award for SAWBA.

Sadly owner proprietor of Bowlerama Lanes, Col. Bruce Canright died, and San Antonio Light bowling columnist Johnny Campos joined the staff of PBA.

The year ended with SAWBA recognizing both a Scratch and Handicap All Events champion in the Local Tournament. Kathy Kirst was scratch winner with Mary McIntosh becoming the first handicap winner.

1984

One of the most exciting years of the decade of the '80s came in 1984 and it was a non-bowling 'star' bringing national attention the city. Danny Vertiz rolled 163 hours and 20 minutes to set a new Guinness Book of World Record for continuous bowling. That was the good news. The bad was the tax on our game, even though the proprietors associations did obtain a two-year reprieve.

And the pros came to San Antonio. First it was Del Ballard, Richardson, winning the Southwest Resident Pro Championships then John Forst and Louie Blancarte sizzled in the top total to win the Touring Players/Senior stop at Ponderosa Bowl. Prior to that event it was legendary Webbers - Dick and Pete - visiting on a promotional visit, and the spectators loved it!

But there was also plenty of action on the local level as well. Curt Elliott averaged 230.8 for a Scratch Singles win; Match Doubles honors went to Jesse Villarreal and Sam Corkran; Jimmie Rivera won a \$3,000 re-opening first place prize at Astro Bowl; George Lee sizzled 253 average for a match singles win; Norm Clark too a match singles win and Joe and Carlos again captured a match-doubles title.

Ponderosa Bowl grew to 40 lanes with gala opening ceremonies and San Antonio Super Bowl came into being in place of Bowlerama Lanes.

At State convention time Kathy Kirst earned her TWBA Woman Bowler of the Year title; and with love and appreciation SAWBA dedicated its championship tournament to Mrs. Helen Baetz, an event won by Ann Martin Harvey with handicap honors to Dolores Cavazos.

All this while SAWBA was marking its 50th year of affiliation with the great WIBC. Special guest for the exciting time was a visit from WIBC President Mrs. Helen Baker of Florida. By this time too five more had been inducted into the Council Hall of Fame - H. H. Phillips (deceased), Jerry Johnson, Walt Salzbrenner (deceased), Madelyn Spreng and Ron Gaudern, owner of Ponderosa Bowl and Hacienda Bowl. And a new tournament was on the agenda for the ladies, the Life Members Invitational (now known as the SAWBA Singles Classic).

Sandwiched in with all this, the State Bowling Council approved the staging of the now very popular State Mixed Tournament and the State Senior Mixed tournament. Ladies Top Twenty winner was Gayle "Rookie" Goodwyn and for the men, Don Wright of Houston.



First officers of the Texas State Bowling Council which conducts the State Mixed and State Senior Mixed Tournaments. Lil Poole, Hurst, Sylvia Broyles, San Antonio, Jack Scheffler and James A. Brooks.

1985

Bowlers are so generous. Eleven centers joining hands in striking out Cystic Fibrosis bringing then Mayor Henry Cisneros to the lanes with a near record amount of donations from the bowling family.

George Lee became State Champion with sets of 670, 665 and 694; Ken Falconer and Billy Bilikas were doubles winners; Les Feller and Robert Knowles singles winners and Scott Rocamontes and Doug Bowiman, Cl. E winners. Not to be outdone, the ladies also found the Classy Ladies #1 team setting a new record in Class B team event (2778). Members were Paula Wright, Tammie Hatley, Dorothea Hatley, Alice Gaydos and Bonnie Stoddard, and completing the record-breaking were Billy Heckel and Val Connell who set a new mark of 1244 in Cl. D doubles in men's state.

Match singles winners were Richard Roberts with 243 average; in four centers i SABA Match Singles it was Rick Ratliff with a 219.9 average, and later in more scratch singles, Jimmy Sellars was king of the hill.

Oh, what fun there was when professional Gary Dickinson slammed in a closing game of 300 to win the Texas State Scratch title. Ron Mercer and Al Eudy won the Match Doubles that year and Donna Wallace earned the SAWBA Superior



Sylvia L. Broyles

For Sylvia these past years have been some of her most productive. As the decade began she was leading the local women's association and that leadership escalated at the State level (she now serves as State Secretary) and of course, on the national scene, where she is serving as 5th WIBC Vice President. There have been miles and miles of travel, an untold number of meetings, seminars and always learning, schools and training courses. All this while fulfilling duties as a wife, mother and grandmother.

San Antonio's bowling family is blessed with a wealth of talent, but we think you would agree with us that Joe and Sylvia have earned the praise, plaudits and thanks from all of us for their contributions, on and off the lanes, and certainly they warrant being singled out as the two most dynamic forces in San Antonio bowling in the 1980s.



Two of bowling's greatest ladies, Violet E. "Billy" Simon and Mrs. Alberta E. Crowe, Liverpool, N.Y. passed away in 1984. Billy was San Antonio's first WIBC champion in the early 1930s and became a proprietor of a chain of bowling centers throughout Texas. Mrs. Crowe served several decades as WIBC President and was a frequent visitor to San Antonio. Her death was mourned throughout the bowling world.

Performance Award, with George Lee named Bowler of the Year, then capturing the 10-game marathon title.

There was a different type of marathon that year too. George McKenzie rolled for Elf Louise in six different centers and local champs for SAWBA were Laurie Jo Scales and Laura Drake. At convention time for TWBA it was honors for SAWBA treasurer, Helen Alala who received the TWBA Service Award.

Sadly, that year two great leaders in women's bowling passed away. Mrs. Alberta E. Crowe, WIBC President for more than 20 years passed away followed by the death of Violet E. "Billy" Simon in November.



### 1980s -- From P. 4

1986

There were a number of weekend tournaments cropping about this time -- and one needed a computer to keep track of the initials -- TTBA, SWABA, 199 & Under 189 & Under, TBA, and each offered cashing opportunities to large numbers of scratch and handicap bowlers.

And it was Joe Vito back in the bowling spotlight again, this time with a fifth place finish in the ABC Masters, but most of the scratch events titles started going out of city. Robert Lawrence found a second home in San Antonio as winner of Top 20; Tom Frigon, Houston won Astro Scratch Singles; Ed Richardson and Royce Fike, Corpus were Match Doubles winners and Kenny Brinkman, Houston won scratch singles.

The 6-center SABA Scratch Singles title went to Jeff Everman with a 213.8 average. Jeff also captured the City title scratch with Jim Cleveland winning handicap.

Astro Bowling Center and World of Sports were selected as the sites for the 1988 TWBA Championships and Donna Wallace won the TWBA Bowler of the Year honors with sterling performances throughout the previous season.

On the national scene Sylvia Broyles moved into the 7th Vice President's slot at annual meeting time, and bowlers from 3-4 states converged on the city for the TCBA National Playoffs at Astro Bowling Center and Ponderosa Bowl.

1987

After a reasonably quiet season things picked up dramatically during 1987.

San Antonio came into national prominence again with the staging of the first U. S. National Scratch Championships and its \$50,000 first place guaranteed prize payoff. It was a fellow Texan pocketing the huge paycheck when Mike Scroggins, Amarillo, completed his bowling.

For SAWBA it was the acquisition of one of WIBC's highest honors - the WIBC Spotlight Award - after four attempts in the judging of services by associations with membership of 10,000 or more. In legislation action the ladies also made their intention know to bid for the 1992 national events, a move later rescinded until another day.

For the ladies too, it was great scoring as Grace Richardson and Patti Hines each swatted 300 games, and Shelley Buchholtz carded the highest series ever in the city by a woman. With games of 198, 253 and 240 Shelley posted a 791.

The SAWBA Superior Performance Award went to Liz Williams for a superb season.

Earlier that year Mary Elizabeth Pfeiffer and Bob Martin were inducted into the Council Hall of Fame, and TWBA Secretary Lil Poole, Hurst, made it know that she would not seek another term in the post which she occupied so admirably for 21 years. Delegates to the TWBA annual meeting quickly

awarded the position to Sylvia Broyles.

\$15,000 top money went to Chicago's Frank Griner in the Texas State Scratch event. Scratch Singles titles went to Jimmy Thompson, Round Rock; Jay Hild with a 238.6 average; Mike Sweet with a 244.7 average, John Barlow, Fort Hood and George Nino, but the Top twenty title went to Corpus' Ed Richardson with TWBA Hall of Famer, Susie Reichley, Dallas, capturing the lady's crown. Match Doubles winners were Jimmie Rivera and Bobby Scales, and Bob Freehauf, for a wealth of tournament titles all around the world, entered the Hall of Fame.

And it was again fantastic news that professionals would be returning to the city. This time it was the Columbia 300 sponsored PBA Senior Open at Country Lanes.

And the younger contingent entered the high scoring races. Both Marlo Cook and Greg Sovo reached perfection, with Bradley Jonietz becoming the Junior Masters champ after shooting a 300 game in TEAM USA competition against the adults.

Doubling together again were Bob Freehauf and Mike Sweet to capture the local Great & Greatest title and another Scratch Singles title went to Mitch Maples with a 246.5 average for his play. SABA named Doug Patton their Bowler of the Year and Liz Williams captured the Superior Performance Award.

Once again the bowling family suffered two great losses. Past SABA secretary H. H. "Red" Holland died,

and in July proprietor of Astro Bowling Center, L. C. "Duke" LaDuke went to his reward.

1988

Action continued at an almost breath-taking pace as the new year dawned in 1988 and word about bowling becoming a medal sport in the Olympics shared the spotlight with the staging of the Senior Pro stop, won by personable Teata Semiz of PBA fame.

The national junior spotlight was again on San Antonio and Bradley Jonietz was the reason. The hard-

chunking righthander earned the Chuck Hall "Star of Tomorrow" recognition, and following graduation with honors from Central Catholic High School, Bradley became a member of the Wichita State bowling team.

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Top: WIBC president Helen Baker, Sylvia Broyles and Doris Coffman TWBA pr side the picture at SAWBA's 50th Anniversary, and Lil Poole visits the SAWBA di play at WIBC for winning the WIBC Spotlight Award in 1987.



Top: Joe Vito and Carlos Castaneda celebrate after winning their 5th Match



## The 1980's Concluded--

\$50,000 went to Michigan's John Mazz after his victory in the U. S. National Scratch, and \$20,000 went into the jeans of Del Ballard, Richardson, as winner of the Texas State Scratch, both at Astro Bowl.

The ladies of the city were hostess to the women bowlers of the state with a "Magic of Music" theme and once again it was a local state champion, Kathy Kirst. Four titles came to local lasses in that event as Kathy teamed too with Laurie Jo Scales for doubles honors, and Betty Roberts was the Div. 3 singles champ, and Cassandra Harris won Div. 3 all events.

Joe Vito stepped right back into the spotlight with a \$5,000 scratch sweepster win in the U. S. National Scratch event; a state team record with his Country Lanes team

(Carlos, Bobby Scales, Mark Ross and Doug Patton); a record set in 1975 by the Schultz Jewelers and surpassed by the Country team by 101 pins. He was also runnerup in the Top Twenty (won by Doug Patton) and slammed in two more 300s in two days in the weekend Alamo Club Tournament (ACT).

Ed Richardson, Robert Lawrence, Jeff Everman and Larry Buckingham were singles winners with Doug Baxley and Danny Broadway, Houston, capturing the Match Doubles.

Of particular interest to northwest side residents was the announcement of a new 60-lane center for the city; SABA received ABC recognition for service to its membership; and Sylvia Broyles was elevated to the 5th Vice President's post at WIBC.

High scoring continued at the league level as well as in tournaments and big Stan Schoenfeld, past SABA president and Life Member, became the second local man to shoot back-to-back 300s (Nicky Reid had turned that trick more than 10 years earlier at old Southside Lanes). Stan's two perfectos came in the Commercial League at Wonder Bowl.

Doug Patton's previous season performance was great enough to earn another Bowler of the Year title, and Neil Sadler earned not only TCB Bowler of the Year honors, but the SAWBA scratch crown as well at tournament-time.

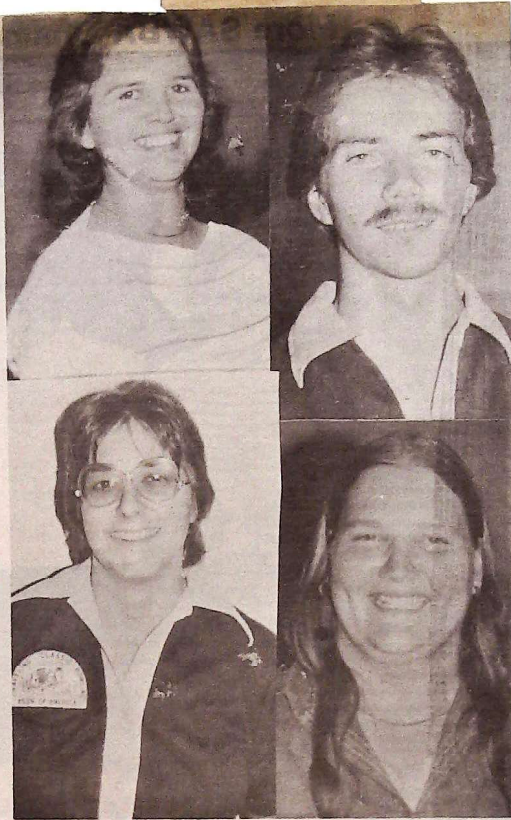
The ladies of SAWBA were busy with their plans for a formal bid to the Delegates attending the WIBC annual meeting in Bismarck, North Dakota and in one of their fund-raising efforts staged the SAWBA Big Draw -- offering \$10,000 to a lucky ticket winner who turned out to be Marvin Hall.

Closing out the year was the opening of Bandera Bowl and its gorgeous 60 lanes.

1989

And, as we look back to just twelve months ago the high scoring has continued and even more change came to our city.

Most likely the most-talked about performance again came from Joe Vito Buenrostro as he won the Hoinke Classic in Cincinnati and its \$90,000 first place prize. Joe was also responsible for Robert Lawrence's win of the U. S. National Scratch. He called Robert in Austin advising tht the lanes were just right for



Top: Shelley Buchholtz, city's highest series for a woman, 791 rolled in 1987. Jeff Everman, Bowler of the Year, and Match Games champ plus numerous other titles. Below: Kathy Kirst 3-time SAWBA City Champ and TCBA Bowler of the Year; right, Liz Williams, all time record-buster in SAWBA Championships!

Sharing some of the spotlight during the year were Doug Patton, Jeff Everman, Chris Malone, Billy Ashley, Ken Vorphy, al with scratch wins or performances during league play.

Norm Duke averaged 250 to earn the \$20,000 first prize in the record entry Texas State Scratch tournament with its 818 entries in three days. But Joe wasn't finished making headlines. He and Carlos swatted 1502 in the TSBA Championships to win the State Doubles crown and Joe's team in Chester's Classic earned \$2700 first money; he had two cashes in the ABC tournah a 2050 all events, and completed his year with a Scratch Singles win with a 239.7 average and a stairstep finals game of 300.

The ladies in the meantime honored two of their own - Chris Pohlman with a 1770 in the TWBA tournament in El Paso and V. Ann Dixon, Div. 4 all events winner with 1702 were applauded. Grace Richard-

son and Mac Stringfellow, welcomed hundreds of bowlers to their newly decorated center. Country Lanes became AMF Country for the new year.

Doug Patton continued to add to his list of accomplishments with a 4th place finish in ABC singles (794) and leaves in 1990 for the PBA Tour. Jim Cleveland was named SABA scratch champion in their tournament, and Mike Shoemaker pocketed more than \$10,000 for his High Roller performances in Las Vegas.

With so much bowling action going on these past ten years, it certainly wouldn't be possible to list each and every accomplishment -- so we've tried to jog your memory a bit and hope you have enjoyed a capsule ten year 'look-back'.

Our hats are off to the sponsors and originators of the events which give the San Antonio and area bowlers a chance to perform and re-pay them for their efforts with great prize funds.



Harry Page

Bowling

## Hacienda says adios on Feb. 2

The closing of Hacienda Bowl will be a somber occasion for General Manager John D'Andrea.

"The first job I had when I came to San Antonio was at this center in 1977, when Pepper Martin owned it," D'Andrea said. "I was a mechanic."

The 24-lane center, formerly known as Southside Lanes, will close its doors forever, Feb. 2.

"We're just not getting enough business to keep it running," D'Andrea said. "The economy hasn't been that great on the South Side, nor has it been that great all over the city."

Ron Gaudern, the owner of both Hacienda and Ponderosa centers, informed Hacienda employees of his decision during the holidays. Most of the leagues have already been shifted to Ponderosa, and others are opting for Spare Time Lanes.

The lanes and all the other equipment will be removed from Hacienda. Most of the parts will be kept at Ponderosa, while other equipment will be sold.

"Hacienda is like a historic place on the South Side of San Antonio," D'Andrea said. "It will be sorely missed. I guess if things have to go, they have to go. After Feb. 2, the building will be an empty shell."

Hacienda opened in 1959 as Southside Lanes. It was renamed in 1979.

With the closing of Hacienda, San Antonio has 18 active bowling centers. Of that number, five are on military reservations and three are private.

While on the subject of centers, Joe Carmack says he isn't actively trying to sell his two centers, Wonder Bowl and Spare Time.









## Thank You!

Early this season league officers were asked to discuss with their league members assisting with the defraying of expense of the SAWBA Hospitality Room in Bismarck, N.D. when SAWBA attempted to acquire the WIBC 1993 events for San Antonio.

Many officers did take SAWBA's plea back to their leagues, and those leagues and individuals who assisted are gratefully thanked today.

Passing the Hat" and helping were the following: Golden 55, Country Lanes \$35; Atamo City of Hacienda Bowl \$30; Wonder Whys, Astro Bowl \$13.50; St. Pius Ladies, Astro Bowl \$9.50; Randolph Officers Wives, Randolph AFB, \$10.10; San Pedro Seniors, San Pedro, \$15.80; Brooks Young At Heart, Brooks AFB \$4.00; Friday Nooners, Oak Hills, \$36; Swingin' Seniors, Ponderosa Bowl, \$9.01; Sassy Ladies, Hacienda 421.55; Senior Wonders, Wonder Bowl \$22.86; Echo League, Oak Hills, \$11.00; St. Pius X Mixed, Astro Bowl, \$11.00; Friday Nine Mixed, Fort Sam Houston, \$13.00; Sunrise, Oak Hills \$5.15; Senior Charter, Wonder Bowl \$15; Strike Fours, University Bowl \$24.35; Madelyn Spreng for Columbia 300 league, Hacienda Bowl, \$100; Astro Monday Nite Seniors, \$50; and individuals: Carroll Majors \$100; Helen Teller, Gail Cantu, Jane Wright \$18; Mrs. Lillian Raby \$50; for a total of \$454.82.

SAWBA and the Hospitality Room Committee extends their warmest thanks to all the teams and individuals who made these contributions. Since there still remains a debt to be defrayed, other leagues might possibly be interested in helping -- or with the up-coming Fiesta Mini-Draw, set for March 10, with its \$5,000 in prizes (and more) perhaps the debt will finally be laid to rest. Details on the new fund-raiser -- the Fiesta Mini Draw -- will be forthcoming next week!

## Kegler January 12, 1990

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games in a senior league by closing day for entries, March 15th.

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## Bluebonnet Queens Entry Deadline Nears

With the sun shining brightly (at least it is today) thoughts turn to Spring -- and Spring means bluebonnets and pretty wildflowers. But to the ladies of the state it also means Texas Bluebonnet Queen Tournament time! And this year the state's higher average ladies roll into Beaumont for their prestigious tournament, this year co-sponsored by Columbia Industries with the Texas Women's Bowling Assn.

But, hurry, ladies, final entry deadline is February 1st and that's just a couple of weeks away.

Crossroads Bowling Center at 4370 Dowlen in Beaumont is the site for the Queens and qualifying games on Saturday, March

3rd. There are just two squads, A & B. Squad A rolls at 9 a.m. returning at 2 p.m. for their four games; and Squad B rolls at 11:30 a.m. for their first four, returning at 4:30 p.m. for their final four games across eight lanes.

The field will be cut to the top 48 ladies that night and those ladies will roll four more games in the semifinal round.

And all semifinalists cash. The final round of the Queens begins Sunday, March 4 at 9 a.m. with pairings according to qualifying positions. All finalists roll nine more games of headsup match play with the winner of each match being awarded 30 bonus pins for each win. The final game is a position round so that each lady can attempt to improve her position.

And the awards are great! The Queen will be awarded a paid entry into next year's

Queens, the Queen's trophy, gold charm and chain, and the gorgeous Queen's silk jacket, plus at least \$675 first place prize money (based on 200 entries).

With the new co-sponsorship by Columbia 300, there's also an opportunity to win free Columbia bowling balls -- for high qualifying game each squad (A & B); high 4-game series (squads A & B), and high game and series in the semifinals. And, of course, there are special squad prizes for non-semifinalists; \$15 for each win in the finals; squad prizes in qualifying and semifinals... more than \$7,750 in prizes with at least 200 entrants.

All this is just for an entry fee of \$55 per lady and the prize fund will be shared by at least 48 Texas ladies. Entries may be obtained by contacting the TWBA office at 1-438-4396, or the Kegler office...but remember that entry deadline ... Thursday, February 1st!

dollar and will be a separate prize list for both men and women.

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# Astro Bowl Team In TCBA Breaks Three All-Time Records

## Rocky Boubel Smashes In Back-To-Back 700s!

What a way to start the New Year! THREE all-time records in the Traveling Classic Bowling Assn. (TCBA) fell for the ladies!

The Astro Bowl team in the women's division of TCBA -- Kathy Kirst, Gwen Bagley, Jan Leaders, Rocky Boubel and Nellwyn Sadler -- slammed in a three-game scratch game of 3211 which was 112 pins over the previous record set in 1988 in Fort Worth by the Don Carter Scoreboard team.

In addition they surpassed the 6-game record set in 1982 by the Meadowbrook Lanes team in Fort Worth, a 6040. Astro Bowl's six game total was 6149.

Included in the record setting performance was a 3-game series of 682 by Kathy, 675 by Gwen, 528 by Jan, 700 by Rocky and 626 by Nellwyn. The team rolled with a team average of 907 for their record.

The team's first game total on Sunday was an 1113 scratch, thought to be a record, however, on the same day in Shreveport, La. a ladies team surpassed that mark by just one pin to set a new record for high team game. The previous mark was also set by the Meadowbrook team, an 1104.



The Astro Bowl TCBA Record Busters: With a three-game set of 3211 then a 2938 for 6149, the team broke two all-time records in the world's largest traveling league Sunday at Wonder Bowl. Shown are (seated) Rocky Boubel, and Gwen Bagley. Standing are Kathy Kirst, Nellwyn Sadler and Jan Leaders. Their first set was a record as was their six-game total.

The third record set Sunday at Wonder Bowl came from Astro Bowl team member, Rocky Boubel, who hammered out games of 233, 213 and 254 for her

first 700 series in the league (third of the season to date). She backed that up with games of 258, 276 and 192 for a 726 series -- marking the first time that a local lady

### ROCKY BOUBEL

With three series over the 700 mark already this season, the pint-sized bomber blazed out three game sets of 700 and 726 for a new TCBA individual 6-game mark, erasing a record which has stood since 1983.

has shot back-to-back 700s in sanctioned competition. Rocky's 1426 also is a new mark for TCBA, surpassing Mickie Archer's 1406 by 20 pins (January 2, 1983 in Dallas)

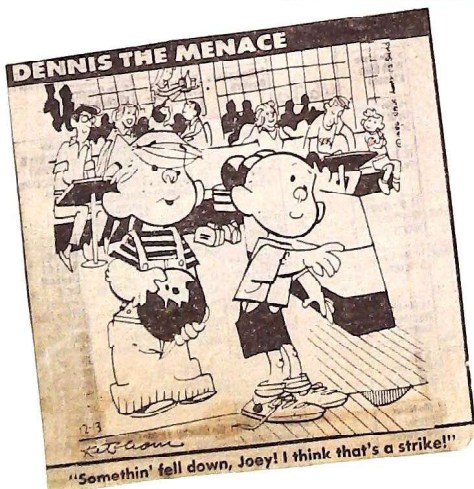
Rocky was rewarded in another way by TCBA last season. She had the TCBA women's high average of 194 for her season's play. Kathy has been TCBA Bowler of the Year twice, once in 1983 and again last season, and Nellwyn won the honor in 1988. Jan Leaders is one of the fur TCBA ladies rolling a 298 game during traveling league play, and Kathy is also the 1986 All Star women's champion.

To add to the excitement of Super-Sunday at Wonder Bowl was Tracy Desmit, who's bowled just three seasons in women's competition. Rolling with her Comal Bowl (New Braunfels) team, Tracy opened the first game of her second set with a 192, then slammed in games of 257 and 255 for a 704 series, for local state and national recognition. It was her first career 700 series.

The TCBA, the world's largest traveling league, surpassed the 500 team mark this season for the men and women in the organization. The TCBA was founded in August of 1972. In addition to Kathy's and Nellwyn's titles, Walter Scott was named Most Valuable Player last season, Ken Vorpahl is a previous All Star champion (1982) and Jim Pestello, Astro Bowling Center, was named Sponsor of the Year for TCBA in 1984-85. Ella O'Quinn serves as TCBA Vice President, and the association is guided by Joe Cramer, of Bossier City, La.



TCBA Tracy Desmit  
1st 700



"Somethin' fell down, Joey! I think that's a strike!"



### Final Frame

"God hath not promised skies always blue" and this week the many friends of Carole Poff, particularly the members of the SAWBA Board of Directors on which Carole serves, extended their hands in friendship and warm sympathy. Carole lost her beloved granddaughter last weekend.

That precious gift Tiffany Alexandra Poff was born last April 14 and died just one day shy of her nine-month birthday from respiratory problems.



### In Remembrance

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### '600' Bring A Friend Tourney Set for Feb. 10-11

One of the city's most popular tournaments for ladies is just around the corner! The San Antonio Women's 600 Club "Bring A Friend" Doubles -- this year scheduled for Brunswick 1000 Oaks Bowl, Sat-Sun, February 10-11th.

All members whose dues are currently paid for this season are eligible and can bring a friend who has not yet rolled her first 600 series. And dues renewals can be made at the tournament site when submitting entries.

Entry fee is just \$10 per person and one out of five teams will cash. On Saturday squads are at 2 and 4 p.m. with the annual meeting and election set for Sunday, Feb. 11 at 10 a.m. followed by a covered dish luncheon prior to the final two squads at 1 and 3 p.m. One dollar of each entry will be used as a donation to the Billy Simon Junior Scholarship Fund and for a project to assist the mentally retarded.

And, as usual the ladies of the Club will have a Country Store and drawings for special prizes. It's a fun-two-days and all members, past and present, are urged to ask a lady who hasn't yet had her first 600 to become a partner and join in the fun!