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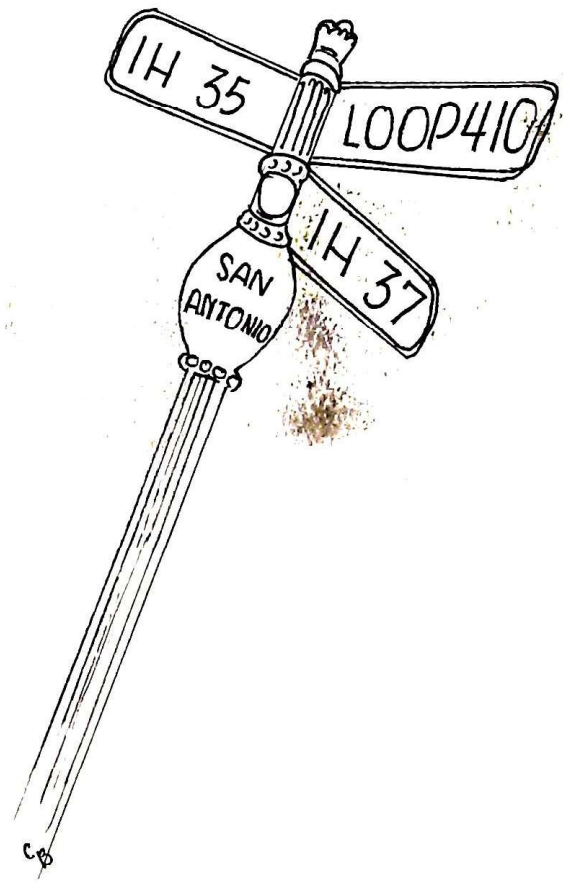
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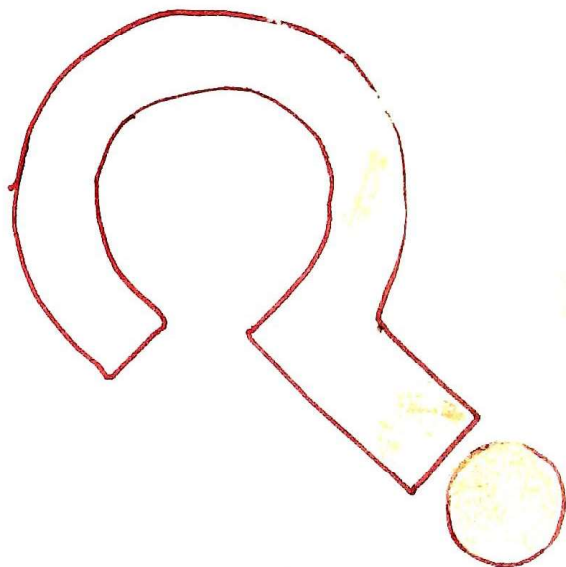
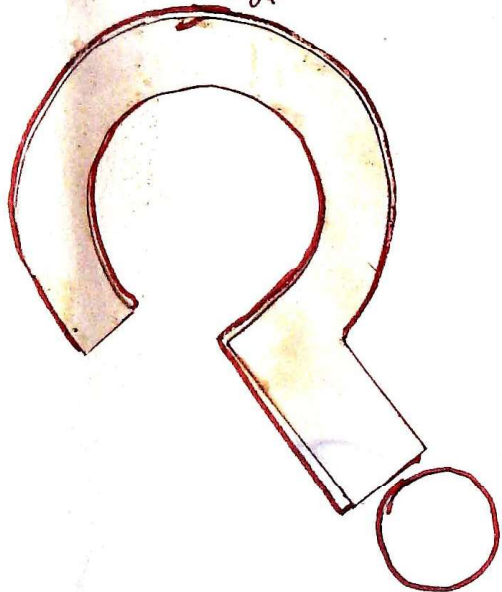
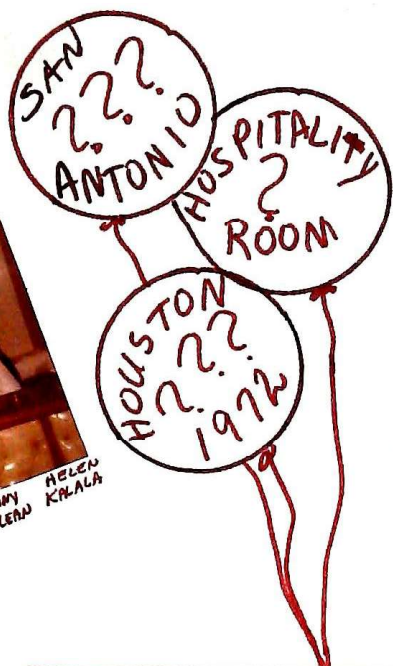
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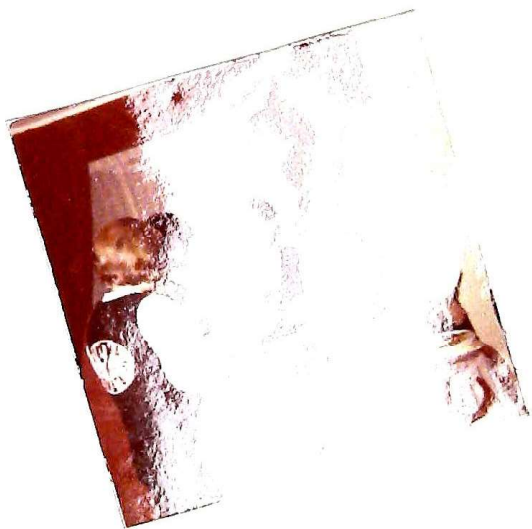




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Women Bowlers Elect New Officers

The San Antonio Women's Bowling Association will bid for the state women's tenpin tournament in 1973 at this year's business meeting in connection with the state meet at Lubbock. The decision to bid was made at a meeting of the association in the Commanders Room of the Frost National Bank.

In the rotating officer system, four were elected, together with nine directors. Helen Baetz was chosen first vice president and Pearl Yarborough third vice president. Sylvia Broyles was re-elected secretary and Helen Kalala was elected sergeant-at-arms. Those whose terms continue for another year include President Rosalie Harrell, Second Vice President Ella Dikes

O'Quinn and Treasurer Donna Kuehl.

Directors re-elected included Irene Castaldo, Minnie Bounds, Patsy Nolan, Nan Crow, Marie Folk, Elsie Hawksworth, Helen Trollo and Ibbie Borchers. Louis Ochoa was added to the board.

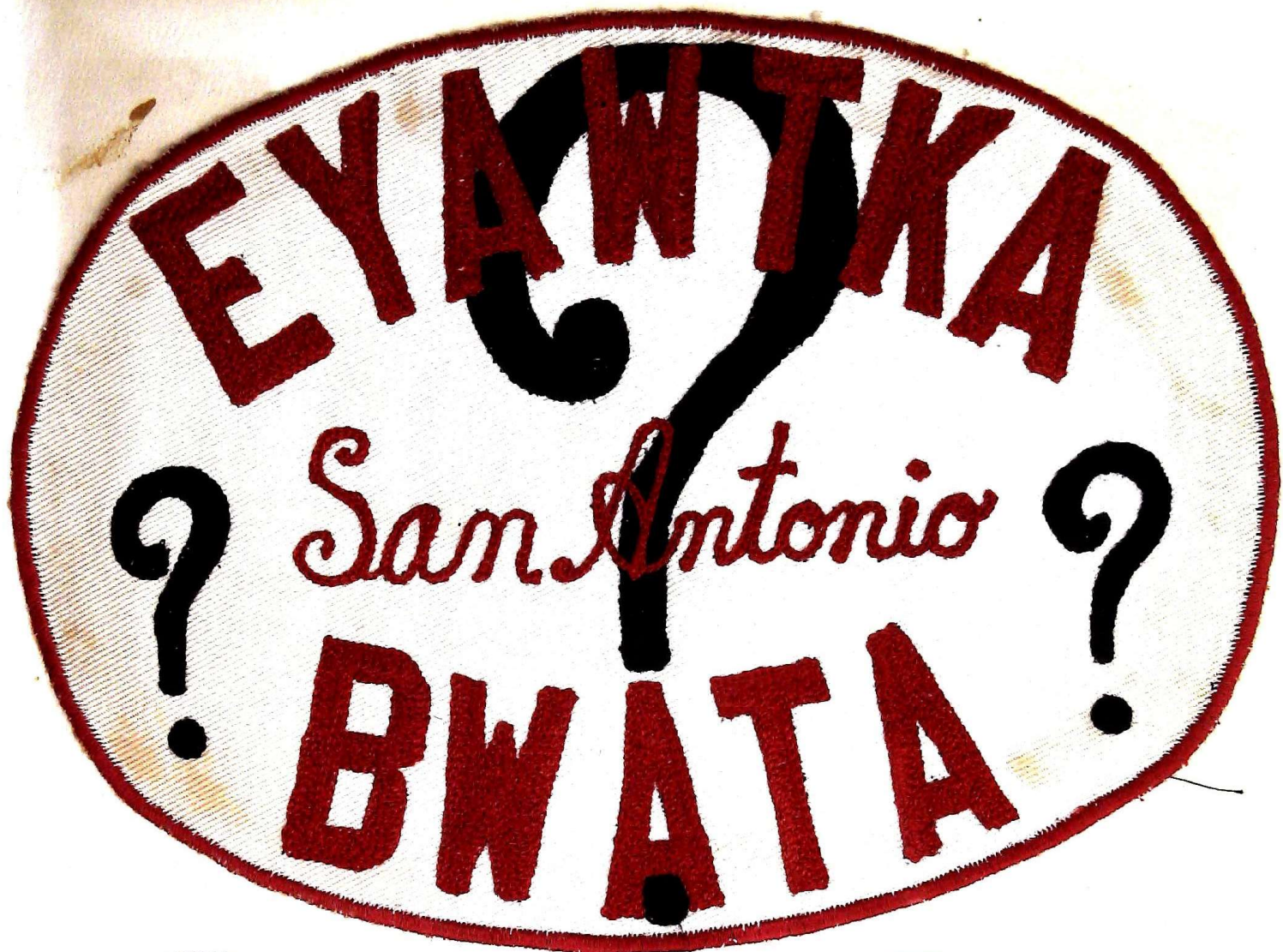
Representatives to the meeting were elected as follows: Mesdames Harrell, Broyles, Baetz, Yarborough, Kuehl and O'Quinn.

A \$1 membership assessment was voted per bowler per year.

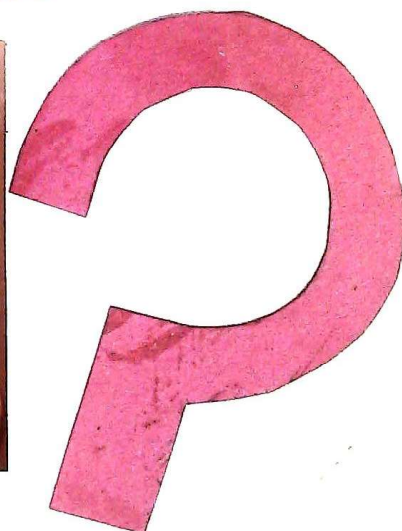
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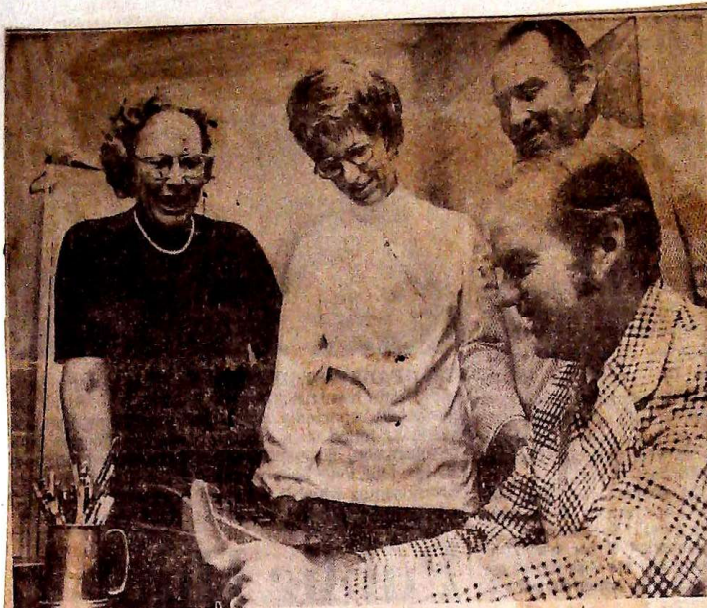
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State Tourney Drive in High Gear

San Antonio women bowlers are in high gear as they prepare for what they are determined will be the biggest state tenpin tournament in the history of the Texas association. The tourney is set for 10 weekends from Feb. 9 through April 15, 1973, at two establishments, the singles and doubles at Wonder Bowl, the team events at Southside lanes.

Pearl Yarbrough, city association president, has announced a kickoff rally for Oct. 30 at a downtown site to be announced, followed by a state board meeting here the next day with president Mary Bishop in the chair. There'll be a 300 limit to kickoff gathering.



WOMEN'S BOWLING ASSOCIATION officials confer with the owners of the two establishments at which the women's state tenpin tournament will be rolled next year. Left to right are Pearl Yarbrough, S.A. association president; Marie Denman, chairman of the league

visitation committee lining up entries, Robert (Pepper) Martin, owner of the Southside lanes where team events will be bowled and (seated) Joe Carmack, owner of Wonder Bowl, where singles and doubles are scheduled. Tourney will be Feb. 9 through April 15

State Tourney

Women have been working all week at every bowling house in the city in their bid to line up 700 teams for the women's state meet to be held at Wonder Bowl and Southside next spring. The women of the state have a goal of 2,000 teams to set a new state record as 1,996 bowled in the tournament at Dallas a few years ago.

The opening ceremonies will be held Feb. 9 with the tournament to be held each weekend for 10 weeks, concluding April 15.

The team event will be held at Southside and the doubles and singles at Wonder Bowl.

This 1973 tournament will mark the first time the state meet has been held in San Antonio since 1961 when 1,206 teams competed.

Kickoff rally for the women's state meet will be Oct. 20 and the following day the state Texas Woman's Bowling association board meeting will be held under the direction of Mary Bishop of Houston, president of the association.

There are seven divisions in the women's state meet, with one of them reserved for novice bowlers with averages of 110 and less.

AFTER 2,000 TEAMS

The women's association here is shooting for a record entry of 2,000 teams, at least 700 of them from San Antonio. Houston holds the record of 407 local teams, set in 1971. A turnout of 2,000 teams would top the 1965 Dallas record entry of 1,970.

The last time San Antonio entertained the state meet there was a state entry of 1,206 with 231 local teams. Local association membership then was 6,829. It is now 8,662.

TO HONOR SENIORS

Mrs. Yarbrough also announced a special squad at 11:30 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 17, honoring senior citizens. Miss Billy Simon, long prominent in local, state and national bowling, will sponsor all San Antonio senior citizen teams that enter.

Marie Denman heads a committee that has entry blanks and personnel at all local lanes and is assisting league members in filling out forms. Mrs. Denman can be reached at 634-0378. There will be seven divisions ranging from open (170 average and up) to novices (110 and under).



Saturday, October 21, 1972

876 Teams In State Bowling Meet

Eight hundred seventy-six teams already are officially entered in the 1973 Texas Women's Bowling Association championship tournament scheduled in San Antonio over 10 weekends Feb. 9 through April 15. And the deadline for entries is almost a month and a half away: Dec. 1.

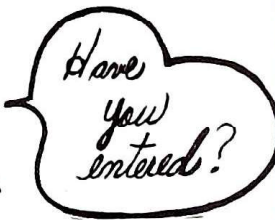
Lil Poole of Hurst, secretary and tournament manager and president of the Ft. Worth women's association operating near her home city, reported on the entries and expressed pleasure that the total was well ahead of the figure at this time last year. She and Mary Bishop of Houston, state president, expressed confidence at a Friday night kickoff rally for the tournament, held at El Tropicano Motor Hotel, that the San Antonio women bowlers, working hard, would reach their goal of a record 2,000 team entries. The record is 1,970 teams at Dallas in 1965.

The visiting officials, who were greeted at the airport by a delegation of local women bowlers headed by president Pearl Yarbrough and secretary Sylvia Bruyles, and the Chamber of Commerce Red Carpet Committee, will remain through Saturday for a state board meeting.

Mrs. Poole said the membership of the state association increased 4,001 since 1971, reflecting a "healthy boom" in women's bowling participation.



OFFICIALS of the Texas Women's Bowling Association, president Mary Bishop of Houston, at left, and secretary and tournament director Lil Poole of Hurst, met with local association people at a kickoff rally at El Tropicano motor hotel Friday night leading up to the state tournament here next Feb. 9-April 15.

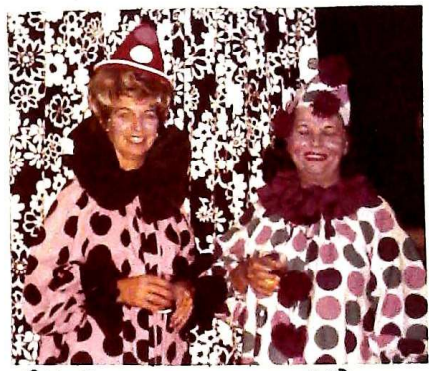




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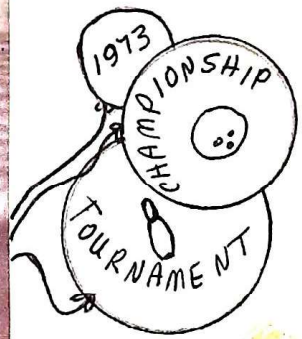
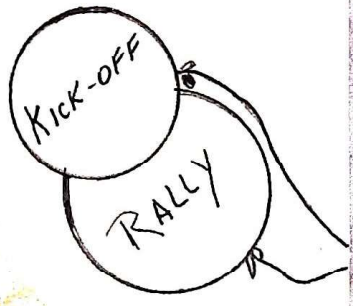
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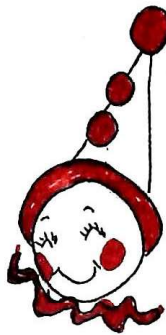
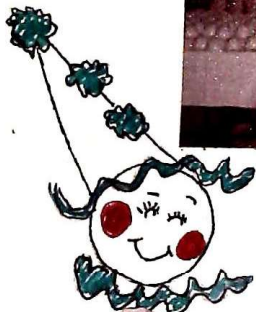


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Open Div. 170 - up
Class A 160 - 169
Class B 150 - 159
Class C 140 - 149
Class D 130 - 139
Class E 120 - 129
Novice 119 - under

Doubles

Open Div. 340 - up
Class A 320 - 339
Class B 300 - 319
Class C 280 - 299
Class D 260 - 279
Class E 240 - 259
Novice 239 - under

Team

Open Div. 850 - up
Class A 800 - 849
Class B 750 - 799
Class C 700 - 749
Class D 650 - 699
Class E 600 - 649
Novice 599 - under

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SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1972

Women --- Now's Time To Enter State Meet

You cannot force bowlers to enter tournaments. But you can warn them about the imminent closing date, and women bowlers who intend to compete in the 1973 women's state meet in San Antonio had better hurry with their entries. The deadline for entries is Dec. 1 and there is no use waiting until

the last minute. There will be some who will wait until Dec. 2 and be told it is too late to get in. They will want special permission to enter late and they won't get it. Women have been warned about the closing date. It's a tournament you and your team will

want to enter and have delayed long enough. San Antonio is making a determined effort to hold a record-breaking tournament of 2,000 or more teams in the meet at Wonder Bowl and Southside. To reach this mark it will take 700 local teams and so far the city is far below that mark.

Remember - your team is needed. It is needed to help San Antonio reach its goal and it is needed to provide you and your teammates with a chance to bowl in a major event without a great deal of expense. The time is short. Your team

is needed. The state officials want to have you entered and no doubt the members of your team really want to bowl. Don't put it off. Get your entry in now. You can get details from any bowling house or any city bowling officials. You've been warned.

Mudd Fence Keg Team To Defend State Title

The 1972 Texas Women's Bowling Association Class A team champions will be defending their state title next year before the home folks.

San Antonio, which hosts the '73 state tournament with headquarters at the El Tropico, claimed the 1972 title at El Paso last weekend when the Mudd Fence Five edged out Victoria Electric Co-Op by a mere point, 2598 to 2597.

Jan Goodwyn, who has the fourth best women's series in the country this year with a recent 754, teamed up with Sally Mills, Paula Wagner, Pat Godfrey and Rhoda Marmolejo to bring home the prize.

Pat White brought back another Class A crown, singles, with a 625 score.

Waste'l's of S.A. placed third in Class D team competition with a 2285 pinfall while Carolyn Layne was third in Open All Events with an 1812 total.

Beverly San Marco notched another feather in her expanding bowling bonnet when she became the new Texas Bluebonnet Bowling Queen at El Paso. Miss San Marco survived eight head-to-head matches for a 1479 scratch total, an average of 184.7. She added 190 bonus points for a final tally of 1659.

There were 59 contestants in the third annual Queens tourney.

Beverly won six of her eight matches and rolled a strong 213 to clinch the title. The 22-year-old San Antonio City champ also won a trophy, dress pin and \$330.

Beverly Smith of S.A. topped the qualifiers with an 1167 score.



STATE CHAMPIONS are these San Antonians who had never bowled together before but organized a team for the women's tournament at El Paso and captured Class A top honors with games of 935, 833, and 830 for 2,598, one pin ahead of the Victoria Electric team.

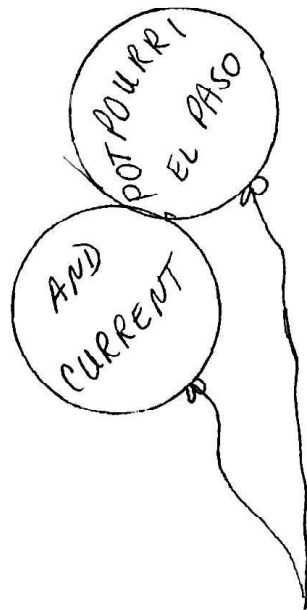
The champions, dubbed the Mud Fence Five by their captain, Rhoda Marmolejo, are, left to right, Mrs. Marmalejo, Pat Godfrey, Sally Mills, Jan Goodwyn and Paula Wagner. Rhoda led the scoring with a 583 series, followed by Sally with 567.



Pat White of San Antonio (Mrs. Bob White) came home from the state women's tenpin tournament in El Paso with the Class A singles championship on a 636 series, nine pins ahead of her nearest rival.



BEVERLY SAN MARCO, San Antonio's young women's city tenpin champion, won the Bluebonnet Queen competition, a highlight of the state women's bowling tournament at El Paso that attracted top stars from all over the state. She bowled 1,659, some 62 pins more than her nearest rival.



Early Entry Check

Roger Zeller, President of Columbia Industries, opened the San Antonio Women's Bowling Association "Sign-Up Week" off to a fast start with a presentation to Sylvia Broyles, SAWBA Secretary. The payment covers 50 team entries for the women's championships to be held here next fall.



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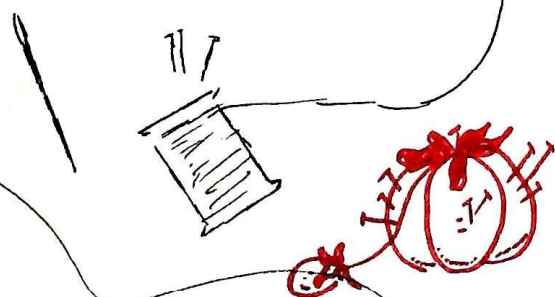
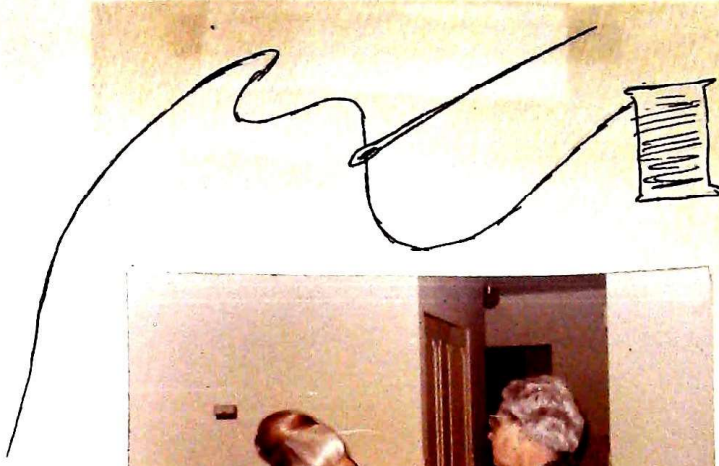
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ALLEY TALK

With Aurelio H. Ramirez Jr.

SAN ANTONIO is about to be invaded by 7,630 women.

The women will represent 1,526 out-of-town teams entered in the 40th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament scheduled to start an 11-weekend run Feb. 3.

Team play will be at Southside with the singles and doubles events to be bowled at Wonder Bowl.

A HOST city record 432 entries bring the total of teams entered to 1,958, just 12 shy of the record of 1,970 teams which entered the 1965 tourney in Dallas.

Opening ceremonies will be Feb. 9 at Southside. The start of the meet had to be moved up a week because of the large field.

Three records were set before the first ball is bowled.

IN ADDITION to having more host city entries, the tourney will offer the richest prize fund ever, \$74,098.25, and the meet drew the largest number of doubles and singles entries, 9,350.

Elaborate Opening Ceremonies For State Women's Bowling

Sunday, January 21, 1973

While the huge entry of 1,958 teams—including 432 from San Antonio for a local record—requires that some teams bowl as early as Feb. 3 and 4 in the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association championship tournament—the official opening ceremonies have been set for 6:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 9, at Southside Lanes, where all team competition will take place. Singles and doubles will be bowled at Wonder Bowl.

A birthday party theme will be followed in the ceremonies since this actually will be the 40th anniversary of organized bowling for women in Texas.

"Therefore," said Mrs. Helen Baetz, chairman of the committee in charge of the opening festivities, "we are

calling it a birthday party."

In 1933 Texas women organized a tournament in Dallas and formed an association then called the Southwest Bowling Association, covering

several states. San Antonio had one team entry, headed by Miss "Bill" Simon. In 1935 the Texas association was organized.

Mrs. Baetz revealed the

setup for the opening of the 1973 tournament at which Paul Morgan will be master of ceremonies. In order, the program will be as follows: Invocation by Gailon Combs of the Southwest Texas Junior Bowling Association; presentation man, councilwoman; introduction of the colors, MacArthur High School color guard; National Anthem, to be sung by Linda Curry, Southwest Junior Association, accompanied by Mrs. Faye Brooks; greeting from the city, Mrs. Carol Haber-ton of state officers and directors, Morgan; greetings from the Texas Women's Bowling Association, Mrs. Mary Bishop, president; introduction of local officers, Morgan; welcome, Mrs. Pearl Yarbrough, San Antonio association president; ribbon-cutting, by a group of San Antonio "pioneers," rolling ceremonial first ball, Mrs. Beverly Pantuso, city champion; retiring of colors, MacArthur guard; introduction of teams, Miss Lil Poole, secretary, Texas Women's Bowling Association.

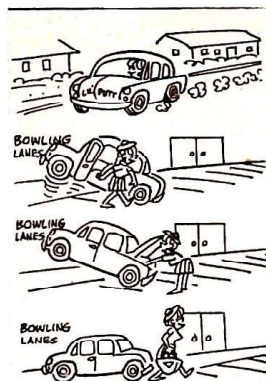
While the total entry barely missed the 2,000-team mark local women bowlers had hoped to achieve, they are proud of their local total of 432, which tops the previous high of 407 for Houston in 1970.

The prize fund of \$74,098.25 is the highest ever.

Houston is sending 149 teams, Austin 125. These are the highest out-of-town totals. Houston plays host in 1974 to the WIBC tournament; consequently, there will be no state women's tournament. Irving, Tex., inviting the 1976 Texas tournament, has entered 33 teams here.

"The pioneers" who will cut the ribbon at the opening ceremonies are surviving members of Bill Simon's team to the first tournament: Bill herself, Babe Campbell, Erna Hauller and Elizabeth Whall. The late Emma Treiber was the fifth member of the team.

The teenage girls from the junior association who will bowl on 24 teams opening the tournament will bowl for TWBA trophies only. Winners will be invited to the annual TWBA banquet March 23 at El Tropicano.



Friday, January 26, 1973

Welcome, Women Bowlers To San Antonio

Women bowlers from Texas, 9,790 of them, from every section of the state — from Berger to Brownsville, from Nacogdoches to El Paso, and from Palestine to Dumas — begin their march on San Antonio Feb. 3 in quest of state championships in the various classes.

San Antonio welcomes its visitors. The city hopes all contestants, both winners and losers,

have an enjoyable time while in the area, and hopes all score well. But even if they don't San Antonio and its women's bowling association welcomes all to see the various attractions, as well as the variety of bowling events in the city scheduled for their benefit.

It's a big tournament with \$74,098.25 in prize money plus trophies for the various champions.

The city has been preparing for

the visitors for a long time and all is in readiness at both Wonder Bowl and Southside lanes, where the state meet events will be held, plus the annual Queens Bluebonnet meet at Wonder Bowl.

But there are side tournaments, including the 600 Club session, for all and many of the tournaments were scheduled both for the women in the tournament and also for husbands and men friends of

the many contestants.

Everything is set. The entries are in. The lanes are ready. Let's hope this is a record-smashing tournament, with good scoring and with the most pleasant atmosphere possible.

San Antonio hopes you bowl well.

But even more important San Antonio hopes you enjoy the trip and want to come back again.





By AURELIO RAMIREZ JR.

ALLEY TALK

Five Locals Hold State Tourney Records

San Antonians have done well in the annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament, as the record book will show.

Local women hold five state tourney records, one in the team event and two each in doubles and singles, as they await the 40th annual meet being held in the Alamo City for the sixth time.

The Camino Vista Motel of San Antonio set a Class A team event record by rolling a 2,775 at Willage Bowl in Beaumont in 1970.

An Alamo City duo of Evelyn Hector and Jody Wright established the Open Division doubles record by combining for a 1,244 at Buccaneer Bowl in Corpus Christi in 1967.

Nancy Schulte of Dunlay and Kathleen Baby of San Antonio teamed up in 1965, the year the format was changed to scratch scores,

for an 1,151 at Cotton Bowling Palace in Dallas that still stands as the Class D doubles record.

Both of the singles tourney records were set in 1971 at Recreation Palace in Houston when Myrt DeFily rolled a 695 series to establish an Open Division mark and Ernestine Martinez bowled a 673 to set a Class A standard.

This year's tourney, scheduled at Southside and Wonder Bowl, is the second largest and richest in TWBA history.

The San Antonio Woman's Bowling Association conducted a drive which netted 1,958 teams, just 12 shy of the record 1,970-team field which Dallas drew in 1965.

This year's tournament has a already set three records. A record prize fund of \$74,098.25, a record 432 teams from the hostess city

and an all-time high 9,350 individual entries in singles and doubles.

The growth of the meet has been phenomenal.

Under the banner of the Southwest Bowling Association, the tourney attracted 16 to its first meet in Dallas in 1933.

The first Women's Texas State Bowling Association meet, also the first certified by the WIBC, was in San Antonio in 1935 and drew 36 teams.

Milestones reached by the tourney in the Alamo City include the 1939 event which drew 100 teams and marked the first time the meet drew 100 entries, the 1952 tourney which saw the meet surpass the 300 mark with 342 teams and the 1961 tournament which became the first meet to go over the 1,000 mark when 1,206 teams participated.



Newest 600 Club Member

Newest member of the San Antonio 600 Club is Mrs. Gloria Santaniello, left, shown receiving her membership card and 600 Club patch from Mrs. Rosalie Harrell, president of the club. Special squads of San Antonio 600 Club members will get the ninth annual Texas 600 Club tournament under way Saturday at San Pedro Lanes.

Bowlers Will Be Busy

Four side tournaments and the prestigious Bluebonnet Queens tourney will provide local and state bowlers with plenty of extracurricular activity during the 40th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association tourney.

First and foremost among the side meets is the Texas 600 Club tourney at San Pedro. As the name indicates, it is open to bowlers who have rolled 600 series and are active members of their respective units around the state.

The San Antonio 600 Club, for seven straight years the largest in the state, is conducting a drive for large representation in the ninth annual meet.

Special San Antonio squads will get the tournament underway at 12:30 p.m. Saturday at San Pedro.

Competition will be divided

into two scratch singles divisions, Division I for bowlers with averages of 165 and above and Division II for bowlers with averages of 164 and under.

New rules allow bowlers to bowl twice, but not in the same pair of lanes. Individuals cannot place more than once on the prize list.

Another side meet at San Pedro will be the Bowlers Victory Legion, a 3-6-9 meet open to both men and women. Bowlers in the handicapped tourney receive a free strike in the third, sixth and ninth frames.

Entry fee is \$4 of which \$1.35 goes to the BVL, an organization which aids recreational programs in various veterans' hospitals across the state.

A Ragtime Doubles tourney at All Star will run from Friday through April 11 with

a \$400 guarantee for first place. The ABC and WIBC sanctioned meet is open to two-women or mixed doubles with a 66 per cent handicap for men and 75 per cent handicap for women from 210.

Astro Bowl, featuring the Brunswick Automatic Scorekeeper, will a Computer Doubles tourney which starts Thursday and runs through April 30. Two-women and mixed teams will bowl four games with the best three counting. On the basis of 450 entries, there will be a \$1,500 guarantee.

Beverly San Marco Pantuso is the defending champion in the Bluebonnet Queens tourney carded April 13-14. The San Antonian has a bye into the finals and will be joined by seven others in head to head matches for the championship.



JERRY JOHNSON (left), last year's winner in the scratch division of the San Antonio Women's 600 Club bowling tournament, signs up with Nancy Prather for the 1973 tourney which opens next Saturday at San Pedro Center.

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Women's State Bowling Meet Gets Early Start Here Today

The Texas Women's Bowling Association "brass" came to town Friday and predicted one of the best state tournaments in history as bowlers poured in for the first weekend Saturday and Sunday.

Mary Bishop of Houston is state president, Lil Poole of Hurse is secretary and Doris Kaufman of Wichita Falls is treasurer. All were on hand Friday looking over the polished-up lanes at Southside where the first squad starts bowling at 12:30 today and Wonder Bowl where singles and doubles start at 4 p.m.

The tournament, No. 37, with 1,958 teams, second largest entry in history, runs 11 weekends. The huge entry prompted the early start this weekend. The formal beginnings are due next weekend with elaborate ceremonies at Southside at 6:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 9.



MARY BISHOP
Association President

AN UNSUSUAL opportunity awaits local bowling fans who like to meet people and have extra time on their hands during weekends.

The San Antonio Women's Bowling Association is seeking workers to help conduct the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament which got under way this weekend at Southside and Wonder Bowl.

Scorekeepers and check-in desk attendants are needed, but these are just two of a large number of jobs necessary to keep the gigantic tournament running smoothly.

"IT'S A great opportunity to meet people and make them feel welcome to our city," said Sylvia Broyles, secretary of the host organization and a director of the state association.

"If they have the time, we'll find a job for them," she added.

Interested persons should call the SAWBA office, 694-3015, so they can be scheduled. The tournament will run for 11 weekends with play on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays.

TWBA Tourney Starts Today

The firing starts Saturday in the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament, the richest ever and second largest in association history.

A squad of 12 five-women teams will start the team event at 11:30 a.m. at Southside while across town 40 individuals will start the singles and doubles event at 4 p.m. at Wonder Bowl.

The team event schedule call for 24 teams to bowl at 2:30 p.m. and a like number at 5:30 p.m. at Southside Saturday.

In the singles and doubles, a second shift is carded at 7:30 p.m. at Wonder Bowl with 36 individuals scheduled to bowl.

Three team squads will bowl Sunday, starting at 9 a.m., 12 noon and 3 p.m.,

bringing the total of teams to 122 for the first weekend of the meet. Singles and doubles squads will roll Sunday at 8 a.m., 11:15 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. to bring the total individual participation for the weekend to 182.

The tourney, which attracted a near-record 1,958 team entries and a record 9,350 individuals who will be competing for \$74,098.25 in prize monies, will run for 11 weekends.

Bowling will be on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays in both team and singles and doubles events with usually one squad on Fridays, four squads on Saturdays and three squads on Sundays.

Official opening ceremonies are scheduled next Friday at 6:30 p.m. at Southside.

600 Tourney

The ninth annual Texas 600 Club championship tournament, which will run concurrently with the state competition, kicks off at 12:30 p.m. today at San Pedro Bowling Center. The club, limited to women who have bowled 600 series, has some 250 members, who will be permitted to bowl twice on the weekends of the TSWB tournament. Rosalie Harrell is president and tournament chairman.



Keg Tournaments

The state women's 600 Club Tournament and also the 389 Bowlers Victory Legion Tournament opened an 11-weekend run at San Pedro Lanes Saturday.

Opening-day leaders are, in the state women's, Wilma Hewgley of San Antonio with a 572 scratch in Division I and Jody Wright of San Antonio in Division II with a 542; William Fox in the men's division of the Victory Legion meet with 640 and Evelyn Hector of San Antonio with 679 in the women's bracket. The meet continues at noon Sunday.



BUSIEST SPOT IN TOWN for awhile Saturday was the office at Southside Bowling Lanes where the state women's tenpin tournament started. Left to right are Pearl Yarborough, San Antonio association president; Sylvia Broyles, local secretary; Millie Wood, public

relations director; Doris Coffman, state treasurer; Mary Bishop, state president; Minnie Bel Ross, local publicity director; Susie Anderson, assistant in publicity, and Lil Poole, state secretary. Tourney runs 11 weekends.

THE SAN ANTONIO LIGHT
Sunday, February 11, 1973

572 Leading 600 Tourney

Wilma Hewleg stands atop the Texas 600 Club bowling tourney being played at San Pedro Bowling Center with a 572.

Action in the event continues Sunday with action slated to begin at noon. The tournament runs for 11 weekends in conjunction with the Texas Women's Bowling Association tournament.

TEXAS 600 CLUB
Division One scratch singles — Wilma Hewleg, 572; Ann Perkins 551; Polly Denham 547.
Division Two scratch singles — Jody Wright, 542; Gladys Merka, Killeen, 536; Sally Mills, 506.



Discuss BVL Tourney

Dee Scallorn, left, a member of the Bowler's Victory League tournament committee and JoAnn Goldman, league coordinator at San Pedro Bowling Center, discuss the current BVL tourney being staged at San Pedro in conjunction with the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament. The handicap tourney runs through April 15 and is open to both men and women.

IN CONJUNCTION with the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association, the San Antonio 600 Club is conducting a BVL 3-6-9 tournament at San Pedro Bowling Center.

The tournament is divided into men's and women's divisions and the bowlers get a free strike in the third, sixth and ninth frame as well as 75 per cent handicap from 200.

Thus far, 66 bowlers have rolled in the meet which will run through April 15. Larry Cross is the current men's leader with a 723 and Georgia Glenn of Tyler leads the women with a 684.

ENTRY FEE is \$4 and the prize fund will be disbursed on a ratio of one prize for every 10 entries in each division.

During the past 30 years, bowlers have contributed more than \$5,000,000 through the BVL Fund. This year's goal is to double the 1972 contributions total of \$450,000.

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Hewleg Wright Top Meet

Wilma Hewlegley is leading Division I of the women's state 600 club tournament at San Pedro and Jody Wright paces division II. The meet is held in conjunction to the women's state tournament.

Mrs. Hewlegley has a 572 total and Mrs. Wright 542. Ann Perkins of San Antonio is second in Division I with 551, followed

by Polly Denham with 547, and Sue Hedeman with 541. Trailing Mrs. Wright are Gladys Merka of Temple with 538, Sally Mills of San Antonio with 506 and Shannon Palmer with 502.

In the 3-6-9 Bowlers Victory Legion tournament Georgia Glenn of Tyler leads the parade in the women's division with 684, followed by Love Deadrick of Garland with 681, Evelyn Hector of San Antonio with 679, and Jerry Johnson of San Antonio with 676.

Larry Cross leads the men's division of the meet with 723. Bob Phillips has 684, Larry Brooks 675, and Bob Tunnell 672.

THE SAN ANTONIO LIGHT
Sunday, February 25, 1973

DeFily Leading 600 Tourney

Myrt DeFily came up with a 623 Saturday to take over first place in Division One of the Texas Women's 600 Club tournament at San Pedro Bowling Center.

Wilma Hewleg is second with a 572 and Ann Perkins third at 551.

Jody Wright leads Division Two with a 542 followed by Gladys Merka, Killeen, at 536 and Sally Mills at 506.

Sunday, March 18, 1973

DeFily Retains Bowling Lead

Myrt DeFily continues to stand atop the 600 Club Bowling tournament at San Pedro Lanes with a 623.

The 11-weekend tournament runs in conjunction with the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association championships at Wonder Bowl and Southside Lanes.

Margie Raz of Victoria paces Division Two with a 547.

600 CLUB
Division One — Myrt DeFily, 623; Fran Lary, Burkburnett, 573; Pat Waldo, Paris, 572; Wilma Hewlegley, 572; Pat Fauer, Port Arthur, 572.
Division Two — Margie Raz, Victoria, 547; Jody Wright, 542; Gladys Merka, Temple, 536.

VICTORY LEGION
Women's division — Betty Badgwell, Odessa, 707; Donna Honell, Odessa, 700; Georgia Glenn, Tyler, 684.

EXPRESS/NEWS—Sunday, March 4, 1973

Lead Kept By DeFily

Myrt DeFily kept the lead in the TWBA's 600 Club with a 623 series after Saturday's action in the fifth of 11 weeks of rolling at San Pedro Lanes.

Behind Mrs. DeFily in Division I are Wilma Hewlegley (572) and Ann Perkins (551), all of San Antonio. Jody Wright's 542 tops Division II, followed by Gladys Merka of Temple at 536 and Sally Mills at 506.

In Bowlers Victory League (BVL) action, Larry Cross leads the men's division with a 723, followed by Lawrence Sutton at 683 and Paul Brown at 683.

Saturday, March 24, 1973

DeFily Retains Bowling Lead

Myrt DeFily continued to pace Division I of the 600 Club bowling tournament at San Pedro but Nell Whatley of Beaumont moved into second place after Friday's action.

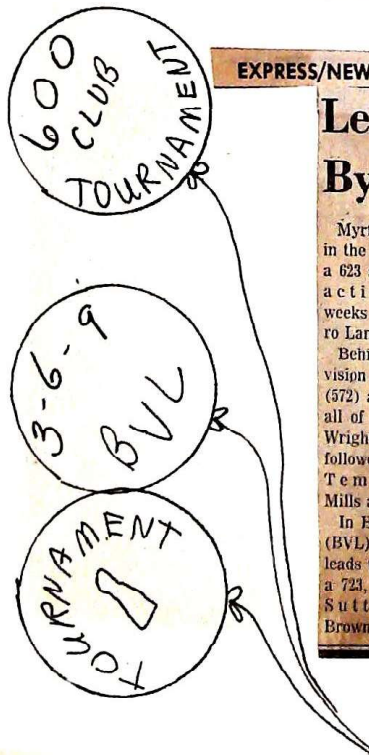
The 11-week tournament is in its ninth weekend with Mrs. DeFily's 623 topping all others. Whatley's 590 dropped Fran Lary of Burkburnett to third at 573.

Margie Raz of Victoria held on to first place in Division II with a 547 series.

The State 600 Club will hold its annual meeting Saturday at 9 a.m. at El Tropicano.

600 CLUB
Division I — Myrt DeFily, 623; Nell Whatley, Beaumont, 590; Fran Lary, Burkburnett, 573.
Division II — Margie Raz, Victoria, 547; Jody Wright, 542; Ja Taylor, Vidon, 534; Gladys Merka, Temple, 536.

VICTORY LEGION
Men — Larry Cross, 723; Gayle Hayes, 692; Lawrence Sullon, 688.
Women — Sharon Nichols, Temple, 722; Betty Badgwell, Odessa, 707; Donna Honell, Odessa, 700.



March 23, 1973

Whatley Paces 600 Tourney

State president Beverly McLendon of Houston and local chairman Nancy Prather will preside over the annual Women's 600 Bowling Club meeting at the El Tropicano Saturday morning.

In the 600 tournament Friday, Nelda Whatley of Beaumont gave Mert DeFily a run for the money in Division I when she rolled a 219 game and a 590 series to move into second place. Xert is atop the heap with 623.

Sharon Nichols of Temple had a 722 series to take over the top spot in the Women's Division of the BVL's 3-6-9 tournament.

Friday, March 30, 1973

Howard 2nd In 600 Meet

Janice Howard of Waco rolled a 595 Saturday to move into second place in Division I of the 600 Club state bowling tournament at San Pedro Lanes. San Antonio's Myrt DeFily leads with a 623.

Wanda Bub of Corpus Christi took over first place in Division II with a 557.

In the BBL meet, which is held in conjunction with the 600 Club affair, Donna Abolton of San Antonio and Sharon Nichols of Temple took over first and second places with scores of 726 and 722, respectively.

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Art By E.O. Quinn Secy



Monday, April 16, 1973

Sitterle Keeps Lead

Betty Jo Sitterle of Houston retained her lead in Division I with a 625 total to win the Women's 600 Club's title at San Pedro Lanes Sunday. Myrt DeFily of San Antonio was second with a 623, and Margis Smallwood third at 619 in the tourney, which had a record number of 378 entries this year.

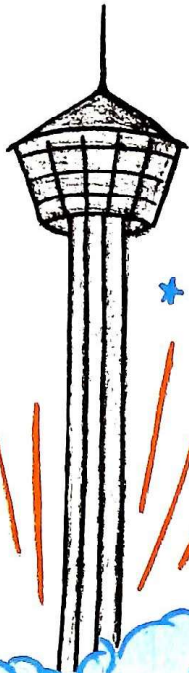
In Division II, Barbara Matlock of Alvin rolled a 561 series for the championship, followed by Wanda Bub of Corpus Christi with 557, and Sally Mills of San Antonio with a 555 three-game set.

Merle Nelson of Houston and Jim King of Victoria each walked off with divisional titles in the Bowlers Victory Legion 3-6-9 meet, which was also held at San Pedro Lanes in conjunction with the state women's meet.

Nelson had a 778 series in the Women's Division, where the participant gets an automatic strike in the third, sixth, and ninth frames. Marty Meads of San Antonio and Murt Cannon of Waco finished second and third, respectively, with 775 and 770 series.

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Welcome to San Antonio

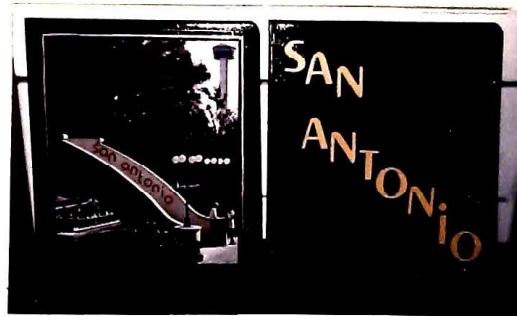
"Hello" and, on behalf of the San Antonio Women's Bowling Association, a warm and hearty welcome to San Antonio, the city of beauty, history, hospitality and fun.

We sincerely hope your visit to our city will be a pleasant one and if we may help you in any way, please feel free to call upon us.

Our very special wish for each of you is that you may bowl well, meet new friends, have lots of fun and return home safely with a bundle of fond memories.



PEARL YARBOROUGH
President and Tournament Co-ordinator, San Antonio Women's Bowling Association



State Bowling Begins

The first 60 teams in a near-record entry of 1,958 are set to kick off the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state championship tournament in three Saturday shifts at Southside lanes. The first squad of 12 teams starts at 11:30 a.m. with five teams from Austin, three from San Antonio, two from Houston, one from Corpus Christi and one from Big Spring. Full shifts of 24 teams are scheduled at 2:30 and 5:30 p.m.

Singles and doubles start at 4 p.m. Saturday at Wonder Bowl. A second shift follows at 7:30.

The tournament is being started a week earlier than originally planned because of the heavy late entry. The formal opening remains scheduled for 6:30 Friday, Feb. 9, at Southside, where all team competition will take place. Singles and doubles will be rolled at Wonder Bowl. There will be action at both houses every weekend through April 15.

An elaborate program has been mapped out for the formal opening involving local and state dignitaries, special music, speeches and the appearance of the MacArthur

High School color guard.

Other bowling establishments will be busy. The San Antonio 600 Club, headed by Rosalie Harrell, will be hostess to a statewide competition starting at 12:30 a.m. Saturday at San Predo Center. Astro Bowl has scheduled a computer doubles tournament and All-Star Lanes a ragtime doubles event. The Queens competition which is a feature of the state meet is scheduled the last weekend of the tournament.

The TWBA annual banquet will be March 23 at El Tropicano.

Austin Keglers Pace Tourney

San Antonian Mary Polly kept Austin from completely dominating the Open Division leads after one weekend in the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament.

Ms. Polly rolled a 234 game on the way to a 615 series which gave her the lead in the Open singles.

E-Z Duz it Kar Wash, of Austin took the team lead with a 2704, Joy Samuelson teamed with Helen Kurburski to take the Open doubles lead with a 1200 and Ms. Samuelson emerged as the all-events leader with a 1797.

Ms. Polly had the tourney's top game, a 255 and

wound up as the all-events runnerup with a 1721.

Ms. Samuelson recorded a 637 in the double, the weekend's highest series, as well as a 614 in the team event and a 546 in singles for the 1797.

Highlights of the opening weekend included the conversion of the 7-10 split by Helen Patton, a 147 average bowler from Austin, and a 252 game by San Antonian Jeanette Hoebel in the team event. It was Miss Hoebel's second 200 ever after she entered the tourney with a 148 average.

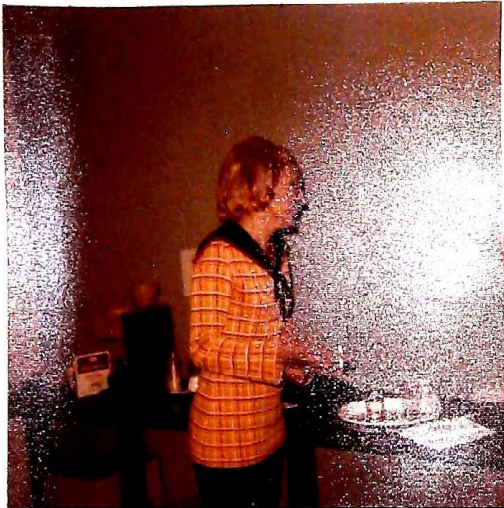
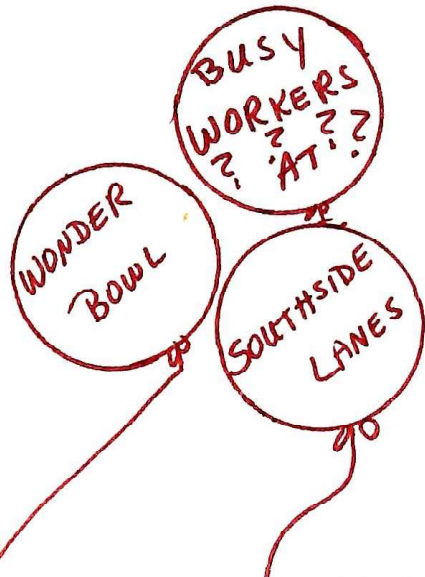
The leaders after one weekend of play (all from San Antonio unless otherwise indicated)

TEAM EVENT
 Open—U-Z Duz it Kar Wash, Austin, 2704; A—Ding A-Lings 2660, Columbia Scarlets 2582; Jacks Exxon, Austin, 2527; B—Frame Up's Shop, Corpus Christi, 2611; Nu Wa Janitor Service, Big Spring, 2478; Herder Truck Lines and Friends 2453; C—Ashely Const., Corpus Christi, 2425; Fancy Pants 2433; Kellam Floors, Austin, 2425; D—Martinez Gull, Austin, 2344; Lost Cates, Killeen, 2285; Ding Bats 2231; E—Lifton, Lubbock, 2199; USA 2166; Mistis, Austin, 2162; Novice—Rolling Pins 1956; Columbia Rollers, Seguin, 1868; Columbia Industries 1854.

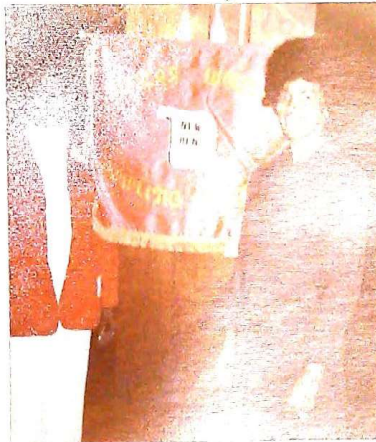
DOUBLES
 Open—Helen Kurburski Joy Samuelson, Austin, 1200; Alice Talro-Patricia Baker, 1069; Carol Storms-June Muskoof 1042; A—Vie Doyal Betty Morgan, Amarillo, 1094; Maureen Woodson-Helen Armstrong, Austin, 1072; Mary Polly-Ruby Pilgrim 1069; B—(tie) Anna Maria Brown-Rosalie Roemer, Victoria, 1038; and Sue Clark-Virginia Ross, Corpus Christi, 1038; Joyce Davis Annaf Huante, Big Spring, 1036; C—Sandy K Richnow Tonia D Strum, Houston, 1032; Barbara Borjefield Paula Addison, New Braunfels, 1013; Pal McClughan Pat Oxford, Houston, 1002; D—Molly Cumby Betty Rightmer, Corpus Christi, 976; Peggy Nicholson Sandy Scott 957; Minnie Wilcoxon Elsie Garrahn, Killeen, 920; E—Sharon McDonald Gene Luther, Lubbock, 1003; Jane Cotton-LaQuita Herweck 919; Myra Lawrence Gwen Skinner, Longview, 907; Novice—Gloria Salinas-Marge Dunn, Lubbock, 898; Dorothy Zerbe-Irene Fernandez 840; Sherry Street-Margaret Pennington, Austin, 838.

SINGLES
 Open—Mary Polly 615; Patricia Baker 601; Jean Chandler, Dallas, 594; A—Sandy K. Richnow, Houston, 573; (tie) Prissy Frator, Austin, 561; and Martha Penalozo 561; B—Neil Broadway 591; Louise Krochmal 569; Paula Addison, New Braunfels, 559; C—Sandy Scott 575; Laurilee Daniels, Dallas, 549; Mary E. Wright 524; D—Dianne Phillips, Pasadena, 587; Elsie Garrahn, Killeen, 538; Cindy Jordan, Corpus Christi, 532; E—Margaret Pennington, Austin, 497; Daisy Binford, Longview, 466; Audie Nall, Austin, 461; Novice—Sonja R. Moore, Austin, 476; Marge Dunn, Lubbock, 456; Betty Rightmer, Corpus Christi, 446.

ALL EVENTS
 Open—Joy Samuelson, Austin, 1797; Mary Polly 1721; Jean Chandler, Dallas, 1703; A—Maureen Wooten, Austin, 1671; Sue Fey, Corpus Christi, 1576; Vie Doyal, Amarillo, 1571; B—Fredia Lillie 1613; Neil Broadway 1592; Linda Duncan 1589; C—Laurilee Daniels, Dallas, 1555; Theresa Turner, Lubbock, 1536; Linda Herriford, Austin, 1487; D—Elsie Garrahn, Killeen, 1518; Dianne Phillips, Pasadena, 1476; Emily Matheny, Austin 1455; E—Margaret Pennington, Austin, 1469; Deborah Snick 1357; Audie Nall, Austin, 1349; Novice—Marge Dunn, Lubbock, 1392; Gloria Salinas, Lubbock, 1284; Joyce Vargas, Galveston, 1283.

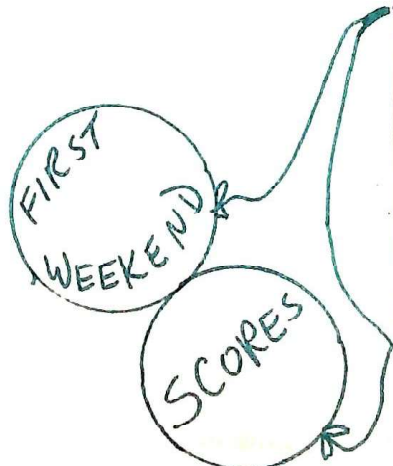


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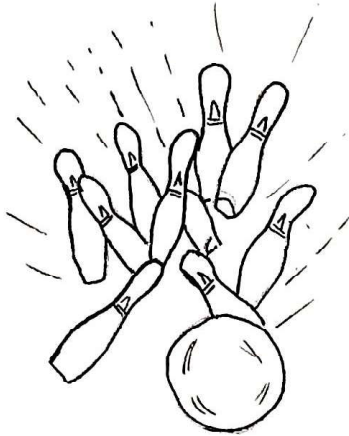


Official Ceremonies Open Keg Tournament

With photographers on both sides of Southside lane no. 18 and the blinding glare of a TV spotlight in her eyes, city champion Beverly Pantuso rolled the ceremonial first ball at the formal opening ceremonies of the Texas State Women's Bowling Association Friday night—and got a wide-open, back-row split. The shoulder-to-shoulder throng called on her to "bowl again." She did, the TV light came on once more—and she got an identical back-row split.

In first-night teenage activity that followed the opening ceremonies, the Sweethearts posted the highest team score, 3,098 with handicap, as Julie Roba rolled a 564 series from

scratch to top that division. Debbie Perkins' 234 game from scratch was another high. All of the teenage bowlers were from San Antonio.



But it was a fun night party that also observed the 40th anniversary of women's organized bowling in Texas, with a huge birthday cake and speeches, and the crowd cheered, as it did for everybody introduced. Master of ceremonies Paul Morgan introduced dozens, including all state association and local association officials, representatives of the Southside and Wonder Bowl, where the state meet is being divided, and San Pedro Center, where the state 600 club is holding forth.

PERSONALITIES

Mayor pro tem Carol Haberman and Erna Hauller, who bowled with Violet (Bill) Simon, Babe Campbell, Elizabeth Whall and Emma Treiber on San Antonio's first state tournament team and has served as state president, cut the ribbon. Helen Baetz, chairman of the committee on arrangements, opened the program. Speakers included Mary Bishop, state president, and Pearl Yarbrough, San Antonio association president.

Linda Curry, from the junior program which supplied all the bowlers of Friday's single shift, sang "The Star Spangled Banner" and junior Gallon Combs asked the invocation. State secretary Lili Poole introduced the bowling squads.

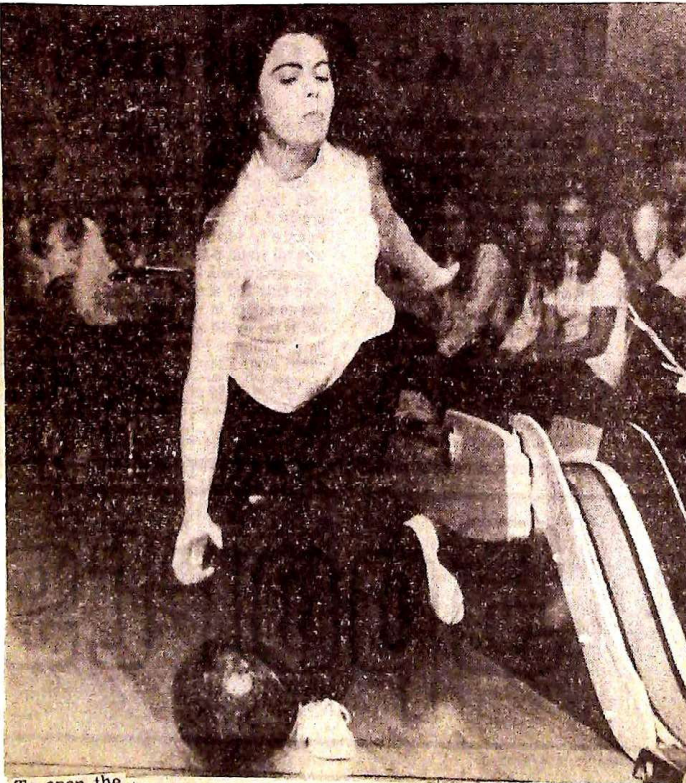
STARTED EARLY

The tournament, which actually started a week ago on its 11-weekend run, gets into full stride today and Sunday with four team shifts Saturday at Southside, the first at 11:30, and four Saturday shifts of singles and doubles, the first at 11:15. Sunday's program calls for three team shifts, the first at 9 a.m., and three shifts of doubles and singles, the first at 8 a.m.



THE FORTIETH BIRTHDAY anniversary of organized women's bowling in Texas was observed at the formal opening ceremonies of the Texas Women's

Bowling Association tournament Friday night. With Helen Baetz at the microphone, 40 electric candles came on to light a huge "cake"



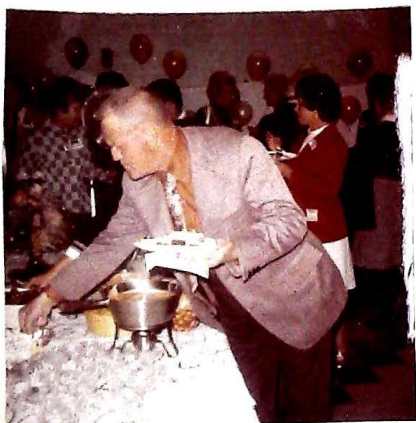
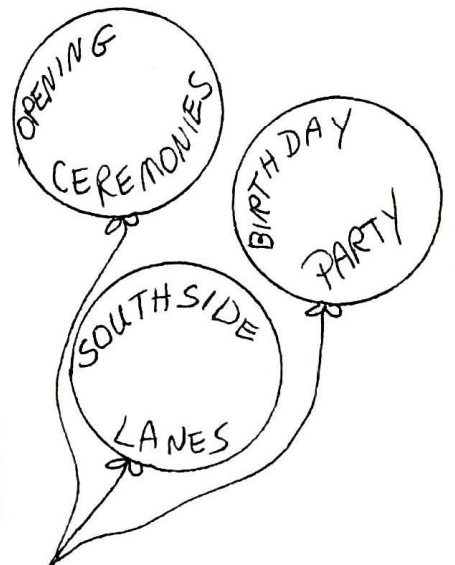
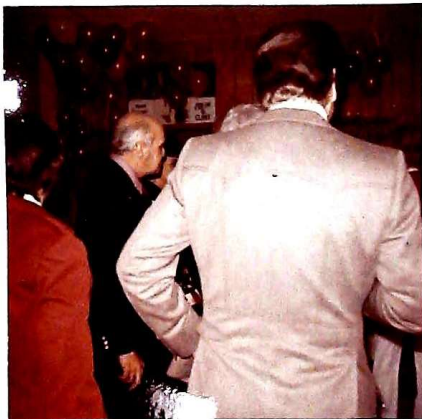
To open the tournament, city champion Beverly Pantuso bowled the ceremonial first ball, split, bowled again, split again, and laughed with the crowd that jammed Southside Lanes.



"The Star Spangled Banner" was sung by Linda Curry (right), junior bowler. The bowlers on the program were all juniors.

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BIRTHDAY PARTY



Leaders in Positions in State Bowling

The second weekend of the Texas State Women's Bowling Association tournament winds up today with doubles and singles action set for Wonder Bowl and team competition at Southside Lanes.

Saturday's action in the 11-weekend event saw several changes in the standings in lower divisions but few changes at the top.

E-Z-Duz-It Car Wash of Austin clung to the top spot in the open team event with a 2704.

Austinites Helen Kuberski and Joy Samuelson continued to lead in open doubles with a 1200, while San Antonio's Mary Poll retained the open singles lead with a 615.

Since no all-events figures for this weekend will be tallied until Sunday evening, Joy Samuelson holds the lead in that column with a 1707.

Action at Wonder Bowl is slated to begin at 8 a.m. Sunday, while Southside action will begin at 9 a.m.

TEAM EVENT

Open—E-Z-Duz-It Car Wash, Austin, 2704; Valwood Traveling Team, Dallas, 2506; Class A—Carol Dingo-Linas, SA, 2440; Gene Harmon Ford, Texas City, 2432; Columbia Scarlets, SA, 2382; Class B—The Frame Ups Shop, Corpus Christi, 2111; General's Products, SA, 2100; Nu-Wax Janitor Service, Big Spring, 2078; Class C—Ashley Construction, Corpus Christi, 2033; Fancy Pants, SA, 2433; S. O. Kellin Floors, Austin, 2425; Class D—TWH's, Laredo, 2385; Martinez Gulf, Austin, 2344; Lost Causes, Killeen, 2285; Class E—Lifton No. 2, Lubbock, 2199; USAA No. 1, SA, 2145; Mitsilis, Austin, 2142; Novice—Wilson Art, Temple, 2057; Rollins Pins, SA, 1956; Rio Raiders, Laredo, 1877.

DOUBLES EVENT

Open—Helen Kuberski-Joy Samuelson, Austin, 1200; Patricia Baker-Alice Tatro, SA, 1084; Sally Bernstein-Ellen Gaurley, Austin, 1056; Class A—Vie Doyal-Bethy Morgan, Amarillo, 1014; Maureen Wood-Helen Armstrong, Austin, 1072; Mary Polly-Ruby Pflerlin, SA, 1067; Class B—Anna Maurickos-Pat Maleronek, Corpus Christi, 1130; Rose Roemer-Ann Marie Brown, Victoria, 1038; Sue Clark-Virginia Rose, Corpus Christi, 1022; Class C—Rita Ferguson-Maxine Nickell, Seguin, 1049; Constance Woods-Rose Forshaw, SA, 1037; Sandy Richnow-Tonia Richnow, Houston, 1032; Class D—Molly Cumbly-Betty Wrightimer, Corpus Christi, 976; Peggy Nicholson-Sandy Scott, 957; Class E—Sharon McDonald-Jean Lusher, Lubbock, 1003; Joyce Varnos-Vicki Hellman, Galveston, 945; Jane Cotton-Laquila Herweck, SA, 919; Novice—Gloria Salinas-Marge Dunn, Lubbock, 898; Dorothy Zerbe-Irene Fernandez, SA, 840; Sherri Street-Margaret Pennington, 830.

SINGLES

Open—Mary Polly, SA, 615; Patricia Baker, SA, 601; Jean Chandler, Dallas, 584; Class A—Ella Foster, SA, 572; Sandy Richnow, Houston, 573; Martha Penolazo, SA, 561; Prissy Frazer, Austin, 551; Class B—Nell Broadway, SA, 531; LaRue Findelsen, Corpus Christi, 520; Louise Krochmal, SA, 568; Class C—Sandy Scott, SA, 575; Laura Lee Daniels, Dallas, 549; Mary Wright, SA, 574; Class D—Diane Phillips, Pasadena, 567; Elsie Gorry, Killeen, 531; Cindi Jordan, Corpus Christi, 532; Class E—Margaret Pennington, Austin, 497; Ethyl Beasley, Houston, 483; Nancy Rillinger, SA, 485; Novice—Sonia Moore, Austin, 474; Melinda Hayes, SA, 463; Marge Dunn, Lubbock, 454.

Lots of Changes In Pin Tourney

New leaders popped up all over the place Sunday in the Texas Women's State Bowling Association tournament being rolled at Wonder Bowl and Southside lanes.

Capping the second weekend of the tournament was Ella Foster of San Antonio who rolled into the Class A singles lead with a 582. Another new leader in Class A was the Houston doubles team of Tina Christian and Helen Zurovec. The duo rolled 1169 to grab the lead.

TEAM EVENT

Open—E-Z Duz-It Car Wash, Austin, 2704; Valwood Traveling, Dallas, 2506. A—Carol's Dingo-Linas 2480; Harmon Ford, Texas City, 2432; Columbia Scarlets, SA, 2382. B—Frame Up's Shop, Corpus Christi, 2611; Georgia's Peaches 2490; Nu-Wax Janitor Service, Big Spring, 2478. C—Ashley Construction, Corpus Christi, 2433; Fancy Pants 2433; Kellam Floors, Austin, 2425. D—Bor-FY's Florist, Texas City, 2379; TWH's, Laredo, 2333; Martinez Gulf, Austin, 2344. E—Lifton No. 2, Lubbock, 2199; USAA No. 1 2145; Mitsilis, Austin, 2142. Novice—BX Bowlers 2167; Texas City Five 2084; Wilson Art No. 1, Temple, 2057.

DOUBLES

Open—Helen Kuberski-Joy Samuelson, Austin, 1200; Nancy Hemard-Berbara Munro, Ft. Worth, 1072; Patricia Baker-Alice Tatro 1048. A—Tina Christian-Helen Zurovec, Houston, 1169; Barbara Stevens-Bobbie Mitchelring, Victoria, 1124; Vie Doyal-Bethy Morgan Amarillo, 1094. B—Anna Mauricko-Pat

Maleronek, Corpus Christi, 1130; Louise Seelye-Jean Gouldhorpe, Tyler, 1045; Sue Clark-Virginia Rose, Corpus Christi, 1038; Rosalie Roemer-Anna Marie Brown, Victoria, 1038. C—Rita Ferguson-Maxine Nickell, Seguin, 1049; Constance Woods-Rose Forshaw 1037; Sandy Richnow-Tonia Strum, Houston, 1032. D—Molly Cumbly-Betty Wrightimer, Corpus Christi, 976; Peggy Nicholson-Sandy Scott 957; Elaine Brand-Elaine Cornell, Killeen, 945. E—Sharon McDonald-Gene Lusher, Lubbock, 1003; Joyce Varnos-Vicki Hellman, Galveston 945; Jane Cotton-Laquila Herweck 919. Novice—Gloria Salinas-Marge Dunn, Lubbock, 898; Jenny Wong-Mobie Wang 847; Dorothy Zerbe-Irene Fernandez 840.

SINGLES

Open—Mary Polly 615; Bettye Bird, Ft. Worth, 607; Jean Fleishman, Arlington, 603. A—Ella Foster 582; Alice Bridges, Kerrville, 575; Sandy Richnow, Houston, 573. B—Zella Gregory, Odessa, 621; Nell Broadway 591; Mary May, Ft. Worth, 573. C—Laura Christy, Beaumont, 581; Sandy Scott 575; Alice Martinez 554. D—Dianne Phillips, Pasadena, 567; Elsie Gorry, Killeen, 538; Cindi Jordan, Corpus Christi, 532. E—Margaret Pennington, Austin, 497; Nancy Rillinger, 473; Pam Aulston, Colorado County, 472. Novice—Sonia R. Moore, Austin, 474; Peggy Holley, Greenville, 474; Melinda Hayes 463.

ALL EVENTS

Open—Joy Samuelson, Austin, 1797; Mary Polly 1721; Jean Chandler, Dallas, 1703. A—Maureen Woolen, Austin, 1611; Helen Zurovec, Houston, 1635; Linda Troll 1619. B—Louise Doff, Texas City, 1642; Pat Maleronek, Corpus Christi, 1625; Fredia Little, 1613. C—Rita Ferguson, Seguin, 1597; Lourline Daniels, Dallas, 1555; Linda Low, Irving, 1545; D—Elsie Gorry, Killeen, 1518; Dianne Phillips, Pasadena, 1476; Emily Heltner, Austin, 1455; Carolyn Abel, Seguin, 1453. E—Margaret Pennington, Austin, 1469; Pam Applina, Eagle Lake, 1469; Dawn Durnan 1385. Novice—Marge Dunn, Lubbock, 1392; Rebecca Cloud 1303; Carolyn Band, Dallas, 1298.

SAN ANTONIO NEWS—Friday, February 16, 1973

Fem bowlers in action again

A crew of 72 bowlers opened the third weekend of the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association at Wonder Bowl and 24 teams will swing into action tonight at 8 at Southside.

Highlight of this weekend's activity in the massive tournament will be the first-ever appearance of seniors (over 55) entries beginning at 11:30 a.m. Saturday at Southside.

Friday, February 16, 1973

Senior Bowlers In Spotlight

Fifteen teams of senior bowlers, all over 55 and some considerably more "senior" than that, will be in the spotlight in the third weekend of the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association championship tournament. They bowl on the first Saturday team shift at Southside lanes, starting at 11:30 a.m. There will be three more Saturday shifts of teams, at 2:30 p.m., 5:30 and 8:30. The weekend bowling starts Friday with one team shift at

Southside at 8 p.m. and a 2 p.m. shift of singles and doubles at Wonder Bowl. There will be three more team shifts at Southside Saturday following the early one featuring the senior leaguers, and a full schedule of four shifts of singles and doubles at Wonder Bowl. The last Sunday shift of individual bowlers starts at 2:30. There will be three Sunday team shifts at Southside, the last starting at 3 p.m.

TWBA Gets Early Start

The third weekend of the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament gets an early start this week with play slated to start Friday. A squad of 15 bowlers will bowl their singles and doubles in a shift starting at 2 p.m. at Wonder Bowl while 24 teams will bowl their team event starting at 8 p.m. at Southside.

Highlight of the weekend will come at 11:30 a.m. Saturday at Southside when a squad of 15 senior team bowlers roll their team event. It will be the first time that senior bowlers, women over 55, roll in the state meet.

The squad will be made up of 11 local teams, all sponsored by Billy Simon, and two teams each from Dallas and Austin.

A total of 96 teams are scheduled to bowl their team event Saturday at Southside with shifts starting at 11:30 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 5:30 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. Shifts starting at 9 a.m., 12 noon and 3 p.m. will see another 72 teams in action Sunday.

At Wonder Bowl, 476 individuals will roll their singles and doubles in shifts beginning at 11:15 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 5:45 p.m. and 9 p.m. Sunday, three shifts will start at 8 a.m., 12 noon and 2:30 p.m. and 360 bowlers will be in action.

Among the bowlers to see action this weekend will be San Antonian Pat White, the defending Class A singles

champion. She rolled a 635 in El Paso last year to take top honors and will be bowling her singles and doubles on Lanes 19 and 20 at Wonder Bowl at 11:15 a.m. Saturday. Her doubles partner is Mrs. Pearl Yarborouter, president of the San Antonio Woman's Bowling Association.

Saturday, Feb. 17, 1973

One Change In Bowling

Only one change among the leaders was recorded Friday in the Texas Women's State Bowling Tournament, San Antonio's Andree Dixon taking over second place in all-events with 1329 pins completed with her team store at the Southside Lanes.

Marge Dunn of Lubbock is the leader with a 1392 posted last week.

There was little excitement in the Friday singles and doubles at Wonder Bowl outside of a 129 triplicate bowled by Alma Cardenas of San Antonio. Bowling there starts at 11:15.

The first squad of teams at Southside starts bowling at 11:30 a.m. Saturday, featuring 15 teams of seniors, age 55 and up. A checkup showed that Clara Priest, San Antonio, the super senior at age 88,



Texas State Bowling Tourney Sets All-Time Record

Texas state bowling tournament set an all-time entry record. The women's state came within a few teams of a record high. The Southwest meet created a new mark for interest as all signs point to a major surge in the bowling industry.

Now, with entries at all local bowling houses for the annual city meet, officials are 'ninking big.

So often so many bowlers pass up tournaments, thinking because of their low or mediocre averages they have no chance to win. But this is not the truth.

Almost all tournaments are planned so that every entry has a shot at the prize money and an opportunity to win in every class. In the city meet, for example, all bowlers will be shooting with others in their own bracket. First, the tournament is divided into divisions with the stars in one category, the middle average bowlers in another, and then a special class is there for the low average bowlers.

Not only that, but handicap is given in all classes, with bowlers receiving handicap from the top man or men in their own division. In this way every man in the city of San Antonio has a real shot at sharing in the prize distribution.

Bowlers have no valid reason for passing up the city meet with a shrug and the fear they have no chance to win.

There is an opportunity for every one, regardless of average or ability.

Veterans Show Up for Event

The mercury dipped into the 30s and the wind blew and the rain threatened to turn into sleet or snow but every one of the 80 women over 55 scheduled to bowl on the special shift for "senior citizens" showed up on schedule Saturday morning at Southside Lanes for team competition in the Texas State Women's Bowling Association tournament. Each sporting a long-stem carnation, they paraded onto the lanes, led by 88-year-old Clara Priest and 84-year-old Lillian Van Vessen, and proceeded to have fun although they shattered no records with their scores.

Mrs. Priest, San Antonio, oldest bowler in the tournament, had 340 with a 116 game. Mrs. Van Vessen, also San Antonio, had a 118 game in a 312 series.

Jewell Starr, Dallas, one of the founders of the association and a member of the state hall of fame, had 331.

Violet E. (Bill) Simon sponsored the 12 San Antonio teams on the shift. Miss Simon, one of the association charter members, who has been ill, was unable to attend. Her team on which Mrs. Priest and Mrs. Van Vessen bowled tallied 357 years, an average of more than 71.



CLARA PRIEST, 88, was the "seniorist" of the seniors who bowled their team event Saturday in the state women's tournament and was accorded special honors by the Texas Association. Mrs. Priest bowled 340 on a team whose ages averaged 71. Every senior bowler on the 16 teams showed up on schedule at Southside Lanes despite the bad weather.



Ball Highlights TWBA Action

Jackie Ball of San Antonio rolled a 587 to take over the lead in Class C singles to highlight action in the Texas Women's Bowling Association's state tournament at local lanes Saturday.

Action during this third weekend of the tourney continues at Wonder Bowl and Southside Lanes Sunday.

Mrs. Ball's 587 pushed her into first place in Class C singles, dropping previous leader Laura Christy of Beaumont (581) into second place. Mrs. Ball also had the top single game of the day, a 256, to go along with games of 165 and 166.

Only other change in singles was in Class D where Shirley A. Greene of Laredo rolled a 563 to take over second place.

There were three changes in doubles. In Class B, Ruth Nunnely and Shirley Dombek of San Antonio took over second with a 1056 and Louise Seelye and Jean Gouldthorpe grabbed third with a 1045. In Class D, Mary Schooler and Edna

Bryant climbed to third with a 949 and in Class E Elma Breiten and Sonia Weaver of Hondo grabbed third with a 922.

Two changes in team events had Aramco Blinds of Galveston taking over second place in Class B with a 256 while the Hot Shots of Tyler grabbed first place in Class C with a 2490.

Only one change occurred in all-events. Andree Dixon of San Antonio rolled a 1329 to climb into second place of the novice division.

Among Saturday's highlights were a 150 triplicate by Midge Holliday of S.A. in doubles action at Wonder Bowl; a 180 all-spare game by Lillian Bartee of Corpus Christi in singles play and a 187 all-spare score by Joyce Passmore of Aransas Pass in team events at Southside; Senior Citizens action at Southside where Mrs. Clara Priest, who is 88 years old, rolled games of 116, 103 and 121 and Mrs. Lillian Van Vessen, 84, had scores of 107, 87, 118.

Monday, February 19, 1973

Local Unit Sets Fem Keg Record

Galloway Beauty Shop of San Antonio highlighted weekend play in the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tourney.

Galloway set a new state record for the Novice Division team event with a 2,214, which bests the old state mark of 2,197 set in Houston in 1971 by Gibson's Beauty Supplies of Denton.

All open division leaders held constant for the third-straight week in the 11-week-end event being played at Wonder Bowl and Southside Lanes.

San Antonio's Mary Polly leads singles at 615, while Austinites control the other top open spots.

Helen Kuberski and Joy Samuelson head doubles with a 1200, while Samuelson heads all-events with a 1797. E-Z-D-UZ-IT Car Wash paces the team event at 2704.

Seven new leaders and one new co-leader emerged in the lower divisions during this past weekend's competition.



THIS IS THE NOVICE team from San Antonio which set a new record in the state tournament now in progress when it swatted a 2,214 total. Left to right, Virginia Verchler, Constance Kleinholz, Mary Ann Metz, Lois Pope, and Sharon Roberts.



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Sunday, February 25, 1973

Amarillo Bowler Leads

Alice Lueb of Amarillo, who is one-half of the defending champion doubles team, moved into first place in singles competition in the Class A division of the Texas Women's Bowling Association tournament Saturday with a score of 585.

Only one other first place changed hands—that in Class E singles where Rosemary Morris of San Antonio took over with a 522.

Several changes were recorded in the standings among the second and third place individuals and teams and two all-spares games—one by Juanita Tresieda of Jourdanton, who had a 163 in team competition, and one by Inez McCarley of La-

Grange, who rolled a 182 in singles—also highlighted the weekend's action.

The women's state tournament is in full stride, and good scoring has been the rule in the four major events of this meet. Also the BVL 3-6-9 meet and the women's 600 club tournament at San Pedro have been drawing interest.



SAN ANTONIO NEWS-
Friday, March 2, 1973

Keg meet to resume

The appearance of three defending champions and a pair of record holders will highlight the fifth weekend of bowling in the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tourney.

Play was to start at 2:30 p.m. today with 86 keggers scheduled to bowl their singles and doubles at Wonder Bowl. A squad of 24 teams, 17 of them locals, will roll its team event starting at 8 o'clock at Southside Lanes.

San Antonians Evelyn Hector and Jody Wright, who set the Open Division doubles record of 1244 in 1967 at Buccaneer Bowl in Corpus Christi, will bowl at 8 a.m. Sunday on Lanes 29 and 30 at Wonder Bowl.

Jeanne Morrison of Austin, last year's Open Division all-events winner, will bowl at 2:30 p.m. Sunday at Wonder Bowl on Lanes 19 and 20.

Dolores Hines and Eleanor Allen of Conroe, the defending champs in Class C doubles, will bowl at 5:45 p.m. Saturday at Wonder Bowl. Jeannie Senor is Hines' partner this year and Allen's new partner is Dot McKeown. All are from Conroe.

Saturday, March 3, 1973

Three Changes In Bowling

San Antonio bowlers took the spotlight Friday in the Texas Women's State Bowling Tournament as two sets of partners took over first place in their divisions and another moved into second place.

Laura Van DeWalle and Alice Persyn rolled a 1073 to move into the top spot in Class C doubles, Ursula Baker and Teresa Wernz moved into first place in the Novice Division doubles with a 943 and Classic Bird and Patricia A. Zornes slipped into second place in Class E doubles with a 999.

In other sidelights, Nanette Daic of Porter rolled a 234—105 pins above her average to earn a century patch and San Antonio's Nora Johnson came up with a 150 triplicate.



Sunday, March 4, 1973

Three Changes In Keg Meet

Only three changes were made Saturday in the Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament at Southside and Wonder Bowl lanes.

In the Open Division Team event, Bank of Austin moved into second place with a 2665, and Lone Star Ice and Food Stores of San Antonio took over third with 2630. The other change was in Class D Singles, where Corrine Fickey of Bryan and Dixie Adams of Brazosport tied for third place with a pair of 540s.

Jean Jackson of La Porte, a 159 average kegger, set a new high game for the tournament with 265 — 106 pins over her average. The giant game also qualifies her for a WIBC Century Patch.

In another noteworthy accomplishment, San Antonio's Alice Itlis — who holds the record in the Billy Simon Trophy competition for bowlers over 60 — fired a 234 to move into first place.

Queens

Entries now are being taken for the fourth annual Bluebonnet Queens tournament, held in conjunction with the annual state tournament now in progress.

The Bluebonnet Queens event will be held April 13-14 at Wonder Bowl with Mrs. Beverly Pantuso as the defending champion. She won the honors last year as Miss Beverly San Marco.

The tournament is open to all Texas WBA members, with an entry fee of \$25 and with entries to close March 25.

The first qualifying test will be a six-game block across six lanes Friday, April 13, at 1 p.m. with the top 32 women bowlers, on total pin, moving into the semifinals Friday at 7 p.m., when four more games will be bowled.

There will be eight women to survive the opening tests and they will move into the head-to-head finals at 8:30 p.m., April 14, with the finalists bowling each other and with a final position round to determine the champion.

All pinfall of the first two blocks will be dropped as the women go into the final eight games of the tournament. In the finals women will receive 30 pins bonus for each game won, plus their total pinfall.

The Bluebonnet is a prestige event for the upper flight stars and heavy scoring is the rule in this battle of individuals.

It is estimated first place will carry a \$450 prize plus the Bluebonnet trophy with a second place to pay \$300, third place \$250 and fourth \$200 down to \$80 for tenth place.

Entry blanks can be secured at the state tournament office at Southside lanes or from Sylvia Broyles, secretary of the San Antonio Woman's Bowling association, 1809 Parhaven, San Antonio.



The highest series bowled in the women's state meet, so far, belongs to Rosalie Pierson of Corpus Christi, a former San Antonio league bowler. Rosalie hit 649 in the team event.

Monday, March 5, 1973

Moore Paces State Bowling

Lella Moore of Cleburne accounted for the major shift in the standings last weekend when she totaled 1673 to take the lead in the Class A all-events in the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament.

Other highlight was a 265 game by Jean Jackson of LaPorte, high for the tourney thus far.

The leaders:

The leaders after five weekends of bowling:

TEAM EVENT
Open—E-Z Duzit Kar Wash, Austin 2704; Bank of Austin 2655; Lone Star

Ice & Food 2630. A—(11a) Galaxies, Brazosport, and Carol's Ding-A-Lings 2642; B—Frame Up's Shop, Corpus Christi, 2611; Aramos Blinds, Galveston, 2561; Caro's Mexican Foods, Fort Worth 2544. C—Hot Shots, Tyler, 2490; Starlights 2484; Ashley Construction, Corpus Christi, 2435. D—Barry's Florist, Texas City, 2379; TWHs, Laredo, 2332; Martinez Golf, Austin, 2244. E—Five Challengers, Luling, 2210; (11a) Texas Outdoors, Conroe, and Lilton, D D B O C K, 2197. Novice—Calloway's Beauty Shop 2214 (state record); BX Bowlers 2167; Texas City Five 2084.

DOUBLES

Open—Helen Kuburski-Joy Samuelson, Austin, 1200; Carolyn Skinner-Florence Tolle 1130; Mary Scribner-Billie Blackberry, Dallas, 1126. A—Tina Christian-Helen Zurawec, Houston, 1169; Lella Moore-Chorene Tarver, Cebu, 1132; Barbara Stevens-Bobbie Mitchering, Victoria 1126. B—Ann Mouricio-Pat Malonek, Corpus Christi, 1130; Ginger Smith-Sirley Neel, Childress, 1105; Vickie Nelson, Sandra Hull 1036. C—Laura VonDeWalle-Alice Peryn 1073; Rita Ferguson-Marilyn Nikell, Seagraves, 1069; Constance Wood-Rose Forshey 1037. D—Gerry McDonald, Fort Worth, and Jean Andrew, Houston, 981; Molly Cumbly-Betty Righmer, Corpus Christi, 976; Shirley Palmer-Sandra Robinson, Carthage, 967. E—Sharon McDaniel-Gene Lusher, Lubbock, 1003; Classie Byrd-Patricia Zornes 999; Joyce Voss-Vicki Hellman, Galveston, 995. Novice—Ursula Baker-Teresa Wenz 943; Gloria Salinas-Marge Dunn, Lubbock, 898; Jenny Wong-Mable Wong 819.

SINGLES

Open—Mary Polly 615; Lucy Makry, Austin, 613; Delores Hollar 611. A—Lella Moore, Cleburne, 619; Ruth Gregerman, Tay Town, 585; Alice Lucas, Amarillo, 585. B—Zella Gregory, Odessa, 621; Nell Broadway 591; Dorothy Scott 590. C—Jackie Ball, Laredo, 587; Laura Christy, Beaumont, 531; Elnita Brandon, Texas City, 574. D—Dianne Phillips, Pasadena, 557; (11a) Peggy Pittman, Baytown, and Shirley Greene, Laredo, 563. E—Rosemary Morris 522; Thelma Evans, Plainview, 514; Carol O'Brien 512. Novice—Sonja Moore, Austin, 476; Peggy Holley, Greenville, 474; Melinda Hayes 463.

ALL EVENTS

Open—Joy Samuelson, Austin, 1197; Mary Polly 1211; Carolyn Skinner 1213. A—Lella Moore, Cleburne, 1673; Mooreen Wooten, Austin, 1671; Fran Wolford, New Braunfels, 1637. B—Vickie Nelson 1675; Louise Dott, Texas City, 1623; Pat Malonek, Corpus Christi, 1622. C—Joyce White, Alvin, 1620; Dianne Millen, McAllen 1605; Rita Ferguson, Seagraves, 1597; Shirley Greene, Laredo, 1589; Peggy Pittman, Baytown, 1524; Elsie Garrahy, Killeen, 1518. E—Margaret Pennington, Austin, 1467; Jane Browne, Conroe, 1454; Nanette Dale, Conroe, 1428. Novice—Marge Dunn, Lubbock, 1372; Sharon Roberts, 1379; Dunny Jones, Corpus Christi, 1350.



Sunday, April 9, 1972

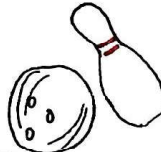
BOWLING CHAMP
Beverly San Marco, 22, San Antonio's 1972 City Champion, won the Bluebonnet Queens Tournament Friday night in Red Rooster Lanes. It was her third attempt at the title for Texas Women's Bowling Association players over 175 average. Miss Marco won six and lost two in the final head-to-head matches, beating El Paso's Boots Brown with a total of 1,659, an edge of 32 pins.



Handwritten notes:
"No new high scores"
Mary Maloney
Beverly San Marco
Ruth Maloney
Shirley Maloney
Marilyn Maloney
Shirley Maloney



WELCOME BOWLERS!





ALLEY TALK

With Aurelio H. Ramirez Jr.

Bluebonnet Queens Tourney Set In April

ENTRY DEADLINE for the Bluebonnet Queens tournament, the showcase side event of the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state meet, is just two weeks away.

The Bluebonnet Queens, styled with the Queens tourney held annually in conjunction with the WIBC tourney, is scheduled April 13-14 at Wonder Bowl.

Entry fee is \$25 and the entry deadline is March 25. Although the tourney is open to all TWBA members, it usually draws the top average bowlers and the prize fund has been estimated at \$1,800 based on 100 entries.

REIGNING BLUEBONNET Queen is Mrs. Beverly Pantuso of San Antonio, who won as Miss Beverly San Marco a year ago in El Paso.

The best thing about being the defending champion is that she gets seeded into the finals and does not have to compete in the qualifying round or the semifinals.

All the entrants will roll in a qualifying test at 1 p.m. Friday, April 13, rolling a six-game block across six lanes. The top 32 survivors move into the semis carded at 7 p.m. the same day and will bowl four-game blocks to determine Mrs. Pantuso's seven finals foes.

ALL PINFALL of the two Friday blocks will be dropped and the finalists move into head-to-head competition

at 8 p.m. Saturday. A final position round determines the champion. In the finals, the bowlers get 30 pins bonus for each game won in addition to their total pinfall.

First place in the tourney, a prestige event for the upper flight bowlers, will be worth an estimated \$450 plus the Bluebonnet trophy. Second should be worth \$300, third \$250, fourth \$200 down to \$80 for tenth.

Susie Reickley of Rouston won the first tourney in 1970 in Beaumont and Carolyn Layne Anderson of Fort Worth took first place in 1971 in Houston.

MRS. PANTUSO will have the benefit of "home" lanes when she attempts to become the first Bluebonnet Queens repeater as well as the first to win back-to-back crowns.

Entry blanks can be obtained at the state tournament office at Southside Lanes or from Sylvia Broyles, secretary of the San Antonio Woman's Bowling Association, 1809 Parhaven, San Antonio.



CAROL SMITH has tied for the top series bowled in the women's state tournament with a 649 total. Mrs. Smith is one of San Antonio's leading women stars.



CAROL SMITH

New Record Paces Tournament Action

A state tournament record and a pair of Open Division lead changes highlighted the sixth weekend of bowling in the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tourney.

Almost a third of the leaders were displaced as the big meet passed the halfway mark. There were nine lead changes.

Judi Smejkal, a 24-year-old

Laredo housewife, wrote her name in the record book by taking over the Class D all-events lead with a 1660.

Mrs. Smejkal took over first in the Class D singles with a 555, recorded a 500 series in doubles and then capped her first appearance ever in the state meet with a 605 series in the team event.

Pearl-Oak Hills of San Antonio took possession of first

place in the Open Division team event with a 2711 that dropped E-Z Duzit Kar Wash of Austin, the leader since the first weekend of play, into second. Polly Denham led the local squad with a 614 series.

Frenchmeyer Plumbing of Houston posted a 2662 to assume first place in Class A and account for the only other team change.

Jewel Jean Williams and Patricia Johnson of Fort Worth took over first in the Class C doubles with a 1096, a San Angelo twosome of Patricia Holland and Coe Lewis shot a 1034 for the Class D lead and Bertha Harris and Lonetta Holloway of Athens grabbed the Novice Division doubles lead with a 959.

Lone changes in the singles came in the Open and Novice divisions. Judy Knott of Houston registered a 627 for the open lead and Ellen Damiani of Galveston rolled a 484 for the novice first place.

Mrs. Smejkal accounted for one of the two all-events changes. Doris Wickey of San Angelo took over the Class A lead with a 1691.

Carol Smith of San Antonio bowled a 649 in the team event, putting together games of 200, 214 and 235, to equal the total of the highest series to date. She also moved into second place in the Open Division all events with a 1777.

New Leaders In TWBA

Four new leaders emerged in the standings of the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament after Saturday's competition.

Judy Knott of Houston rolled a 627 series to take over first place in the Open Division singles and all the other new leaders were in the doubles.

Jewel Jean Williams and Patricia G. Johnson of Fort Worth rolled a 1096 for the Class C lead, Patricia D. Holland and Coe Lewis of San Angelo bowled a 1034 for the Class D first place and Bertha Harris and Lonetta

Holloway of Athens went into first in the Novice Division with a 959.

San Antonian Carol Storms sparked the Oak Hills-All Star team into second place in the Open Division team event. She had games to 200, 214 and 235 for a 649 series—tying the high three-game set high score—as the team posted a 2688.

Four other changes came in the singles. In Class A, Madelyn Spreng of San Antonio took over second with a 601 and Virginia Waldrop of Eagle Lake rolled a 595 for third while Judy Smejkal of Laredo took over third in Class D with a 555 and Freida Little of San Antonio took over third in the Novice Division with a 465.

The leaders after six weekends of bowling: (All from San Antonio unless otherwise indicated)

TEAM EVENT
Open—Pearl-Oak Hills 2711; E-Z Duzit Kar Wash, Austin, 2704; Oak Hills-All Star 2688. Frenchmeyer Plumbing, Houston, 2662; (tie) Galaxies, Brazosport, and Carol's Ding A Lings 2660. B—Frame Up's Shop, Corpus Christi, 2611; Armino Binns, Galveston, 2561; Carol's Mexican Foods, Fort Worth, 2544. C—Hot Shots, Tyler, 2490; Starlights, 2484; Pla Mor Five, Laredo, 2445. D—Barry's Florist, Texas City, 2379; TWH's, Laredo, 2358; Martinez Guit, Austin, 2344. E—Five Challengers, Lufkin, 2210; (tie) Litton, Lubbock, and Texas Outdoors, Conroe, 2199. Novice—Galloway's Beauty Shop 2214 (state record); BX Bowlers 2167; Texas City Five 2084.

DOUBLES
Open—Helen Kurbanski Joy Samuelson, Austin, 1200; Florence Tolle-Carolyn Skinner 1130; Mary Scribner-Billie Blackerby, Dallas, 1114. A—Tina Christian Helen Zurovec, Houston 1109; Erna Shinski, Beaumont, and Ruth Cooper 1134; Charlene Jarver-Lola Moore, Cleburne, 1130. B—Anna Mauricio Pat Materanek, Corpus Christi, 1130; Ginger Smith-Shirley Neal, Childress, 1105; Vickie Nelson-Sandra Hull 1096. C—Jewel Jean Williams-Patricia Johnson, Fort Worth, 1078; Virginia Norris-Novella Purcell, Brownwood, 1076; Laurie Yzn DeWalle Alice Persyn 1073. D—Patricia Holland-Coe Lewis, San Angelo, 1034; Gerry McDonald, Fort Worth, and Jean Andrew, Houston, 980; Molly Cumby-Betty Rightmer, Corpus Christi, 976. E—Sharon McDonald-Gene Luster, Lubbock, 903; Classic Byrd-Patricia Zornes 999; Joyce Vargas-Vicki Heilman, Galveston, 965. Novice—Bertha Harris-Lonetta Holloway, Athens, 959; Ursula Baker-Teresa Wernz 943; Gloria Salinas-Marge Dunn, Lubbock, 898.

SINGLES

Open—Judy Knott, Houston, 627; Shirley Jasek, Waco, 617; Mary Polly 615. A—Lila Moore, Cleburne, 619; Madelyn Spreng 601; Virginia Waldrop, Eagle Lake, 595. B—Zella Gregory, Odessa, 621; Nell Broadway, 951; Dorothy Scott 590. C—Jackie Ball, Laredo, 587; Laura Christy, Beaumont, 581; Elnita Brandon, Texas City, 576. D—Dianne Phillips, Pasadena, 567; (tie) Peggy Pittman, Baytown, and Shirley Greene, Laredo, 563. E—Rosemary Morris 522; Thelma Evans, Plainview, 512; (tie) Jerry Barson, Texas City, and Carol O'Brien 512. Novice—Ellen Damiani, Galveston, 481; Sonia R. Moore, Austin, 476; Peggy Holley, Greenville, 474.

ALL EVENTS

Open—Joy Samuelson, Austin, 1797; Carol Smith 1777; Judy Knott, Houston, 1769. A—Doris Wickey, San Antonio, 1691; Lela Moore, Cleburne, 1673; Maureen Woolen, Austin, 1671. B—Vickie Nelson 1675; Louise Dott, Texas City, 1662; Pat Materanek, Corpus Christi, 1625. C—Joyce White, Alvin, 1620; Dianne Miller, McAllen, 1605; Rita Ferguson, Seguin, 1597. D (state record)—Shirley Greene, Laredo, 1600. E—Margaret Pennington, Austin, 1548; Peggy Pittman, Baytown, 1524. A—Margaret Pennington, Austin, 1429; Jane Brown, Conroe, 1454; Nannette Daic, Conroe, 1448. Novice—Marge Dunn, Lubbock, 1372; Sharon Roberts, 1379; Bunny Jones, Corpus Christi, 1360.

Three Changes In Keg Action

A pair of San Marcos teams and a Longview bowler accounted for the only three changes during the seventh weekend of bowling in the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament.

Centex Materials of San Marcos rolled a 2653 and took over first place in the Class B standings. The San Marcos five thus displaced the Frame Up's Shop of Corpus Christi, which had led the division since the first weekend when it posted a 2611.

State Bank & Trust of San Marcos took over the Class team lead with a 2233 in displacing the Five Challengers of Luling who had led since

the second weekend after bowling a 2210.

Nancy Putman of Longview emerged with a 1704 all-events total to gain the Class A lead. Doris Wickey of San Angelo, who had taken the lead last weekend with a 1691, fell into second.

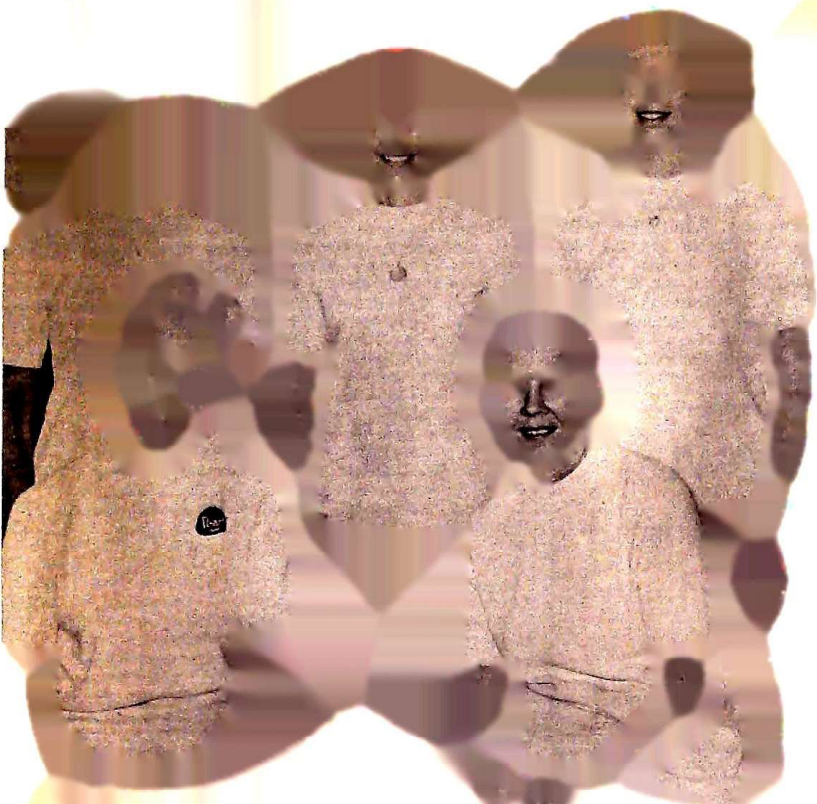
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DOUBLES
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SINGLES
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HERE IS THE Pearl Beer team which is leading in the Open division of the women's state tournament here with a 2,711 total. Back row, left to right, Ruth Ann Bower, Robbie Adams and Beverly Pantuso. Front row, Rosalie Harrell and Polly Denham.

EXPRESS/NEWS—Sunday, March 18, 1973



ALLEY TALK

Women Bowlers Slate Annual Meet, Banquet

By AURELIO RAMIREZ JR.

NO ACTION is scheduled next Friday in the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament, but the women bowlers won't be idle.

A 40th Texas-size birthday banquet at El Tropicano Motor Hotel Friday evening will cap the day's activities.

Election of officers, annual reports and voting on proposed amendments to the constitution top the agenda on the annual TWBA meeting carded for 9 a.m.

HIGHLIGHT OF the banquet, slated at 7 p.m. at the Terrace Ballroom, will be the presentation of the winners of three of the most coveted awards by the state organization.

Top presentation will be the induction of the 11th member to the TWBA Hall of Fame.

The Hall was established in 1965 by TWBA to honor members or former members who have rendered valuable service to TWBA and/or have distinguished themselves as outstanding performers in the game of American Tenpins.

Local associations from around the state nominate the candidates and the TWBA board of directors makes the selection.

FIFTH ANNUAL winners of Woman Bowler of the Year and Miss Junior Bow-

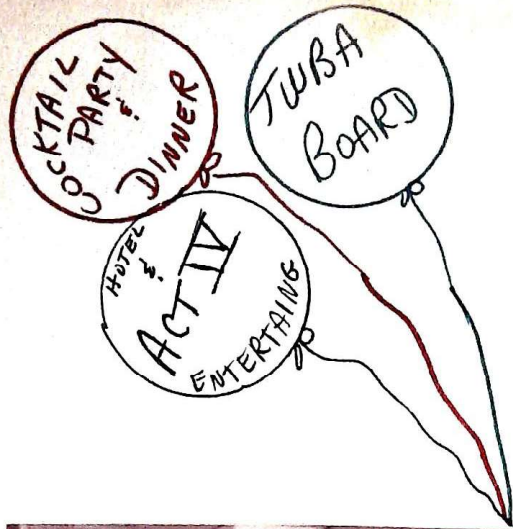
ler of the Year will also be presented. Local associations make the nominations and members of the 20 year Club—women who have bowled in 20 state tournaments—select the winners.

Miss Sue Hutchins, field representative for the Women's International Bowling Congress, and Dale Vannoy, tenth vice president of the American Bowling Congress, will represent their respective organizations at the annual banquet.



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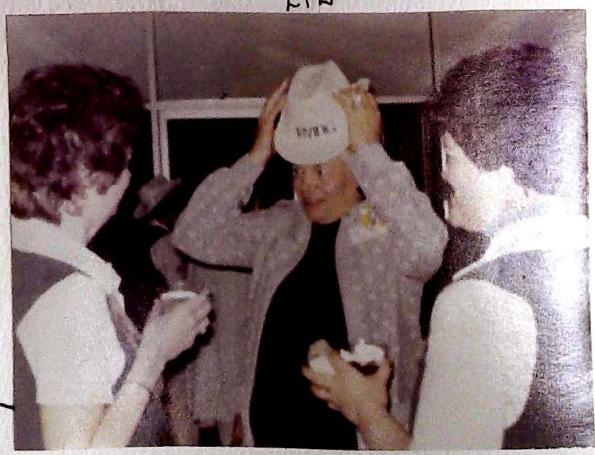
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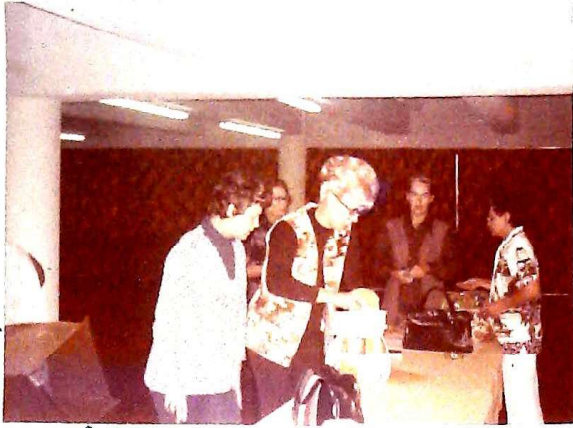
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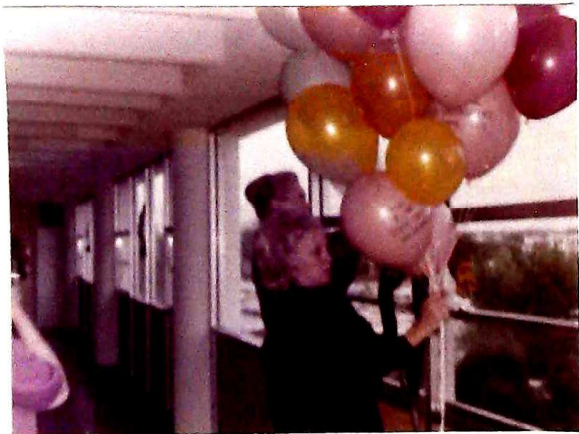
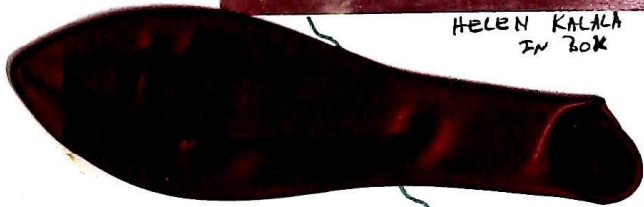
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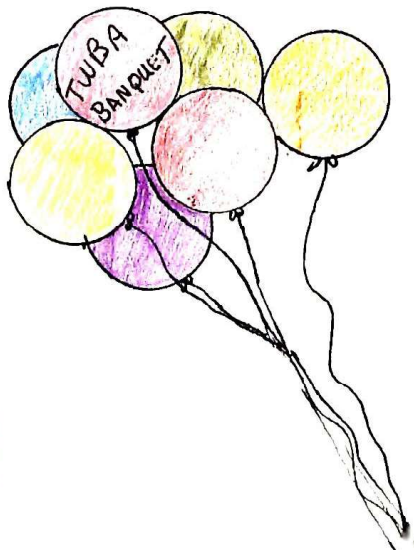
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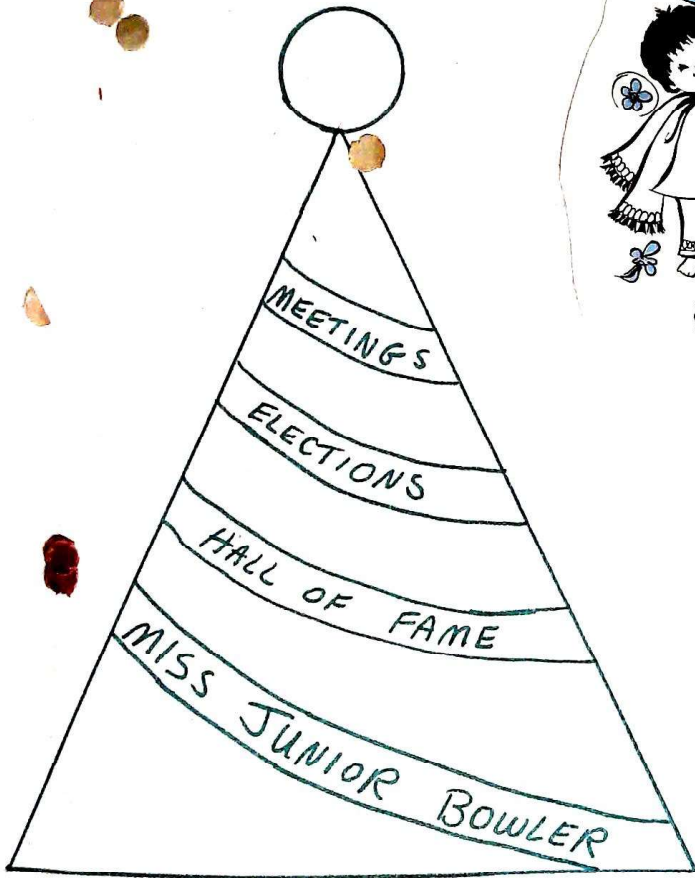


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Ole
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'Mama' continues to watch bowlers

By SUE BAILEY
News Bowling Writer

Organized women's bowling in the state of Texas began 40 years ago because of a few women like Ethel Vollmer. During a recent visit to our city she talked about the organization of the Texas Women's Bowling Association and her many bowling activities.

"Mama" (a name given her by her bowling friends) began bowling in 1920 while living in Houston. She and her husband bowled on the four lanes at the Elk's Lodge. It was there she bowled the first 200 game ever bowled by a woman in the city of Houston.

In 1933 Billie Simon from San Antonio wrote her asking her to get up a team to meet and bowl in Dallas on November 11, 1933 to organize a state bowling association. Cities represented were Dallas, Galveston, Houston, San Antonio, and Fort Worth.

Mrs. Vollmer was elected President at the meeting and Houston was designated as the site of the '34 tournament. However, Houston didn't have a city association so she, "beat the bushes", and twenty women responded to her enthusiasm.

After informing the Women's International Bowling Congress of their intention, Emma Phaler, then secretary, wrote back asking her what they were going to do for money. Well, that hadn't occurred to her, so she beat the bushes again and came up with commercial prizes like butter, 5 pound bag of sugar,

eggs, etc. for the winners of the first state tournament.

The cost of entering the tournament was \$1.25 per event. The entire event was conducted on one weekend and the meeting was held "right on the lanes." This year's tournament, the 37th, cost \$5.25 per event and runs for eleven consecutive weekends. The participants will be competing for a total prize fund of \$74,098.25.

"Mama Bowling" didn't stop with Texas. When she moved to New Orleans in 1940 she organized women bowlers there and upon her arrival in North Tonawanda, N.Y., she organized the women there. Her only failure was in Andersen, Ala., where she met, "those high-society blue bloods, and they didn't believe in bowling." Of course, this didn't stop Mama from bowling, she simply wrote to the national office and secured permission to bowl in a men's league.

In 1959 Mama came back to Texas and settled in Port Arthur. She competed in four leagues here until 1967. Now retiring at Bolivar she still makes every State Association meeting, last year traveling all the way to El Paso. She is a life member of WIBC, TWBA and the Port Arthur WBA.

Bowling has been an important part of Mama's life wherever her travels take her. She says about bowling, "It was fun, it is fun, and I love it. It is one of the things I really miss the most." Last December Mrs. Vollmer was forced to quit bowling for health reasons, but at age 76 she is looking forward to resuming her bowling career . . . maybe next month!



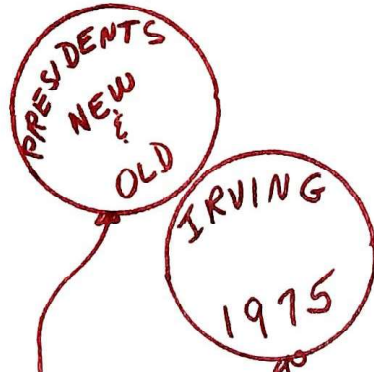
'MAMA BOWLING'
...Mrs. Ethel Vollmer

Saturday, March 24, 1973



Welcome to TWBA

Dorothy Cornelison, left, of Corpus Christi, takes over as president of the Texas Women's Bowling Association. Mary Bishop, of Houston, the outgoing prexy, hands Cornelison the TWBA gavel



Sunday, March 25, 1973



MARY BISHOP, outgoing president of the Texas Woman's Bowling Association, joins Dan Milkin, mayor of Irving, which will host next year's TWBA tournament, at awards banquet at El Tropicano Hotel.



By AURELIO RAMIREZ JR.

ALLEY TALK

Another Trophy Added

BEVERLY BEAN of Fort Worth has added another trophy to her collection for her spectacular showing in the Tournament of the Americas.

Mrs. Bean was selected Women Bowler of the Year by the Texas Women's Bowling Association's 20-Year Club.

The reigning Fort Worth city champion won first place trophies in the team event, the mixed foursomes team event, mixed double and women's doubles, a second place award in all-events and was chosen as the Miss Friendship Award winner by the contestants in the tourney.

SAN ANTONIANS won two top awards when Mrs. Erna Haulfer became the fourth local to be named to the TWBA Hall of Fame and McCollum High senior Janie Eberhardt gave San Antonio its fourth straight honoree when he was selected Miss Junior Bowler of the Year.

Mrs. Haulfer, who became a teen bowler in 1924 and is a past president as well as a life member of TWBA, teamed up with Miss Billy Simon of San Antonio to win the WIBC doubles in 1935, thus giving Texas its first WIBC crown ever.

Miss Eberhardt, a 172 average bowler, has been bowling for seven years and has a collection of 34 trophies and 28 patches. Included in her collection are four first place state trophies.

OTHER AWARDS went to Joyce Horton of Austin as publicity chairman of the year. Sue Bailey of Port Arthur as bowling writer of the year, a distinguished ser-

vice award to San Antonian Harold Scherwitz, individual awards to members of Cindy's Five which won a special junior squad event, Julie Roba for a 564 series and Debbie Perkins for a 234 game.

Houston won the president's award for having the most teams in the tourney with 149 association awards for having the highest percentage of teams in the state meet went to Austin in Division I, Victoria in Division II and Cameron in Division II.

NEW PRESIDENT of the TWBA is Mrs. Dorothy Cornelison of Corpus Christi, chosen by the delegates for a three-year term to succeed Mrs. Mary Bishop of Houston, who did not seek reelection.

Mrs. Jo Tucker of Houston was reelected sergeant-at-arms for three years and three directors were also reelected for three years, Mrs. Sylvia Broyles of San Antonio, Mrs. Bettie Hanson of Baytown and Mrs. Eleanor Rice of Port Arthur.

A new member of the board of directors is Mrs. Bess Bilheimer of Waco.

Irving, the only city submitting a bid, was named the tournament site for 1975. No state tourney will be held next year since Houston is the site of the 1974 WIBC national meet, but the annual TWBA meeting will be held in March in Wichita Falls.



MISS JUNIOR BOWLER

Janie Eberhardt, a senior at McCollum High, has been named Miss Junior Bowler of the Year by the 20-Year Club of the Texas Women's Bowling Association. A 172 average bowler, she has won first four place trophies in state tournament competi-

Sunday, March 25, 1973

5 Changes In Bowling

There were changes galore in the team divisions of the Texas Women's Bowling Association's State Tournament Saturday as five groups moved into the top three spots in their respective categories.

Bakery Cafe of Aransas Pass rolled a 2497 to take first place in Class C and Ms. of Longview had a 2419 to claim first place in Class D. McGinnis Brothers, Inc. of Alvin took second spot in Class B with 2616. Red Rooster Bowl of El Paso took third place in Class A with a 264 and third place in Class D went to the Bowlerettes, Texas City, with a 2316.

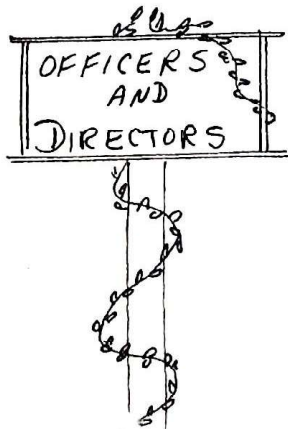
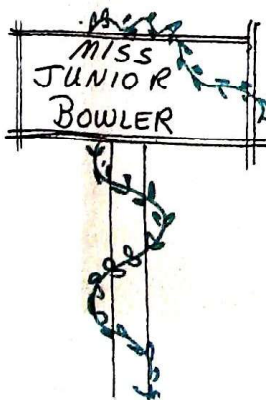
The only other change was recorded in the open division of doubles competition where Jackie Lancon and Marian Dupuis of Port Arthur took over second with an 1166.

SAN ANTONIO EXPRESS—Monday, March 26, 1973



TWBA State Officers

Six officers were elected at the Texas Women's Bowling Association's annual meeting. Shown are, front row, left to right, directors Sylvia Broyles of San Antonio and Eleanor Rice of Port Arthur and sergeant-at-arms Jo Tucker of Houston. Back Row, left to right, director Bettie Hanson of Baytown, newly-elected president Dorothy Cornelison of Corpus Christi and director Bess Bilheimer of Waco. —Staff photo by Glenn Cunningham.



ALLEY TALK



By AURELIO RAMIREZ JR.

Five Early Bowlers Still Holding Leads

BOWLERS WHO wind up being scheduled to roll in the first weekend of an 11-week-end tournament will probably accept the challenge with mixed emotions.

After all, if they do manage to wind up as division leaders after that initial session their scores wind up as targets for the multitudes of bowlers who will follow them.

The 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament has competition in seven classes and there are four types of competition.

THAT MEANS that 28 teams and/or individuals are listed weekly as leaders on the boards.

Going into the ninth week-end of the tourney, bowlers from Austin and Lubbock were still holding on to leads they assumed on the first weekend of play.

Only double leader among the group of Joy Samuelson of Austin. She teamed with Helen Kurburski for a 1200 in the Open doubles and knocked down 1797 pins to grab the Open all-events lead.

ANOTHER AUSTIN bowler, Margaret Pennington, registered a 1463 in the Class E all-events and that total has withstood the assault for eight weeks.

Sharon McDonald and Gene Lusher of Lubbock posted a 1003 in the Class E doubles and that total still leads. Marge Dunn, also of Lubbock, rang up a 1392 for the Class E all-events lead and that score has also stood up.

TWO STATE tourney records have fallen thus far. Gallow-Galloway's Beauty Shop of San Antonio posted a 2214 for a new Novice team mark and Judi Smejkal of Laredo had a 1660 in the Class D all-events for a new standard.



Five Changes In TWBA

Five changes — including new leaders in the Class C doubles action — were reported Saturday in the Texas Women's Bowling Association tournament.

Gloria Morrow and Goodie Kelly of Conroe rolled a 1113 to take over the Class C doubles lead.

Other changes included the Jolly Five of Houston moving into second place in Class D team play with a 2418; Kooky Kookies of Houston taking third in the same division with a 2392; Tom's Limited Five of Corsicana rolling a 2201 for third place in Class E team action and the Uvalde National Bank No. 1 team posting a 2095 for third place in Novice division team competition.

The tournament, which has two weekends remaining, will continue Sunday at Southside and Oak Hills lanes.



PENNY McLEAN

SAN ANTONIO EXPRESS—Monday, March 26, 1973

Parker's 280 Paces Bowlers

The highest individual game and four lead changes marked the eighth weekend of competition in the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament.

Mike Parker of Richardson, a 158 average bowler, rolled a career high game of 280 on the way to a 606 series that vaulted her into second place in the Class B singles.

The new leaders came in Class C and Class D team event and Class D and Class E singles.

Bakery Cafe of Aransas Pass rolled a 2497 to take over first place in Class C and Ms of Longview bowled a 2419 in Class D to displace Barry's Florist of Texas City, the leader since the second weekend of the 11-weekend tourney.

The leaders after eight weeks of bowling: (All from San Antonio unless otherwise indicated)

TEAM EVENT
 Open—Pearl Oak Hills 2711, EZ Duzit Kar Wash, Austin, 2704; Oak Hills All Star 2688. A—Frenchmeyer Plumbing, Houston, 2462; (tie) Galaxies, Brazosport, and Carol's Ding-A-Lings 2460. B—Centex Materials, San Marcos, 2453; An-Ginns Brothers, Alvin, 2416; Frome Up's shop, Corpus Christi, 2411. C—Bakery Cafe, Aransas Pass, 2497; Hot Shots, Tyler, 2409; Starlights, 2484. D—Ms. Longview, 2419; Barry's Florist, Texas City, 2379; Bowlerette's, Texas City, 2363. E—State Bank & Trust, San Marcos, 2233; Five Challenges, Luling, 2210; (tie) Texas Outdoors, Conroe, and Lifen, Lubbock, 2199. Novice—Galloway's Beauty Shop 2214 (state record); BX Bowlers 2167; Texas City Five 2084.

DOUBLES
 Open—Helen Kurburski, Joy Samuelson, Austin, 1200; Jackie Lanson, Marion Dicus, Port Arthur, 1166; Lucy Turner, Pat Brown, Abilene,

1146. A—Tina Christian, Helen Zurovec, Houston, 1169; Erez, Shinski, Beaumont, and Ruth Cooper 1134; Charlene Farver, Leila Moore, Cleburne, 1133; Ann, Maurice Pat Materanek, Corpus Christi, 1130; Betty Drake, Eloise Piller, Longview, 1132; Ginger Smith, Shirley Neel, Childress, 1105. C—Jewel Williams, Patricia Johnson, Fort Worth, 1076; Virginia Norris, Novella Purcell, Brownwood, 1076; Laura Van DeWalle, Alice Persyn 1073. D—Patricia Holland, Coe Lewis, San Angelo, 1034; Bea Knapp, Velma Gibbins, Alvin, 1018; (tie) Evelyn Hill, Claudine Jackson and Pauline Liddle, Olga Denmark, all of Killeen, 997. E—Sharon McDonald, Gene Lusher, Lubbock, 1003; Classie Byrd, Patricia Zornes 999; Joyce Vargas, Vicki Heilmann, Galveston, 985. Novice—Bertha Harris, Lonetta Holloway, Athens, 959; Ursula Baker, Teresa Wernz 943; Gloria Salinas, Marge Dunn, Lubbock, 878.

SINGLES
 Open—Sue West, Lubbock, 637; Judy Knoff, Houston, 627; Freda Cockrell, Killeen, 619. A—Lella Moore, Cleburne, 619; Madelyn Strong, 601; Nancy Putman, Longview, 596. B—Zella Gregory, Odessa, 621; Mike Parker, Richardson, Ball, Laredo, 587; Laura Christy, Beaumont, 581; Elnita Brandon, Texas City, 576. C—Susan Gustavus, Baytown, 580; Wanda Noe, Oulman, 577; Dianne Phillips, Pasadena, 567. E—Marsha Filipo, Atlanta, 543; Rosemary Morris 522; Helma Evans, Plainview, 516. Novice—Ellen Damiani, Galveston, 484; Sonia Moore, Austin, 478; Peggy Holley, Greenville, 474.

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3 TWBA Leads Change Hands

Lower classification bowlers accounted for the three lead changes in the ninth weekend of competition in the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament.

Gordie Kelly of Conroe, who holds the Class B and Class D all-events state tournament records, teamed with Gloria Morrow to roll an 1113 and take first place in the Class O doubles.

Betty Mullins of Copperas Cove shot a 489 series and took over first place in the Novice singles.

Janis McBride of San Marcos posted a 1524 total in the Class E all-events and displaced Margaret Pennington of Austin, who had led since the first weekend of the tourney after recording a 1469.

Two weekends of bowling remain in the 11-weekend meet.

The leaders after nine weekends of bowling: (All from San Antonio unless otherwise indicated)

TEAM EVENT
 Open—Pearl Oak Hills, 2711; E-Z Kar West, 2704; Oak Hills All Star, 2688; A—Frenchmeyer Plumbing, Houston, 2662; (tie) Galka, Brassport, and Carol's Ding-A-Lings, 2660; B—Cortez Materials, San Marcos, 2653; McCormick Brothers, Alvin, 2646; Frame Up's Shop, Corpus Christi, 2611; C—Baker's Cafe, Azusa Pass, 2571; Hot Shots, Tyler, 2492; Starlights, 2484; D—Ms. Lovelace, 2419; Jolly Five, Houston, 2418; Kooly Kool, Houston, 2392; E—State Bank & Trust, San Marcos, 2231; Causeway Drive Inn, Ingleside, 2211; Five Challenges, Luling, 2210; Novice—Galloway's Beauty Shop, 2214; BX Bowlers, 2167; Uvalde National Bank, 2095.

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Saturday, April 7, 1973

San Antonio EXPRESS, S.A. Team Grabs Lead In TWBA

A San Antonio team emerged as a new division leader Friday in the Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament.

Rummel's Columbia 300 rolled a 223 and took over first place in the Class E team event.

The appearance of Freeway Lumber of Houston, the defending Open Division champion as well as state tournament record holders, will highlight Saturday play. Freeway Lumber bowls at 5:30 p.m. at Southside.

Team squads will roll at 11:30 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. at Southside while singles and doubles hits at Wonder Bowl will start at 8 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 5:45 p.m. and 9 p.m. in the 10th weekend of bowling.



By AURELIO RAMIREZ JR.

ALLEY TALK

Record Field To Challenge Reigning Bowling Queen

A RECORD field of 70 of the top women bowlers in the state will challenge reigning champion Beverly San Marcos Pantuso of San Antonio in the fourth annual Bluebonnet Queens tournament.

The Queens tourney, the prestige side event of the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state meet, is carded next Friday and Saturday at Wonder Bowl.

Mrs. Pantuso, as the defending champ, is seeded into Saturday's finals. That will leave the other 70 entrants vying for the other seven berths in the finals.

A QUALIFYING round is scheduled at 1 p.m. Friday with the 70 women bowling a six-game block across six lanes. The top 32 move into the semifinals at 7 p.m. Friday and the top seven survivors of four-game blocks qualify for the finals.

Head-to-head bowling is featured in the finals starting at 8:30 p.m. Saturday. The contestants bowl each other once, getting a 10-pin bonus for each victory, and then roll a position round.

Carolyn Layne Anderson of Fort Worth, the 1971 winner in Houston, is among the entrants. Susie Reichley of Houston, winner of the initial tourney in Beaumont in 1970, is not entered.

MRS. PANTUSO will be shooting for a couple of firsts. A triumph would make her the first champion to repeat and the first bowler to win in her home town.

BOWLING HAS become the newest event in the Special Olympics program for retarded children.

Bowlerama was invaded Saturday by 130 entrants seeking state tournament berths. The tourney was sponsored by the city's Parks and Recreation Department, the Golden Mile Optimist Club and the Bexar County Mental Health-Mental Retardation Center.

The youthful bowlers represented the North East, San Antonio, Northside and Harlandale independent school districts as well as Goodwill, Woodlawn Handicapped Center, Comal County MH-MR, Kerrville County MH-MR, Outreach Center, Mission Road Foundation, Guadalupe County Association for Retarded Children and San Antonio Association for Retarded Children.



Sunday, April 8, 1973

Keg Record Is Booked

A state record fell and an old familiar face turned up at the top of the standings after Saturday action in the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament.

Columbia 300 San Antonio rolled a 2643 in the Class C team event to wipe out the record of 2620 set by Oasis Drive In of El Paso in El Paso last year.

Freeway Lumber of Houston, winner for the past two years, took over the Open Division team lead with a 2817.

There were two singles changes. Betty Mullins of Copperas Cove bowled a 487 to take over the Novice Division lead and Elsie Pena of San Antonio posted a 593 to take over third place in the Class B singles.

Team squads bowl at 9 a.m., 12 noon and 3 p.m. at Southside and singles and doubles entrants roll at 8 a.m., 11:15 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. Sunday to complete the 10th weekend of bowling. The meet will end next weekend.



Friday, April 6, 1973

SAN ANTONIO EXPRESS

TWBA In 10th Week Of Action

A state tournament record holder and three defending champions will make their appearance during the 10th weekend of the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament.

Friday activity will find a squad of 24 teams bowling at 8 p.m. at Southside and 15 individuals bowling singles and doubles starting at 2 p.m. at Wonder Bowl.

Defending Open Division team titlist Freeway Lumber of Houston, with four returnees from the 1972 championship club, will bowl at 5:30 p.m. Saturday at Southside. Other Saturday team shift times are 11:30 a.m., 2:30 and 8:30 p.m.

Saturday singles and doubles squads roll at 8 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 5:45 and 9 p.m.

Mary Louise Young of Houston, who set the state meet's Open Division all-events record with at 1886 at Lubbock Bowling Club in 1969, is scheduled to bowl at 11:15 a.m. Sunday at Wonder Bowl.

At the same time, Virginia Salmon of Palestine, who won the Class D singles last year in El Paso with a 559, will be bowling in Class C singles.

Local Quintet Posts Record

A state record by a San Antonio fivesome and three other lead changes highlighted the next-to-last weekend of play in the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament.

Columbia 300 of the Alamo City, led by sisters Julia Alfaro and Mary Martinez with 556 and 552 series, respectively, rolled a 2643 for a Class C team state tourney record.

The effort wiped out the record of 2620 set by Oasis Drive In of El Paso in El Paso a year ago.

Team captain Betty Jo Sitterle rolled a 693 series, the tourney's highest, to spark defending champion Freeway Lumber of Houston into first place in the Open Division team event with a 2817.

Local bowlers accounted for another lead change when Hummel's Columbia 300 rolled a 2235 and took over the top spot in the Class E team event.

Lone individual change came in the Class E singles as Viola Davis of Bryan bowled a 549 to take over the top post.

The leaders after ten weekends of play: (all from San Antonio unless otherwise indicated)

TEAM EVENT

Open—Freeway Lumber, Houston, 2817; Pearl Oak Hills 2711; E-Z Duzit Kar Wash, Austin, 2704; A-Frenchmeyer Plumbing, Houston, 2662; (tie) Calaxies, Brazosport, and Carol's Ding-A-Lings 2559; E-Centex Materials, San Marcos, 2651; McGinnis Brothers, Alvin, 2616; Frame Up's Shop, Corpus Christi, 2611; Columbia 300 2643 (state record); Town North Thorns, Richardson, 2525; Gray's Grocery, Longview, 2523; D-Mc., Longview, 2419; Jolly Five, Houston, 2418; Kooky Kookies, Cleveland, 2392; E-Hummel's Columbia 300 2235; State Bank & Trust, San Marcos, 2233; Alumail Builders, Rockdale, 2223; Novice—Galloway's Beauty Shop 2214; Bx Bowlers 2167; Uvalde National Bank 2095.

DOUBLES

Open—Helen Kurbuski, Joy Sam-

uelson, Austin, 1200; Jackie Lancon-Marian Dupulis, Port Arthur, 1166; Lucy Turner-Pat Brown, Abilene, 1146; A-Tina Christian-Helen Zurovec, Houston, 1169; Erna Shinski, Beaumont, Ruth Cooper 1134; Charlene Taylor-Lelia Moore, Cleburne, 1133; B-Anna Mauricio-Pat Matronek, Corpus Christi, 1130; Betty Drake-Elaine Piller, Longview, 1117; Ginger Smith-Shirley Neal, Childress, 1105; C-Gloria Morrow-Goodie Kelly, Conroe, 1132; Jewel Williams-Patricia Johnson, Fort Worth, 1096; Virginia Norris-Novella Purcell, Brownwood, 1076; D-Patricia Holland-Coe Lewis, San Angelo, 1034; Bea Knape-Velma Gibbins, Alvin, 1018; Evelyn Hill-Claudine Jackson and Pauline Liddle-Olga Denmark, all of Killeen, 997; E-Sharon McDonald-Gene Lumbuck, Lubbock, 1003; Classie Byrd-Patricia Zornes 999; Sue Poore-Joanie Peltmann, San Marcos, 988; Novice—Bertha Harris-Lonetta Holloway, Athens, 959; Ursula Baker-Teresa Wertz 943; Gloria Salinas-Marge Dunn, Lubbock, 898.

SINGLES

Open—Sue West, Lubbock, 637; Judy Knott, Houston, 627; Freda Cockrell, Killeen, 619; A-Leila Moore, Cleburne, 619; Madelyn Spreng, 601; Nancy Pulman, Longview, 596; B-Zella Gregory, Odessa, 621; Mike Parker, Wichita Falls, 606; Elsie Pena 593; C-Jackie Ball, Laredo, 587; Lou Harris, Lufkin, 584; Laura Christy, Beaumont, 581; D-Susan Gustafson, Baytown, 580; Wanda Noe, Mineola, 577; Dianne Phillips, Pasadena, 567; E-Viola Davis, Bryan, 549; Marsha Filippo, Atlanta, 543; Peggy Harris, Abilene, 542; Novice—Betty Mullins, Copperos Cove, 489; Ellen Damiani, Galveston, 484; Sonja Moore, Austin, 476.

ALL-EVENTS

Open—Joy Samuelson, Austin, 1797; Gussie Nicholson, Arlington, 1778; Carol Smith, 1772; A-Nancy Putman, Longview, 1704; Doris Wickey, San Angelo, 1691; Barbara Mallock, Alvin, 1685; B-Vickie Nelson 1675; Louise Doll, Texas City, 1663; Helen Mosman, Gainesville, 1638; C-Joyce White, Alvin, 1662; Lou Harris, Lufkin, 1607; Dianne Miller, McAllen, 1605; D—Judi Smejkal, Laredo, 1660 (state record); Shirley Green, Laredo, 1548; Judi Blount, 542; E—Janis McBride, San Marcos, 1524; Viola Davis, Bryan, 1482; Margaret Pennington, Austin, 1469; Novice—Marge Dunn, Lubbock, 1392; Sharon Roberts, 1379; Bunny Jones, Corpus Christi, 1360.



CLASS C
SAN ANTONIO
COLUMBIA
300
2643



CLASS-OPEN
HOUSTON
FREEWAY
LUMBER
2817

70 Bowlers Eye Berths

Defending champion Beverly San Marco Pantuso of San Antonio will be an interested spectator as the fourth annual Bluebonnet Queens bowling tournament gets underway Friday at Wonder Bowl.

A record field of 70 of the top bowlers in the state will go through two rounds to determine the seven finalists who will compete with the San Antonian in Saturday's finals.

Play gets started at 1 p.m. Friday with a qualifying round with the 70 bowlers rolling six games across six lanes.

The top 32 go into a semifinal round, which was just added to the tourney format this year, at 7 p.m. Friday. The semifinalists bowl four games to determine the seven finalists.

Saturday's finals start at 7:30 a.m. matching the contestants in head-to-head competition with the winner of each match getting a bonus of 30 pins. A final position round helps determine the champion.

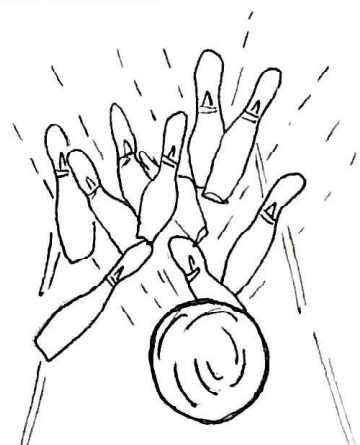
A total of 21 cities and towns are represented in the field which includes 26 San Antonians.

Beverly Bean, just recently chosen TWBA "Bowler of the year," and Carolyn Anderson, the only other former champion entered, head Fort Worth's 10-woman entry.

Other entrants include San Antonian Myrt DeFly, TWBA president Mary Bishop of Houston, Queens tournament chairman Boots Brown of El Paso and SAWBA president Pearl Yarbrough.



CLASS E
SAN ANTONIO
HUMMEL'S
COLUMBIA 300
2235



Friday, April 13, 1973
THE SAN ANTONIO LIGHT

Queens Begin Bowling

While the state's women's tenpin championship tournament, in its last weekend, halts at crucial periods to watch the fun, the annual Bluebonnet Queens tournament, annual high-powered side event, will take over at Wonder Bowl.

Seventy entries started qualifying at Wonder Bowl Friday afternoon. The 32 high scores will land in the semi-finals to start at Wonder Bowl at 7 p.m. Friday. The top seven of these, plus one seeded bowler, defending state champion Beverly Pantuso of San Antonio, will compete for the Queens title starting at 8:30 p.m. Saturday.

Regular state tournament shifts in team bowling at Southside lanes are scheduled Saturday at 11:30 a.m., 2:30 and 5:30 p.m., after which the slate clears for the evening to enable bowlers to watch the Queens competition. The 5:45 shift of singles and doubles will be the last for the day at Wonder Bowl in order to clear the decks.

The usual three shifts at Wonder Bowl and three at Southside will bring the 11-weeks tournament to a close on Sunday.



ELFI TOMCZYK



San Antonio EXPRESS/NEWS

Tomczyk Paces Keg Qualifiers

San Antonian Elfi Tomczyk averaged slightly over 200 pins a game over a 10-game qualifying grind and emerged as the top qualifier for the fourth annual Bluebonnet Queens tournament Friday.

Mrs. Tomczyk will be one of three San Antonians in the tourney finals which start at 8:30 p.m. Saturday at Wonder Bowl. (FD) The top seeded player is defending champion Beverly San Marco Pantuso of San Antonio, who was exempt from the qualifying. (PRD) Also in the field vying for the queen's crown as well as the \$350 first place money will be Carolyn Anderson of Fort Worth, the

1971 Queens champion.

Other finalists are Gussie Nicholson of Arlington, Jennie Oates of San Antonio, Luci Bonneau and Gertie Schmidt of Houston and Ruby Thomas of Abilene.

The finals format pits the finalists against each other in head-to-head competition in which the winner gets 30 bonus pins plus a final position round.

Mrs. Tomczyk had a total pinfall of 2004 for six games in the qualifying round and four games in the semifinals.

Totals for the others were Nicholson 1999, Oates 1970, Bonneau 1949, Schmidt 1939, Thomas and Anderton 1938.

THE SAN ANTONIO LIGHT Sunday, April 15, 1973

Queens Tourney Schmidt Wins Bowling Title

Mrs. Gertrude Schmidt of Houston, winning the last of eight games with a score of 181, overtook San Antonio's Beverly Pantuso, who faded to a 164 after taking the lead in the first seven of eight games, for the Bluebonnet Queens title in the Texas State Women's Bowling tournament.

Bowling at Wonder Bowl Saturday night, the eight finalists staged a neck-and-neck battle down to the finish line with Mrs. Schmidt totaling 1711 to Mrs. Pantuso's 1695.

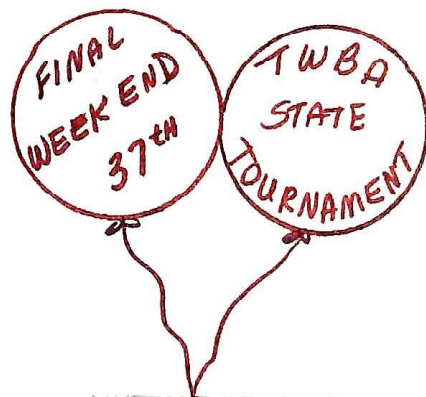
Mrs. Pantuso started slowly but had games of 202, 212 and 226 to pull into the lead which she lost in the last game about midnight.



GERTRUDE SCHMIDT
Queen of bowlers.



BLUEBONNET
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1973



Tourney Nears End

The 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament will wind up an 11-weekend run here Saturday and Sunday.

Team squads will bowl at 11:30 a.m., 2:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. Saturday at Southside while singles and doubles shifts are on tap at 8 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 2:30 p.m. and 5:45 p.m. Saturday at Wonder Bowl.

Starting times for teams Sunday are 9 a.m., 12 noon and 3 p.m. while singles and doubles play is scheduled for 8 a.m., 11:15 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.



1st Runner up -
Beverly Pantuso -
San Antonio

Austin Bowler Cops Top Prize

Bowlers from Houston, Austin and San Angelo claimed coveted Open Division championships as the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association tournament ended Sunday.

Mrs. Joy Samuelson of Austin had an all-events total of 1797 the first weekend of the 11-weekend meet and the total stood up.

And she became the lone double winner when she teamed with a Helen Kurburski for a 1200 in the doubles event.

Freeway Lumber of Houston posted a 2817 to claim its third straight team event crown.

Mrs. Joyce Henson, a 181 a verage bowler from San Angelo, put together games of 195, 268 and 184 for a 647 series on the final day of the tourney and won the singles title.

Mrs. Mike Parker of Arlington registered the tourney's high game with a 280 while Mrs. Betty Jo Sitterle had the high series, a 693 in the team event for Freeway Lumber.

In addition to Mrs. Henson, two others won championships on the final weekend. Zang's Girls of Dallas rang up a 2698 for the Class A team first place and LaVonne Smith of Fort Worth rolled a 1702 to claim the Class B all-events crown.

Alice Iltis of San Antonio won the Billy Simon Trophy for the highest single game rolled by a contestant over the age of 600 after carding a 234. She holds the record in the event with a 245 bowled in 1969.

San Antonio claimed three first places, all in the team event, and accounted for two of the three state tournament records set.

Columbia 300 posted a

Class C record with a 2643 and Galloway's Beauty Shop established a Novice Division standard with a 2214. Hummel's Columbia 300 won the Class E title with a 2235 for the other Alamo City triumph.

Judi Smejtal of Laredo set the other record by posting a 1660 in the Class D all-events.

Final standings of the 37th annual Texas Women's Bowling Association state tournament: (all bowlers from San Antonio unless otherwise indicated.)

TEAM EVENT

Open—Freeway Lumber, Houston, 2817; Jo To's Italian Foods, w780; Duval County Ranch, w769. A—Zang's Girls, Dallas, 2698; Frenchmeyer Plumbing, Houston, 2662; (tie) Galaxies, Freeport, and Carol's Ding-A-Lings, 2660. B—Contex Materials, San Marcos, 1553; McGinnes Brothers, Alvin, 2616; Frame Up's Shop, Corpus Christi, 2611. C—Columbia 300, 2643 (state record); Town North Flor's, Richardson, 2523; Gray's Grocery, Gladewater, 2523. D—Ms, Longview, 2419; Jolly Five, Houston, 2418; Kooky Kookies, Cleveland, 2292. E—Hummel's Columbia 300, 2235; Slate Bank & Trust, San Marcos, 2233; Alumal Builders, Rockdale, 2233. Novice—Galloway's Beauty Shop, w214 (state record); BX Bowlers, 2167; Uvalde National Bank, w095.

DOUBLES

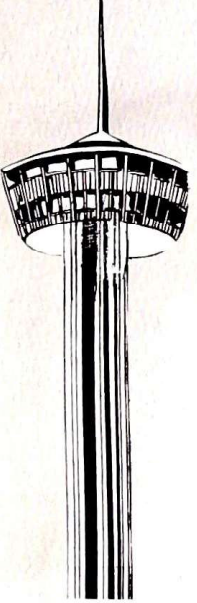
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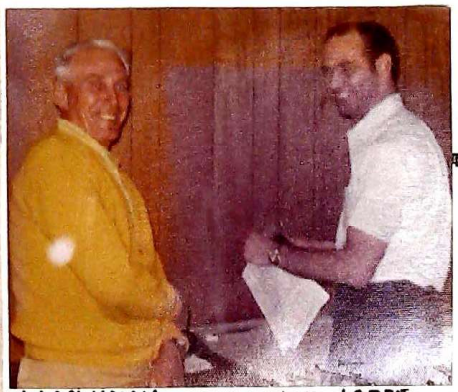
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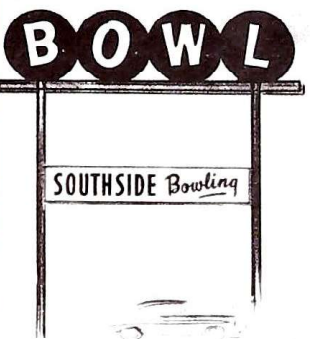
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IT'S THE LAST DAY AND
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SUSIE ANDERSON
 MADELYN SPRENG
 HELEN RICE
 IRENE FROST
 CLARA GRIMES







—The Times Herald Staff Photo

FIRST TEXAS TEAM to enter the Women's International Bowling Congress tournament at Seattle, Wash., is the Ed McLemore quint of Dallas. Members of the team who will compete in the tournament May 26-27, are left to right, front row: Mildred Talbott, Swampy Hastings and Macon Pearson; back row: Maebelle Boyd and Ellen Ponder. Mrs. Boyd also will compete in the tournament's sweepstakes championship on the opening day, May 17.

Margo Lochamy Hits 713 Series

When Mrs. Margo Lochamy rolled 713 at Oak Hills Friday, she struck a blow for skill (in contrast to heft) in women's bowling. Mrs. Lochamy is exactly five feet tall and carries 103 well-distributed pounds on a trim frame. But her straight ball "with just a little hook at the end," delivered right-handed, produced games of 204, 276 and 233 for the Koch Auto and Speed Supply team in the Tri-Strikers league and qualified her as the first winner of the award for 700 shooters announced Wednesday night by the San Antonio Women's Bowling Association.

Two years ago, she rolled 609 — also at Oak Hills — and that was the only other time she had scored as high as 600.

Her biggest thrill was that her children, 14, 13 and 10 — two girls and a boy — were delighted. The youngsters are Tammie, Greg and Carol. Husband Freddie can appreciate the 713 because, while he's been too busy lately, he used to bowl.

Betty Wise and Velma Fairclough are Margo's Tri-Striker team-mates on the three-women team.

Margo bowls in two leagues each week. The other is the Wednesday Ladies Classic at Oak Hills. She carries a 164 average in one, 166 in the other. The 713 is likely to add a few pins to that 166.

Mrs. Lochamy started that 276 sizzler with a 3-9-10 split and picked up the 10-pin. All strikes

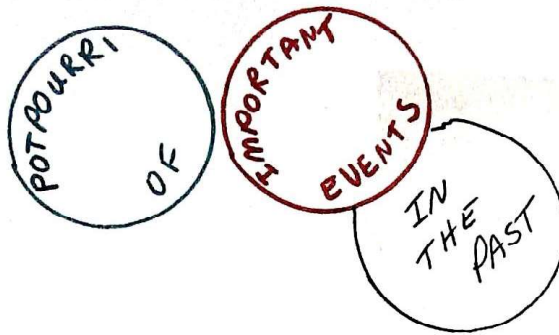


MARGO LOCHAMY
Hits 713 Series

followed up to the last ball on which she left the 1-2. Then she started the last game with five strikes in a row.

"I expect to be on Cloud Nine for a long time," she said.

The Lochamy family moved here from Long Beach, Calif., in 1958. Mrs. Lochamy has been bowling 13 years.



ROSALYN RAAB
Bowling's highest honor

WIBC Honors Talented S.A. Girl

Special to The Light

ATLANTA — San Antonio teenager Rosalyn Raab, bowling in her first Woman's International Bowling Congress Tournament and outside the boundaries of her home state for the first time, today was named the recipient of the Alberta Crowe "Star of Tomorrow" award.

The announcement was made by Mrs. Crowe, president of WIBC, at the group's annual convention.

Honoring of the 19-year-old Miss Raab followed her selection as "Miss Junior Bowler of Texas" by the Texas 20-Year-Club at last year's Texas women's convention.

Daughter of Robert Raab, president of the San Antonio Bowling Association, and Lucy Raab, herself a long-time bowler, Rosalyn has registered a 257 game, several 600 series, carried a junior traveling league average as high as 172, held every league office, maintained a near-perfect scholastic average and kept up a steady flow of contributions to extracurricular school projects, both at Edison High School and San Antonio College.

While in Atlanta, Miss Raab also plans to bowl in her first National 600 Club Tournament, won last year by the Alamo City's Beverly San Marco with a score of 668.



ERNA HAUFLE (left) and Violet (Bill) Simon on their return from Chicago with the WIBC doubles championship. Admirers properly "tagged" them.

The WIBC and San Antonio

The Women's Bowling Congress tournament which just started in Kansas City (it runs through May 27) will have the usual strong delegation from San Antonio including Helen Baetz, one of the WIBC vice presidents . . . In the Queens Tournament, which has attracted 403 high-average bowlers with \$17,127 in prize money, will be San Antonio's Myrt DeFily, one of eight women who have bowled in all 11 previous Queens events . . . In 1967, Mrs. DeFily averaged 213 in the eight qualifying games, eighth on the all-time list, and her 276 game ranks sixth . . . Mildred Martorella of Rochester, N. Y., has won the event three times, was runner-up once . . . Rosalyn Raab of San Antonio won the WIBC "Star of Tomorrow" award in 1971; Susie Reichley, whose parents live here, got it in '69 and Karen Linton of El Paso in '65 . . . Houston hosts the WIBC in 1974 after Las Vegas gets it next year. San Antonio is one of only two other Texas cities ever to hold it (1965) since the start in 1916. Dallas put it on in 1948 . . .

The WIBC lists 196 sanctioned 300 games. Three of them were rolled by San Antonians: Myrt DeFily, Shirley Mansfield and Dorothy Overstreet. Nine other Texans are on the list, among them Norma Rittleymer of Dallas, one of four women on record who have bowled two . . . Myrt DeFily and her Columbia 300 team, the only San Antonio outfit with a 900 average in the tournament will bowl at Kansas City at 6 p.m. May 12 . . . Violet (Bill) Simon, inducted into the WIBC Hall of Fame in 1960, and her long-time partner, Erna Haufier, won the WIBC doubles championship with an impressive 1219 score in 1935. They made the round trip to Chicago via "runabout" automobile, regarded as quite a feat in those days.



BOWLING GREATS — Honored Friday night by Texas Women's Bowling Association membership at the 37th annual convention held in the Airport Hilton Inn were, from left, Beth Massey of San Antonio and Jewell Starr of Dallas. Miss Massey, 18, received the TWBA 20-Year Club award for Miss Junior Bowler of Texas and Mrs. Starr, 72, was honored by induction into the Texas Hall of Fame for her pioneer work in the TWBA and continued contribution to the game in Dallas, statewide and nationally. Bowling continues weekends at the TWBA tournament (excluding Easter) in El Paso until April 9.

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Saturday, April 8, 1973
**Bev San Marco Takes
Bluebonnet Pin Event**

San Antonio's Beverly San Marco bowled steadily through eight head-to-head matches for a 1,659 total pin-fall to win the third annual Bluebonnet Queens Tournament Friday in Red Rooster Lanes. The event precedes the final two days of competition at the 36th annual Texas Women's Bowling Championship in El Paso ending Sunday.

Defending champion Carolyn "Mudd" Anderton of Fort Worth was sixth with 1,506 pins.

Both are true champions and both can win a "Miss Bowling Beautiful" contest anywhere.

El Paso's Boots Brown, trailing Miss San Marco by only 10 pins going into the

finals, fell to a 171 game while the champion hit a 213, plus 30-pin bonus for the match winning six and losing two in all.

Miss San Marcos 22, was in her third Bluebonnets event for 175 and above average TWBAers. She is single and a 13-year member of women's bowling circles, a member of the national 600 club, and was this year's city champ in San Antonio. It was her third Texas Women's Bowling event.

El Paso Bluebonnet scores: Linton Lelo Brooks 1,098; Karen Linton 1,080; Jenn Hodges 1,069; Jo Glason 1,053; A. B. Wilson 1,040; Susan Butlewicz 1,024; Eula Lawson 1,007; Mary De Bruhal 1,001; Phyl Nicholas 994; Connie Gonzalez 992; Margaret McFadden 973; C. Ann Peterson 970; Claudia Clark 954; Peggy McCrary 952; Mary Lou Wallace 951; Helen Chatterton 935; Royal Tucker 887.



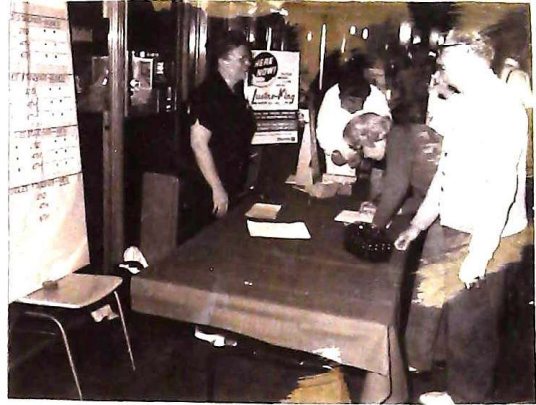
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BELOW ARE
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BEVERLY SAN MARCO
City All Events Champion
Class "A" Singles



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JUDY STEPHENSON
Class "B"
All Events Champion



MARY DUELM
Class "C" All Events Champion



DOROTHEA DAVIS &
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Class "D" Doubles



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Class "D" All Events Champion



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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1972



HERE IS SALLY Joliffe, who recently smashed a 2,161 total for 10 games to win the women's Top 20 tournament at Oak Hills. She is pictured with the Pearl Brewing Co. trophy which is awarded annually to both the men's Top 20 and women's Top 20 champions.

Friday, November 17, 1972

Woman Drives 200 Miles To Bowling

Some folks think it's a long way across town to bowl in a league.

But Ruth Manges, one of the city's better bowlers, thinks nothing of driving 200 miles just to bowl in the Columbia "300" league at Southside lanes each Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Manges did live in San Antonio and bowled in several leagues, but she has moved to Freer, an isolated little town in South Texas.

It's about 100 miles to Freer but each Tuesday Ruth loads up her bowling ball, leaves the Duval County ranch where she lives, and heads to the 'big city' for her bowling.

And there is no doubt but what she'll tell you it's worth the trip - especially on the days when you have those good series.

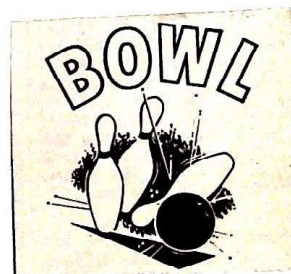
So far the league has bowled 10 weeks and Ruth has bowled every time.

Friday, December 1, 1972

There are no San Marco girls left in San Antonio.

Beverly San Marco - it was - became the bride of Frank Pantuso Nov. 25 in a giant church wedding and by checking the scores these days it's a little harder to pick out Beverly and Shirley. Shirley, some time back, was married to Gordon Schultz.

But both the girls, and Shirley's husband Gordon, still can be seen on the bowling lanes. They bowl just as well as ever, but it's just a case of new names in the record books of the women's bowling association.



STRIKES/SPLITS



Elfi Tomczyk, who has been steadily chipping away at greatness, laid claim this week to a pair of season bowling records while Juergen Wirth burst into the local scene with a not-so-easily repeated feat.

Tomczyk fired a 290 game and a 698 series at Oak Hills for the highest score in each category for a woman this year. She followed her near-perfect opening game with 209 and 199 for the 698.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 19, 1973

Sally Mills Has 660 Scratch Set

Sally Mills, with a 750 handicap series and Ken Mills with a 719 were the top winners in the Buzzard club tournament on the Goliad lanes Jan. 17. In Class B for the women Estelle Rabedeau was first with 670 and for the men Tommy Joyner had 745 for the honors while in Class C Cookie Castrejano won for the women with 659 and W. A. Long

for the men with 696. Joyner's 645 was the high scratch for the men and Sally Mills' 660 led the women.

Tying for the most splits were Daisey Satterfield, Judy Joyner, Merlene Childers and Natalie Rivas with seven each in the women's division. Tony Rivas led the men with eight.

Crackerjack Box Has Pretty Ring

Shirley Schultz went from the ridiculous to the sublime the other night in bowling. She opened with a 120 and then smashed a 256 game which reminds us of another important event in Shirley's life.

Shirley and Gordon Schultz were "going steady" some time back and one night the Schultz family - Charlie the jeweler is Gordon's dad - invited the San Marco family over to dinner.

While they had been sitting around talking Gordon nonchalantly mentioned to Shirley they had been keeping company for a year and thought a box of crackerjacks would be a nice gift to celebrate the occasion.

From all reports Shirley had not been expecting such extravagance. But she accepted and halfway through the munching of the tasty gift a giant diamond engagement ring tumbled out of the box.

It's a fact. That's exactly how Shirley got her engagement ring from Gordon.

So when folks tell you they get their diamonds in a box of crackerjacks don't laugh it off. It has happened.

Friday, January 19, 1973

Martha Washington Entries Due Now

Women bowlers still have a little time to get their teams in the twelfth annual Martha Washington tournament on the Oak Hills lanes.

The tournament, one of the most popular team, doubles, and singles events for women in this area, will be held three weekends starting Feb. 17, with the meet divided into Class A and Class B.

The entry fee is \$5.25 per bowler per event and the prize ratio is one prize for each 10 entries.

The deadline for reservations is Feb. 8, with the closing date for entries Feb. 9, at midnight.

Teams with 776 and up, doubles with 311 and up, and individuals with 156 and up are in Class A and those with lower averages are in Class B.

But the deadline is right around the corner, so you better enter now. Full information can be obtained at the Oak Hills lanes, 5139 Fredericksburg Road or by calling 344-6251.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 26, 1973



THE FOUR TEXAS girls who will shoot in the U.S. Open tournament as winners of the San Antonio meet are shown here, with Billy Simon, who promoted and backed the meet. The girls are Luci Bonneau of Houston, Jerry Johnson, San Antonio, Fran Lary of Buckburnett and Elfi Tomczyk.

Fran Lary of Buckburnett, averaging 220.2 for the 10 games of the finals, won the top spot for Texas women in the U.S. Open tournament as she became the Texas state match game champion for women at the Oak Hills lanes.

Mrs. Lary, who was seventh in the qualifying round, won nine games in the finals to win handily as Elfi Tomczyk of San Antonio was second and Jerry Johnson of San Antonio third. Luci Bonneau of Houston won the other spot in the World Open as she finished in fourth place.

Also in the money at the tournament were Charlene Kent of Houston, who was fifth, followed by Bettie Jo Geisler of San Antonio, Carol Smith of San Antonio, Nancy Pratcher of San Antonio, Marie Denman of San Antonio, Gertie Schmidt of Houston and Bobbie Thomas and Ann Carroll of Fort Worth.

Three women averaged over 200 for the finals with Mrs. Johnson having a 2.067 total and Miss Tomczyk a 2.042. The final five games for the champion were 247, 225, 246, 228 and 222.

Billy Simon was responsible for the tournament and for the four spots obtained for Texas women. She worked hard to put the event over and enlisted help from other sources for the entry fees that went as prizes in the Oak Hills tournament.

Over the years Billy has constantly backed the bowling game and says she feels Texas women belong in the national test and feels an annual tournament should be held with the winners getting the spots.

Mrs. Lary also picked up \$265 for her victory, with \$190 going to second place, \$160 to third, and \$120 for fourth down the line.

Sunday, January 28, 1973

Ellerson Near Perfect

They're expecting a rush of bowlers to join the late Friday Bluebonnet League at Oak Hills. Two Fridays ago, Les Schwethelm bowled a 300 game in this mixed league. This past Friday, Mrs. Laverne Ellerson was just a little light on her last ball and left the five pin standing, else she'd have had 300 also.

As it was, her 299 was a league record for women and the foundation of record 1,162 game and a record 3,247 series for the Jo-To Italian Restaurant team. She wound up with 182 and 163 for 649. Her best

series on record is 684, her best game, as he remembers, was in the 260s.

Mrs. Ellerson, whose husband doesn't bowl but whose four children do, thinks the inspiration for the 299 was the fact that her mother, Mrs. Lenore Miller, on a visit from Chicago, was present to watch the bowling.

Mrs. Ellerson's name is familiar to bowling page readers. She won the city doubles championship with Jane Bischoffberger in 1971. She and Beverly Houston won the state doubles in 1967.



LAVERN ELLERSON All but One Pin

Sunday, February 18, 1973

Free Tenpin Lessons For the Gals

The San Antonio Parks and Recreation Department will sponsor another "Ladies Learn to Bowl Program" beginning March 12. This instruction is being provided absolutely free to the participants.

Included in the program and provided by the participating bowling establishments are free bowling shoes, bowling balls, free nursery service and three lessons taught by a professional instructor.

Said president Lew Levinson of the bowling proprietors association:

"This is a tremendous opportunity for the participants to learn a sport which they may participate in the rest of their lives. Individuals and groups are invited to register now at the below listed bowling lanes for this free program."

All Star Lanes, 3371 Roosevelt, 923-7703; Astro Bowl, 3203 Harry Wurzbach, 824-6348; Billy Mitchell, 123 Croyden, 434-2323; Bowlerama of Texas, Inc., 4719 Blanco Road, 344-4941; Gollad Bowl, 2118 Gollad Road, 333-6150; Oak Hills Lanes, 5139 Fredericksburg Road, 344-6251; San Pedro Bowl, 125 West Rector, 344-3431; Southside Lanes, Inc., 6919 South Zarmora, 923-7739; Wonderbowl, 1948 Austin Highway, 655-1610.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1973

9,644 Teams Entered In WIBC Meet at Las Vegas

The Women's International Bowling Congress tournament in Las Vegas may be just the biggest sports event ever held in this nation — or any other.

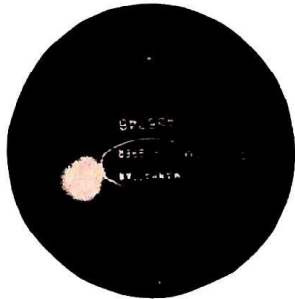
The tournament will run 18 hours a day for 107 days with 9,644 teams bidding for the gold and glory. There will be a prize fund of just over \$706,000.

The figures were given to Billy Simon this week when she made a call to Alberta Crowe, on another matter.

There will be over 23,000 sets of doubles, with 46,000 in the singles and 42,000 in the all-events.

The figure is 3,000 above the old mark of 6,094 which was set in Rochester in 1967 and the prize fund will more than double the old record of \$296,760 set the same year.

The record entry into the annual ABC tournament was set in Chicago in 1953 when 8,180 teams participated but the men's prize list of \$721,058 set last year still remains a high mark for the two organizations.



Sunday, February 25, 1973

Players Club Tops Bowling

Players Club took a 36-pin margin over Jo-To's into Sunday's action of the Martha Washington Ladies bowling tournament at Oak Hills Bowling Center.

Doris Elkins, 658, led Class A singles bowlers, Connie Carberry led Class B action and Shirley Mansfield and Millie Brown were current leaders in the Class A and B all-events, respectively.

The tourney resumes at 9:30 Saturday with action until 6 p.m. The final two rounds are slated for next weekend.

TEAM
Class A—Players Club, 3008; Jo-To's, 2982; Morris Insurance, 2993; Paul's Green Thumb, 2368; Cole's Team No. 2, 2347.

DOUBLES
Class A—Betty Burke-Gertrude Vorpahl, 1262; Versie Buehring-Doris Elkins, 1216; Gail Centi-Lola DeVaney, 1214; Irma Currier-Molly Monteleone, 1211.

Class B—Dorothy Smith-Bea Poolaw, 1129; Sandra Burn-Kay Smith, 1017; Beth Warne-Bonnie Steckton, 997.

SINGLES
Class A—Doris Elkins, 658; Kathy Hudson, 447; Shirley Mansfield, 413.
Class B—Connie Carberry, 535; Dora Lockhart, 531; Mirra DeLeon, 529; Dottie Morris, 527.

ALL EVENTS
Class A—Shirley Mansfield, 1737.
Class B—Millie Brown, 1488.

FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 1973

Mrs. Geisler Champion In Tourney

Betty Jo Geisler, with a 1,782 total, is the all events champion of the annual Martha Washington tournament held on the Oak Hills lanes. Vickie Holbrook won in Class B with a 1,635.

Team honors went to the Players team captained by Bunnie Hensley while Pat Doyle took the Class A singles with 664 and Doris Elkins the Class B title on 658, a pin ahead of Lola Graves.

Unofficial (subject to final check) winners were:

TEAM

Class A—Players Club, 3008; Columbia "300", 2995; Jo-To's, 2982, Class B—The Four Aces and the Joker, 2432; Morris Insurance, 2393; The Zodiacs, 2370.

SINGLES

Class A—Patricia Doyle, 664; Doris Elkins, 658; Lola Graves, 657. Class B — Vi Tuma, 576; Marie Linder, 574; Sandy Barnes, 569.

DOUBLES

Class A—Evelyn Eanes-Patsy Stoepler, 1277; Bettie Jo Geisler-Jerry Johnson, 1255; Vi Tuma-Sally Mills, 1243; Class B—Dorothy Smith-Bea Poolaw, 1129; Vickie Holbrook-Gussie Martinez, 1111; Nancy Johns-Dot Sneller, 1049.

ALL-EVENTS

Class A—Bettie Jo Geisler, 1782.
Class B—Vickie Holbrook, 1635.

Sunday, March 4, 1973

Columbia In 2nd Spot

San Antonio's Columbia "300" team shot a 2995 at Oak Hills Lanes Saturday to move into second place in the Class A Team event of the annual Martha Washington Tournament and Marie Linder had a 574 to take over the lead in Class B Doubles.

Those were the only changes with one day's competition left.

TEAM
Class A — Player's Club, 3008; Columbia "300", 2995; Jo-To's, 2982.
Class B — The Four Aces and the Joker, 2432; Morris Insurance, Killeen, 2392; Zodiacs, Boerne, 2370.

DOUBLES
Class A — Evelyn Eanes-Patsy Stoepler, 1277; Bettie Jo Geisler-Jerry Johnson, 1255; Betty Burke-Gertrude Vorpahl, 1229.

Class B — Dorothy Smith-Bea Poolaw, Ft. Hood, 1129; Nancy Johnson-Dot Sneller, 1049; Stella Aquilar-Shirley Dombeck, 1027.

SINGLES
Class A — Patricia Doyle, Lampasas, 641; Doris Elkins, 658; Lola Graves, 657.

Class B — Marie Linder, 574; Sandy Barnes, 569; Alice Nichols, 545.

ALL EVENTS
Class A, Bettie Jo Geisler, 1782;
Class B, Kay Smith, 1429.

Friday, February 23, 1973

Stadium Bowl To Host WIBC Tourney

Stadium Bowl, a 72-lane bowling center, has been selected as the site of the 1974 WIBC Championship Tournament which will be held in Houston.

Stadium Bowl is the largest center ever to host the WIBC events. Its 72 lanes are back-to-back, with 36 lanes on each side of the main central area. James A. Brooks is president of the corporation.

The tournament will open April 4, 1974, and run through April and May. The companion Queens Tournament is scheduled May 6-10. The 1974 WIBC annual meeting will be held April 22-24 in the Music Hall of the Houston Civic Center.

The Rice Hotel has been selected as WIBC headquarters for the duration of the tournament. Carl Suhriand is general manager and R. L. Burke is director of sales for the hotel.

The WIBC events are awarded three years in advance with Houston having been in 1971. Selection of the host lanes is made one year in advance after a through study by WIBC officials who visit various bowling centers in the host city.

Sunday, April 22, 1973

STRIKES 'N SPARES...Columbia Industries will again sponsor the \$55,000 Columbia 300 Open in Waukegan, Ill. Columbia president Roger Zeller and Roy Bertrand, president of Bertrand Lanes where the tourney will be held, made the announcement... Myrt DeFily, Mary Falconer, Ruth Manges, Shirley Mansfield, Beverly Smith, Elfi Tomczyk and Shirley Voight are listed among the early entrants for the national Queens tournament in Las Vegas, Nev...



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Friday, May 11, 1973



HERE COMES RUTH Manges through the doors of the Southside lanes, ready for bowling. She drives from Freer each Tuesday to compete in the Columbia "300" league and then follows up on Wednesday with a 35 mile trip to Alice to shoot in another league.

EXPRESS/NEWS—Sunday, May 20, 1973

ALLEY TALK



By AURELIO RAMIREZ JR.

Local Associations Set Officer Elections

ELECTION TIME is fast approaching for both the San Antonio Bowling Association and the San Antonio Woman's Bowling Association.

SAWBA will hold its annual meeting Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at Hermann Sons and election of officers will top the agenda.

The women bowlers will elect first and third vice presidents, a sergeant-at-arms and eight odd-numbered directors, Nos. 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13 and 15.

WIBC CONVENTION reports by the association's delegates to the Las Vegas meeting are also on the agenda. A dozen locals attended the convention.

Wednesday, May 23, 1973

SAN ANTONIO EXPRESS-

Stephenson Is Elected

Judy Stephenson was elected first vice president of the San Antonio Woman's Bowling Association Tuesday night and at the same time found out she would assume leadership of the association Aug. 1.

Mrs. Stephenson will become president when the resignation of Mrs. Pearl Yarborough becomes effective. Mrs. Yarborough announced her resignation at the annual SAWBA meeting at Hermann Sons. She still has one year remaining in her term and the first vice president automatically assumes the post until the next annual meeting.

Also elected was Minnye Bel Ross as third vice president and Rosie Moore as sergeant-at-arms. Sylvia Broyles was re-elected secretary and nine directors were elected.

A big turnout of 85 delegates set May 16, 1974, as the date for the next annual meeting and SAWBA announced plans to move its office to North Town Plaza.



Sunday, May 13, 1973

STRIKES 'N SPLITS...Ann Gentry became the third local woman to hit the 700 mark this week when she put together games of 212, 232 and 256 in the final night of play in the Split-Niks League at All Star...



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