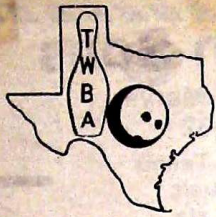


Friday May 13, 1988 KEGLER



Championship Action At World of Sports and Astro Bowl

Mother's Day found many TWBA members far away from home and family, but for several it was a very special weekend.

The Div. 2 standings board found a new leader after the Bowling & Billiard ladies of Dallas swept into first with a 2702 pinfall. And for team member, Onzell Kirby, who added 579 to the team's effort, it may be a double-payday if her score in the WIBC tournament in Reno holds up. She's currently holding the top score in that event as well. Other members with their scores are Bea Maddox 540, Ralphie Harrod 530, Mary Ann Parker 529 and Carmel Taylor 524.

Another first place team change came when the Automation & Research team of Texoma drifted into town. Doris Galbreath sparked the team effort with a 654, with Lois Caudill adding 539, Jewel Thompson 449, Mary George 543 and Debbie Soechting 532 for their 2717 leading tally in the division.

Hot as their team name, the Jalapenos of Corsicana took over the lead in Div. 6. Rolling off a team average of 649, members Rena Bloom

425, Patricia Littrell 403, Beverly Toms 556, Bonnie Anderson 472 and Marcie Littrell 501, carded games of 804, 736 and 817 for a 2357 total, just 24 pins shy of the record set by Christianson-Keithley of Alvin in 1978.

All events changes came when the Wharton association president Mary Jane Balcar captured the lead in Div. 2 with an 1785 score, and Sammie Vaught of Fort Worth zipped into Div. 4 singles first place with games of 210, 223 and 175 for a 607 series. This was her first 600 series and 166 pins over her 147 average.

Remaining in the top three on the board from San Antonio are: the Fort Sam Strikers, Div 5 team; Ernestine Harris & Jackie Summer in second in Div 2 Doubles; Sarah Buck & Sharon Viner, 3rd in Div 3; Sherill Donaldson, 3rd in Div. 1 Singles; Betty Roberts, first in Div. 3 singles; Dona Long, 2nd in Div. 4 singles; and in All Events, in second, Cammie Brown, Div. 2 and Carol Detwiler, Div. 4.



May 20, 1988 KEGLER



Two Fort Sam Ladies Team Up For First In "4" Dbls

It was just two years ago in Dallas that the S&G Drilling team of Cisco walked away from a team title in Class D with 2392.

This past weekend, under the name of Yellow Mound Oil Co., members captain Mary Crenshaw carded 525, Nelda Gary had 472, Barbara Bridges 518, Lenora Speer 431 and Fern Johnson added 547 to again take first in the division at this point in the championship tournament action. The team had games of 768, 829 and 986 for a 2493.

Two San Antonio keglers also added their names to those already on the standings board. The excited duo was Jane Alvarado and Sally Alghire who swatted a 1065 to take the lead in Div. 4 doubles. The ladies roll their league play at Fort Sam Houston

Lanes with 142 and 147 averages respectively, and their score at this point is eight pins ahead of the runnerup in the division.

Only other first place change this past weekend was by petite Becky Cramer of Bryan/College Station who put together games of 188, 188 and 218 for a 594 to take the Div 5 lead. Becky, a student at Texas A & M, also was a cashier in the Dallas TWBA event two years ago.

WIBC awards were given to Gladys Meridith of Midland and Lillian Kenmore of Bryan/College Station for all spare games. Glays had a 178 and Lillian 185 during their tournament play.

Triplicate score WIBC emblems were earned by Jeanne Hicks, San Angelo for her 135, and by Tricia Williams, Tyler, for identical 95 games.




And the beat goes on



SAWBA Welcomes TWBA For 53rd Annual Meeting Weekend

The red carpet of welcome is rolled out this weekend by the ladies of the San Antonio WBA for the officials of the Texas Women's Bowling Association and the delegates from various local associations across the state.

State bowling leaders attending the 53rd annual meeting will be in numerous sessions at the Wyndham Hotel as TWBA, the Texas Women Bowling Writers, Texas 600 Club and the Texas 20-Year Club all elect officers and directors.

Annual meeting time for TWBA also means awards time. The induction of two into the TWBA Hall of Fame; the naming of the Service Award winner; recognition of a Secretary of the Year; the naming of the 1987 TWBA Woman Bowler of the Year; the giving of the Youth

Bowling Service Award and the applause for the association generating BVL Funds (most monies donated to BVL per capita of membership).

President Doris Coffman, Wichita Falls, will chair all TWBA activities, and Sylvia Broyles will be reporting to the membership for the first time in her new post as State Secretary.

TWBA officers and directors will report to the membership on the activities of the various committees which supervise related activities conducted by the state association.

Highlight of the weekend, of course, is the annual banquet tonight at the Wyndham with Hall of Fame inductions and the giving of the President's and Helen Baetz awards for tournament participation in this

year's championship tournament underway at World of Sports and Astro Bowling Center.

Recipients of all awards are kept secret by the various selection committees, with the exception of the Hall of Fame honorees.

For the first time in TWBA history twins will be honored. Sue Kingham, Houston, and Lou Lane, Austin are this year's inductees, and their accomplishments since 1951 when their careers began, will leave banquet guests gasping for breath.

The bowling writers club will be rewarding members for their publicity and promotional work via contests for best story, best promotional posters, the Wood Award for a professional journalist, and the writer of the best story in the state publication, "Across Texas Lanes". Much of the work of local publicity chairmen will be on display

in the News & Views area for all delegates to view.

The Texas 20-Year Club whose members have participated in 20 Championship Tournaments or attended 20 annual meetings will honor an outstanding high school senior for her bowling accomplishments, scholastic achievements and other activities. That young lady will be rewarded with the designation of "Miss Texas Youth Bowler of the Year."

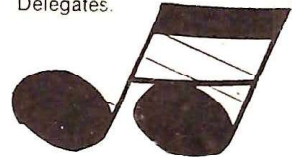
All these activities are throughout the day today with TWBA also hosting a luncheon for delegates and friends. Saturday morning Texas 600 Club members gather for their annual conclave and when the meeting is adjourned delegates may do a little shopping in the Country Store, or participate in the BVL Auction. Bidding is always brisk with auctioneer Ruth Petersen, Dallas, selling to high bidders all the

dozens of items of hand-craft, art, bowling equipment, gifts -- all to benefit the BVL Fund.

As some delegates go to the lanes to participate in their Championship Tournament, 20-Year Club members remain for luncheon and that business session.

Representing SAWBA at the TWBA annual meeting will be Ella O'Quinn, Betty Holzmann, Anne Broyles, Louise Mangelsdorf, Helen Kalala, Ruth James and Jane Wright.

SAWBA Board members have all served on the various committees to prepare for this State showcase, and their efforts will assure another successful Annual Meeting for TWBA and the state Delegates.

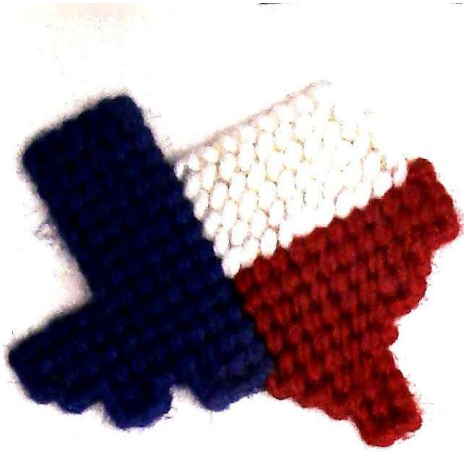


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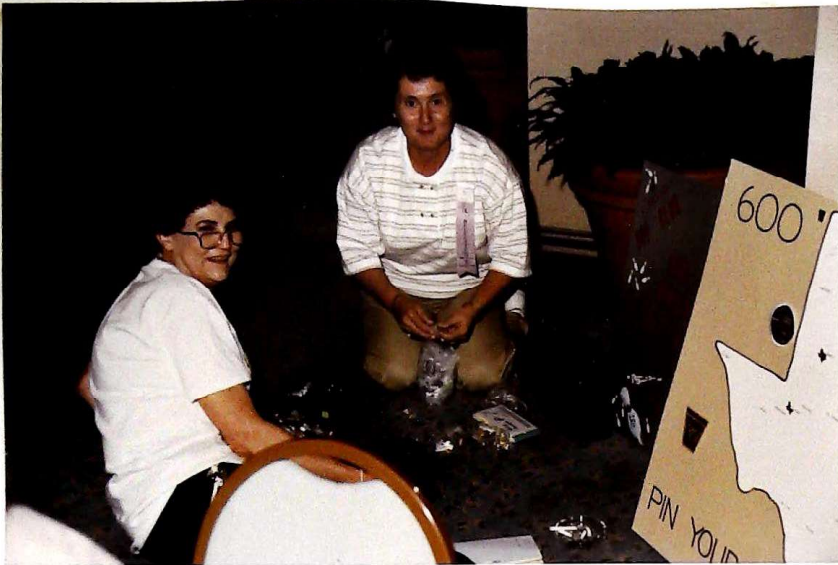


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big smiles*



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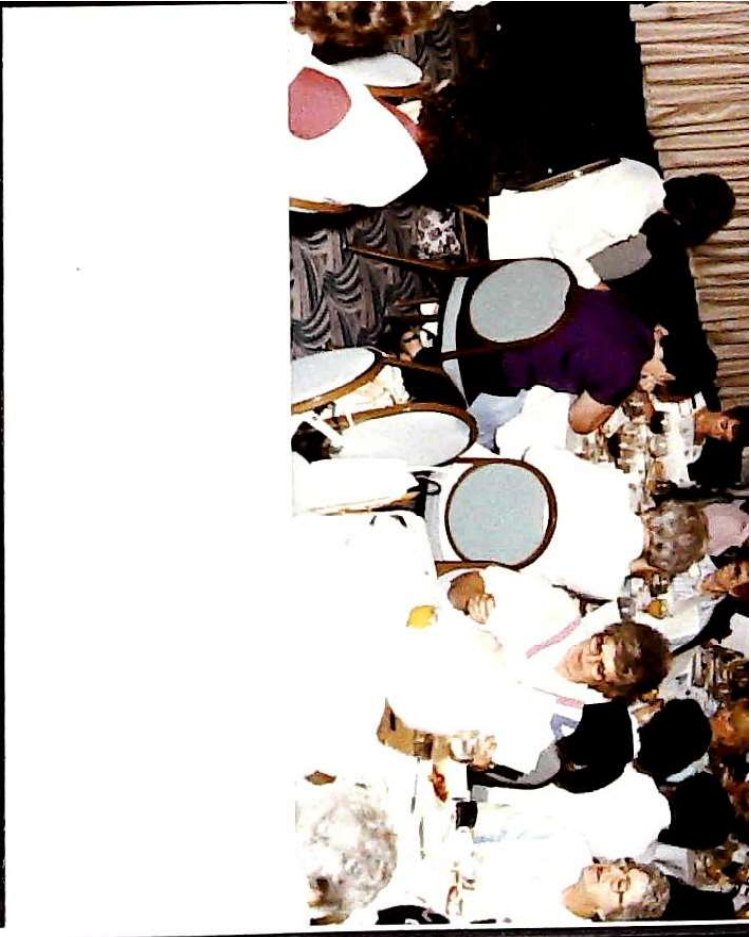


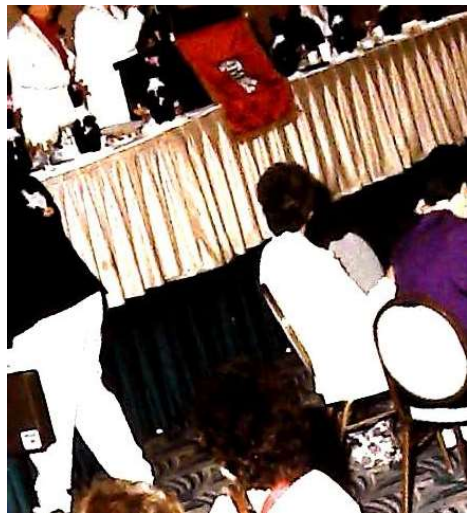


Nicky Leonard
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Corpus Christi ~
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BREAKFAST



53rd TWBA Has It's Own Magic!

Sylvia Broyles Begins State Secretary Term

It was evident that TWBA President Doris Coffman, Wichita Falls, was enjoying her stay in the Alamo City and was "Texas Proud" for the 53rd annual meeting.

The pint-sized bundle of energy began her work on Wednesday, thanking the local Board, when TWBA Board was hostess to the local Board. Members of both Boards had the opportunity to visit the State Office, now at Spring Branch at the Broyles estate.

Thursday was an all-day TWBA Board meeting, and she bounced into the Bowling Writers meeting early on Friday morning.

Two hours later she led the Texas Board members to the podium, with new secretary, Sylvia Broyles, at her side - down the center aisle to the in-unison applause of the 284 delegates in attendance.

The meeting was smooth, efficient, informative and dotted with humor and love. With no opposition, Doris was returned to her post as President for another three years - as the delegates gave her a standing ovation to demonstrate their thanks and appreciation for her leadership.

The "new kid on the block" at TWBA, Sylvia Broyles, State Secretary, was welcomed with open arms by the delegates attending the annual meeting.

And, her report to the membership was "upbeat" in spite of a membership decline across the state. Awards recognition totals were up, showing 406 affidavits for 650 or better

series, 42 of which were for series over the 700 mark.

Three 300 games were swatted by the ladies of Texas with Kathy LeCroy, Ft Worth, slamming in the highest to date, a 764. The 300 games came from Karen Anderson, Huntsville, Von Smith of Waco and Sheila Smith, Dallas.

The game awards for those games over 270 or better numbered 127, as compared to just 91 for the same period last year. Seven of those games were 290 or better, including one 299 and three 298s.

In reporting membership for the season to date, Sylvia reported 120,116, down more than 6,000 over the same period last year. Houston continues to lead in total membership with Dallas and S.A. in second and third followed in order by Fort Worth, El Paso, Austin, Corpus Christi, Arlington, Amarillo and Lubbock.

Sylvia also conducted a lively and very informative rules mini-workshop on Thursday evening prior to the annual meeting. She explained the new rules for tournament entries, now that the tournament is computerized in the TWBA office, and new deadlines for those wishing to bowl on annual meeting weekend in the future.

Election: In addition to returning Doris Coffman to office, delegates also gave a unanimous vote of confidence to sergeant-at-arms, Mona Loper, El Paso. Elected to serve on the TWBA Board were Tip Pfeiffer, San Antonio,

Shirley Cockran and Edna Turnbo, Temple, and Pat Smitherman, Austin. Doris will serve as State Delegate in Bismarck-Mandan, N.D.

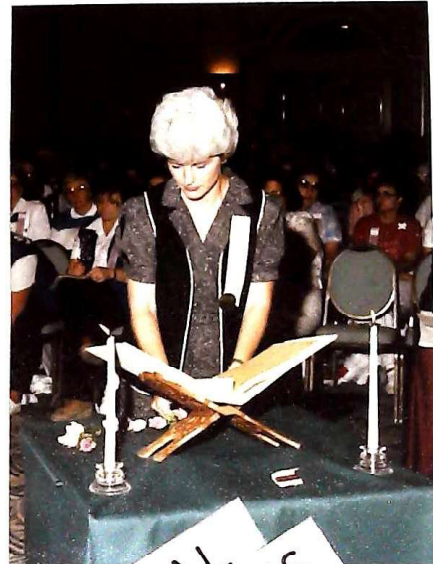
Working through the all-day agenda, treasurer, Sue Hunter, Alamo, received approval of the audit reports as well as the financial standing of TWBA.

Carol Works, new state YABA secretary, updated all the delegates of the activities of our bowling youth. State tournament to be in Bryan/College Station June 4 thru July 3, with an increased number of entries.

She included in her report information on the annual Texas YABA Scratch Tournament, to be held here this year at Ponderosa Bowl. The report showed that the Texas YABA will be awarding two \$100 scholarships to winners of that event - one boy and one girl.

Carol also noted that winners of the state Coca Cola tournament which included Greg Sova of San Antonio, and the later-to-be-honored Michelle Castillo, Austin. Castillo was named 1988 Miss Texas Junior Bowler of the Year. She also recognized Bradley Jonietz, San Antonio's "Chuck Hall Star of Tomorrow" who was honored in Jacksonville at the ABC convention and earned a \$500 scholarship in the state scratch segment of the Coke tournament.

Youth Bowling Service Award: Lou Ann Williams, Beaumont, was accorded a standing ovation for her years of work with the bowling youth. Numerous members of her program in



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the Beaumont area have gone on to the pro ranks and she has coached several Miss Texas Junior Bowler award recipients.

Speaking with Lou Ann's husband following the meeting, he said, "We have lost a son. Everytime he's on television, the entire town stops to watch. They stop us on the street to ask how he's doing. Seems as though he now belongs to everyone - not just us."

It must be great year for the Williams - Lou Ann received the prestigious TWBA award while their son - Mark Williams -- is devastating the PBA Tour!

Publicity & Bowling Council: 'T' was a busy year for the publicity committee

of TWBA and the reward, of course, was the winning of the NNBW Award for best state publication in the national competition.

Chairman Tip Pfeiffer covered not only the Publicity Committee's work, but the activities of the Texas State Bowling Council.

Houston will be the site of the 1988 State Senior Tournament, August 13-14 and August 20-21. Fort Worth will be host for the 1989 Senior tournament, and Temple was selected to host the 1990 tournament.

The State Mixed Tournament entries are available at most lanes now, and the 1989 State Mixed has been awarded to Bryan/College

Station, with the 1990 event going to Abilene.

Members were reminded that the Texas State Bowling Jamboree is set for Wichita Falls, August 5-6, with the 1989 Jamboree being awarded to Killeen.

TEAM USA finals this year will be conducted June 11-12 in Austin with the regional finals in the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

BVL Fund: As usual most of the afternoon agenda covered donations from the various associations to the BVL Fund. Texas was 3rd in state contributors with \$57,486...but by day's end, reports showed that \$53,623 had been generated this year, with more donations coming on Saturday when the Texas 600 Club and Texas 20-Year Club met.

Dorothy Cornelison BVL Award: This award is given annually to a local association, based on monies donated to BVL per capita of membership, was won by the San Angelo bowlers who generated over \$2 per member for BVL.

Other Activities & Reports: Bluebonnet Queens chairman Gloria Newman recalled the exciting finals of the 1988 Queens tournament, and noted that the 1989 event will be in Abilene at Triangle Lanes.

Helen Baetz tournament participation plaques for the 1988 tournament found Uvalde WBA as the big winner. The association entered 47% of their membership, earned to earn the President's Award even though they are in the 300 & Under membership category. Others with their percentages were Rockdale, 42%; Beaumont 31%; Waco 22%; Austin 14% and Houton 8%.

Many SAWBA members assured the success of the meeting. Local treasurer,

Helen Kalala served as Chairman of the Credentials Committee and Local Secretary. Louise Mangelsdorf, was named chairman of the Nominating Committee with members Carolyn Page, Janice Howard, Berta Thompson and Trudy Jordan.

A warm message from the Corpus Christi Board of Commerce & Industry, inviting TWBA to Corpus in 1990 was well received by the delegates. The delegates approved the selection of Corpus Christi as the site for the 1990 events.

Before recessing the daytime session, SAWBA president Ella O'Quinn passed on the symbolic treasure of TWBA - The Golden Pin - to Mona Loper, El Paso president, site of the 1989 TWBA events. The Gold Pin remains in the hostess city throughout the run of each year's tournament.

There were many other local members involved in the success of the 53rd annual meeting of TWBA. Much appreciated were Joan Davis who provided the organ music at both the convention and the annual banquet. Soloist for the Memorial Service was Janice Haws, a talented league member from Ponderosa Bowl.

The entire SAWBA Board, with help from a few non-members, dazzled banquet guests with their costumes from various stage shows and musicals, in keeping with the San Antonio theme of "The Magic of Music".

Bowlers, whether on the lanes, or at dinner, love a challenge. Some spontaneous competition came as early arrivals tried to match costumes with plays/musicals. All in costume were introduced during the dinner hour by local coordinator, Tip Pfeiffer to the delight of the audience. Gail Cantu was banquet chairman and awarded the lovely table decorations to a guest at each table.

It was a weekend to remember and one that won't soon be forgotten.

TWBA



DIRECTORS

Shirley Cockrell, Edna Turnbo, Tip Pfeiffer
Pat Smitherman



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Doris Coffman

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Mona Loper

ANNUAL MEETING







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HELEN BAETZ TRAVELING AWARDS
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 (Back Row) BARBARA WINGFIELD, Austin WBA, HELEN JONES, Waco WBA,
 DOTTE PENNISON, Beaumont WBA, BETTY BACK, Rockdale WBA



PRESIDENTS AWARD
 Dubba Hutchinson



TWBA WOOD AWARD
 Irma Harvey & Cynthia
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YOUTH BOWLING SERVICE
 AWARD
 LOU ANN WILLIAMS



ELLA O'QUINN presents
 GOLDEN PIN to MONA LOPER



SECRETARY OF THE YEAR
Pat Smitherman



ATL AWARD
JERRY PARKER accepting for
JO WOOD



TWBA SERVICE AWARD
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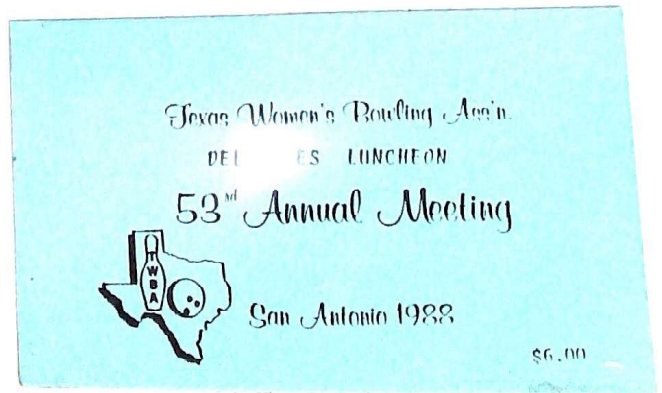
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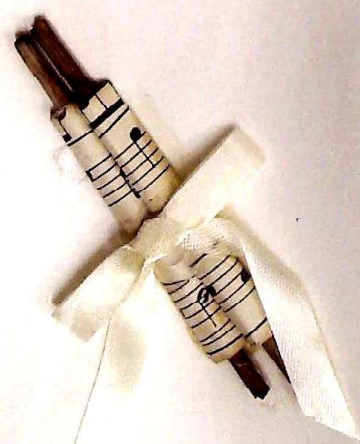
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Directed by Tip Pfeiffer
 Co-Director - Sherilyn Crain

CAST

THE KING AND I	Gail Cantu
PIRATES OF PENZANCE	Sharon Schuman
SOUND OF MUSIC	Lori Stein
AMADEUS	Carol Schroeder
HELLO DOLLY	Ella O'Quinn
THE KING AND I	Carole Poff
WHITE CHRISTMAS	Betty Holzmann
MY FAIR LADY	Anne Broyles
SOUTH PACIFIC	Louise Mangelsdorf
FUNNY GIRL	Helen Kalala
NEW YORK, NEW YORK	Helen Teller
OKLAHOMA	Irene Castaldo
PAINT YOUR WAGON	Debbie Kirst
ANNIE	Sherilyn Crain
CAMELOT	Jane Wright
THE MIKADO	Erna Trenkelbach
LADY SINGS THE BLUES	Janet Meyer
CINDERELLA	Barbara Schulmeyer
KISMET	Elsie Mitchell
MAME	Helen Baetz
FUNNY THING HAPPENED ON WAY TO THE FORUM	Myrt Lindemann
SHOW BOAT	Darlene Wallis
GYPSY	Jo Ann Strom
CABARET	Linda Bray
BEST LITTLE WHOREHOUSE IN TEXAS	Roxie Shamp
MAN OF LA MANCHA	Patti Hines
APPLAUSE, APPLAUSE	Unice Powell











Friday May 27, 1988 KEGLER

Delightful Duo Enter TWBA Hall of Fame



Lou Lane, Austin, joins twin sister, Sue Kingham, Houston in TWBA Hall of Fame Induction.

Texas' incredible twins - Sue Kingham and Lou Lane - who burst on the bowling scene not equipped with brakes - were inducted into the TWBA Hall of Fame Friday night at the TWBA Annual Awards Banquet at the Wyndham Hotel. Banquet guests were enchanted with their personalities, their poise, beauty and their lengthy list of accomplishments.

And their achievements since first bursting on the bowling scene as the "Martin Twins" in the youth program are breathtaking - and they are still active and dangerous on the lanes today.

After bowling just three months as AJBC members the twins won third place in

their very first tournament.

Since that time they twice won city Team titles, state titles and were third in national.

In Houston they were on the championship team four times, won doubles together twice, and were named to the Houston All City team twice. Both have had high game and series in the Houston WBA.

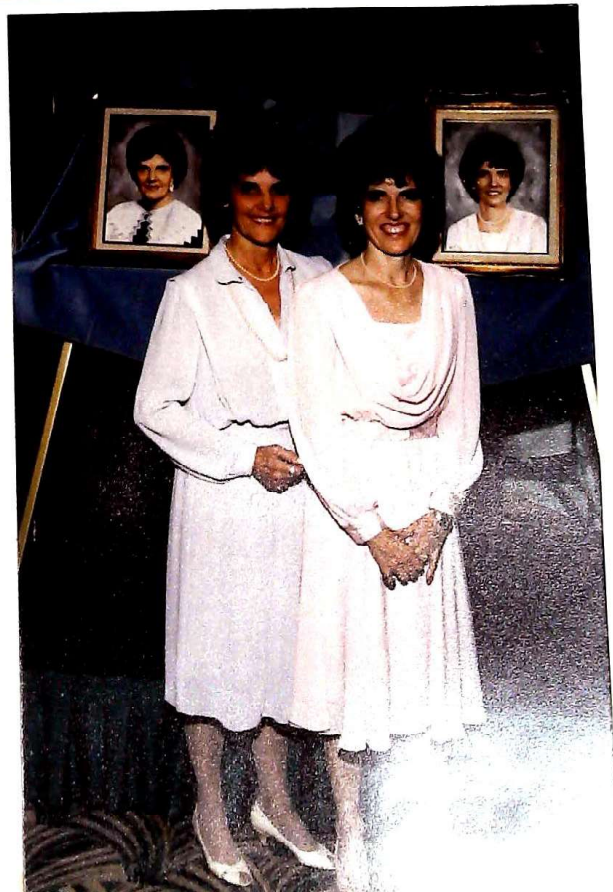
At the state level it was also four doubles titles in the TWBA Championship Tournament. Twice Sue was Queen of Houston bowling, and State All Events champion in 1961, 1964 and 1971. She was Southwest Masters Bowler of the Year twice, and was the National 600 Club champ in 1974.

Sister Lou turned in winning performances on the women's pro circuit in 1962 and 1975. She won the first Houston Scratch Singles Classic in 1958, and was a constant participant in the TV Strike Show, winning three first place titles. After moving to Austin she was the top bowler for 15 of the 18 years she competed. She was the all events titlist in 1982 and 1983 and just prior to the TWBA annual meeting was named Austin's Bowler of the Year. She too, was a 600 titlist, earning the Texas 600 Club Div. I title in 1982 and 1983.

Even though they reside in different cities - Sue in Houston and Lou in Austin - they do many many things together and seem to do things in doubles. Lou noted at the 20-Year Club that they were inducted together in the Houston Bowling Hall of Fame in 1977 (double numbers) and their TWBA Hall of Fame induction came in 1988 (again doubles numbers).

As they approached the podium at the banquet a slide presentation was shown to the guests - photos of themselves as youngsters and at times when they excelled on the lanes. On Saturday they attended their first Texas 20-Year luncheon meeting - making a twin-credible weekend for all of TWBA.

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Donna Conners Is "Bowler of Year"

TWBA began giving the Woman Bowler of the Year award in 1981, after the Texas 20-Year Club originated the award in 1969. Local associations and the Bowler of the Year Committee of TWBA make selections for outstanding performances on the lanes, and their choice this year was outstanding.

Pert and pretty Donna Conners, Houston, was the lady in the spotlight at the TWBA annual awards banquet last Friday night at the Wyndham Hotel. Her "Bowler of the Year" honors came after a great season which netted a league average of 206 with eleven series over the 600 mark, a high of 680. She also added two series over the 700 mark, the high a 748. And to add the frosting on the season she carded a 299 game.

But Donna's no stranger to the 300 circle - she's had three during her reasonably short career on Houston lanes, with a 767 high series.

Although she wasn't as active on the national scene as in previous years, the bubbly righthander turned in exceptional performances on the state level. She was on the Championship Team in Austin when TWBA visited that city. The Ladies Choice team won Division I with a 2750. Team members joining Donna were Jean Cope, Dixie Broadwell, Carol Rountree and Luci Bonneau.



Donna Conners

Donna also participated in two of the most exciting matches of this year's Texas Bluebonnet Queens tournament. She led most of the tournament only to win the final match, but lose the title to Queen Linda Urbañek.

"A true friend who shows great sportsmanship" is the description of Donna by those who have known her over the years.

"Even though I practiced what I was going to say tonight, right now I can't remember a thing," she laughed after receiving her plaque. "There are two special people I would like to thank for helping me get here - Sue Sewell and Susie Reichley. They helped me so much over the years, along with so many other people, and I would be here all night to list them all."

Both Reichley and Sewell have received the identical award. Reichley was the first Texas Woman Bowler of the Year, and Sewell earned her title in 1974.



Austin Teen Earns Junior Award

Michelle Castillo, Austin, was lured to the TWBA Annual Banquet, thinking she was a "finalist" in the race for the title of 1988 "Miss Texas Youth Bowler of the Year" -- when in reality she had already been selected for that honor.

The Stephen F. Austin high school senior, who's carried a 3.1 grade point average, is an exceptional teen. She's been bowling nine years, in two leagues for the past six years. Her current average is a 174 with a 233 high game (two of them) and a 597 high series this year, even though the center in which she bowls has changed from wood to synthetic lanes.

She was a member of the first place Scratch team, second in the area Youth Leaders competition, and for the second year will represent her city in the TEAM USA competition, among other accomplishments.

She's a National Youth Championship tournament competitor which could enable her to win a \$4,000 scholarship in July in St. Louis in the event sponsored by the Coca Cola Company. She also has placed in numerous Grand Prix Scholarship events.

An enthusiastic leader and a good organizer, Michelle is also extremely active at her high school. Michelle is manager of the girls Varsity Basketball team, a member of the Spanish Club, Junior Historians, Peer Counseling Club, Human Relations



Michelle Castillo
Miss Texas
Junior Bowler

Club and the Honor Society. It's always Michelle on hand to organize the young bowlers at Austin to help raise funds for her church youth group, assuming scorekeeping duties at the Austin Open pro stop, and organizing the youth to help the Austin 200 Club with the Meals on Wheels project.

The pretty teen was selected by the Texas 20-Year Club for Bowler of the Year honors, and was the guest of the Club with her very proud mother on Saturday.





HALL OF FAME MEMBERS

Friday May 27, 1988 KEGLER

State Leaders Enjoy Banquet



State Officials gather 'round Sylvia Broyles after the Annual TWBA Banquet to offer congratulations.

Shown are: Carol Works, YABA, Jack Martin, TBCA, and Jimmy Cline, TSBA.



SYLVIA presents Host Proprietors plaque to BOB FREEHAUF

TEXAS "600" CLUB

TONI DAUGHERTY, Publicity Chairman

Saturday, May 21, 1988 - 6:30 A.M. - one hundred seventy six members and guest of the Texas 600 Club were greeted by a bountiful array of handmade goodies in the Country Store. Workers were chairwoman Betty Thom assisted by Pat Turner, Judy Barton, Emily Dominey, Tizzie Tisdale, Toni Daugherty, Eileen Riedel and Marge Ackerman. These ladies worked before, during and after the breakfast to help make this project such a success.

We thank Joye Duncan, breakfast chairwoman, and all of you San Antonio ladies for all you did to make our breakfast so super. The pace really began to pick up when we discovered the table favors to be small jars (cutely decorated) of picante sauce donated by Paces of San Antonio.

When all heads were counted, there were 147 eligible voters at the 25th Annual Meeting. The following people were elected to office:

1st Vice President Marille McMichen Amarillo
 2nd Vice President Dot Kasproski El Paso
 Sec'y-Treas. Janice Howard Waco
 Director #1 Sandy Cash Ft. Worth
 Director #3 Pat Turner Lubbock
 Director #4 Toni Daugherty Bay City
 Director #5 Kay Turner Dallas

President Hicy Leonard made the following committee appointments: **NOMINATING** - Bobbee Sickles, Chairman, Fort Worth, Bertha Arnold, Herford, Frances Williams, Dallas. **POLICY & PROCEDURE** - Kay Turner, Sandy Cash. **SPECIAL PROJECTS** - Betty Thom, Chairman and **PUBLICITY** - Toni Daugherty.

Our congratulations to Ella O'Quinn who became Member Emeritus of the Texas 600 Club. Hicy gave special "Thanks" to Janice Howard, Sec'y-Treas., for helping to make our club so special (we now boast over 13,100 members). The audience echoed its appreciation with thunderous applause.

A special thanks to Sylvia Broyles, TWBA secretary, for allowing us to set up our registration table in the credentials area. Also, to the gals who manned the table: Carolyn Page, Sandy Cash, Bobbee Sickles, Toni Daugherty, Mary Alice Watson, Bettie Hanson, Wynelle Foreman, Pat Turner, Deb West, Hicy Leonard, Kay Turner, Billie Gregg, Brenda McWilliams, and Janice Howard - GREAT GOING GALS!

This year's 600 club tournament director, Myrt DeFily has worked long, hard hours with her committee in running this year's tournament. Our thanks for a super effort! Dot Kasproski will head the committee for the 1989 600 club tournament in El Paso and Mona Loper, President of the El Paso association, invited all of us to visit her fair city next year.

We are proud to announce that the total revenue generated by the Country Store amounted to \$865.00. The auction, ably and often hilariously called by Ruth Peterson, brought in \$2,300.00. The grand total to be donated to BVL is \$3,165.00!

Our meeting, breakfast and special projects were so much fun this year and all of you who weren't able to attend should really try to be there in '89. YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU'RE MISSING!



TWENTY PLUS ? !!

BILLY C. PHILLIPS, 20 YEAR CLUB SECY.

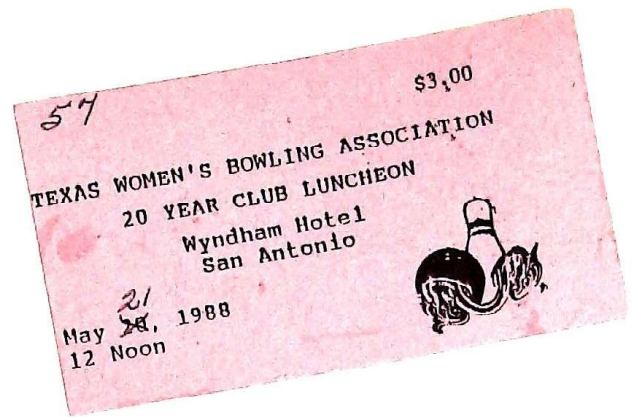
A lovely and delicious luncheon was enjoyed by the members of the 20-Year Club. The tables were beautifully decorated with a centerpiece of hand painted birds which were made by Helen Kalala. Our thanks to Helen Baetz, Luncheon Chairman and Helen for a fun time during our annual meeting. Special guest included our Miss Texas Youth Bowler, Michelle Castillo and her Mother from Austin; TWBA Hall of Fame recipients, Lou Lane and Sue Kingham; TWBA Officers Doris Coffman, President; Millie Wood, 1st Vice President; Mona Loper, Sgt.-at-arms; Directors Tip Pfeiffer, Betty Thom, Barbara Wingfield and Ruth Petersen, who is currently serving as President of the Texas 20 Year Club. The charter members in attendance were Helen Baetz, Mary Alice "Boots" Brown, Dorothy Cornelison and Lucille Miers. Other distinguished guest were TWBA Life Members Fay Browning, Lil Poole, Dorothy Cornelison, and Helen Baetz, TWBA Members Emeritus Herbie Vannoy and Joyce Harton.

Our membership has increased to 123, which includes 12 new members joining the club in San Antonio.

Newly elected Officers are Mary Louise Young, Houston as 1st Vice President and Billy C. Phillips, Irving as Secretary-Treasurer.

We have membership applications in the office, so if you think you might qualify, just drop me a note, Billy C. Phillips, Secretary, 1710 Beverly Pkwy., Irving, Texas 75061.

Come join in the fun next year in El Paso!



Friday June 3, 1988 KEGLER

Kathy Kirst Leads State All Events

If Kathy Kirst's all events total of 1876 in the TWBA Championship Tournament holds up until July 17th, it'll be another historical mark for the state women's association.

Kathy, now 27, was the 1977 "Miss Texas Junior Bowler of the Year" that year and was a graduating senior from John Marshall High School. The same year she was honored as the recipient of the Alberta E. Crowe "Star of Tomorrow" at the WIBC annual meeting.

Should her nine game total withstand the final weeks of pin bombardment at World of Sports and Astro Bowling Center, Kathy would be the first "Miss Texas Junior Bowler" to earn the TWBA all events crown.

According to her mother, Debbie Kirst of Country Lanes, during her team event the quiet lefthander posted games of 200, 175 and 156 for a 531 set.

Moving into Astro Bowl for doubles with partner, Laurie Jo Scales, the 1981 State Champion, Kathy sizzled in a 685 series with games of 237, 235 and 213. Laurie Jo added 184, 186 and 213 (583) for the leading Division I Doubles tally of 1268.

Adding games of 215, 214 and 231 (660) in Singles, Kathy moved one pin ahead in the all events list. Mickle Archer, rolling for the Snafu team had just completed her nine games in the TWBA event the previous shift, ousting Joyce Davis of Big Spring from her lead.

Micki was a member of the Snafu team which featured a 625 series by reigning Texas Bluebonnet Queen, Linda Urbanek. Humble, Arlington's Carol Bailey's 602 and Beth Parker's 562, Dallas' Sue Gregory's 488 and Micki's 607. In Queen Urbanek's final game she slammed in a six bagger to

complete her team play.

Archer's totals were a 672 in doubles and a 596 in single for her 1875 total, a lead which vanished when Kathy stepped on the lanes.

In Division 2, Letha DeLaughter, who's been blistering the lanes of late, entered the state tournament off a 156 high yearbook average. She zipped into first in all events with a 685 team effort last weekend, had 511 in doubles and 603 in singles to compile a leading 1682 score.

Other local ladies remaining in first or second in the top three of the TWBA are: Betty Roberts, Div. 3 Singles with 658; Jane Alvarado and Sally Alghire with 1065 in Div. 4 Doubles; Dona Long in second in Div. 4 Singles; and Carol Detwiler with 1614 in Div. 4 all events with 1614.

Third place is held down by these local ladies at this point of the competition: The Thunder Rollers #2 tied for third in Div. 3 team event; and the Fort Sam Strikers tied for third in Div. 5 team. Ernestine Harris and Jackie Summers have 1121 in Div. 2 doubles; and Cammie Brown is third in Div. 2 all events with 1699.

The tournament continues at both centers until July 17 with the exception of the July 4th weekend.

Friday June 10, 1988 KEGLER



First '88 TWBA Championships Record Falls In 12th Week

With just five weekends remaining in the TWBA Championship Tournament at World of Sports and Astro Bowling Center, the state recorded its first record this past weekend.

Mary Honeycutt, Milano of the Rockdale Women's Bowling Association carved her special niche in TWBA annals setting a new singles record for Division 4.

A mother of two, who is expecting her third child in just three weeks, rolled games of 165, 264 and 212 for a 641 series during her tournament competition at Astro Bowl.

Honeycutt, the 1983 all events Novice Division II list of 1983, topped the previous record of 636 by five pins. The previous record was set by Kathey Spurling of Killeen set in 1978.



Mary Hunnicutt Record Buster

It was Honeycutt's first career 600 series and since she was competing with a yearbook average of 143

she'll be awarded a century award from WIBC by going at least 100 pins over her average for a single game.

Although not a record, 70 year old Clemma Bailey of Austin also found herself in the spotlight this past weekend. She slammed in a 241 game (missing her century award from WIBC by just five sticks) by taking the lead in the race for the Billy Simon Memorial Award for a senior bowler during the competition.

Other WIBC award winners were Shirley Yarbrough of Waco who carded a 167 triplicate off her 155 average, and Robin Siebe of Houston, a 111 averager, who posted a 225 game for her century award.

A local team known as the Super Shooters II were just outside the glare of the spotlight. Members Joyce Vaughan (484), Wendy Martin (524), Andrea Keck (563), Kathy Kurtz (648) and Cindy Berlanga (568) moved into third place in Div. I, only to be demoted to fourth in the standings later in the day.

The Westgate Pro Stop of Austin, sizzled in a 2864 to move into the runnerup position behind the Snafu team of Dallas with 2884.

No other changes were recorded which would affect the local ladies in the various divisions in the top three slots.



Meyer takes over all-events lead

By HARRY PAGE
Express-News Staff Writer

Charlene Meyer of Bay City and Clemma Bailey provided most of the excitement during the 13th weekend of action in the Texas Women's Bowling Association's at Astro Bowl and World of Sports lanes.

Meyer replaced Carrie Scitern of Rockdale in the No. 1 spot of Class E all-events with a 1,523 nine-game total. Scitern had led the division with 1,486.

Bailey, who is 70 years old, took the lead in the race for the Billy Simon Memorial Award for a senior bowler with a 241 game. Bailey replaced Mardell Rudewick of Longview, who had led with a 237 game.

S.A.'s Dong Long and Cammie Brown were knocked off the leader board. Cara Jarzombek of Houston moved into third place in Class C singles with a 602 series — her first 600 ever — replacing Long. Long had been third with a 581 series.

Betsy Brinkly of Carthage replaced Brown in third place in Class A all-events with a 1,726 total. Brown had held that spot for weeks with a 1,699 total.

The Misfits of Fort Worth moved into second place in Class C team with a 2,467 total. Cyndy Kincaid led the team with a 530 series, followed by Lea Ann Medlock 509, Donna Pough 503, Fran Sloan 486 and Barbara Brown with 439.

In other action, Alanda Pitts of Port Arthur, a 162 average bowler, had her first 600 series with games of 225, 232 and 156 for a 603 set in the team event, and Karen Flannigan of Hidalgo Co. converted the 'Big Four' (4-6-7-10) split.

TWBA STATE TOURNAMENT 13th Week Leaders

Open Division: 1. Srafu, Dallas, 2,884; 2. Westgate Pro Shop, Austin, 2,864; 3. Ray's Pro Shop, Houston, 2,807. **Class A:** 1. Bowling & Billiards, Dallas, 2,702; 2. Wirmoy's Hamburgers, Waco, 2,680; 3. Great Possibilities, Lubbock, 2,674. **Class B:** 1. Automation & Research, Texoma, 2,717; 2. C.C. New & Classic, Baytown, 2,583; 3. (tie) Fairlones Ding Bats, Houston, 2,581, and Thunder Rollers No. Two, San Antonio, 2,581. **Class C:** 1. Yellow Mount Oil Co., Eastland, 2,493; 2. Misfits, Fort Worth, 2,467; 3. Screw Ups, Brazoria Co., 2,463. **Class D:** 1. C. C. Roll-

State Bowling

ers, Corpus Christi, 2,405; 2. Pat Walkers, Temple, 2,368; 3. (tie) Fort Sam Strikers, San Antonio, and Parker Tire, Lakeplex, 2,364. **Class E:** 1. Japponos, Corsicana, 2,357; 2. The Five Amigos, Loredo, 2,202; 3. Pin Pals, Austin, 2,164.

Open Division: 1. Kathy Kirst-Laurie Scales, San Antonio, 1,768; 2. Joycee Davis-Nancy Kuznieki, Big Spring-Austin, 1,703; 3. Stella Missourio-Sheryl White, Houston, 1,189. **Class A:** 1. Sharon Reilly, Texas, 1,189; 2. Patsy Thurman-Donna Jones, Arlington, 1,134; 3. Ernestine Harris-Jackie Summers, San Antonio, 1,121. **Class B:** 1. Suzanne Carter-Linda Stovall, Austin, 1,096; 2. Candy Groom-Jackie Conner, Amarillo, 1,092; 3. Chris Nava-Jonie Delgado, Victoria, 1,087. **Class C:** 1. Nancy Koppel-Julie Bowser, Pasadena, 1,078; 2. Mary Ann Owens-Alice Stewart, Orange, 1,052; 3. Jenny Pollock-Pam Jones, Corpus Christi, 1,020. **Class D:** 1. Nancy Koppel-Julie Bowser, Pasadena, 1,078; 2. Mary Ann Owens-Alice Stewart, Orange, 1,052; 3. Jenny Pollock-Pam Jones, Corpus Christi, 1,020. **Class E:** 1. Debbie Toy-Crystal Haverland, Killeen-Fort Hood, 993; 2. Sandra Hartman-Sharon Woodfin, Pasadena, 987; 3. Charlene Bryan-Nadene Chrismer, Huntsville, 959.

Open Division: 1. Joycee Davis, Big Spring, 690; 2. Nancy Kuznieki, Austin, 665; 3. Kathy Kirst, San Antonio, 660. **Class A:** 1. Debbie Toy-Crystal Haverland, Killeen-Fort Hood, 643; 2. Susan Glezman, Montgomery Co., 624; 3. Mary Jane Bolcar, Wharton, 623. **Class B:** 1. Betty Roberts, San Antonio, 658; 2. Mildred Larson, Arlington, 613; 3. Letha DeLaughter, San Antonio, 603. **Class C:** 1. Mary Honeycutt, Rockdale, 641; 2. Sammie Vaughn, Fort Worth, 602; 3. Cara Jarzombek, Houston, 602. **Class D:** 1. Becky Cromer, Bryan-College Station, 594; 2. Lupe McCord, Victoria, 552; 3. Donna Smith, Kilgore, 550. **Class E:** 1. Carrie Scitern, Rockdale, 530; 2. Jana Rushing, Monahans, 526; 3. Cheryl Smith, Houston, 525.

All-Events
Open Division: Kathy Kirst, San Antonio, 1,876; 2. Micki Archer, Arlington, 1,876; 3. Joycee Davis, Big Spring, 1,820. **Class A:** 1. Mary Jane Bolcar, Wharton, 1,785; 2. Debbie Taylor, Temple, 1,757; 3. Betsy Brinkley, Carthage, 1,726. **Class B:** 1. Letha DeLaughter, San Antonio, 1,682; 2. Judy Conrad-Wren, 1,645; 3. Donna Jones, Arlington, 1,637. **Class C:** 1. Sandy Leistikow, Baytown, 1,616; 2. Carol Delweiler, San Antonio, 1,614; 3. Dawn Denman, Corpus Christi, 1,610. **Class D:** 1. Lisa McNeill, Houston, 1,619; 2. Sandra Hartman, Pasadena, 1,555; 3. Rose Garcia, Corpus Christi, 1,551. **Class E:** 1. Charlene Meyer, Bay City, 1,523; 2. Carrie Scitern, Rockdale, 1,486; 3. Cheryl Smith, Houston, 1,448.

Others
High Game — Nancy Kuznieki, Austin, 248. **High Series** — Joycee Davis, Big Spring, 690. **600 Club Standings:** Division I — Bernie Ehemon, Houston, 643; High game, Ella Oliver, Galveston, 230. **Division II** — Betty Burke, San Antonio, 611; High game, Mildred Montgomery, 246. **BVL Tournament:** Women — Karla Martin, Atlanta, 797; Men — Charlie Burke, San Antonio, 774. **Billie Simon High Game (seniors)** — Clemma Bailey, Austin, 241.



Local 600 Club Sets Special Friday Squad For Texas 600 Tourney

An invitation has been extended to all San Antonio 600 Club members to bowl on a special squad in the Texas 600 Club tournament on Friday, June 24th at Country Lanes!

Time for the special squad is 7 p.m. with arrangements made for a second squad immediately afterward for those ladies wishing to roll the second time.

Tournament rules allow each 600 Club member to attempt to qualify for the prize fund twice for an entry fee of \$10 each squad.

Members roll three games on one pair of lanes and average to be used is current yearbook high.

The state competition is divided into two divisions - Division I for those with averages over 170; and Division II for those 169 and below.

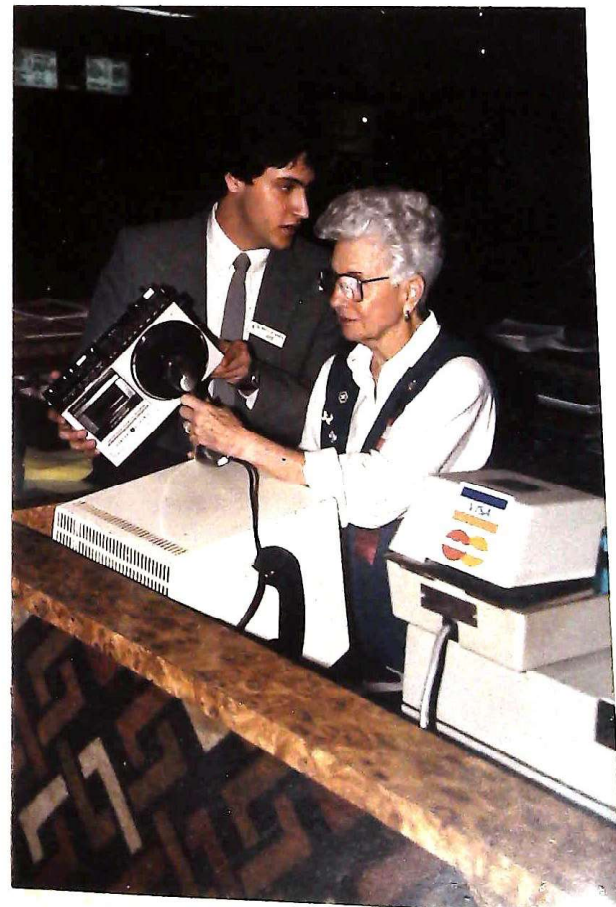
Members are reminded to bring their white receipt cards showing they have paid their current annual dues, or, dues may be paid at the tournament site.

BVL Side Tournament

The same night any bowler - man or woman - may also compete in the BVL 3-6-9 Tournament for an entry fee of \$7.50 -- with one dollar allocated as a donation to the BVL Fund. The BVL tourney is handicapped 80% of 200 in each division (men's and women's) and bowlers may cash only once in the prize list -- but bowl as often as desired.

Leaders in the Texas 600 Club are Bernie Ehemon, Houston with 643 in Div. I, and Betty Burke in Div. II with 611.

In the BVL Fund event Karla Martin, Atlanta, leads the women's division with Charlie Burke leading the men's division with 774.



Houston kegler, 71, snares singles lead

By HARRY PAGE
Express-News Staff Writer

Action in the Texas Women's Bowling Association's state tournament will be suspended Saturday and Sunday because of the July 4 holiday weekend.

Berdyne Smith proved that you are never too old to have it together after the 15th weekend of play at Astro Bowl and World of Sports lanes.

The Houston bowler, who is 71 years old, moved into the Class A singles with a 642 series — nine pins more than previous leader Debbie Taylor of Temple.

Smith, who entered the tournament with a 162 average, had games of 180, 241 and 221.

The only other change in the standings came in Class E team event where Jeanette's Beauty Salon of Ellis County took over second place.

Jeanette's, which had a team average of 630, had games of 786, 736 and 753 for a 2,277 total. Nancy Mach led the team with a 532 series.

Jalapenos of Corsicana lead Class E with a 2,357 total. The Five Amigos of Laredo dropped to third place at 2,202.

Elsie Garcia of San Marcos and Ronda Tipton both picked up WIBC awards: Garcia had a 179 all-spares game, and Tipton rolled a 159 tripliate.

The TWBA event resumes July 9-10, and closes with its 17th and final weekend of play July 17.

S.A.'s Kathy Kirst still leads the Open Division all-events fray with a 1,876 total, and is teamed with Laurie Scales for the top spot in Open Division doubles with a 1,268 total.

Cassandra Harris and Letha DeLaughter remain one-two in Class B all-events with respective totals of 1,692 and 1,682; and Betty Roberts is still pacing Class B singles with a 658 series.

15th Week Leaders Teams

Open Division: 1. Ladies Choice, Houston, 2,095; 2. Snafu, Dallas, 2,884; 3. Westgate Pro Shop, Austin, 2,884. Class A: 1. Bowling & Billiards, Dallas, 2,702; 2. Wimpy's Hamburgers, Waco, 2,660; 3. Great Possibilities, Lubbock, 2,474. Class B: 1. Automotion & Research, Texas, 2,717; 2. C.C. New & Classic, Baytown, 2,583; 3. (tie) Fairlones Dino Bats, Houston,

Bowling

2,581, and Thunder Rollers No. Two, San Antonio, 2,581. Class C: 1. Yellow Mound Oil Co., Eastland, 2,493; 2. Milsite, Fort Worth, 2,487; 3. Screw Ups, S. Brazoria Co., 2,443. Class D: 1. C. C. Rollers, Corpus Christi, 2,405; 2. Gomez Sheet Metal, Temple, 2,401; 3. Pop Walkers, Temple, 2,348. Class E: 1. Jalapenos, Corsicana, 2,357; 2. Jeanette's Beauty Salon, Ellis County, 2,277; 3. The Five Amigos, Laredo, 2,202.

Doubles

Open Division: 1. Kathy Kirst-Laurie Scales, San Antonio, 1,268; 2. Maureen Hood-Regina Loveall, Amarillo, 1,228; 3. Joyce Davle-Nancy Kuznieski, Big Spring-Austin, 1,063. Class A: 1. Mary Spears-Gail Miller, Texoma, 1,189; 2. Patsy Thurman-Donna Jones, Arlington, 1,134; 3. Ernestine Harris-Jackie Summers, San Antonio, 1,121. Class B: 1. Suzanne Carter-Linda Stovall, Austin, 1,095; 2. Candy Groom-Jackie Conner, Amarillo, 1,092; 3. Chris Pava-Janie Delgado, Victoria, 1,087. Class C: 1. Sharon Reilly-Theresa Joest, Austin, 1,082; 2. Herla Brown-Glenda Wallace Houston, Abilene, 1,068; 3. Jane Alvarado-Sally Alghire, San Antonio, 1,045. Class D: 1. Nancy Kooool-Julie Bowser, Pasadena, 1,078; 2. Mary Ann Owens-Alice Stewart, Orange, 1,052; 3. Jenny Pollock-Pam Jones, Corpus Christi, 1,020. Class E: 1. Pam Riemer-Connie Haverland, Killeen-Fort Hood, 993; 2. Sandra Hartman-Sharon Woodfin, Pasadena, 987; 3. Charlene Bryan-Nedene Christer, Huntsville, 959.

Singles

Open Division: 1. Joyce Davis, Big Spring, 690; 2. Kathy LeCroy, Fort Worth, 689; 3. Nancy Kuznieski, Austin, 665. Class A: 1. Berdyne Smith, Houston, 642; 2. Debbie Taylor, Temple, 633; 3. Susan Glezman, Montgomery Co., 624. Class B: 1. Betty Roberts, San Antonio, 658; 2. Mildred Larson, Arlington, 613; 3. Letha DeLaughter, San Antonio, 603. Class C: 1. Mary Honeycutt, Rockdale, 641; 2. Sammie Vaughn, Fort Worth, 633. Class D: 1. Becky Cromer, Bryan-College Station, 594; 2. Lupe McCord, Victoria, 552; 3. Donna Smith, Kilgore, 550. Class E: 1. Carrie Sciern, Rockdale, 530; 2. Jana Rushing, Manchaca, 526; 3. Cheryl Smith, Houston, 525.

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Friday July 15, 1988 KEGLER

TWBA Magic And Music End This Weekend

It'll be a weekend of mixed emotions for the ladies of SAWBA as the TWBA Championship Tournament comes to its conclusion.

And it'll be more than a high-flying weekend for tournament director, Sylvia Broyles, who left for Greendale, Wisconsin, for Mrs. Helen Baker's retirement party. The gala is Saturday night, and so she won't miss the ending of her first tournament as State Secretary, Sylvia will be winging back into San Antonio on Sunday -- then back in the air late Sunday night for a WIBC

Board meeting on Monday morning!

Most anxious for tournament's end, of course, is Kathy Kirst, who sitting on top of the Div. I all events lead. Kathy has a total 1876, and with Laurie Jo Scales, the Open Doubles lead with 1268.

San Antonio's Betty Roberts, with 658 is in first in Div. B Singles, and Cassandra Harris is the Div. 3 all events leader with 1692 going into the final two days.

Joining others in the top three on the standings board last weekend were Margie Garcia and Aurora Cooper who moved into third place in Div. 2 doubles with a 1127.

More than 13,000 Texas women have participated in the 51st TWBA Championships during its 18-weekend run. Champions will be feted on August 13 at a gala awards banquet at the Holiday Inn and a prize fund in excess of \$208,848 will be distributed.

There have been 335 local teams entered in the competition with many more ladies who have become last-minute subs during the tournament.

SAWBA officials extend sincerest thanks to all those volunteers who have assisted during the run of the tournament, either as scorers or at the concession stands.

They also extend their heartiest thanks to the management and staff of the two host centers - World of Sports and Astro Bowling Center for their hospitality and cooperation.

The "Magic of Music", San Antonio's theme for 1988, will be remembered for years to come!



ELSIE keeps on filing 200 award forms



SYLVIA BROYLES presents PROPRIETORS PLAQUE to JIM PESTELLO

THE LAST SQUAD AT THE DOUBLES AND SINGLES CENTER



SUE attempts to put the last squad on but the Mike does not work?????



SUE inspects the damages done to her car.



YELLOW ROSES are presented to Scorekeeping Chairmen RUTH & BARBARA



THE CREW AT THE DOUBLES AND SINGLES CENTER





THE LAST SQUAD AT THE
TEAM HOUSE









SYLVIA puts the last squad on the lanes



LOUISE MANGELSDORF



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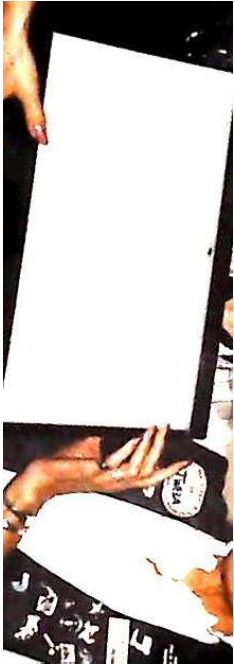
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THE MAGIC OF
GOOD ENDINGS...











Kathy Kirst Is State Champion!

Laurie Jo Scales, Betty Roberts, Cass Harris Also Winners

It started with Magic and Music and ended with cheers of delight when four local ladies were declared unofficial State Champions of the 51st TWBA Championship Tournament at World of Sports and Astro Bowling Center.

Even though all of the checking and re-checking hasn't yet been completed, it is apparent that Kathy Kirst has captured her second State honor.

With Kathy, Laurie Jo Scales will also again be receiving State recognition for the second time since they appear to be TWBA Div. 1 Doubles Champions. Newcomers in the TWBA spotlight are Betty Roberts, winner of Div. 3 Singles, and Cassandra Harris, Div. 3 all events winner! The 51st tournament was great for San Antonio!

Kathy first came to the attention of the women of the state when she was still at John Marshall High School and demolishing national junior records. For her talents and scholastic achievements she was named not only "Miss Texas Junior Bowler" but received the national Alberta E. Crowe "Star of Tomorrow" accolades (1977).

This year after hammering out 531 in team event and 685 in Doubles with Laurie Jo (with 583), plus a 660 in singles (1876) Kathy will wear the TWBA State Champion's crown. With all the other divisional champions she will be officially recognized at the State Awards Banquet on August 13th here in San Antonio.

Kathy's and Laurie Jo's 1268 doubles score remained the score to beat since the last weekend of May in the 17-weekend state showcase. Their total was 40 pins better than the runnerup total put in by Maureen Hood, Dallas, and

Kathy Kirst



Regina Loveall, Amarillo, 1983 State Champion.

When Laurie Jo earned her State Champ's crown in 1981 when TWBA also visited the Alamo City, she posted an 1831 in her all events, and was second with Carol Smith in Doubles with 1159.

The same year was third in All Events with 1783. Most recently Kathy was a Regional TEAM USA finalist who finished in fifth in Austin. She went on to Fort Worth for the Regional Finals swatting a over 190. Her appearance in the TWBA Championships this year was a hefty 208.4 for her nine games. At presstime both she and Laurie Jo are on the the first place team leading the Martha Washington tournament.

Betty Roberts earned her first state title when she used her 157 yearbook average when entering, and came out on top of the Div. 3 Singles with a super 658 series. She rolled her state events late in April and her score remained on top for all those weeks.

Cassandra Harris, rolling in her first state competition, took the Div. 3 All Events crown with 1692 for her nine games. She rolled off a 159 average posting a doubles total of 594, 604 in singles and 494 in team event.

Defending team champions in Div. 1 provided all the excitement the weekend of June 19-20 as they successfully defended their State crowns, and their total was never seriously threatened throughout the remainder of the competition.

The Ladies Choice team from Houston included 1985 Texas Bluebonnet Queen

Laurie Jo Scales



Luci Bonneau who rolled 608; reigning "Texas Woman Bowler of the Year" Donna Conners, 573; Dixie Broadwell 546. Wanda Chovanec, who replaced Carol Rountree, 549; and Jean Cope, who with Dixie were the 1987 Div. 1 Doubles champions. The team surpassed their 1987 total by 145 teams.

For the second consecutive year stunning Joycee Davis, Big Spring, earned Div. 1 singles honors, this

year with a fantastic 690 series with games of 208, 254, and 228. The total was just five pins shy of the tournament record set by Myrt DeFily (695) in 1971. Her winning total last year was a 683.

Other local ladies in the top three places in the TWBA championships which features an estimated prize fund of \$208,848, were, unofficially, Margie Garcia and Aurora Cooper, third in Div. 2 Doubles with 1127; Letha DeLasughter, third in Div. 3 with 603; Evelyn Washington who saved her best shot for final weekend and posted a 582 for runnerup honors in Div. 5 singles. Letha also finished in second in Div. 3 with 1682 all events and Carol Detwiler was runnerup by just two pins in Div. 4 all events.

One State Record was broken during the run of the 51st annual event. The first weekend of June Mary Honeycutt, Milano (of the Rockdale Assn.) toppled a score which had stood since 1978. Honeycutt, who was expecting her third child in three weeks, rolled games of 165, 264 and 212 for a 641 series, topping the record score of 636 set by Kathy Spurling of Killeen.

TWBA rewards the ladies rolling in the State Championships for their first 200 games during the event, and awards ladies whose averages are 139 and under for games over the 175 mark. The final award of the 51st annual event went to Melba July for her 201 game rolled in doubles. She competed with a 151 average.

Ladies rolling on the final squad of the championships were thrilled to receive a single yellow rose just prior to their tournament play. The roses were courtesy of the host proprietor (Astro Bowling Center) not only celebrating the end of the event, but in thanks to the ladies for visiting San Antonio.

The San Antonio edition of the TWBA Championships drew 2,669 five-woman teams, plus 6,817 sets of doubles, 13,634 singles and 13,054 all events, the fifth largest tournament in TWBA history. San Antonio WBA also holds the record for the largest TWBA event, set in 1981 when 3,086 teams participated.

The 1988 edition also was the first combining of Class E and Novice Division for those with averages 129 and under, and was the first time the tournament scores had been tallied by computer.

Unofficially too, is the top score in the race for the Billy

Simon Memorial Senior Award. Betty Brewster, Corpus Christi, sized in a 267 individual high game on her way to a personal career high series of 696. Brewster was rolling with a 179 current average. The award is given to a senior tournament participant, over the age of 55, who rolls the highest individual game of the tournament. The record is held by Elfi Tomczyk, San Antonio, a 279, set in 1982.

The state magic and

music may have ceased with the closing of the 51st event, but now the ladies of SAWBA have their eyes on an even bigger pie -- hosting the WIBC Championships and Annual Meeting in 1993. Bid work continues and plans are underway for a giant sized Texas Hospitality Room in Bismarck-Mandan, North Dakota. A site inspection team is expected mid-August to detail San Antonio's many attractions and facilities.

Packed House & Fun At TWBA Banquet Of Champions

When TWBA honors their Tournament Champions it is an event for members!

All three individual champions were not in attendance at the Banquet of Champions Saturday evening at the Holiday Inn Airport - and the evening was just perfect for those winning one (or two) of the magnificent trophies from Browning's Trophies (Garland) and enjoying the magnificent dinner.

The program was brief but each champion was treated to special words of praise for their achievements from emcees Beverly McLendon, Houston, and Sue Hunter, Alamo, who received winning stories and outstanding bowling feats during the 17 weekend run of the 1988 event at World of Sports and Astro Bowling Center.

Joining in the applause for the champs were the president and secretary of the State Men's Association, Ted Burns, Fort Worth and Jimmy Cline, Austin, as well as Lois Cathey, president of the State Proprietors and State Bowling Council. Special recognition was given to the SAWBA Board members in attendance, and numerous TWBA officials, such as past secretary, Life Member and Hall of Famer Helen Baetz.

But the 'Magic of Music' was dimmed a bit when it was learned that State Champion Kathy Kirst could not attend the gala evening. She is recovering from facial surgery performed just days before the banquet. Kathy's state awards will be presented by Sylvia Broyles at the SAWBA Open Meeting Sept. 11th. Sylvia's disappointment was evident as she made the announcement, her voice trembling and tears in her eyes.

In absentia, Kathy

received warm applause for her winning 1875 total in Div. 1. All events, as well as applause for winning Div. 1 Doubles with partner Laurie Jo Scales.

Two other local ladies were recognized as Betty Roberts' 658 series in Div. 3 singles withstood the shooting of all the other Texans in the class, and Casandra "Cass" Harris, a delightful mother of five, who won first in Div. 3 All Events the first time she rolled in the state competition.

The Championships in San Antonio was another milestone in the career of State Secretary Broyles. After serving many years as tournament office manager, the 1988 event was her debut as Tournament Manager. It was also a 'first' for TWBA as all tournament scores were put into the computer for the first time.

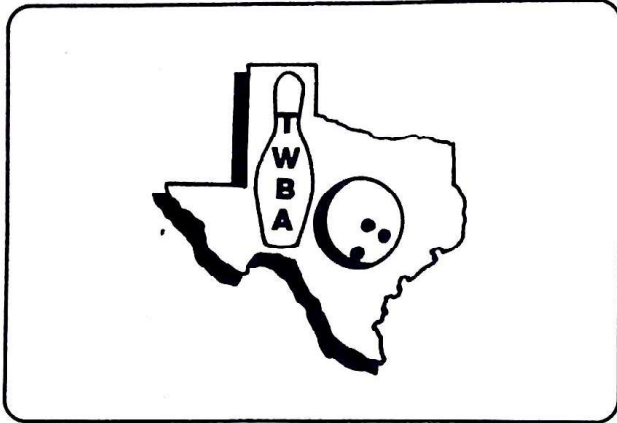
Prize checks from the 17-weekend event went into the mails on Monday from the TWBA office at Spring Branch. Hundreds of Texas women bowlers will share in the fund which totalled more than \$200,000.

Before the evening came to an end Champions were reminded that the 1989 TWBA Championships are in El Paso, with special directions on this year's entry forms for team captains and delegates wishing to bowl convention weekend.

All 1988 Champions were saluted with the traditional champagne toast by Secretary Broyles and TWBA President Doris Coffman, Wichita Falls.

Members of the TWBA Awards Banquet committee were McLendon and Hunter with Tip Pfeiffer, Barbara Wingfield and Millie Wood, plus president and secretary, ex officio.





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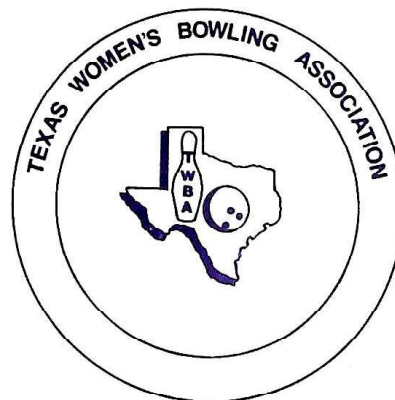
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