

# INDIANA STATE USBC BA NEWSLETTER

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**IS USBC BA Web Site**  
[www.indianausbc.org](http://www.indianausbc.org)

**IS USBC BA Vision**

*“The vision of the Indiana State USBC BA is to be the unified organization of choice focused on the growth of the sport..”*

**IS USBC BA Mission**

*“The Indiana State USBC BA ensures the integrity and protects the future of the sport, provides programs and services and enhances the bowling experience.”*

**IS USBC BA Goals**

*“The Indiana State USBC BA, Inc., aim is to promote the appeal of Ten Pin Bowling and to provide quality service to the local associations.”*



## President's Corner

*Jon Kelley*

Greetings from your President!

The weather has finally started to warm up and many are just finishing their winter leagues. I hope everyone had a great bowling season.

Scores at our Open Championship are at record levels. There have been over 20 series of 800 or higher. There have been over 30 perfect games. With a couple of weekends to go, look for these totals to increase even further.

A couple of people have commented to me that we should be redoing the lanes between squads. You will be glad to know that this will be done in the 2010 Open Championship to be held in Evansville.

Next year, if you find this to be an improvement, please be sure to let someone on the board know. Your feedback is essential.

At our upcoming board meeting, we will be finalizing our 2009-2010 Strategic Plan. One item to look for is the expansion of training opportunities. In fact, Training Coordinator Mike Kirkpatrick has already started conducting local training. If you have a need to targeted training on a given topic, please contact Dan Cappa to arrange a date.

Another important item for next season is that we will be celebrating 100 years as a state bowling organization on February 19, 2010. Look for future communications about the many ways we will be celebrating this achievement.

My term as president is two-thirds complete. At the current pace I expect to have participated in some event on 40 days of the calendar. My projected mileage is

about 5,500. I know many of you spend tireless efforts on behalf of your bowlers. Thank You!!

Finally, our Hall of Fame and Recognition Event and Annual Meeting are coming up at the end of June. I hope to see many of you there. Please consider joining our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual IS USBC BA Scholarship Golf Outing on Saturday June 27. Each team must have one local bowling leader and three other USBC members. Look for more information in this edition of the newsletter.

This will be my last newsletter as president. I would like to thank everyone for their support as well as feedback. It has been great serving you.

As always, if you have anything you would like to talk about, or anything I can do for you, please contact me at [jon.kelley@indianausbc.org](mailto:jon.kelley@indianausbc.org). ☺



## 1st Vice-President

*Jerry Harvey*

Hello again Bowlers,

Well, this years IS USBC BA Open Championship tournament is history and I hope most tournament bowlers enjoyed being in Merrillville / Portage.

Next year in Evansville, all bowlers will have the opportunity to bowl on the same lane conditions. The IS USBC BA will be

having the lanes re-oiled between the first and second squads for all bowlers to have an equal opportunity to 'show there stuff'! This will make quite a few bowlers happy, especially the second squad bowlers! Please talk to your teams about bowling next year and also talk to those that used to bowl but have given up and quit bowling in the state tournament on account of the lanes being too dry for them to bowl upon as had happened in the past. We are trying to improve the tournament for more bowlers to come and enjoy their bowling experience.

In other news, for the local association leaders, please plan on attending the IS USBC BA Annual Meeting in Indianapolis June 27 – 28. Saturday, plan on playing golf in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual State Scholarship Golf Outing and attending the Presidents' recognition Dinner / Hall of Fame induction Dinner On Sunday, please plan on attending the Annual Meeting. There will be important legislation to vote upon as well as voting for next years board members. I hope many of you plan to come enjoy the fun and sharing of information among the bowling leadership from around the state.

This will also, be part of the beginning of the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the IS USBC BA organization celebration. Please plan or attending.

It's not too early to start making plans for the State Jamboree. This year Richmond will be hosting the event.

Also, please keep watching our website for update information as to where the IS USBC BA- Regional Leadership Workshop will be held this coming year. There is always great information to be learned there. Just ask those who have attended in the past.

I hope to see many of you at the Annual Meeting as well as through the next year at events around the state.

Sincerely,  
Jerry Harvey  
IS USBC BA, 1<sup>st</sup> V. P. ☺



## 2nd Vice-President

*Tony Peterson*

Halls of Fame.

Over the past few years, since I have been on the State Board, I have been invited to, and had the privilege to attend many local Hall of Fame banquets all over the State. I am always grateful to get an invitation, and have enjoyed each and every banquet that I am able to attend. It's always a great night for the inductees, most say that it's the culmination of all they have worked for in bowling. I have heard

many biographies, resumes, legends, accomplishments of the inductees, and especially enjoy the anecdotes about these many bowling greats. In the process, I have learned much about the inductees and, in the process, more about the local associations.

There are some smaller associations who have just founded their Hall of Fame, and others who have merged the old WIBC, ABC, and even the Youth Halls of Fame into a new, merged one under the USBC banner. All of these have one thing in common, a desire to recognize some of the great performances of bowlers in their respective areas, and some of the people who have served their associations over many years.

On the State level, we are in a bit of a crisis. We need more nominations for our Indiana State USBC BA Hall of Fame. Many of the people that are enshrined in their local halls are also eligible to be nominated to the ISUSBC BA Hall of Fame, and we need to hear about them.

I'm asking for help from the bowlers and association managers around the state. Do you have past Indiana State Champions in your association? They are eligible for the State Hall of Fame. How about National

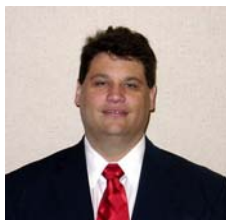
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Tournament "Eagle" winners? They too are eligible. The forms and criteria for nomination are available on the IS USBC BA web site, and can be downloaded easily. You can even include more information on a separate page if necessary.

Two years ago, we standardized our HOF nomination forms, and, as a result, we lost some of the nomination pool of candidates. For whatever reason, the original submitters did not re-submit their information. We need new candidates by the time we select the ballot for next year's class of 2010. The submission deadline is September 1, 2009, for the 2010 election.

I look forward to seeing you all at the Annual Meeting and Hall of Fame banquet in Indianapolis in June.. 😊



**3rd  
Vice-President**

*Brian Nunning*

**IS USBC BA Bracket / Sidepot Team a Hugh Success!**

The IS USBC BA launched a pilot program during the 2008 IS USBC BA Open Championship Tournament in Lafayette. This program brought together a highly dedicated group of individuals with experience in operating Bracket / Sidepot software. The goal of this group was to provide Bracket / Sidepot opportunities with a high

degree of consistency and integrity to the bowlers participating in the Open Championship Tournament. This program was such a success, it was continued for the 2009 Open Championship Tournament in Merrillville and will be expanded upon in future years.

The options provided to the bowlers during their Team, Doubles and Singles events have included:

- \$2 Scratch and Handicap Brackets
- \$5 Scratch and Handicap Brackets
- \$5 Scratch and Handicap High Game/Series Pots
- \$5 Scratch and Handicap Eliminator Pots

The same categories have also been made available to our "50 and Older" bowlers in the exclusive Senior Brackets and Senior Sidepots during the Open Championship Tournament. All the Brackets and Sidepot excluding the Eliminator pots have also been made available to the bowlers participating in the Annual Senior's Championship Tournament.

Sincere THANKS to the dedicated group of individuals who spent time operating the computers with a high degree of speed, accuracy and professionalism during the 2009 Tournaments. This group included:

Judy Barth	Charlie Wilkey	Brian Nunning	Richelle Higdon
Chris Kendall	Kiley Kendall	Tom Hunt	Steve Stanley
Jena Barth	Amanda Johnson		

IS USBC BA is continually looking for new and innovative Bracket and Sidepot options to enhance the bowler's experience in each and every tournament it operates. If you have any suggestions for new options or comments on the current options provided, please email them to [brian.nunning@indianausbc.org](mailto:brian.nunning@indianausbc.org)

Sincerely,

Brian Nunning                      IS USBC BA 3<sup>rd</sup> Vice President                      Bracket / Sidepot Operations Manager. 😊



**District 1  
News**

*Charles Wilkey*

Greetings from the 1<sup>st</sup> District! Since I am the new person on the board, I want to introduce myself. I am Charlie Wilkey. I live in

Fairland, just southeast of Indianapolis off of I-74. We are planning to setup our first district meeting the first weekend in June.

During March, I had the privilege and opportunity to attend the Opening Ceremonies of the 82<sup>nd</sup> Annual Championship Tournament for the Indiana State USBC WBA in Indianapolis.

I had the pleasure of working the

Indiana State USBC BA Open Championship Tournament in Merrillville and Portage.

Artesian Bowl in Martinsville had 2 women bowl 300's this year. The first one, Tamara Gray, was the first woman EVER at Artesian Bowl. The second was Erika Edwards.

Indianapolis will be "gearing up"

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for the Jr. Gold Youth Championships scheduled to be held in Indy July 7-11. They are asking for contributions from anyone that might have "Trinkets" that they might like to donate for "goodie bags" for these juniors (such as pens, scratch pads, magnets, etc.). Any assistance in this effort would be appreciated.. ☺



## District 2 News

*Mike Kozy*

Mike doesn't have anything to report this time. Please look for him in the next issue. ☺



## District 3 News

*John Brothers*

John doesn't have anything to report this time. Please look for him in the next issue. ☺



## District 4 News

*Pat Webster*

The Fort Wayne USBC BA had another successful year. Even though the total membership is down 7% this year; this was partially offset by 700 first time sanctioned bowlers.

The association sponsored 5 tournaments again this year. The senior tournament (November) had 142 entries in 2007 with 154 entries this year. The city tournament (January) was just under

200 teams and has maintained this number for several years.

This tournament has 20 sponsors (some for 12 years) which contribute to the prize fund. Two no-tap tournaments are held each year (October & April) with full squads again. These no-tap tournaments are 2 member teams with 100% handicap and plenty of fun and food. The last tournament is the Masters (May) and is easily over 100 bowlers each year.

The Annual State Delegates Meeting in Indianapolis will be the weekend of June 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup>.

The second annual scholarship golf scramble will be held on Saturday with the Hall of Fame and Presidents Recognition Dinner being held that evening. Approximately \$500 was raised for the scholarship fund last year in the golf tournament and we hope there will be more participation this year.

The annual Delegates Meeting will be held on Sunday. Hopefully everyone will schedule these events into their summer plans and attend this year.

I am hopeful everyone had a good 2008/09 bowling season and have a good summer.

Patrick A. Webster  
IS USBC BA 4<sup>th</sup> District Director.  
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## District 5 News

*Paul Sutton*

Greetings from the 5<sup>th</sup> District, by now most of the winter leagues are over and everyone is gearing up for their summer PBA leagues.

I have been busy since the last newsletter, I have bowled in my local city championships, the IS USBC BA state open championships, the IS USBC BA state sen-

iors tournament and the USBC open tournament. Though I bowled decent I won't have to worry about waiting on the prize money to come rolling in.

I attended Wayne County's USBC BA Hall of Fame banquet in March and Brandywine USBC's Hall of Fame banquet in April.

I attended the opening ceremonies and worked 4 weekends at the IS USBC BA open tournament. It is great to meet the bowlers from across this great state. The North West Indiana BA, and District 2 did a great job hosting the tournament. Just a reminder that next years tournament will be held in Evansville.

On April 4<sup>th</sup> I attended the opening ceremonies for the IS USBC BA State Seniors Tournament in Bloomington. Congrats to tournament director Gene Neal, assistant director Steve Stanley and the Bloomington USBC for a great tournament. In 2010 the seniors will be traveling to the 5<sup>th</sup> District when they bowl in Elwood.

It is no great secret that the 2009 Jamboree is being held in the 5<sup>th</sup> District October 16, 17, and 18, 2009 at the Holiday Inn East, in Richmond, IN. Wayne County USBC will be the local host. We have had some organizational meetings and it is going to be a great time. Please put it on your calendars now and plan to attend.

The packets for the IS USBC BA Annual Meeting are in the mail to each association manager. Please get your delegates registered for the meeting to be held June 28<sup>th</sup> at The Lilly Conference Center at the Marten House Hotel.

Don't forget the 2<sup>nd</sup> annual IS USBC BA golf outing at Oak Tree Golf Club in Plainfield to be held on June 27, 2009. It is an 8:30am shotgun start with dinner provided afterwards. Cost is \$240.00 per team and a team consists of 4

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players, with one player required to being a member of your local board, or a state officer, it will be played in a scramble format. If your association or district wants to sponsor a hole the cost is \$50.00. All proceeds from this outing go to the IS USBC BA Scholarship Fund. So come and join us on the 27<sup>th</sup>.

That's all for now and remember to **PUSH IT UP!** ☺



## District 6 News

*Kerry Caine*

As the winter leagues are coming to a close. I hope each of you rolled that high score or series this past season. If not we have the summer leagues coming up soon for those of you who can't do without bowling all year long.

Wow, what great weekends there have been in Merrillville and Portage In. With each passing weekend we are seeing new records and honor scores galore. The IS USBC BA Open Championship Tournament winners for 2009 may come from the final weekend squads. With former IBA JD Toby Lawson coming to town this just might be his year. It was a pleasure to see a large number bowlers from District Six in Portage and Merrillville Indiana for the IS USBC BA Open Championship Tournament.

I hope some of you are planning on playing in the Second Annual Golf Outing during the annual meeting weekend. It would be great for our District to have several teams in this year's event.

I hope to hold a District Meeting soon. When I have more details on the location and time I

will let you know.. ☺



## District 7 News

*Alice J. (AJ)  
Hacker*

AJ doesn't have anything to report this time. Please look for him in the next issue. ☺



## District 8 News

*Mary Utley*

Greetings from District 8!

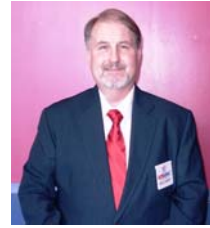
District 8 held its first meeting of 2009 at Eastown Recreation Center, Jasper on Sunday, February 21, 2009. We had four associations represented: Greater Evansville USBCA, Huntingburg USBCA, Jasper USBCA, and the Mt. Vernon USBCA. We are tentatively scheduling our second meeting in June.

The Greater Evansville USBCA hosted the Indiana State USBC Youth Association tournament February 21<sup>st</sup> through May 3<sup>rd</sup>. Team event was held at Franklin Lanes. Singles/Doubles event was held at AMF Arc Lanes. Helping our young people is one of the most rewarding experiences I have known. So, if anyone has an opportunity to assist with any of the youth tournaments, please do not pass it up.

Stay tuned for more info from District 8...

Mary E. Utley

District 8 Director. ☺



## District 9 News

*Marcus Garrett*

Greetings to you from District 9. It's been a very busy spring, so just a quick note. I would like to thank the NIBA for hosting the state open championship tournament. I had the opportunity to work the tournament three weekends and enjoyed my time in the area. They put down a nice shot that was that was conducive to high scores.

I would also like to congratulate the Bloomington association, which is part of District 9, on hosting the State Seniors tournament. From all the feedback that I've received, it sounds like it was a success and that everyone enjoyed it very much.

Our next District 9 meeting is scheduled for June 6<sup>th</sup> at 2 p.m. Batesville will be the host association.. ☺





**Newsletter  
Editor Report**

*Terry Henderson*

The winter leagues should be over for everyone by now. Some of you will join a summer league, some will get out for a game or two over the summer and some won't bowl at all. I think the summer is the best time for bowlers to join a PBA Shot League and learn to bowl on the harder oil patterns. I would like to see more bowling centers put down a PBA Shot pattern on some of their lanes so bowlers can get some time playing these harder patterns. Open bowlers won't know there is a harder shot on these lanes.

So have a great summer and try to get to the lanes once a month to keep the rust off. Got something for the newsletter, you can send it to me at: [terrym.henderson@comcast.net](mailto:terrym.henderson@comcast.net) ☺



**Newsletter  
Editor Report**

*Terry Henderson*

**2009 Indiana State USBC BA  
Seniors Tournament  
Opening Ceremonies**

The 2009 Indiana State USBC BA Senior Tournament was held at Classic Lanes in Bloomington.



**Hobart Shipley**  
Bloomington BA  
MC Opening Ceremonies



**Color Guard**  
Veterans Honor Guard



**Jerry Harvey**  
1st Vice-President  
ISUSBCBA



**Jerry Harvey**  
First Ball  
Ceremonies



**Mike McAfee**  
First Ball  
Ceremonies



**Hobart Shipley**  
First Ball  
Ceremonies



**Gene Neal**  
IS USBC BA  
Seniors Tournament  
Manager





Newsletter  
Editor Report

*Terry Henderson*

2009 Indiana State USBC BA  
Seniors Tournament  
Roll-off Pictures

The 2009 Indiana State USBC BA Senior Tournament Roll-off was held at Classic Lanes in Bloomington.



**Russ Parker**  
Bloomington, IN.  
Open Super Seniors (75&Up)  
1418



**Ronald D. Pulley**  
Columbia City, IN.  
Open Class A (70-74)  
1565



**Leo D. Brigando, Sr.**  
Kentland, IN.  
Open Class B (65-69)  
1572



**Edward F. McBride**  
Carlisle, IN.  
Open Class C (60-64)  
1588



**Richard Heacock**  
Martinsville, IN.  
Open Class D (55-60)  
1607



**Mary J. McCreery**  
Muncie, IN.  
Womens Super  
Seniors (75&Above)  
1571



**Susan E. Robbins**  
Seymour, IN.  
Womens Class A (70-74)  
1534



**Carolyn A. Oldfather**  
Oakland, IN.  
Womens Class B (65-69)  
1457



**Billie Zehner**  
Owensville, IN.  
Womens Class C (60-64)  
1449



**Amy Schultz**  
New Paris, OH.  
Womens Class D (55-59)  
1496



## Newsletter Editor Report

*Terry Henderson*

# 2009 Indiana State USBC Bowling Association Scholarship Winners Announced

The IS USBC BA Board of Directors have announced the winners of the Evan S (Red) Stuart and Charles "Bud" Fridlin scholarships for 2009.

The Evan S (Red) Stuart scholarship is a \$1000 per year renewable for up to 4 years to be given to a male student who is an Indiana High School Senior and is planning on attending an Indiana College/University. The applicants are judged on their participation in bowling as well as their academics during their high school years. This year's winner is Jacob Wright of Terre Haute, Jacob was selected over 12 other highly qualified applicants. Jacob will be attending Indiana State University in the fall.

The Charles "Bud" Fridlin scholarship is a \$250 non-renewable scholarship available to any Indiana High School Senior, the IS USBC BA gives 9 of these scholarships each year. The 2009 winners are:

District 1	Jared Kidwell, Indianapolis
District 2	Brandon Taylor, Merrillville
District 3	Heidi Garroitt, Goshen
District 4	Tyler Keele Fort, Wayne
District 5	Adrienne DeRuzza, Alexandria
District 7	Jacob Wright, Terre Haute
District 9	Ross Clay, Seymour
At-Large	Amanda Rousseau, Rensselaer
At-Large	Camille Cook, Crawfordsville

Applications for both the Stuart and Fridlin Scholarships are available on the IS USBC BA web site [www.indianastateusbc.org](http://www.indianastateusbc.org). or by contacting any IS USBC BA Board Member.

The Indiana State USBC BA hosts an annual golf scramble on the last Saturday in June with the proceeds benefiting the scholarship fund. The golf outing is open to any member of the USBC, cost is \$240 for a 4 person team. Tee ads are also available for \$50. Please contact your local Association Manager, IS USBC BA Association Manger Dan Cappa [assn.manager@indianausbc.org](mailto:assn.manager@indianausbc.org), Paul Sutton at [paul.sutton@indianausbc.org](mailto:paul.sutton@indianausbc.org), Jon Kelley at [jon.kelley@indianausbc.org](mailto:jon.kelley@indianausbc.org), or check our website [www.indianausbc.org](http://www.indianausbc.org) for entries and information.. ☺

## New State Tournament Record Set in Doubles!



Glen Ransbottom from Etna Green (Warsaw), shot what is believed to be the highest series ever shot in the IS USBC BA Open Championships. Rolling in the next to last squad on Sunday May 3, Ransbottom started with a strike, spare, double, spare and then proceeded to throw the next 31 balls for strikes! His games of 259, 300 and 300, rolled at Stardust II in Merrillville, add up to an 859 series. Ransbottom's huge total came in the Doubles event. Partner Dennis McCarthy wasn't too shabby either. He rolled a 748 series. Their 1607 actual total is also a new state record.

This year's tournament broke nearly every record. I managed to capture the last ball of a number of 300 games on video including Ransbottom's. We are working on getting these posted to our website. Stay tuned.



# IS USBC BA Scholarship Golf Scramble

Proceeds benefit IS USBC BA Scholarships

**Saturday June 27 8 AM Shotgun Start**

Oak Tree Golf Course

4710 East US 40

Plainfield, IN 46168

**Entry Fee: \$240 per team**

**Hole Sponsorships: Only \$50**

**Entry Fee includes: Green Fee, Cart, Lunch and Prizes**

**Team Prizes, Long Drive, Closest-to-the-pin, etc.**

**Rules:**

- 1) 4 person scramble
- 2) One team member must be a state, local or national USBC board member or Association Manager or a State Hall of Fame member or State Past-President
- 3) Other team members must be USBC members
- 4) Team handicap must be at least 50 (only 1 player less than 8)

**For more information contact...**

**Jon Kelley (765) 963-3399 or Paul Sutton (765) 932-5287**

**Entry Deadline – June 1      Limited to first 36 teams entered**



# Scholarship Golf Scramble

**Saturday June 27 8 AM Shotgun Start  
7:15 AM Check-in**

Oak Tree Golf Course  
4710 East US 40  
Plainfield, IN 46168

Located on U.S. 40, just 10 minutes west of the Indianapolis International Airport, Oak Tree Golf Course is a spectacular Pete Dye layout open to the public.

**Rules:**

- 1) 4 person scramble
- 2) **One team member must be an Indiana state, local or national USBC board member or Association Manager or a State Hall of Fame member or State Past-President**
- 3) Other team members must be USBC members
- 4) Team handicap must be at least 50 (only 1 player less than 8)

**Mail Entry Form with \$240 check made out to...**

**Jon Kelley 4160 Lake Windemere Lane, Kokomo IN 46902**

## Entry Form

**Names**

**Information**

1) _____	Assn: _____	Position: _____
2) _____	USBC # _____	
3) _____	USBC # _____	
1) _____	USBC # _____	

Handicaps or 9 hole average scores - \_\_\_\_\_

Captain: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_



# Scholarship Golf Scramble

Mail Hole Sponsorship Forms with \$50 check for each to...  
Jon Kelley 4160 Lake Windemere Lane, Kokomo IN 46902

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## Hole Sponsorship Form

Name for Sign:

Contact Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Hole Sponsorship Form

Name for Sign:

Contact Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Hole Sponsorship Form

Name for Sign:

Contact Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_



## Coach's Corner

*Terry Henderson*

### Premiere Youth Scratch League.

The Premiere Youth Scratch League at Cooper's Sport Bowl in Anderson was started in 1994 by Silver Level Coaches Jim Walker and Monty Vaughn.

It's a 12 week league with a different oil pattern each week. Bowlers bowl 4 games, moving lanes each game to bowl a different opponent. A bowler gets 30 bonus points for each game won. The past lane conditions were Master, ABC, USBC and Sport shots. This year we are using the 5 PBA patterns, Master and a 50 foot flat pattern that most of the bowlers hate. The 50 foot pattern is by far my favorite. I have had some good games on this pattern and have found I can play the lane from different areas. True you don't get a lot of hook on this pattern and I think that is the reason most bowlers get psyched out before they ever make a shot on the pattern.

The top 8 bowlers at the end of the 12 weeks bowl in a bracket tournament for the over-all winner.

It is the intention of the league officials to provide a competitive league for youth bowlers. To reach this goal, we have structured this league differently than most have competed in before. The by-laws of the league not only emphasize competition, sportsmanship and fun, but responsibilities and commitment as well.

The membership of the league elects a board of directors to include a President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. The leagues officials do the paper work after the league bowling. This helps teach them the jobs of adult leagues officials.

There is a dress code for this league, bowlers will wear shirts that have a collar, no hats, shorts or blue jeans.

This league adopts a point penalty system to ensure rules compliance. Adult League Officials may deduct Bonus Points from individuals for violations of league by-laws, Coopers Sport Bowl policies or USBC Rules. A bowlers can lose 15 points for not filling out their recap sheet. Kick the ball-return a bowler may lose 30 points. If a member forfeits 120 bonus points they receive an automatic one week suspension. If the member forfeits an additional 120 bonus points they will be removed from the league for the remainder of the season.

I started coaching in this league in 1997. I had been coaching for just a few years before this, so when a bowler like Chris Jones asked me for help I was a little intimidated. He was bowling on a very heavy oil pattern and couldn't get any hook on the ball. I moved him about 10 boards right and he finished the game better and thanked me for the help.

My most amazing memory was in the bracket tournament in 2000. Jami Stevens told us her shoulder was hurting a lot. We told her she could stop if it hurt too much. She went on to win the tournament. Afterwards, she went to the hospital and found out she had a dislocated shoulder.

This league gives scholarships to the top 8 bowlers. We are always looking for sponsors. Last year **E Practical Solutions**, Indianapolis donated \$1500. This was the best year ever for donations. Thank You **E Practical Solutions**.

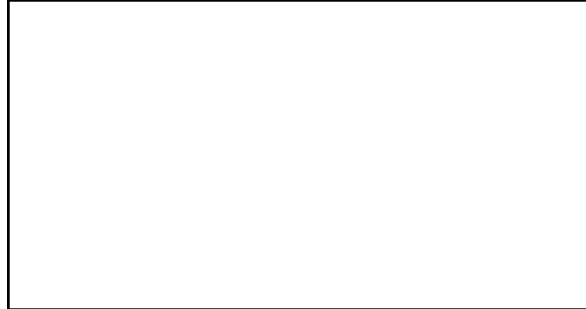
### Premiere Youth Scratch Winners

1994 Jason Lynn	1995 Scott Savage	1996 Chad Blueher
1997 Chris Jones	1998 Jerry Imel	1999 Brian Cumeo
2000 Jami Stevens	2001 Brandon Bargo	2002 Jeremy Burke
2003 Jeremy Bruke	2004 Austin Marsh	2005 Derek Etherington
2006 Trent Jarris	2007 Ashley Lane	2008 Micheal Davidson ☺

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## **IS USBC BA Calendar of Events**

June 2009 Annual Delegates Meeting – Marten House, Indianapolis, IN.

June 27, Scholarship Golf Tournament

June 27, IS USBC BA Hall of Fame and Presidents Recognition Dinner – Marten House, Indianapolis, IN.

June 28, Annual Delegates Meeting – Marten House, Indianapolis, IN.

**Bowling, The Cool Summer Sport For Everyone.  
Take The Family To An Air-conditioned Bowling Center  
Near You! Bowling=Fun!**