

Bowling News

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Spring has arrived at Crown Imperial Lanes and already Tony Bonomo is anxious for summer leagues to begin action. There will be more leagues this year with plenty of opportunity for everyone to belong to at least one. In the past, there has been only one open to everyone, a mixed group that bowled on Tuesday evenings. This league will continue this summer on Tuesday at 7 p.m.

There will be at least one other mixed group, and Cliff Garris is organizing a Major League of men who will bowl on Mondays at 9 p.m. These leagues are open for membership now. Anyone interested should contact the desk at Crown Imperial.

Congratulation, Girls!
Hats off to the Circle Inn Ladies of Lakers League! These girls entered 3rd Annual Women's Tournament at Cedar Lanes, Scranton, and finished in 15th place with 2900 total pins. There were 440 teams registered from seven states and the event was held on two consecutive weekends. A Dunmore team finished first in the handicap division with 3057 pins and Buffalo team took top place in scratch with 2878. Awards of \$1,000 went to these teams.

Nice Bowling, Boys!

Another local team of five men from Laker's League bowling under the name of Sportsmen Bar & Grill B. won a cash prize for bowling high single game of 1177 in their division of the American Journal Tournament in New York City Sunday. Members of the team were Martin Petroskas, Lee Bicking, Charles Rakewicz, Bert Osko and Dick Williams. The boys finished with 3180 total pins.

A second team, Sportsmen A consisted of Al Gullitis, Fran Schuler, Frank Bialogowicz, Tom Cadwalader and Duane Lettie. Handicap was 225 pins. Five couples accompanied the men and their wives to New York.

Be ready to begin summer bowling with your Black Beauty Ball! You can pick it up any day at Crown Imperial if you have the right number; this week it's 016609.

Nursery Has Strong Lead

Crown Imperial Major League had an off-night Friday with thirteen men hitting in 400's and only that many rolling over 550 series. Dallas Nursery has a strong lead with 12½ points over Luigi's Pizzeria.

Dallas Nursery took 3 from Dallas Post on strength of Cliff Garris' 610 series and Nick Stredny's 565. Cliff posted 213-221 and Nick hit 190-205. Frank Kardell hit 200. Dallas Post had Frank Muchler on the line with 209 (515).

Shavertown Lumber scored with 930-2703 against Luigi's taking 4 points with all men in the 500's. Tom Cross rolled 203-191 (583); John Kriel 215 (577); Koche 197 and Berkheiser 193. Dave Eddy 202 and Shalata 191 were all Luigi could show. Luigi's hold second place with 73½ points.

Third place Phillips lost 4 to Jim-Jon. Tom Gauntlett led Phillips with 246 (572) and Bob Moore had 233 (551). Jim-Jon had three in 500's with Trudnak hitting 207 (547) and J. Thomas 201 (546).

Gosart's lost 4 to West Side Novelty with only Pete Ambrose scoring with 544. West Side featured Marty Panunti 204 (564); Charlie Williams 211 (554); Molley 215 and Landis 199.

Berti's took 3 from Birth's. Bill Allabaugh led the "truckers" with 212-200 (592) and Roy Stair had 213 (569). Birth's also had only two

hitting the 500 bracket, Nick Bynak 201 (553) and Al Bellas with a 200.

Michael's took 3 from Vanderhoff's with Paul Thomas hitting 211-191 (561). Adams posted 207 (529) and Birnstock 192 for the "sanders."

Rivals Tied In First Place

Disque Funeral Home lost its hold on first place in Back Mountain Neighborhood League last week when it lost 3 points to opponent, Dallas Dairy, leaving the two teams tied up in first place with 88 points each.

Ron Fielding and Charles Else were blasting away for the "dairy", Ron hitting 193-198-222 (613) and Charlie 180-256-193 (629). Sid Fielding hit 258 (583) and Carl Roberts 209. The team rolled single game of 1046 and 2917 total pins.

Al Ciccarelli topped Disque's with 242-203 (581) joined by Nick Bynak 203-193 (585); Mike Corgan 199 and Bill Allabaugh 200-205 (574).

Beaumont Inn moved into second taking 3 from Dodson's. Charles and George Bray led the Inn team with 193-200 (577) and 222 (572). Payne Printery has 32½ points after taking

3 from Merl's with Frank Muchler leading the way on 251 (577). Stonehurst took 3 from Bolton's with Dave Bennett hitting 210 (560) and Leo Yankoski 222 (554). Stonehurst is in fifth place with 31.

Dixon's has 31½ points with 3 from Titman's. The best Dixon's had was Barsh with 190 (516).

Robinson's split 2-2 with Richardson and has 29 points. Tom Cross posted 205 and J. Robinson 195 for Robinson while Jack Trudnak was hitting 225 (596) and Ed Carey 198 (566) for Richardson. Herm Kera's took 3 from Crown Imperial with Jim Gansel scoring 219 (587) and Bill Lancio posting 245 (561).

Code's took 4 from Shadyside with Eddie hitting 208 and Besteder 193 for Code's and T. Landon rolling 202 for the "dairy".

Other high scores were recorded by J. Shalata 191; D. King 191; F. Dodson 191.

Dallas A Continues Winning

Wilbur Morgan pounded out a terrific 630 series with games of 215-213-202 for Trucksville B, but to no avail as far as his team was concerned when it lost 4 to Shavertown C with Gordon Edwards hitting 585.

League-leading Dallas A continues winning, taking all 4 from Shavertown A last week in Back Mountain Church League. Dallas had Tom Cross at 562 and Lew Reese 551. Shavertown had none in 500's.

St. Paul's Lutherans took 3 from second place Shavertown B. Tex Wilson was high for Lutheran's with 551. Fred Fielding led Shavertown

with 552. Dallas B took all from Carverton A and inched closer to second place. B's had Ralph Garris 575; Chiz Lozo 560; Willard Platt hit in 500's for Carverton.

President Gil Tough led Lehman to 3 points from Orange with 562. Carverton B trounced East Dallas, 4-0. Harry Spare led Carverton with 552 and Bob Moore rolled 577 for Dallas. Trucksville A took over Mount Zion, 4-0. Jim Lawson was tops with 578; Vought Long 552 and Jack Berkheiser 570. Harold Seiple hit 555 for Mount Zion. Huntsville Christian and Trucksville C split 2-2. Milt Evans led with 578.

There will be no bowling during Holy Week, Wednesday, March 29 and the following week will be the last night of the regular season. Playoffs will begin April 12.

Also hitting 500's were Hirner 539; S. Fielding 520; Swingle 525; Gauntlett 517; Garris 529; Scheckler 502; Disque 511; Peterson 547; VanBlarcom 519; Dimmick 504; Parrish 515; Rundle 501; Eckert 513; Cobleigh 541; Montgomery 519.

Whittaker Has Big Night

Whittaker had a big night for Orioles team in St. Paul's Brotherhood League Friday when he spilled 589 pins for three games including 231 and 220 singles.

Dean Weale 213 (538) led Eagles to high single of 836 and 3 points from Hawks. Cardinals, led by M. Whiting 210 (537) and W. Dungey 190 (510) rolled 2411 total pins and took 3 from Blue Jays. Owls took 3 from Crows on B. Ashman's 208 (541) while C. Nafus led Crows with

204 (524). Cardinals head the league with 22 points; Hawks have 30 and Owls 29. Cadwalader Has 223-581

Tom Cadwalader scored 223 (581) for top honors in Whitesell Brothers League. Construction and Building Supplies led team scoring with 671 and 1896 total pins. Construction still heads the league with 28 points followed by Building Supplies 23.

Tom also had a game of 191 and C. Lamoreaux hit 182-188 (527); H. Shaw 174-201 (525) and R. Stroud 179-184 (500).

White's Team Takes Lead

Boyd White's team picked 3 points from Mercuries last week to take the lead from Guyette's who lost everything to Orchard Farm. Besecker's is 1 point out of first after taking 3 from Ben Franklin.

Corbett led White's with 579 followed by Zachary 524; P. Ambrose 517 and Kardell 505 and they met no 500's on Mercury's. Orchard Farms was led by Demmy 607; Kostrobala 543 and Hogboom 514. Makar's 507 was too low for Guyette's. Besecker's had Williams and Landis with 535 and 537 while Ben Franklin had none in 500's. (Three teams had everything against three with almost nothing.)

Raiders Extend Lead

Raiders continue to lead GEORGE SHUPP league by winning 3 points from Wreckers Monday night. Raiders are on top with 33½ points while Berti & Sons and Wreckers remain tied for second with 30.

Bob Moore copped individual honors with a 256 single and 610 total.

Casterline Hauling rolled high single of 1026 and team total of 2790.

Chet Molley with 212-225 (575) was the mainstay for Raiders who lost final game by 1 pin. Bonfig with 530 and Barsch 521 also helped the cause. Trudnak 530 and Kalafsky 202 (515) led Wreckers.

Sportsmen Bar & Grille, behind Al Gullitis' 213 (559), Bialogowicz 535 and Cadwalader 526 won a 3-timer over Berti & Son. Fielding led Truckers with 556 followed by Brace 528 and Shermanski 520.

Casterline Hauling dumped Crusaders for all 4 with Casey Dimmick leading the way on 206 (559). Kriel also chipped in with 245 (548), Casterline 540 and Vancampen 529. Carey led four-man Crusader team with 504.

Meade's Garage and Crispell's split up a pair with Farm Service team winning two games but losing total wood. Bob Moore's big series was the key factor for Service team. Yankoski paced Garagemen with his 561, while Kravitz hit 528 and Hudak 516.

Dallas Lions copped 3 from Noxen VFW in a low scoring match. Neither team had a man in 500's.

Idetown Bears

Teddys lead Idetown Bears League with 34 points and did the scoring last week with 922-2540 total pins. Spence Holmgren was top individual with 187 and Paul Kamont rolled

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