

# Sports

## Glen Mazer rolls first perfect game

By CHARLOT M. DENMON

Glen Mazer achieved a goal every bowler dreams of last Friday night at Bonomo's Sports Center in Dallas. Mazer, who bowls on the Sweet Valley Outfitters team with his twin brother, Gary, rolled a perfect 300 game and at the same time, achieved his first 700 series which has been his ambition since he first started bowling seven years ago.

"I never thought about a perfect game," said Mazer. "I rolled 193 the first game and 242 the second so I figured I had a good chance of hitting a 700 series. My first six strikes came easy, I've never had more than six in a row until tonight. I said to my brother, Gary, 'If I get a strike in the seventh and eighth frame I believe I can go all the way.'"

Glen said his twin brother and Rich Bonomo were his best support in his achievement. He said he and Gary always talk a lot to each other while bowling but in his third game Friday night, Gary sat back silently and never said a word till the last frame when he said, "O.K. Glen". R. Bonomo, also on the same team with the Mazers also sat quietly and they let Glen keep score except when he bowled, then Gary marked in his brother's score.

"I have often talked about perfect games with my mother," said Glen. "But when I told her I bowled a 300 she said 'I know you can do better', how much better can I do—two 300's?"

Mazer said he doesn't take the credit for the 300 game, that the credit belongs to all the loyal bowlers who have stayed with Bonomo's Sports Center rather than criticizing the lanes and going somewhere else. For the record, the ABC official who came out to check the lanes

and pins stated that Bonomo's lanes are the truest lanes in the area and the pins are the heaviest.

Glen bowled the 300 on lanes 15 and 16, his two favorite lanes. He said every ball was in the pocket but the last one. On the last one the ball was off the pocket and left two pins but suddenly they went over. "Believe me I looked up to God on that last one," said Glen.

Mazer had 24 strikes in his 735 series, 12 in the third game, eight in his second game and four in the first and he had one open frame for the series.

He expressed his appreciation to all the bowlers and onlookers, who kept quiet until Glen let go of the last ball, then they all roared.

A dedicated bowler, Glen said "I was in the right place at the right time." He said he was happy that he rolled the 300 in the Friday night league and that the two bowlers, who had the only other 300 games at Bonomo's Sports Center, were there. These two men were Charles Williams, who once hit 300 in a practice game when the lanes were owned by Robert Hanson; and Donald Purvin, the only other man to hit 300 in league competition on Jan. 17, 1966. They were sitting on Mazer's left.

Mazer also gives credit to his brother, Gary, whom he says is a better and more scientific bowler than he (Glen) is. Glen said his brother has helped him a great deal and that he knows it is only a matter of time until Gary rolls a 300 game.

And to make certain that he got the 300 out of his system, Glen was at Bonomo's Sports Center, Saturday afternoon, to bowl. His first practice game—235.



**HALLELUJAH** — Glen Mazer holds bowling ball in the air after finishing a perfect 300 game, only the second perfect game rolled in league play at Bonomo's in 19 years. (Photo by Charlot M. Denmon)

## Gavigan leads Dallas in 66-27 win

Dallas girls basketball team ran their record to 3-0 for the second half last Tuesday when they defeated GAR 66-27.

Cheryl Gavigan hit a game high 23 points and Karen Vloedman put in 13 to lead the Mountaineers in the win. Gavigan put in 10 points in the first period to pace the team to an early 11-0 lead and 24-4 after the first eight minutes of the game.

In the second period, Dallas outscored GAR 13-5 to take a 37-9 lead into the lockerroom at halftime. In the second half, the Mountaineers outscored GAR 29-18 when the Grenadiers were unable to hit the nets.

GAR's Lisa Blaum was out due to illness but the Dallas girls appeared to be well prepared for the game and moved to the ball at ease.

"We were better prepared mentally than the first time around," said Coach Kit Karuza. "We were able to try some new things and the girls proved they were capable of carrying them out."

The newly-organized Dallas Basketball Boosters Club will honor the girls and their parents at a special program, Saturday, Feb. 9, at the Dallas Senior High

School, prior to the Hanover game. The program will be at 3:40 p.m., followed by the game at 4 p.m.

It is the first time such a program has been held for the girls. Each senior member of the team will be presented with a jacket and the girls will honor their mothers.

Lake-Lehman girls continued undefeated in the second half last Tuesday by defeating West Side Tech 52-27.

Pam Solinski put in 21 points, 15 of them in the first half and Sandy Diction added 10 in the first half to pace the Back Mountain team to a 30-10 lead at the half.

The Lady Knights used a half court press at the Titans in the second period and caused them to make several turnovers which the Lady Knights used to their advantage to outscore the West Side Tech girls 20-4. The Titans came out better in the second half and tried to close the gap but time and points were on the side of the Knights.

Diction was second high scorer for Lake-Lehman with 18 points.

The Lake-Lehman-Hanover game was postponed Friday due to the weather.



## STRIKES AND SPARES

In the first half rolloff in the George Shupp League all members of Fino's Pharmacy hit in the 500's to take the first half title from Gino's Shoe Store by 3023 to 2860. R. Bonomo, Jr. hit the pins for 211 (580), K. Youngblood knocked them down for 233 (574), T. Shalata scattered pins for 561, C. Glasser rolled 212 (574) and F. Adams gave 529. C. Kazokas was high for the shoe store with 235 (555). T. Daubert and T. Doughton posted 519's.

In the first match of the second half Fino's took three points from SCID led by C. Glasser's walloping 226-211 (628) and F. Adams 200-233 (607). R. Bonomo hit 554, Youngblood rolled 520 and Shalata posted 516. K. Orkwis topped pins for 547 for the SCID team. Gino's Shoe Store stayed even with Fino's by taking three from Katy! TV Daubert led Gino's with 527, Cyphers added 519 and Kzaokas gave 514. G. H. Harris hit 537 to pace Harris Asso-

ciates to three points from Steele's Restaurant.

Castlettes continued to lead in the Ladies Country League by blanking Grotto Pizza. Bonomo's Sports Center remained tied for second by shutting out Gordon Insurance. K. Scavone led the way with 187 (490) and L. Maciejczak rolled 178. F. Allabaugh hit pins for 175 for the insurance team. Fashion Vending also stayed tied for second by taking four from G.H. Harris Associates sparked by R. Gula's 191-182 (529) and A. Hospodar's 475.

In the Idetown Compact League Aries shut out the Citizions led by Dean Doty's 208 (548) and Connie Doty's 191 (509). Helen Dickinson rolled 170 and her husband, Tom, converted the 6-7-10. Citations Mel Morris proved he could do the same by converting hte 6-7-10. Jack Berti increased each game by one pin, rolling 201-202-203 (606) to lead Camaros to three points from the

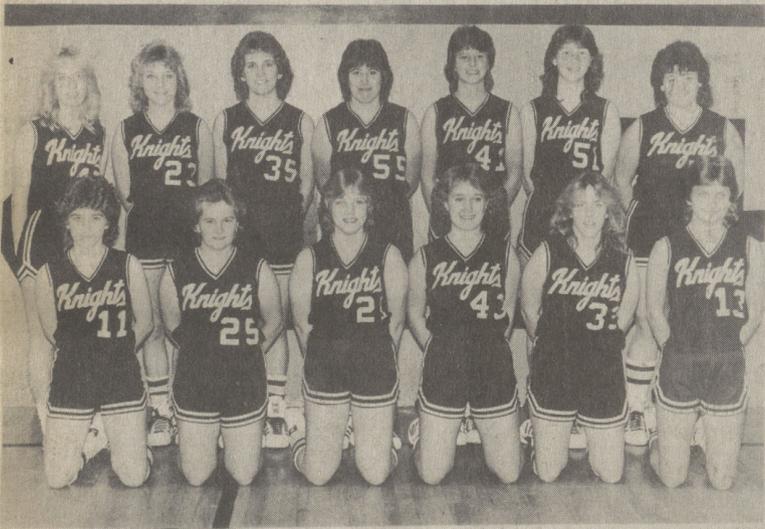
Capris. Firebirds took all from the Pintos and Corvettes picked up three from the LaBarons despite M. Pazuchanics 177.

Larry Lavelle knocked down pins for 221 to lead the A Team to three points from Nobody's in Bonomo's Mixed League. Halfbreeds blanked Ghostbusters with no high scores on either team.

In Our Gang League Waldo shut out Darla, whose Vince Hudak hit pins for 555. Spanky took three from Stymie while Porky and Buckwheat divided evenly. L. Cooper's 204 paced Alfalfa to a 2-2 split with Wheezer.

Maple Grove took four from trucksville C in the Back Mountain Church League with Glen Mazer scattering pins for 209 (576) and Bob Belcher rolling 543. Brian Hospodar hit 531 for the losing five.

## A SALUTE TO GIRL'S BASKETBALL



### Lady Knights

Members of this year's Lady Knights are, from left, kneeling, Sue Slocum, Kelly Wandel, Kelly Solinski, Chris Wascalus, Janine Kasarda, Pam Coolbaugh. Standing, Sandy Diction, Pam Solinski, Lori Lopasky, Cindy Slocum, Diane Jachimowicz, Cheryl Mushala and Deb Levi.



### Lady Mountaineers

Members of the team are shown here. From left, first row, Pattie Sudol, Kim Rinehimer, Lori Brokenshire, Eileen Walsh, Jill Radzinski. Standing Missy Kohl, Joann Cook, Karen Voedman, Cheryl Gavigan, Kim Yanchick and Angie Kern.

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