

Youth Celebrate 25 Years



Holland Gardens was the scene of the festive activities where the Gr. Toledo USBC Youth celebrated their silver anniversary on May 25th. Over 300 youth, proud parents and fellow bowlers enjoyed the kid friendly meal of fried chicken and pizza. The awards ceremony recognized a minimum of 150 youth participants for their outstanding performances during the 2009-2010 season.

Allison Burgin was named the 2010 female Carmen H. Walton scholarship recipient. Allison graduated from St. Ursula Academy with a 3.64 GPA and is planning to attend Bowling Green University where she plans to major in graphic design.

Bradley Zwyer was named the 2010 male Carmen H. Walton Scholarship recipient. Brad graduated from St. Anthony Wayne High School with a 4.25 GPA and is planning to attend BGSU and plans to pursue a general business degree.

Winners of the Bob Rehkoft Award for achieving the highest averages in any league in the city were announced by Jim Tichy. The names of Charles Easton and Rachel Albright will be engraved on the plaque that is permanently displayed at Southwyck Lanes.

Karen Warren, Youth Committee

Chairman who is retiring after 25 years of service to the Gr. Toledo Youth organizations was recognized for her many contributions toward the advancement of youth bowling.

The two volunteers basically responsible for the festive celebratory atmosphere of the evening were Deb Paben and Carolyn Antoszewski. They were recognized by the youth organization as "Volunteers of the Year" in recognition of the many years they have made the centerpieces and decorated the halls for the youth banquets.

In Memoriam

On June 25, 2010, John "LJ" Swartz lost his battle with cancer and the GTUSBCA and bowling in general lost a long time supporter and ardent participant. LJ served the GTBA/GTUSBCA for many years both as an officer and board member. LJ had four 300 games and seven games of eleven in a row with highest lifetime average of 218. A Youth Scholarship will be established in his honor and anyone wishing to make a donation should contact the GTUSBC Office at 419-537-0523.

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Sunny skies and gorgeous 70 degree weather greeted the GTUSBC golfers on Monday, June 7th at Spuyten Duyval Golf Course for the Susan G. Komen Golf Outing.

The event featured a scramble format and when the 18 holes were completed, first place was claimed by the team of Jeri Dingman, Lynda Dolgin-Dude and Cindy Bernhard.

The longest drive on the East hole six in group A was Marilyn Brown. Longest drive on East hole three in group B was Linda Barlage.

As an added feature to the outing each foursome received a length of string at tee off to be used at their-



discretion to move the ball equal distance on the course. Prizes awarded in the "string category" were: Jeff Barlage, Linda Barlage, Jackie Freeman and Dorothy Kujawa. Closest to the pin group B was Pete Struebing. Longest drive group B –south was Pat Vandernbusche. Closest to the pin Group B

was Rob Huss.

The non golfers enjoyed 18 holes of Putt-Putt before joining the golfers at the club house for lunch. 1st place for the putters was Ruth Heath-Trott, 2nd Nancy Young and 3rd Sallye Condon.

Following the presentation of many door prizes Janie King was presented a plaque in recognition of her organizing and orchestrating GTUSBC golf days over the past few years.



600 Bowling Club

The Greater Toledo 600 Bowling Club will host the Buckeye 600 Tournament at Jug's Bowling Center on June 18-19 and June 25-26, 2011. We encourage all 600 Club bowlers to enter this State 600 Bowling Tournament. We are also looking for volunteers to help as score monitors

as well with getting door prizes and help with the banquet on Saturday evening, June 25th. Anyone interested in becoming involved should contact Robin Mantey, President, Toledo 600 Club, at 419-509-9387 or robin42884@buckeye-express.com.

The **District # 1 600 Tournament** will be held October 16-17, 2010 in Lima, Ohio. This fun tournament is open to all female members who have rolled a 3 game series of 600 pins or better. The winner will be eligible not only for the prize money, but also is guaranteed a spot in the District Roll Off which will be held next June in conjunction with the Buckeye 600 tournament held at Jugs.

BVL NEWS

The Bowlers to Veterans Link (BVL) was founded in 1942 by a group of bowlers who wanted to help boost the spirits of our active duty troops. They made a promise to the troops returning from the battlefields of Europe. We will not forget your sacrifice. The promise made on that day is as important as ever before. BVL provides recrea-

tional and therapeutic programs and services to veterans at our nation's VA Medical Centers, Vet Centers and state homes. BVL picks up where government funding leaves off, providing the extras that brighten spirits and boost morale.

We are asking Toledo bowlers to



save the small shampoo and soaps which are available when you travel as well as looking for decks of cards, puzzles and books that can be donated to BVL. They will be presented in your behalf to the BVL the end of February at the Ohio Women's USBC Bowling Association Convention weekend.

GTUSBC 2010-2011 Calendar of Events



Greater Toledo USBC Bowling Association 2010-2011 Calendar of Events

August	12	Season Kick Off-Officer Workshop	Southwyck Lanes
October	TBA	Bowl Down Cancer Event	TBA
October	3	Gr. Toledo USBC Hall of Fame Induction	Sommerset Hall
October	9-10	Ohio State USBC BA Jamboree – Springfield	
October	16-17	District # 1 600 Tournament –20 th Century Lanes - Lima, Ohio	
October	23-24	Ohio USBC WBA Senior Tournament – Columbus Bowling Palace	
October	30-31	Ohio USBC WBA Senior Tournament – Columbus Bowling Palace	
October	30-31	Gr. Toledo USBC Bowling Association Senior Tournament	Twin Oaks
October	30 thru November 28	Ohio State USBC BA Senior Tournament – BeaverVu Lanes, Dayton	
November	5-6-7	Gr. Toledo USBC Bowling Association Senior Tournament	Twin Oaks
November	6	Ohio Bowling Council Hall of Fame Dinner – Columbus	
November	14-20-21	Gr. Toledo Kids for Kids Tournament	Twin Oaks
December	1	Entries Close - Ohio USBC WBA 85 th Championship Tournament	
December	11-12-19	Gr. Toledo Adult/Youth Tournament	Glass Bowl
December	28	Ohio Women's USBC WBA Annual Meeting Delegate List Deadline	
December	29	Entries Close – Ohio State USBC BA Championship Tournament	
January	8-9 15-16	Gr. Toledo Youth City Team Championship	Southwyck Lanes
January	8-9	Ohio USBC WBA Queen's Tournament – Cleveland-Roseland Lanes	
January	22-23-29-30	Gr. Toledo USBC Championship Tournament – Team Event	Lido Lanes
February	5- 12-13	Gr. Toledo USBC Championship Tournament – Doubles and Singles	Sports Center
February	19 thru May 9	Ohio State USBC BA Championship Tournament – Dayton	
February	11-12-13	Bowlers to Veterans Link (BVL) Event	Twin Oaks
February	20-26-27	Gr. Toledo Youth City Doubles Championship Tournament	Rosford
February	26-27	Ohio USBC WBA Annual Meeting – Cincinnati	
March	5 thru May 30	Ohio USBC WBA 85 th Championship Tournament – Cincinnati	
March	TBD	Gr. Toledo USBC Senior Masters Tournament	Bay Center
March	TBD	Gr. Toledo Youth City Singles Championship Tournament	TBD
March	1	Ohio State USBC BA Annual Meeting Delegate List Deadline	
April	TBD	Gr. Toledo USBC Masters Tournament	TBD
April		Star of the Year - Youth Tournament	Timbers
April	2	Ohio State USBC BA Annual Meeting – Dayton	
April	9-10	Gr. Toledo USBC Mixed Doubles Tournament	Rosford
April	16-17	Gr. Toledo USBC Mixed Doubles Tournament	Rosford
May	11	Gr. Toledo USBC Membership Meeting	Holiday Inn-Perrysburg
May	21	Ohio USBC WBA Buckeye Belle Tournament – Springfield	
May	24	Gr. Toledo USBC Youth Awards Banquet	Holland Gardens
June	11	GTUSBC Golf Day	
June	18-19	Buckeye 600 Bowling Tournament	Jugs
June	18-19	Ohio 700 Club Tournament	Jugs
June	25-26	Buckeye 600 Bowling Tournament	Jugs
June	27	USBC Convention and Annual Meeting	Grapevine, Tx.
July	2		
July	30	Ohio USBC WBA Fun Day – Warren	



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The Greater Toledo USBC Bowling Association was created on April 1, 2006 as the results of the merger between the Wauseon Women's Bowling Association, the Toledo Women's Bowling Association, the Greater Toledo Youth Bowler Alliance and the Greater Toledo ABC Bowling Association. Approximately 11,000 members are currently serviced by the elected officers and directors and other volunteers who assist in the task.

The Youth Committee consists of 15 elected volunteers who have all been approved by the USBC Registered Volunteer Program which is designated to safeguard youth members.

2010-2011 Rules Changes

Delegates at the 2010 USBC Convention in Reno approved several rules that will affect league and tournament rule for the 2010-2011 season. They are as follows:

League

Rule 102c. Duties of the President, Item 3. Requires bank statements to be sent to the president.

Rule 102f. Duties of the Treasurer, Item 7. Changes the time frame for retaining treasurer records from 120 days to one year from the completion of the season.

Rule 106a. Series– How bowled. Allows for each game or frame to be bowled on a different pair of lanes.

Rule 111c. Gives more flexibility for requesting pre-post bowling.

Tournament

3Rule 319A. Conditions that apply. Treats all averages, including summer averages, the same.

Rule 320A. Two lanes required. Allows each tournament game or frame to be bowled on a different pair of lanes.

Rule 329. Protests and Appeals. Changes the time frame for protesting rule infractions to 72 hours and the time frame for appealing tournament management's decision to 10 days.

The eighth proposal approved was to the USBC National Bylaws.

Article VI. Meetings. Section A. Annual Meeting, Item 2. Provides for electronic balloting as the final system for voting, unless the president determines the circumstances require a different method.