

Gentlemen of the BTC,

January 12, 2023

It was nice to get back to Tuesday Bowling. I have missed quite a bit while battling some back issues. As much as I enjoyed being back in the bowling alley with all of the guys, my team had the unfortunate displeasure of handing the blind team their 4th win of the season. We did however manage to come away with 5 points which strengthens our strangle hold on the second to last place in our division. At least I won some doubles money with my partners **Jeff Quilici and John "Guido" Guarnieri.**

As always there were some real nice scores posted. Mr. 800, **Dave Jenner** had this week's top series with 681 and **Jack Garetto's 254** was the top single game score of the week.

Next week is position round. Good luck to all. Especially those within striking distance of the top spot in each division. The following week (Jan 24) will be the mini-Calcutta. I'll be stuck at the firehouse that day but I hope that everyone that is bowling that day will participate in this event. Participation is the key to a successful event.

Enough about bowling. I wanted to go have dinner with the tennis guys on Tuesday but the restaurant of choice this week didn't fit well geographically for me. I did however get to speak with **Al Baldermann**, the Chairman, King and Czar of all things tennis. Al said that about a dozen guys showed up at Balagio in Homewood for dinner and a few cocktails. Rumor has it that Al and the boys were the last people in the restaurant while they were trying to close. Tennis seems to be going very well this year. Maybe not so much for John Bondi but it appears that the weekly participation is up from the last couple years and the guys are having a great time.

On a final note, it's time to pay your annual dues. Anyone that has ever had to collect money from a large number of people will tell you that it can get to be a real pain in the ass. The last thing we want to do is make Elvis mad so let's try to get our dues submitted as soon as possible. DUES NOTICE ATTACHED.

Just in case anyone is wondering. We are 16 weeks away from the start of golf.

Happy January Birthdays: Jack Lyons (2), Dave Sullivan (3), Dave Hoffman (5), Bob Welsch (6), Jim McDermott (8), Bill Sawyer (10), Ron Kogut (12), Wayne Hutchinson (13), Nelson Radcliffe (14), Mike Tomkins (14), Ron Miller (15), Andy Zilis (18), Dave Kappel (23), Dick Kamin (25), Jim Reichenberger (25), Rick Carioti (25), Robert Pelizza (27), Dan Woodward Jr. (30). Let me know if I missed anyone.

Anthony Serritella – Secretary serritella.outlandmedia@gmail.com (630) 430-5741 From your 2023 Treasurer & Board-

We are in the process of transitioning Board responsibilities to the various new officers as elected at our previous BTC meetings in 2022. In these newly seated capacities, we have created a budget for your review for 2023. From a global perspective, dues are declining year over year, so our collective goal is to bring in new members in 2023 to enhance revenue. Hence, we need everyone's commitment to accomplish this. We are also watching expenses closely and look to have one less dinner this January and use these funds for food/beverage after golf at a course to be determined.

Also, please note 2023 dues are "due" so appreciate you sending payment per the attached form or form handed out at bowling & tennis this past Tuesday. Rich Schroeder is working on an electronic way to pay your dues also so keep an eye out for that on website if you prefer.

Bob "Bad Knee" Kennedy- Treasurer <u>Rjkenn16@gmail.com</u> 708-712-7400

Tennis News – Al Baldermann

17 players. Even Ron Abramowicz enjoyed himself. After tennis 11 of us (joined by Bob Kennedy) went to Balagio for dinner. Late night.

Results:

<u>Court1</u> Johnson	17/24
Darabaris	1//24
	8/16
Cleary Abramowicz	9/24
	-
Lillwitz	8/24
Court 2	
Heraty	14/19
Kees	10/19
Ganz	9/19
Kahlhammer	5/19
	0,19
Court 3	
Reschke	18/22
Schaefer	9/22
Baldermann	9/22
Anderson	8/22
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Court 4	
Bewley	18/26
Schroeder	14/26
DiNolfo	10/26
Rooks	10/26

Bowling News:

This week is the last week of the first half. It can't get much closer in the "A" Division where only 1 point separates Creative Colors and Bluebird Lanes for First Place. In the "B" Division Smokey's Bandits are in a more comfortable position holding a 5 point lead over 3 teams (Mama Vesuvio, Tri-Star, and Beggars Pizza #1).

I would like to thank all bowlers for their great support in signing up to bowl in the Mini-Calcutta. We are still looking for 3 more bowler to round out teams, we are currently looking at having 11-12 teams! It is still not too late to get in – we do need all spots paid this Tuesday by the end of the first game. Andy Zilis will be at bowling to help collect the payments, and take any last minute sign-ups. I would like to personally thank Andy for taking the lead with this event, as there is no way we would have such great participation without his efforts. I would encourage all bowlers to participate in this fun event, it is handicapped and takes place during your regular league bowling! Cost for the Mini-Calcutta is \$50 per bowler and *100% of the entry fees collected go toward the pay-out*, it can't get any better than that! The draft for the Mini-Calcutta will be directly after bowling in the lounge, Oak Forest Bowl will provide complimentary Pizza for all bowlers during the draft after bowling this week! **Please remember if you sign up for this event you must bowl January 24th which is the day of the tournament.**

Some of the top handicap series performers this past week were: Tom Ollenburger 753, Mike Loye 748, Ben Tutka 728, Tom Kelley 722, Dave Jenner 714, Dennis Samoska Sr. 714, Bob Martino 711, Bob Vizdal 709, Derrick Bay 707, John Roberts 706, Wayne Hutchinson 702, Jack Brown 702, and Bob Switak 701.

Some of the best scratch scores were recorded by Dave Jenner 247, 235 and a 681, Tom Ollenburger 236, and a 672 series, Craig O'Reilly 248, and a 665 series, Bob Vizdal 235, 237, and a 652 series, John Roberts 234, and a 649 series, Jack Garetto 254, and a 647 series, Wayne Hutchinson 642 series, Keith Tadevich 237, and a 639 series, Ken Wisniewski 234, and a 636 series, Anthony Serritella 247 game, Mike Loye 239 game, Derrick Bay 236 game, Bob Martino 236 game, and Mike Loye 239 game.

Please don't forget we still have 2 teams looking for a full-time regular bowler and we are desperately looking for someone to fill these spots! If you know of anyone interested, please let me know. You can call/text me at 708-912-8831 or email me at <u>keith@oakforestbowl.com</u>. See you all Tuesday! Happy New Year to all!

Keith Tadevich – Bowling Secretary

POTS OF THE WEEK

	<u>Handicap</u>		<u>Doubles</u>	
Game 1	Derrick Bay	268	Game 1 1st Place Bob Switek &	498
	Tom Kelly	267	Jack Brown	
			2nd Place Wayne Hutchinson &	496
Game 2	Dave Jenner	258	Bob Vizdal	
	Bob Vizdal	256		
			Game 2 1st Place Dave Jenner &	511
			John Roberts	
Game 3	Denis Samoska Sr.	282	2nd Place Dave Jenner &	507
	Anthony Serritella	273	Ken Wisniewski	
	Mystery Pot		Game 3 1st Place Jeff Quicili &	538
1st Game	Roger Stewart	159	Anthony Serritella	550
15t Guine	Bob Martino	159	2nd Place John Guarnieri &	517
2nd Game	No Winner	200	Anthony Serritella	01/
			Handicap Survivor	
	Clean Frames		1st Place Dave Jenner	246
Forward	Tom Kelly	25	2nd Place John Guarnieri	244
Reverse	Keith Tadevich	28	3rd Place Tom Kelley	228
30	No Winner			
			Blind Doubles	
	Last Game Handicap		1st Place John Roberts &	506
1st Place	Pete Lambros	259	John Roberts	
2nd Place	John Roberts	247		
			2nd Place John Roberts &	506
			John Roberts	
			3rd Place Keith Tadevich &	504
			Bob Vizdal	

<u>Standings</u>								
#	Builders Tee Club	W	L		#	Builders Tee Club	W	L
3	Creative Colors	54	23		1	Smokey's Bandits	47	30
2	Bluebird Lanes	53	24		12	Mama Vesuvio	42	35
5	Bright Metals	46	31		7	Tri-Star	42	35
6	Jan Michaels	45	32		11	Beggars Pizza #1	42	35
4	Van Henkelum	37	40		8	Ascend Weath Planning	37	40
11	Beggars Pizza #2	34	43		9	Oak Forest Bowl	27	50
13	Burr Oak Bowl	25	52					
Lane Assignemnts								
	19-20	21-22	23-24		25-26	27-28	29-30	31-32
1/17/2023 *	14 vs. 11	3 vs. 2	5 vs. 6		10 vs. 4	1 vs. 12	7 vs. 11	8 vs. 9
1/24/2023	9 vs. 4	4 vs. 1	11 vs. 5		8 vs. 12	7 vs. 13	2 vs. 10	6 vs. 3
* End of 1st Half Roll-off Round								



Dues for the Year January 1, 2023 – December 31, 2023 Make check payable to <u>BUILDERS TEE CLUB</u> in the amount of \$200.00 Senior Dues (25 year member +65 years of age)- \$120.00 Out of State (At least 10 months)- \$100.00

Ad Book- Help us to pay for the roster book while promoting your business! Ads will be printed in full color- you can provide the artwork or an ad can be custom made for you. ½ page (2"x3")- \$75.00 _____ - or Full Page (4"x6") - \$125.00 _____ Back Inside Cover *- \$150.00 _____ Back Cover * \$175.00 _____ *only one spot available Please email artwork/logos and ad information to <u>amandagaretto@beggarspizza.com</u> by March 1st

Additional Contribution - \$ ______ (Fill in Amount)

Insert check and mail NOW to Treasurer. Your cancelled check will be your receipt.

****PLEASE INCLUDE CHANGES ONLY!**

Member Name:	Date of Birth:
Wife's Name:	Cell:
Home Address:	
City/State/Zip Code:	
Email Address:	
Business Type:	
Business Name:	
THANK YOU FOR PRINTING CLEARLY!	Opponents in golf matches may need to get
Mail to: Bob Kennedy	in touch with you so please make sure to
128 Luther Ln. Frankfort, IL 60423	include your cell phone number.

(Treasurer)

Thank you- Roster Book Chairman -

Larry Garetto

Happy New Year!