Local Women Finish Well in KY State Women's Tournament

By David Norman

The KY State Women's Tournament was bowled in Paducah and concluded a couple week ago, and the results are in. Several local participants bowled well and ended up cashing. In the doubles category, Pat Lynch and Shirley Bentley finished in second place. Pat Rogers and Janet Osborne finished sixth, and Joanna Abrams and Margaret Tilsley finished in tenth place. In the singles category, four local bowlers finished the tournament on the leaderboard. Pat Lynch finished with the third highest singles score for the tournament, Margaret Tilsley was sixth, Reba Moore ended in ninth, and Gail Campbell was eleventh place. Margaret Tilsley also finished the tournament with the third highest total for all events bowled. Congratulations to all these local bowlers who represented Madison County in this statewide tournament.

Monday Galaxy Seniors League:

The top men's games for the week were all very close, with five men exceeding a 200 game. In the end, it was Rodney Ison finishing as the best game of the week with a 226, followed by Emory McNew with 216 and Herman Moore at 211. Ison also rolled the top series of the week for the men with a 607, narrowly beating out Donny O'Bryan's 606. Emory McNew claimed the third spot with a 576 series.

For the women of this league, Shirley Bentley bowled a 198 game to finish first for the week, followed by Pam Bennett at 187 and Jan Addison's 186. Bentley also finished the week with the best series of 543, Addison had a 506 and Bennett rolled 495.

Monday Night Galaxy Classic League:

Once again, the leading scores of this league were high, with five men exceeding a 260 game. Johnny L. Johnson bowled the best game of the week with a 279, which was tied for the best game of the week among all bowlers in all leagues. Corbin Roberts and Richard Rogers tied with a 269 game, and David McCracken was very close behind the at 268. In men's series, Aaron Rose finished the week on top with 751, which was also the best series bowled for any league this week. Corbin Roberts had a nice 728 series, and Dustin Woolery and Johnny L. Johnson tied in series with 705.

Haley Hardy rolled 213 to lead the women, while Beverly Shearer and Narita Rose tied at 202. In series, Hardy bowled a 602 series as well.

Tuesday Morning Arlington League:

Karen Kensicki has a 204 game and Bridgett Settles rolled 202 to lead the league. There two scores were new season highs for this league. Gail Campbell claimed the third spot with a 183. Kensicki also finished

the week with the high series of 527, which was also the second highest series this season. Other series leaders were Gail Campbell with 497 and Bridgett Settles finishing at 492.

Tuesday Night Galaxy Girls:

Tina Hisle bowled the best game of 208 and series of 561 to lead the league in both categories. Other top games were rolled by Ruby Emmert (199) and Sue Hegelmeyer (196). Hegelmeyer also finished the week with a 526 series, followed by Renda Roberts series of 479.

Tuesday Night Bad Bowlers League:

In this no-tap league, Lynn Estes bowled another 300 game to lead all bowlers. Mike McFerron came close to a perfect game himself with a 288, and Bobby Abrams had a 276 game. Estes also had the best series of the week for the men with 764. Trailing him, Bobby Abrams finished with 721 and McFerron bowled a 713.

April Brumfield had high game (175) and series (487) for the ladies.

Wednesday Night Wednesday Wonders:

This league was also very close for the top spots, with five men exceeding a 250 game. Kevin Exum was the leader with a 277 game. Shawn Barton rolled a 268 game to edge out David Norman at 267 and Donnie Philbeck with 265. Philbeck finished the night with the best series of 714. He was followed by Shawn Barton's 696 and Troy Conner's 669.

For the women of the league, Narita Rose had a 226 game and 635 series. These scores were new season highs in both categories for the league, and Rose's game and series were the best women's scores for the week among all leagues. Jan Stepp bowled a 221 and Toni Young had a 214 game. Young also had the second-best women's series of 509.

Thursday Night Outcast League:

Men's scores from this league were very competitive this week, with eight men exceeding 250 and five men passing the 700 series mark. Cameron Pettyjohn bowled a 279 game to lead the league, and this score was tied as the highest of the week among all leagues. Daelyn White was close with a 278 game, and Aaron Rose rolled a nice 267 game as well. Johnny Johnson took the top spot in series for the week with a 736, followed by White with 725 and Rose at 722.

Pauline Burkhart had the best game of the week for the women with 223, and Haley Hardy bowled a 211. Sarah Sawyers also had a good game with 196. However, it was Rita Morgan with the top series of 611, followed by Burkhart (579) and Hardy (574).

Friday Night TGIF League:

Corbin Roberts bowled the high game of 266 and series of 706 for the men. Kenny Smith also had a nice 257 game, beating Richard Rogers at 247 and Tyler Harris with 246. Rogers also finished the night second in series with 701, and Smith was close behind at 694.

Margaret Tilsley bowled a game of 204 and 608 series to lead all women for the week. Toni Young had a 194 game, while Beverly Shearer and Andrea Holmes tied with 182. Shearer rolled the second highest women's series of 502.