Leagues Wrap Up for Christmas Break

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Two more leagues completed their first half of the bowling season last week. Over the next two weeks, I'll detail the high scores and champions of those leagues that will start their second half in January. The Wednesday Wonders league will begin the second half of the split season on January 2nd. The TGIF league will start again on January 4th and will switch from four-person teams to a doubles format. On January 7th, the Galaxy Classic league will commence again, as will the no-tap Bad Bowlers league on January 8th.

In scoring news, Corbin Roberts rolled the highest game of the week on Galaxy Classic league with a 279. Johnny L. Johnson's 772 series during the Outcasts league was the highest series of the week. Haley Hardy's 247 game and 607 series during the Galaxy Classic league were top scores for the women last week.

Monday Galaxy Seniors:

Top scores for the men were close last week, and at the end of the day it was Rodney Ison with the top game of 216, followed by Bob Schultz at 209 and Ronnie Hurd's 203. Ison also rolled the best series of 574, followed closely by Emory McNew's 565. Donnie O'bryan finished third with a 537 series.

For the women of this league, Jan Addison bowled the top game with her 205 score. Shirley Bentley's 190 was good enough for second high of the day, and Pat Lynch rolled a 182 game. It was Bentley who finished the day with the highest series of 543, Addison had a 509, and Lynch bowled a 450.

Monday Night Galaxy Classic:

As stated in the opening of this article, Corbin Roberts had the top game of the night with a 279, the highest among all leagues for the week. Johnny L. Johnson and Tony Felts tied for the second highest game at 278. Also, in a tie for the third-best game of 258 were Lucas Combs and Rusty Parsons. Roberts ended the day with the top series of 760, followed by Johnson at 733 and Shawn Barton's 713.

As stated above, Haley Hardy led the women of the league with a 247 game and 607 series, the highest women's scores for the week from all leagues. Toni Young bowled the second-highest game of 197, followed closely by Beverly Shearer's 196. Young also rolled a 566 series, and Narita Rose was third in series at 513.

Tuesday Morning Arlington:

Gail Campbell led the league again this week with her 193 game. Karen Kensicki was second with a 180 game, followed by Linda Bowles who rolled a 168. Series scores were very close, and at the end of the day Kensicki finished in the top spot with 479, just topping Bowles at 478 and Campbell's 477.

Tuesday Night Galaxy Girls:

Scores were up this week. Tina Hisle's 246 game and Toni Young's 226 set new high games for the season. Susie King bowled a nice 212 game, and Pam Bennett had a 200 as well, their best games in the league this season. Hisle's 577 was the best series of the week, followed by Young at 552 and King's 536.

Wednesday Night Wednesday Wonders:

The league finished the first half of the split season two week ago. Top men's game for the half was bowled by Troy Conner with a perfect 300, and Lewis Jones Jr. was very close at 299. Shawn Barton rolled the third highest game of the half with 279. Jones bowled the best series of 834. Conner's 770 finished second, followed closely by Nick Haynes 769 series.

For the women of the league, Narita Rose 's 226 game was tops for the season, and Toni Young was close at 224. Poovie Bryant finished third with her 207 game. Rose also bowled the best series of 635, Young was second at 558, and Penny Carter finished third with 500.

Thursday Night Outcast:

Top scores for the men were very high and close this week. George Caddell's 278 was the top game of the week, while Travis Burkhart (275) and Aaron Rose (270) also had impressive games. As stated in the opening of this article, Johnny L. Johnson rolled the highest series of 772, the top series among all leagues for the week. Caddell's 738 and Rose's 710 were the other top series this week.

Pauline Burkhart rolled the best women's game of 227 and series of 580 for the week. Shirley Bentley was just behind her with a 216 game, followed by Toni Young's 196. Young also had the second highest series for the women with 566, and Bentley rolled a 553.

Friday Night TGIF:

Ron Roberts had the best game of the evening with a 256. Other top men's games were bowled by Kenny Smith (247) and Richard Rogers (237). Smith and Mark Rogers tied for the best series at 659, followed closely by Richard Rogers' 655 and Roberts' 651.

Toni Young's 191 game and 541 series led the women of the league this week. Beverly Shearer was second with a 187 game, and Novel Davis was third at 180. Davis finished the night second in series at 512, while Shearer was third with 508.