E.J. Tackett Wins DHC PBA Japan Invitational Title to Kick Off 2017 Season

**No. 5 qualifier climbs stepladder, topples Japan’s Shota Kawaoze for sixth career title**

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In the second match, Rash started with six strikes before converting three consecutive single-pin spares. Tackett, after converting two 10 pins early in the match, reeled off seven consecutive strikes to outtake Rash. His seventh strike on his first shot in the 10th frame locked up the win.

A pair of three-strike strings were enough to dispatch Sterner, who didn’t throw back-to-back strikes until the 10th frame, and continued on page 3

Bowling World Mourns Candy Adams – ‘a Very Sweet Lady’

By Fred Eisenhammer

A year and a half ago, Candy Adams was asked about her rare bowling feat in which she recorded spares in all 10 frames.

“I was really sweating it on the 10th frame,” she said with a smile. She was asked how many pins she knocked down on her final spare, but she said she couldn’t remember.

“I know I didn’t leave the 10 pin, because I would have missed that,” Candy joked.

That was Candy Adams – gracious, classy and funny.

Her family and friends – which include many in the L.A.-area bowling community – are mourning her passing from cancer. Candy, a Canoga Park resident, died Jan. 7 at 69.

“I was very lucky to have her,” said Bob Adams, who was married to her for 42 years. The two met while both worked at General Telephone.

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**Champions Determined at 2017 Team USA Trials, U.S. Amateur**

HENDERSON, Nev. - Erin McCarthy of Omaha, Nebraska, and Jakob Butturff of Tempe, Arizona, captured the 2017 United States Bowling Congress Team USA Trials titles Sunday, while Julia Bond of Lincoln, Illinois, and Matt Russo of Millstone Township, New Jersey, closed the weekend with wins at the United States National Amateur Bowling Championships.

McCarthy finished the event at Sunset Station’s Strike Zone Bowling Center with a 241 game, giving her a fifth-place finish in the final round and moving her into the top spot in the women’s standings with 46 total ranking points. Butturff had built a lead during the week’s first four rounds and used a 14th-place finish Sunday on the 39-foot Seoul oil pattern to collect his win with 59 ranking points.

The players earned points based on their finishing positions in each qualifying round. The top bowler of the block earned one ranking point, second place earned two points, etc., with the lowest total of ranking points after the five six-game blocks determining the 2017 USBC Team USA Trials champions.

Shannon Pluhowsky of Dayton, Ohio, led Sunday’s six-game block. Chris Via of Springfield, Ohio, paced the men’s field in the final round with a 1,478 total.

The women’s title came down to the final frame as McCarthy delivered a strike to move ahead of Shannon O’Keefe of O’Fallon, Illinois, and hold off a late run by Kelly Kulick of Union, New Jersey.

“I tried my best not to look at the scoreboard all week, so I didn’t know how close it was, but probably helped take the nerves away,” said McCarthy, who made Team USA for the third consecutive year. “I went into that game focused on making good shots and the team. I’ve been battling some things with my swing since the U.S. Women’s Open and really worked hard the past two or three months trying to get it fixed. It really paid off this week, and I’m on cloud nine.

Making the team again is a dream in itself, but I don’t know if this team again is a dream in itself, but I don’t know if this

The victories also earned McCarthy and Butturff the opportunity to represent the United States at the 2017 QubicaAMF World Cup in Hermosillo, Mexico.

Also earning automatic spots on Team USA 2017 based on their overall performances at the Team USA Trials were O’Keefe, Mirandy Sterner of Racine, Wisconsin, who didn’t throw back-to-back strikes until the 10th frame, and continued on page 3

Valentines Day Photo Contest

**Winner Announced Feb. 9th 2017**

NORWALK — Did you meet your sweetie in a bowling center, marry, and live happily ever after? E-mail us your story and photo.

Your short story might include; where you met, where you bowl in the same league, how long did you go together, did you bowl together after you married, do you have offspring that bowl?

Be sure to mention the bowling centers in your life.

E-mail us your photo and short story to news@californiabowlingnews.com. $100 to the winner.

Deadline for all entries is February 6th.
January 19, 2017

**1966 - PART 2**

by Carol Mancini

- Why did STEVE NAGY run the 2nd Washington Birthday Singles in July?
- BARRY ASHER whipped EDDIE JOSEPH at KONA BOWL on “T.V. Bowling” . . . a weekly event!
- DOCTOR JUNG rolled a 300 with the latest Mono-Grip ball
- Bowling Writers named their “All Star Team” picks at the Writers banquet. The five gals included, WANDA KINSLEY, BETTY MIVELAZ, ROBBIE FREY, BOBBIE SOLDAN, and DONNA ZIMMERMAN. The five guys honored were JIMMIE OD’CONNOR, DON HOOPER, BOB KNIPPEL, NORM MYERS, and CARL WINFIELD. The best in So. Calif.
- A young DON CECIL was directing traffic at SANTA FE LANES, DON was trickier than Houdini. There were plenty of CECIL stories. Thank goodness the internet was still a dream. I know of at least 13 women he proposed to . .. including ME! A regular DON JUAN.
- ROSA PECK rolled a 300 game when she was 7 months pregnant. She could bowl pot any time, 24/7, even in the bathtub. She had a son.
- BARRY ASHER, a 19 year old BARRY ASHER cached again, again, again, $3,000 here, $2,000 there. Big money in ‘66.
- BOWL-A-rama in Studio City was sold and remodeled.
- No one had ever bowled a 300 game in the Team Event of the A.B.C. There had been 2,788,970 chances.
- It was revealed that in the third and fourth centuries that the ability to knock over “pins” was an indication that the bowler (male of course) was leading a clean life. If they knocked down a “lot” of pins you could bowl your way to heaven!

**To the editor...**

I enjoy reading your “flashback” columns each week that highlight the goings-on in the Southern California bowling world. Of special interest to me in last week’s 1966 part 1 article is the mention of the Women’s All-Star Trios at Century Bowl in Lynwood and Betty Mivelaz’s 300 game. One of my most memorable moments in the many years I have been bowling came at a junior in high school when I was fortunate to keep score for that 300 game back on February 16, 1966. It was maybe just the second 300 I had ever seen, definitely the first by a woman. I still have a copy of the recap sheet. As you said, there were so many top women bowling in the league including many known nationally. Other big names who come to mind are Bobbe North, Wanda Kinsley, DD Jacobson who won the 1964 WIBC Queens and one of the best women bowlers I have ever seen.

Now, your question about the lowest score possible with nine strikes. I came up with a 129. Start with a double, then knock down one pin on the first ball of the third frame, then throw the spare shot exactly where you throw the first shot since no gutter balls are allowed. That gives you 33 in the third frame. Repeat that in the next three frames to give you 66 in the sixth frame, then again in frames seven through nine to give you 99 in the ninth frame. Strike out for a 129 with nine strikes! Sad, but there it is.

**Run Marcus**
TEAM USA TRIALS continued from page 1

McEwan of Stony Point, New York, Bryantta Coté, of Red Rock, Arizona, Josie Earnest of Nashville, Tennessee, and Stefanie Johnson of Grand Prairie, Texas, were selected by the National Selection Committee based on submitted resumes.

The red hot Butturff, who won two Professional Bowlers Association Tour titles and a record nine PBA regional titles in 2016, carried that momentum into the new year.

“Knowing you can handle the grind and deal with the pressure of winning this event against a very talented field of bowlers is a great feeling,” said Butturff, who is making his first appearance on Team USA. “It’s amazing to be one of the few who gets the chance to represent this country and the sport of bowling.”

Joining Butturff with automatic spots on Team USA 2017 are Russo, Marshall Kent of Yakima, Washington, Steven Badovinac of Monument, Colorado, and Andrew Cain of Phoenix.

AJ Johnson of Oswego, Illinois, Nick Pate of Inver Grove Heights, Minnesota, Kyle King of Glendale, Arizona, and Chris Barnes of Double Oak, Texas, were selected by the National Selection Committee based on their performances at the Team USA Trials this week.

Via, AJ Chapman of Wichita, Kansas, Ronnie Russell of Marion, Indiana, Tommy Jones of Simpsonville, South Carolina, and Sean Rash of Montgomery, Illinois, were selected by the National Selection Committee based on submitted resumes.

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2017 Annual BVL Tournament

Attention bowlers of the San Gabriel Valley USBC. The Annual BVL Tournament supporting the disabled/hospitalized veterans is being held on Sunday January 22, 2017 at Bowlium Lanes - 4666 Holt Blvd. in Montclair. There will be two squads 10am & 1pm. Entry fee will be $20 with a $5 handicap scholarship fund. Please come out and support our veterans.

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Is this fair? Missy Parkin beats the field but finishes 7th at Team USA Trials
by Lucas Wiseman of bowlingdigital.com

At last week’s Team USA Trials, professional bowler Missy Parkin put together a solid week of bowling. In fact, she beat everyone in the field by more than 100 pins after 30 games.

But when the final standings came out, Parkin finished in seventh place. Fortunately, being the talented star that she is, she was still selected to join Team USA in 2017 by the selection committee. So how can a bowler beat the field by that much and not win the tournament? It’s because the Team USA Trials uses a points system to decide its winner.

There are five rounds of competition, each consisting of six games on a different lane condition. Players are awarded points based on their finishes in each round. The bowler who earns one point for first place, two points for second place, etc. The best possible score would be five points (finish-

ing first in every round).

Parkin finished the tournament with 71 points despite “winning” in Round 2 and Round 3. She finished 15th in Round 1, 20th in Round 4 and 34th in Round 5. The real question was it “fair” for Parkin to beat the field in println and not win the tournament?

Traditionally in bowling, tournaments are decided by pinfall, oftentimes before heading to a stepladder finals. The purpose of the Team USA Trials, however, is different. The format was created to reward consistency over five rounds on five different patterns.

It also helps prevent a player from dominating on one or two of the patterns and crushing the field, which is essentially what happened with Parkin.

The thinking is by having versatile players it will help make Team USA even stronger when it represents the United States in international competition.

In reality, over 30 games the best players are often going to lead when the totals are based on pinfall. Plus, the Team USA coaches are able to select a certain number of players to join the team even if they don’t compete in the Team USA Trials.

Was what happened to Parkin “fair,” yes. It was the for-

mat set forth before the tournament began. Is it the right way for the Team USA Trials to decide its top players moving forward? Debatable.

The point system is confusing to follow and eliminates most drama at the end of qualifying because, quite honestly, nobody knows what’s happening.

When you add in the introduction last year the U.S. Amateur to the mix, the event becomes even more confusing. From a fan’s perspective, the Team USA Trials would be better with an easy-to-follow format that has 30 games of qualifying based on pinfall with the top three, regardless of professional status, advancing to a stepladder finals to determine the winner.

If you want to award a U.S. Amateur title to the top amateur finisher, fine.

But remember, the Team USA Trials is not designed for fans. It’s designed to create the best Team USA possible, which doesn’t always jive with what’s best for fans.

Bottom line: Don’t expect any changes to be made to this format anytime soon.

QUBICA AMF PBA REGIONAL UPDATE: COMPETITION RESUMES JAN. 20-22

QubicaAMF PBA Regional competition in 2017 gets underway over the Jan. 20-22 weekend at South Point Bowling Plaza in Las Vegas with the South Point West Challenge for non-champions, and the South Point member/non-member doubles, both presented by Storm. The PBA Central Region also returns to action with the PBA/ PBA50 Don Vay Memorial Central Doubles Classic at Legend Lanes in Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.

- The Jan. 27-29 weekend includes the PBA and PBA50 Sands Regency West/Northwest Winter Classic doubleheader presented by Storm at the National Bowling Stadium in Reno, Nev. The weekend also will include a Sands Regency West/Northwest Winter Challenge for non-champions.

- For complete QubicaAMF PBA Regional schedules, rules and entry information heading into the new year, visit pba.com, open the “schedules” tab and click on QubicaAMF Regional Tours to find the event(s) in your area. For more information about QubicaAMF, visit www.qublicaamf.com;
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EXPENSES....... $3.00
PRIZE FUND.... $16.50

TOTAL............. $60.00

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Wishing everyone a happy new year. Please drink responsibly.
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Bowling represented a large part of her life. Candy, a Canoga Park resident, bowled for more than 40 years and involved most recently in two leagues, including a women’s travel league, each week.

Candy, a right-hander with a dependable hook, held a 160 average two years ago. She has cited her 255 game and 617 series as among her most memorable bowling achievements.

Kelly Gold bowled with Candy in the travel league and called her “a very sweet lady” who often handed-made gifts that she gave to her fellow bowlers.

Candy combined with her husband to provide a virtual how-to manual on how to be successful bowlers. Like Candy, Bob was a prolific spare maker. He even earned the nickname “The Sparemester” because he rolled three all-spares games.

“They were a very cute couple,” Gold said.

Candy was a huge supporter of her husband’s bowling game, repeatedly telling this reporter how “amazing” her husband was. “He flies model airplanes and is still driving and [he] skiing,” said Candy a couple of years ago. “I have enough trouble with two eyes and he has just one.”

Bob lost his left eye in 2011 to glaucoma.

Candy regularly watched Bob when he was competing in his Monday night league at Winnetka Bowl. On Bob’s team was Johnnie Englehart, a member of the area’s elite bowlers. “Candy always had a positive outlook,” Englehart said. “She was always optimistic and she loved to bowl.”

“There were times I’d get on a roll and I felt like she was in as much as I was. It was always infectious. It was a good feeling for both sides. She will really be missed big time.”

Candy was described by friends as quiet but possessing a sharp wit. “If she could put up with Bob, she had to have a sense of humor and you can quote me on that,” laughed Stacey Tarantino, who bowled with Candy on the same team in a Tuesday morning league.

“She was a fantastic bowler,” said Tarantino, adding that “the joy of Candy’s team was the existence of a league title. ‘She threw the quickest, smoothest ball. I never heard the ball once it hit the floor. She was a great spare bowler and very consistent. ‘She was just amazing. Always with a great attitude and easy to be around. Very sweet.”

Two memorials are planned for Candy – one at Winnetka Bowl on Jan. 26 and another at Skateland Northridge on Feb. 4.

JAT Sport Juniors Rip It Up At Surf Bowl JBT

by David Schiada

NORWALK — Keystone’s JAT Sport Juniors headed down the coast for last weekend’s JBT at Surf Bowl in Oceanside and hung many 10s in the pit for some epic results. On Saturday, Julian Zavala climbed the ladder from fifth position and defeated top qualifier Cordero Schenck in the title match to win the JBT scratch division. After winning the title Julian squared off against Solomon Salama in the U17 final, with Solomon coming out on top to capture the JBT title.

Stephanie Zavala, JAT Sport Junior alum and fresh off of qualifying for Team USA, won the girls scratch division. In the handicap division, Jared Schiada earned his first trip to the stepladder finals and finished third. Congratulations to all and best of luck Saturday in the city team event at Gage Bowl.

Top PBA 50 Bowler in Northwest Region

by Frank Weiler

RANCHO CUCAMONGA - Tony Rodriguez is the top PBA 50 (Senior) bowler in the Northwest Region for 2016. He led all PBA senior northwest professional bowlers in performance points last year. He, wife Lisa and son Tony III were on the road throughout the year competing in cities and towns throughout states like Idaho and Washington.

The whole Rodriguez family is dedicated to Tony’s pursuit of winning as a PBA bowler.

The TOP FIVE 2016 PBA 50 (Senior) bowlers in the Northwest Region were:

1. Tony Rodriguez (CA) 102,021 (Performance Pts)
2. Rob Rice (WA) 100,345 (Performance Pts)
3. Joe Petrovich (WA) 93,037 (Performance Pts)
4. Noel Vazquez (CA) 81,001 (Performance Pts)
5. Mitchell Vernon (WA) 80,249 (Performance Pts)

Three of the top five players in the Region were CALIFORNIA BOWLERS and five of the top seven are from our state. In addition to his outstanding performance up north, Tony was third in Performance Points in the PBA West Region behind PBA Superstar RON MOHR and Joe Petrovich.

Great bowling Tony and THANKS to the BOWLING NEWS for supporting CALIFORNIA BOWLERS.

PBA Player, Rookie of the Year Voting Gets Underway

Voting will begin Friday among PBA members and veteran bowling writers to select the 2016 Chris Schenkel PBA Player of the Year and the Harry Golden PBA Rookie of the Year. Voting will be open until midnight PST, Friday, Jan. 20.

In addition to the year candidates who finished among the top 10 in 2016 earnings, in alphabetical order, are: Dom Barrett, England; Mitch Beasley, Clarksville, Tenn.; Jason Belmonte, Australia; Tommy Jones, Simpsonville, S.C.; Marshall Kent, Yakima, Wash.; Francois Lavio, Quebec City, Quebec; Sean Rash, Montgomery, Ill.; Anthony Simonsen, Austin, Texas; Jesper Svensson, Sweden; and, EJ Tackett, Huntington, Ind.

The top five players in the rookie class, also listed alphabetically, are: Graham Fach, Guelph, Ontario; Francois Lavio, Quebec City, Quebec; Danielle McEwan, Stoney, Iowa; Anggie Ramirez, Austin, Texas, and Darren Tang, San Francisco.

The winners of the 2016 Chris Schenkel PBA Player of the Year Award, Harry Golden PBA Rookie of the Year, Steve Nagy Sportmanship Award (selected by PBA players) and the Tony Reyes Community Service Award (selected by a special PBA panel) will be announced during PBA’s live Main Event PBA Super Classic on Sunday, Feb. 5, at 11 a.m. Winners will receive their awards during a live Xtra Frame videocast as part of the PBA Hall of Fame induction ceremonies at the Grand Casino Resort & Hotel in Shawnee, Okla., on Monday, Feb. 13. Hall of Fame coverage will begin at 5 p.m.
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Burbank — Pickwick’s Youth Bowling Program just started another session on Saturday, Jan. 7th. It’s not too late to get your young bowlers in the game! Bowling is the only sport I know where NO player sits on the bench!

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1. **Threadworks**
2. **DV8**
3. **J.A.T.**
4. **Erickson Foods $$**
5. **Sysco $$**
6. **The Pro Approach**
7. **Power House Video Games**
8. **G.J.C. Janitorial**
9. **Erickson’s**
10. **Blizz Yogurt**

**TOP 10 LAST WEEK**

1. **Power House Video Games**
2. **Threadworks**
3. **J.A.T.**
4. **Erickson’s**
5. **Crown Royal**
6. **Kevin Gagnon**
7. **Michelle Tran**
8. **Richard Bowers**
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10. **Buenviaje**

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