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# Greetings, Bowlers!

#### **IT'S A ROLL-OFF!**

Under the category of "this never happens", we ended position week with a tie for 1<sup>st</sup>! Team 15 (Choppers) and Team 13 (The Bear Trap) will bowl against each other this Friday for the top spot. Exciting! Congratulations to Team 12 (Body By Bowling) for their 3<sup>rd</sup> place finish, and to league newcomers Team 16 (The Barber's Mark) for ranking 4<sup>th</sup>! Please check the latest schedule for updated lane assignments for this Friday; we adjusted a couple of the random assignments to place Teams 15 and 13 on the same lanes.

**Team Captains,** please see Beth W. this Friday night to collect your team's point money for the season. Remember, *all* teams collect point money regardless of where you finished in the ranking – the dollar amount is based on the number of total "Points Won" by your team for the entire season.

#### **SPRING BANQUET INFORMATION**

We look forward to seeing you at the spring awards banquet; it's *this* Sunday, April 13 at noon at Lamppost Pizza (right next door to Fountain Bowl), located at 10130 Warner Ave, Fountain Valley. We'll be distributing the season's awards and prize money from Sweeps while enjoying pizza and refreshments. See you there!

#### **SWEEPS!**

It's sweepstakes week, the final night of the season! Remember, you don't pay league fees this Friday, and during sweeps week the league awards cash prizes based mainly on pairs determined by average (highest average bowler is paired with the lowest average bowler, second highest with second lowest, and so on). All winners can collect their sweeps prizes at the season-end banquet on Sunday, April 13. As with position round, no subs may bowl and do not deduct any pins from the absentee's average when recording scores. Absent bowlers will not participate in the prize pairings.

We'll also have a 50/50 raffle, plus the cost of side pots this week will be \$2/game (\$6 total) and we'll pay first and second place winners. Actual prize amounts are tbd, based on participation.

### **SUMMER SESSION BEGINS MAY 2 – AUGUST 1**

Please plan to join us for a fun-filled summer season! We are taking a two-week break and will not bowl on Friday April 18<sup>th</sup> or 25<sup>th</sup>. The summer season begins on Friday, May 2 with an organizational meeting at 7:30PM that evening. The summer league is "no tap", a variation where knocking down 9 pins on the first ball is scored as a strike. This format is a great way to have fun and hopefully increase your scores! The summer season flyer is attached – please share with friends, colleagues, and anyone else you think would enjoy the league!

#### CALIFORNIA SPRING CLASSIC – REGISTRATION IS STILL OPEN

The 43<sup>rd</sup> California Spring Classic is right around the corner! Open to all age 21 and over, the CSC is an LGBTQ bowling tournament tradition in Southern California. The dates are Friday, April 25 to Sunday, April 27, 2025, at Forest Lanes in Lake Forest. Friday Night Trios will be between seasons that week, so whether you are a first-time tournament bowler or a veteran, here's your opportunity to meet new people, have some fun and potentially win cash prizes! Visit <a href="https://www.californiaspringclassic.org">www.californiaspringclassic.org</a> for details and online registration.

#### **NEED TO CONTACT A LEAGUE OFFICER? Text or call 714-794-8273!**

Please save the FNT league contact number (714-794-8273) and text or call if you need to reach us during the week. If your entire team is going to be absent for any week's league, be sure to inform us prior to the start of that week's league play at 8:30PM if you plan to pre-bowl or makeup the session. We don't want you to accidentally forfeit the week. Thank you!

### **WEEKLY SIDEPOT RESULTS**

Congratulations to last week's sidepot winners! For Sweeps week only, the cost to participate is \$2/game and we'll pay out first and second place winners!

# Average up to 132 (\$15/game) (all games - scratch score plus handicap)

Game 1	Kelvin McAdory	238
Game 2	Aneri Joshi	252
Game 3	James Molamphy (spelled correctly!)	230

## Average 133 and above (\$15/game)

Game 1	Sean Mulligan	256 (scratch score plus hdcp)
Game 2	Eli Vega-Martinez	235 (highest scratch score)
Game 3	Chris Chacon	+35 (scratch score over average)

# **April Birthdays**

Barbara Argent 6th
David Taing 7th
Noel Vestri 10th
Jerry Osborne 13<sup>th</sup>
Sebastian Porteous 16th

# **League Housekeeping**

President: Beth Wissinger Vice President: David Beard Secretary: David Wirths Treasurer: Helen Lynn

### Get in touch with us!

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