

Manitoba Juniors Bowlers

survive by being "Above Average"

In an ongoing effort to show our youth bowlers that you can have fun bowling while you are in a league, we ran an in-house tournament based on the reality TV show "SURVIVOR". As long as the bowlers scored above their average they were still in the tournament. This proved to be very educational for our bowlers as well as responsible. Here is how:

1. They had to know what their average was, and where to find it on their score sheet.
2. After each game, they had to post their score on a master score sheet. Remember the chalk board when we were in youth bowling?
3. They became very aware of their scores during the game to see if they were getting close to their average, thus they learned scoring.

In the first week, any bowler that bowled over the average in all three games had "immunity" the following week. For those bowlers that did not, they had another chance to return to the tournament.

The following week, they would bowl three more games. If all three games were over their average, they were back in the tournament. If only one game was over their average, they had to go to a table and pick one of three cards. The cards were a (1, 2, 3). If they picked a card that matched the game that was over their average, they were back in the tournament. If not, they were out. As the tournament wound down, the winners were starting to be decided. The prize? The winner got to throw a pie in the face of a coach, or member of Team Canada. We had 12 pies up for grabs and 9 winners. So what did we do with the other 3?



We had a ticket draw. The winning ticket had to make a shot under the pressure of everyone watching and making noise. Talk about excitement! The Bantams had to hit the headpin, the preps had to make a 9 count, and the juniors had to strike.

After all was said and done, we had our 12 winners and their targets were selected. The youth entered the pie throwing arena to the tune "Bad to the Bone" by George Thorogood. Talk about funny !!!



When asked if we should do this next year, it was an overall yes. So you can put the F__N back into your youth program. The only thing missing is 'U'.

Next year there will be four events on tap, to encourage more fun and excitement during league bowling.

1. Youth World Cup
2. Survivor
3. THE "SHOT" IS RIGHT featuring the challenge game "PLINKO" - (NEW)
4. THE BIGGEST WINNER (not loser) - (NEW)

THAT 'S HOW WE ROLL !!

8th QubicaAMF World Cup

Wroclaw, Poland

November 24 – December 2, 2012



Michael Schmidt

Michael Schmidt just finished competing in the 2012 World Cup in Wroclaw, Poland. The top male & female bowlers from 82 countries qualified nationally to represent their country. This is Schmidt's 7th time in 8 years to compete in this event. He won this world title in 2005 and 2010, with a runner-up showing in 2009.

Mike averaged 209 in the first 20 game qualifying round and bowled stronger in the second round, rebounding from 22nd spot to a 10th place finish with a 217 average for 28 games and a 299 high game.

Schmidt was just 27 pins shy of making the top 8 block to proceed to the next level.

Another Strong Showing Mike !



Manitoba Tenpin Bowling Coaches Association

PRESENTS

3 FREE COACHING DEVELOPMENT SEMINARS

The MTBCA is holding a Series of FREE coaching Development Seminars:

**Dec. 29/12 A "How-To" of Athlete Video Analysis
1:00 – 3:00 pm Chateau Lanes**

Video Analysis is a very important & useful coaching tool to assess & identify areas in need of adjustment in order to benefit the athlete's bowling performance. In order to be a more effective coach, having a working knowledge of these tools is essential.

In accordance with our associations' mandate to provide upgrading opportunities for our members to improve their coaching skills & abilities and become better coaches, we are offering these Free Seminars.

The first seminar is for MTBCA members only & will cover:

- *How to video an athlete (where to stand, angles, area of focus);*
- *Includes hands-on camera-work;*
- *How to transfer & convert files into the BowlersMap video analysis program;*
- *Basic use of BowlersMap software including slow-motion, side-by-side comparison & more.*

The purpose of this seminar to provide the coach with the skills & confidence to use the camera, laptop & BowlersMap software & enable them to successfully perform video analysis on their own.

Don't miss out on these Great Opportunities to gain Valuable Coaching Experience and Knowledge !

Please **pre-register by December 17, 2012** if you plan to attend by contacting **Dan Tereck at 661-6672 or Ken Burns at 925-5705.**

Other seminars on other topics will be held in January/13 & February/13.

2012 1st CANADA DEAF GAMES

Edmonton, Alberta

There were four events at the Games - bowling, curling, hockey and volleyball. Manitoba's **Paul Halas** competed in this competition, bowling 30 games in Singles.

Halas finished in 5th place overall in the Singles with a 195 average, which qualified him for the Masters event, in which he bowled six games and finished in 6th place. This achievement earned him a spot on the Deaf national Team, which will be competing in the Deaflympics in July 2013 in Sofia, Bulgaria. **Way To Go Paul !**

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Catlin Crandall - 300 Game



Catlin Crandall has started up where he left off last season. Except that last season he was still a CTF Youth bowler. Now he's introducing himself to some of the top adult bowlers in Winnipeg and WHAT AN INTRODUCTION !!

After bowling two 300 games last year, he started off this season with a perfect game in the first night of competition in the Greater Winnipeg Classic League. He rolled games of **224, 245, 300, and 244, for a 1013 4-game series.** And if you don't know, this league does not bowl on the standard "*Chateau House Shot*" lane oiling pattern. On this day, we were using a Kegel "Challenge" pattern, known as "*Broadway*", which makes his achievements even more impressive.

Congratulations Catlin !!

Dauphin Tenpin Association

9-Pin No Tap Tournament

March 3 - 4, 2012

Twenty-eight bowlers competed in the DTA No-Tap event on March 3-4, 2012.

Class 1 0 - 150 Average

1 st – Danny Boyd	750	\$100 + future entry fee
2 nd - Jean Rudd	742	\$ 70
3 rd – Evelyn Schmon	737	\$ 50
4 th – Ilene Piasta	702	\$ 25

Class 2 151 - 164 Average

1 st – Mike Nical	821	\$ 100 + future entry fee
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Class 3 165 & Over Average

1 st – Mike Nical	784	\$ 100 + future entry fee
2 nd – Jack Kukurudz	775	\$ 70
3 rd – Lil Anderson	774	\$ 50
4 th – Jody Scott	758	\$ 35
5 th – Trymer Robb	737	\$ 25

Total Payout \$ 585



New Manitoba CTF Director

CTF President Cathy Innes has appointed **Dan Tereck**, Winnipeg to the CTF Board of Directors.

Dan replaces **Ron Molinski** of Winnipeg who resigned. Dan is a former CTF board member and a member of the Winnipeg Tenpin Bowling Association.

MCBA Hal Ross Doubles November 11, 2012 – La Verendrye



(L-R) George Jansen, Gord Tereck (MCBA Rep) & Clem Perreault

The Manitoba Classic Bowlers Association held its Hall Ross Doubles on November 11, 2012 at La Verendrye. The winners were **George Jansen & Clem Perreault**.

Congratulations Boys !

**2012 CTF NATIONAL
YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIP
Quebec City, Quebec June 1- 3, 2012**

BANTAM

Brittney Rocan Justin Omega

JUNIOR

Marissa Naylor Austyn Ducharme

INTERMEDIATES

Stephanie Adams Mitch Hupé

SENIOR

Danielle Lemoine Catlin Crandall

COACHES

*Michael Boroskae Shauna Franchewski
Darren Naylor*

**MANITOBA WINS 19 MEDALS AT
30TH NATIONAL YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIPS**

Manitoba earned 8 gold, 5 silver and 6 bronze medals

TEAM EVENT

Girls - Silver Manitoba

TEAM ALL-EVENTS

Silver Manitoba 30602

MIXED DOUBLES

Bantam

Bronze **Brittney Rocan/Justin Omega** Manitoba

Intermediate

Silver **Stephanie Adams/Mitch Hupé** Manitoba

Senior

Gold **Danielle Lemoine/Catlin Crandall** Manitoba



**Manitoba Bowling Association
Upcoming Youth Tournaments**

**MBA Youth Open – 5 Games
January 13, 2013
(SCRATCH: Bantam / Junior / Senior)
La Verendrye Lanes 10:30 am**

**MBA Youth Open FINALS – 8 Games
February 24 , 2013
(SCRATCH: Bantam / Junior / Senior)
Chateau Lanes 10:30 am**





Manitoba Bowling Association
Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser
Applebee's Regent Avenue
January 27th, 2013 & March 17, 2013
\$10.00 per person

This fundraiser is being held in conjunction with the **Adult/Hi Low Doubles Tournament** that morning at 8 am- 10 am on **January 27, 2013** at Chateau Lanes.

The second Pancake Breakfast will be held on **March 17, 2013** from 8:00- 10:00 pm in conjunction with the **CTF CYC Provincials** at Chateau Lanes.

Funds to assist the hosting of the 2015 Canadian Youth Championships being held in Winnipeg

Tickets available at **Chateau Lanes** and **Club Laverendrye**.

For Further Information Contact:
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or

Shauna Franchewski @ franchewski.shauna@hotmail.ca

SINGLES

	<i>Bantam Girls</i>
Bronze	Brittney Rocan Manitoba
	<i>Bantam Boys</i>
Bronze	Justin Omega Manitoba
	<i>Junior Girls</i>
Bronze	Marissa Naylor Manitoba
	<i>Junior Boys</i>
Gold	Austyn Ducharme Manitoba
	<i>Intermediate Girls</i>
Bronze	Stephanie Adams Manitoba
	<i>Intermediate Boys</i>
Gold	Mitch Hupé Manitoba
	<i>Senior Girls</i>
Gold	Danielle Lemoine Manitoba
	<i>Senior Boys</i>
Gold	Catlin Crandall Manitoba

INDIVIDUAL ALL-EVENTS

	<i>Bantam Girls</i>
Gold	Brittney Rocan Manitoba
	<i>Bantam Boys</i>
Silver	Justin Omega Manitoba
	<i>Junior Boys</i>
Bronze	Austyn Ducharme Manitoba
	<i>Intermediate Boys</i>
Gold	Mitch Hupé Manitoba
	<i>Senior Girls</i>
Gold	Danielle Lemoine Manitoba
	<i>Senior Boys</i>
Silver	Catlin Crandall Manitoba



Manitoba Youth Do Well at YBC Nationals

Bowl Canada (Bowling Proprietors of Canada) held their YBC (Youth Bowling Canada) National Championships in **Woodbridge, Ontario**, from **April 14-16/12**. And our youth performed well, bringing home a number of medals.

One of the highlights was **Danielle Lemoine's** perfect game in the Team event. This was her 3rd career perfect game and it helped the team to a Silver Medal.

Our Medal winners were:

Bantam Boys – **Justin Omega** (Winnipeg) – Bronze – Singles

Junior Boys – **Matthew Verinder** (Brandon)
– Bronze – Singles

Senior Girls – **Danielle Lemoine** (Winnipeg) – Gold – Singles

Senior Boys – **Mitch Hupé** (Winnipeg) – Gold – Singles

Boys Combo (**Justin, Matthew, Mitch**) – Gold – Team Event

Girls Combo (**Brittney Rocan, Melanie Wallace, Danielle**)
– Silver – Team Event

Coaches: **Michael Boroskae & Dale Wallace**

You can find the complete results at
www.bowlcanada.ca



JUNIOR BOYS

High Average	<i>Mathew Verinder</i>	187
High Single	<i>Austyn Ducharme</i>	288
High Series	<i>Austyn Ducharme</i>	700

JUNIOR GIRLS

High Average	<i>Melanie Wallace</i>	176
High Single	<i>Marissa Naylor</i>	259
High Series	<i>Marissa Naylor</i>	633

SENIOR BOYS

High Average	<i>Mitch Hupé</i>	225
High Single	<i>Mitch Hupé</i>	300
High Series	<i>Mitch Hupé</i>	794

SENIOR GIRLS

High Average	<i>Danielle Lemoine</i>	205
High Single	<i>Leigha Carnevale</i>	287
High Series	<i>Brittany Crawford</i>	705

BANTAM BOYS

High Average	<i>Mathew Allen</i>	76
High Single	<i>Mathew Allen</i>	135
High Series	<i>Mathew Allen</i>	309

BANTAM GIRLS

High Average	<i>Jaeda Sylvia</i>	97
High Single	<i>Jaeda Sylvia</i>	166
High Series	<i>Jaeda Sylvia</i>	457

PREP BOYS

High Average	<i>Justin Omega</i>	156
High Single	<i>Justin Omega</i>	243
High Series	<i>Justin Omega</i>	579

PREP GIRLS

High Average	<i>Brittney Rocan</i>	141
High Single	<i>Brittney Rocan</i>	204
High Series	<i>Brittney Rocan</i>	520

2012 USBC SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Bowling Stadium - Reno Nevada



MEN

<i>Don Eppler</i>	Super Senior	
<i>Alfonso Navoa</i>	A Division	6th
<i>Cesar Figueroa</i>	B Division	
<i>Dan Tereck</i>	C Division	
<i>Randy Reimer</i>	D Division	

LADIES

<i>Bernice Pelletier</i>	Super Senior	5th
<i>Ilene Piasta</i>	A Division	
<i>Shirley Brown</i>	B Division	
<i>Nora Dee James</i>	C Division	
<i>Sherry Hobson</i>	D Division	
<i>Ats Odaguchi (Coach)</i>		



2012

**CANADIAN TENPIN FEDERATION
NATIONAL MIXED CHAMPIONSHIP**

Windsor, Ontario

April 22, 2012

Pam Buote

Michael Boroskae

Al Crandall

Sherry Hobson

Wanda Howard

Randy Kostenuk

Ron Molinski

Darren Naylor

Ilene Piasta

Ralph Piasta

Peter Wight

Elaine Yamron

Eleanor Young

Dan Tereck (Coach)

Open Handicap Doubles

3rd M. Boroskae/R. Kostenuk

Open Scratch Doubles

2nd Mike Boroskae/Randy Kostenuk

Women's Scratch Super Senior All-Events

3rd Sherry Hobson 192 1592

Complete results are available at

www.gotenpinbowling.ca under "Tournaments"

ASSOCIATION AWARDS

WOMEN

Senior High Average Sharon Tataryn 221

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High Single Scratch Sandy Szyblo 300

Danielle Lemoine 300

High Series Scratch Lynne Gauthier 784

Pins Over Average

High Single Sandy Szyblo 300 (+124)

High Series Kathy Dubesky 728 (+176)

Most Improved Chris Hadaller (+19)





MANITOBA BOWLING

MEN

Senior High Average	<i>Gord Tereck</i>	225
High Average	<i>Michael Schmidt</i>	227
High Single Scratch	<i>Romeo Bautista</i>	300
	<i>Blair Chaban</i>	300
	<i>Catlin Crandall</i>	300
	<i>Rich Hince</i>	300
	<i>Pete Lepage</i>	300
	<i>Paul McCarthy</i>	300
	<i>Ken Nichols</i>	300
	<i>Marshall Nykoluk</i>	300
	<i>Clement Perreault</i>	300
	<i>Wilfredo (Vhal) Santiago</i>	300
	<i>Michael Schmidt</i>	300
	<i>Robbie Scerbo</i>	300 x2
	<i>Claudio Silvani</i>	300
	<i>Don Sutherland</i>	300
	<i>Dan Sweeney</i>	300
	<i>Gord Tereck</i>	300 x2
High Series Scratch	<i>Michael Schmidt</i>	828

Pins Over Average

High Single	<i>Miguel Silva</i>	266 (+123)
High Series	<i>Bradley Kirton</i>	530 (+215)
Most Improved	<i>Cory Giesbrecht</i>	(+43)



2012

CANADIAN TENPIN FEDERATION NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

Mississauga, Ontario May 18–21, 2012

<i>Stephanie Adams</i>	* <i>Lynne Gauthier</i>
<i>Sean Coutts</i>	* <i>Mitch Hupé</i>
* <i>Brittany Crawford</i>	* <i>Michael Schmidt</i>
<i>Joseph Franchewski</i>	<i>Earl Sobotkiewicz</i>

Lucien Casagrande (Coach)

Ats Odaguchi (Coach)

* CTF National Team Qualifier

150 of the top bowlers in Canada – 96 men and 54 women – were vying for a place on the Adult and Youth

Lynne Gauthier, Winnipeg, Manitoba earned the adult silver medal.

Brittany Crawford and Mitch Hupé of Winnipeg, MB received the youth bronze medals.

Michael Schmidt was selected by CTF Committee to the adult team.



2012
50th TOURNAMENT OF AMERICAS
Fort Lauderdale, Florida
Mitch Hupé
Sherry Hobson
Randy Kostenuk
Lucien Casagrande (Coach)

SINGLES

Senior Women

Bronze **Sherry Hobson**

Senior Men

Bronze **Randy Kostenuk**

DOUBLES

Senior Women

Gold **Sherry Hobson / Debbie Uter**

Senior Men

Silver **Randy Kostenuk / Miles Nerona**

FRIENDSHIP DOUBLES

Women

Bronze **Natalia Rico - Colombia / Sherry Hobson – Canada**

ALL EVENTS

Senior Women

Bronze **Sherry Hobson Canada**

Senior Men

4th **Randy Kostenuk**



Ats Odaguchi (39 Years of Volunteer & Coaching Service) was recognized by the Manitoba Tenpin Federation for her dedication and contribution to our sport under **Sport Manitoba's "Long-Term Volunteer Service Awards."**

Also at the Annual Awards Brunch, the **Manitoba Bowling Association Provincial Performance Awards** were also presented (see pages 36 - 39).

In addition, the **Sport Manitoba "Order of Sport Excellence" Medallions** were awarded to our 2011-12 Provincial, National and International competitors (see pages 12 - 19).



Dan Tereck

BOWLING HALL OF FAME OF MANITOBA INDUCTEE

Dan Tereck was also inducted under both the *Individual Achievement & Meritorious Service* categories for his 30+ years of exceptional bowling at the local to International level and 10 Years of dedicated service to our sport from the League to National Level. During his many years of competitive bowling, Tereck was a member of the CTF National Team and captured several local & provincial tournaments, league awards and titles.

In a volunteer capacity, he served and continues to serve at all levels: coaching, leagues, the WTBA, MTBCA, MTF and CTF boards & many of numerous committees.

NATIONAL CLASSIFIED TOURNAMENT

Laverendrye Lanes, Winnipeg

May 26 & 27, 2012



(L-R) Melody Savage, Josée Rousseau, Stacey Derkson, Marlene Baptiste

WOMEN

Gold – Manitoba:	<i>Laverendrye Lanes</i>	754.93	82.5 pts.
Silver – British Columbia		713.86	60.5 pts.
Bronze – Northern Ontario		688.79	55 pts.

Melody and Josee won the high average in their division award. Manitoba last won in 2004 (Chateau team), 2000 (Chateau team), 1998 (Laverendrye team), 1991 (Chateau team) and 1988 (Dauphin team).

MEN

Gold – Saskatchewan		840.36	76 pts.
Silver – British Columbia		788.36	68 pts.
Bronze – Northern Ontario		759.21	53 pts.

Winnipeg Tenpin Bowling Association

HI-LO DOUBLES

CHATEAU LANES - October 28, 2012

Women's

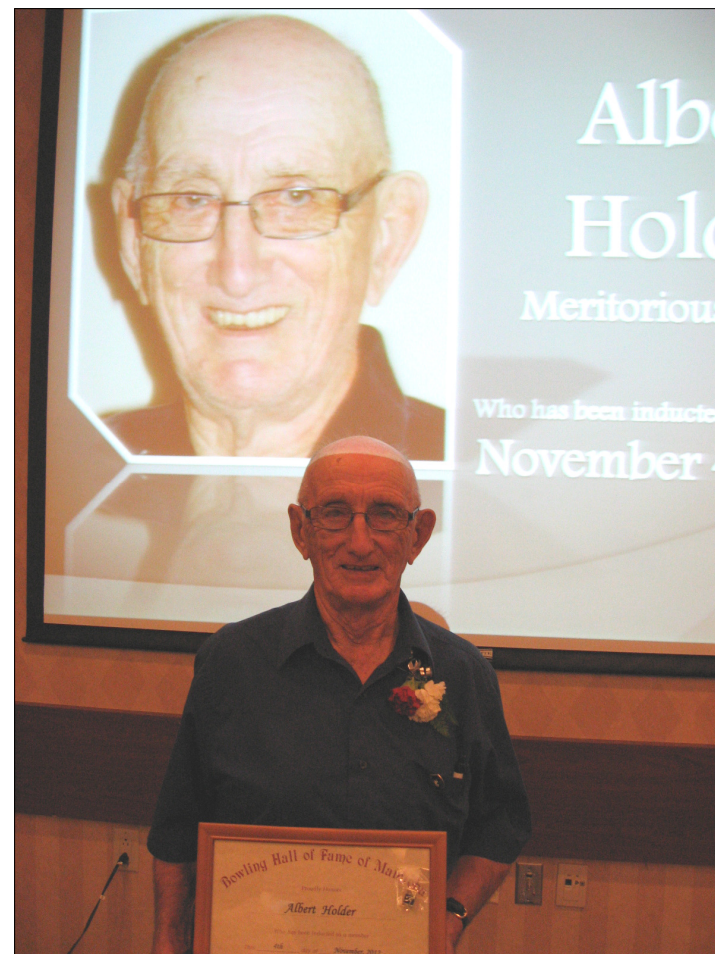
Handicap Series

		<u>Scr Score</u>	<u>Hcp</u>	<u>Hcp Score</u>	<u>\$ Amount</u>
1	Renard, Susan / Scott, Helena	844	543	1387	165.00
2	Kanik, Nadine / Hobson, Sherry	1000	372	1372	138.00
3	Reimer, Susan / Yamron, Elaine	989	372	1361	112.00
4	Tokar, Erin / Dubesky, Kathy	961	399	1360	98.00

Men's

Handicap Series

		<u>Scr Score</u>	<u>Hcp</u>	<u>Hcp Score</u>	<u>\$ Amount</u>
1	Boisclair, Richard/ Janzen, George	1213	252	1465	183.00
2	Graham, Robby/ Schmidt, Mike	1337	102	1439	154.00
3	Mazur, Yuri/ Kulczycki, Robert	977	402	1379	125.00
4	Makus, Ed/ Lenoski, Jim	1069	306	1375	110.00



Albert Holder

BOWLING HALL OF FAME OF MANITOBA INDUCTEE

Albert Holder long-time Brandon Tenpin Bowling Association was inducted under the *Meritorious Service* category for his continued & unwavering dedicated service on the BTBA Board from 1968-2004, assisting on countless committees & hundreds of tournaments, taking on various duties as needed to ensure the bowling needs of their members were served.

Holder began bowling in 1951 at the age of 19 (& *worked as a pin-setter until the 1960's*) and still continues to compete in leagues and tournaments today at age 80.



Iris Sobotkiewicz

BOWLING HALL OF FAME OF MANITOBA INDUCTEE

At the 25th Bowling Hall of Fame Manitoba Inductions, three worthy members of the Manitoba bowling community were honoured.

Iris Sobotkiewicz was inducted under both the *Individual Achievement & Meritorious Service* categories for her extensive bowling accomplishments over a span of 30 years from League to International competitions as a CTF National Team member & for her 20+ years of Volunteer & Coaching contributions towards the development of tenpin bowling in our province.

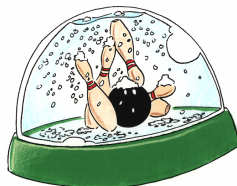
Winnipeg Tenpin Bowling Association TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS MIXED Bowl Below – November 24, 2012

		<u>Scr</u>	<u>Hcp</u>	<u>Hdcp Total</u>
1	Chaban, Blair	831	112	943
2	Hawrysh, David	928	12	940
3	Wight, Peter	734	192	926
4	Anderson, Jim	779	88	867
5	Sylvia, Ed	740	116	856
6	Dorge, David	846	8	854
7	Latham, Sheldon	686	164	850
8	Tereck, Gord	842	0	842
9	Chaban, Connie	582	252	834
10	Silvari, Claudio	808	24	832
11	Lemoine, Danielle	777	52	829
12	Sylvester, Rose	691	133	824
13	Watson, Kerrie	692	132	824
14	Pitsanuk, Tim	706	115	821
15	McCarthy, Paul	771	46	817



Manitoba Bowling Association & Winnipeg Tenpin Bowling Association Tournament Results

For all MBA & WTBA Tournament results go to
www.bowlingmanitoba.ca



8th Association Challenge - Brandon “Steals” Trophy -

On November 3, 2012, Winnipeg hosted the Brandon/Dauphin/Winnipeg Association Challenge at **Academy West Bowling Lanes**, Winnipeg’s newest sanctioned tenpin bowling lanes.

Early on, Brandon had warned Winnipeg that the trophy wasn’t staying in Winnipeg this year. They said they were going to take it home with them, even if they had to steal it!! And while they had had a snow storm the night before, Dauphin did make it in but they were short two bowlers, so Winnipeg loaned them a couple. And the challenge was on!!

After the first two games including handicap, Dauphin was leading Winnipeg by 44 pins (*did I mention we had loaned them 2 bowlers?*), and Brandon was another 603 pins behind that. But Brandon was determined and in game 3 they turned up the heat, bowling an outstanding team average of 207.25 for Team 1 and 208.25 for Team 2! Now they were only 322 pins out of first. But could they do it?

Game 4 saw Dauphin lose their lead to Winnipeg, and while Brandon was still trailing, they had now closed the gap to 125 pins out of first. In **Game 5**, Brandon Team 2 gave it their all, bowling an outstanding team average of 210.25!! But was it enough?? *Who Won ???*



2011-12 Youth Bowlers of the Year (L-R) Mitch Hupe & Danielle Lemoine

What didn’t these frequent recipients of the Youth Bowler of the Year Awards accomplish during the 2011-12 season:

In the Senior Division, both **Mitch Hupe & Danielle Lemoine** earned the MBA Provincial High Singles Titles with Perfect scores of 300; the Provincial High Average Titles with 225 & 205 respectively; both were members of both the Manitoba YBC and CYC Provincial Teams, capturing Gold medals in both these National Championships; both had 700 Series, Hupe-794 (Provincial High) & Lemoine 761 (*Adult Tournament*).

Lemoine was a member of the 2011 CTF National Youth Team, competing at the 2011 Tournament of Americas earning 3 Bronze Medals in the Mixed Doubles, Team & Team All-Events.

Hupe also competed on the CTF National Team at the 2011 T of A Tournament securing Silver Medals in the Singles & Mixed Doubles, in addition to a Bronze in the All-Events.

Lynne Gauthier & Michael Schmidt ADULT BOWLERS OF THE YEAR



The Manitoba Bowling Association Bowlers of the Year titles were awarded once again to **Lynne Gauthier & Michael Schmidt**, who have both captured this title for 9 years running. Gauthier has also won this award for her performance in the 1999-2000 season.

In 2011-12, Gauthier & Schmidt had another achievement laden season, competing & excelling in local to international competitions. Schmidt has secured this title every year since joining the adult circuit 9 years ago. Congratulations to both bowlers on another spectacular year!

BRANDON TEAM 1 - 3956

Deb Burkart
Len Howell
Kevin Hingey
Jonathan Moorehead

BRANDON TEAM 2 - 4036

Kim Karlicki
Bob Freeman
Rudy Von Hertzberg
Wally Matskiw

BRANDON Total Points 7992

WINNIPEG TEAM 1 - 3898

Pam Buote
Wanda Howard
Peter Wight
Catlin Crandall

WINNIPEG TEAM 2 - 3941

Geri Wrzykowski
Lynda Seewald
Jason Kuboth
Ron Molinski

WINNIPEG Total Points 7839

DAUPHIN TEAM 1 - 3834

Dion Yerama
Angela Kukurudz
Jack Kukurudz
Dan Tereck

DAUPHIN TEAM 2 - 3840

Jay Doe
Jody Scott
Doug White
Ian Scott

DAUPHIN Total Points 7674

First the ***Gutter Ball Guru Award*** was presented to **Jay Doe** (Winnipeg), who had quickly stepped in to help Dauphin fill their team.

The ***Spare Change Award*** was presented to **Ian Scott** (Dauphin), for having the most spares – 27 overall.

The ***Strike It Rich Award*** was presented to **Wally Matskiw** (Brandon) for what else but having the most strikes – 33 overall.

And then the moment that everyone had been waiting for. The Association Challenge winner was announced. With a grand total of **7992, Brandon** was told they didn't have to steal the trophy; they had rightfully won it!

Winnipeg ended up with **7839** and **Dauphin 7674**. And when I say rightfully won it, they really did. Scratch, Brandon bowled more than 1000 pins more than Winnipeg and just under 1500 pins more than Dauphin. I must say, Brandon has some pretty impressive bowlers – well done!!.

Thanks to **Ron and Peter** for making announcements (since my throat was a little sore); **Pat and Pam** for donating prizes; **Dan and Jay** for making up the shortage on the Dauphin line-up; **Al Crandall** for being on standby if one of the bowlers wasn't able to bowl; and of course, to all of the bowlers who showed up and had a great time.

***A huge “thank you” to Todd Britton and his staff
at Academy West Bowling Lanes.***

They did a superb job of handling their first tenpin bowling tournament in their newly sanctioned lanes. Comments from all the Associations were very positive and I know that Winnipeg looks forward to holding other tournaments there

Winnipeg is already looking forward to next year's Association Challenge which will be hosted by Brandon. *And yes Brandon, be forewarned - Winnipeg will be taking the trophy back home!!*

***CONGRATULATIONS TO THE
BRANDON ASSOCIATION CONTINGENT !***



Darren Naylor 2011 MTF Volunteer of the Year

Darren Naylor was recognized as the 2011 MTF Volunteer of the Year for his many contributions and dedicated service to our bowling community throughout the 2010-11 season. Naylor is the President of the Manitoba Bowling Association, Director on the Manitoba Tenpin Bowling Coaches Association and is a Director on the Manitoba Tenpin Federation.

Naylor coaches at the La Verendrye Youth League, has conducted many training camps, youth training Programs and assisted in the hosting of several tournaments. His devoted efforts contributed greatly to the enjoyment and development of our bowlers.

Thank You Darren!



2012 Annual Awards Brunch

The 43rd Annual Awards Brunch was held at the Club Regent Casino Hotel on November 4th, 2012. Over 135 members of Manitoba's bowling community were in attendance to take in this enjoyable afternoon of celebration.



Lynda Seewald 2011 MTBCA Coach of the Year

Manitoba Tenpin Bowling Coaches Association selected **Lynda Seewald** as their 2011 *Coach of the Year* for her coaching service at the League, Provincial & International level, her dedication to the LaVerendrye youth program & implementation of youth training camps during the 2010-11 season. Seewald also served as a National Coach on Canada's Special Olympic Contingent to the World Championships in Greece, bringing home many medals.

In addition, Seewald is Vice-President of the MTBCA.



\$500

In PRO SHOP PRIZES

The Manitoba Tenpin Federation, in conjunction with the Manitoba Bowling Association and Winnipeg Tenpin Bowling Association is offering an appreciation program for bingo volunteers. For each bingo event our volunteers participate in during a 12 month period; they will be entered into a draw to win 1 of 3 Pro-Shop Gift Certificates:

1st	\$250.00
2nd	\$150.00
3rd	\$100.00

The prize draw will take place at the Annual WTBA President/Secretary meeting each August. Volunteers may only win one prize per season. The certificate will be honoured at any Manitoba Tenpin Bowling Pro-Shop of the winners' choice.

Anyone wishing to volunteer for these bingo fundraising events and be entered to win the above prizes should contact:

**Elaine Yamron at 955-6816
or Ken Burns at 925-5705**

Thank you for your support. Through your volunteer efforts, you are helping to ensure the continued growth and development of Tenpin Bowling in Manitoba.