

DELTA 500 CLUB

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Our Club Is Its Members



NEWSLETTER

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HELP

Well, I guess the saying "better late than never" is true in my case (at least I hope it is). I'm not even going to make any excuses (I have plenty of them), because none of them are really important to any of you. Throughout the past month I have gathered information for the newsletter, only waiting for other information to complete it and send it out. By the time this information is received other information is either expired or new has also developed making further changes necessary prior to sending out the newsletter. Currently I am sending this newsletter out without having some important news that needed to be included. So the best way I can get this information to you faster is asking for your HELP.

One of my goals of putting together this newsletter each month is to keep our members and our bowling community informed of what's happening. Quite often this means I need your help, if someone bowls a great score (any league or tournament) I need to know about it ASAP. If someone would give me some input of what they would like to see in print, what type of events they would like to see happening, all this would be helpful.

If you go to a tournament and receive a results sheet, please be sure I get a me a copy. (If I do not place in a tournament, especially ones I don't even bowl, I do NOT get a copy). What happens quite often, is that I know that a tournament was bowled, even know that one of our members participated in it, but never receive any results. I have to contact that organization and try to get copies and this takes awhile. If you see other tournament entry forms, (outside our two Stockton bowling centers), please pick up a copy for us (I will make additional copies).

Earlier I mentioned "our bowling community" - - that's the way we should treat it. All BOWLERS & BOWLING CENTERS should be treated as such. We are seeking the same goal, - - to increase interest in the recreation of bowling. It shouldn't matter which CENTER the event takes place in, WHO the activity is tailored for or what ORGANIZATION it benefits. The one thing that matters is that we are involved in promoting a healthier, happier environment for OUR RECREATION. Let's ALL work together to make our "community" a more pleasant place. A place we can be proud of and can boast about!

It seems to me that if the ENERGY that is put into the "competition" between the organizations was put into PROMOTION of the sport of bowling, it would have a much better results for everyone. My request to our Delta 500 Club Members is to HELP promote our sport. This can be done by just talking to our fellow bowlers about upcoming tournaments and membership meetings, making sure that we get the required information regarding tournaments and events that may help our "bowling community". I can't be everywhere, I do need your help. If you are working on a project, please keep me informed (this information is very helpful). C'mon everybody - - COOPERATE, PROMOTE, and increase the tournament participation in our "BOWLING COMMUNITY".

With this said, I want to thank everyone for their continued support and I will continue to keep you, the bowlers, informed on what's going on in our community. Therefore I have attached a letter, which was to be read at the Stockton USBC WBA Open Membership meeting on October 22, 2006.

To The Member of The Stockton Women's Bowling Association

From: Trudy Trovinger

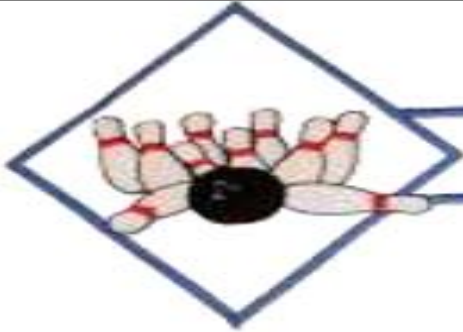
Dear Ladies

I am unable to be with you today because of another commitment I had made many months ago. However, I did want to make sure to thank all of you for selecting me, at the last open meeting, to be one of your delegates at the National Convention in Tennessee next March.

Sadly, I've been notified by the Board that the Stockton USBC WBA does not have enough money in their budget to send two delegates to the convention. Even though I will not be a delegate at this convention, it would be my pleasure to represent you at any future conventions.

Thanks again for your vote of trust and confidence by having selected me even though I won't be there in Tennessee representing you.

TRUDY TROVINGER



Tournament News

CONGRADUALATIONS



Camellia City 500 Club

On September 9th & 10th the Camellia City 500 Club hosted a Special No-Tap Singles/Doubles Tournament in Reno at the new Grand Sierra Resort (formally the Reno Hilton). There were 17 Delta 500 Members present at these tournaments.

In the Singles event, Denise Stenger & Carolyn Carlson placed in "A" Division, and Wanda Johnson & Debbie Taylor placed in "B" Division. In the Doubles event, Sharon Waugh & Denise Stenger placed in "B" division, and Pat Keyes & Dawna Speers placed in "C" division.

Modesto 500 Club

On Sunday, September 17, 2006 the Modesto 500 Club held their Invitational Tournament at McHenry Bowl. Trudy Trovinger placed in the "A" division of this tournament.

Delta 500 Club 36th Annual Fall Singles Championship Tournament

This year we only had 24 participants for our 36th Annual Fall Singles Championship Tournament.

The Winners were:

1. Sue Waite
2. Linda Black
3. Debbie Taylor
4. Mary Chiccone

Intercity 500 Club

On the weekend of, October 21st & 22nd 2006 the Intercity 500 Club held their Invitational Tournament at Sierra Lanes in Reno. Trudy Trovinger placed 2nd in the "Classic" division and Kathy LaFever placed 4th in "B" Division of this tournament.

Many other tournaments were held during August, September and October, however I have received no results from them as of yet.

BVL Veterans Tournament

Our next event is our BVL Tournament, scheduled for November 12th and is open to all bowlers with a current adult USBC card. Please bring your family and ANY friends that are certified adult bowlers. This tournament helps raise money for the Veteran Hospitals. This tournament is worth 25 Awards points to any Delta member that participates.

Delta 500 Club Annual No-Tap Invitational Saturday January 27, 2007

The Delta 500 Club's Annual No-Tap Invitational tournament will be on Saturday, January 27 at West Lane Bowl this coming year. **It will be worth 35 Delta 500 Club Award Points for the Tournament and up to 40 Points for bringing food items for the buffet.**

Delta Uniforms Are Required

Camellia City 500 Club

CAMELLIA CITY 500 Club
RENO 2007 Sept 8 and 9

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THE 2007 2 DAY TOURNAMENT WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE NATIONAL BOWLING STADIUM IN RENO, DATES 8th AND 9th OF SEPTEMBER. WE ALREADY HAVE THE CONTRACTS FOR BOTH THE STADIUM FOR THE NEXT 3 YEARS, ALSO HAVE CONTRACTS FROM CIRCUS CIRCUS ALSO FOR THE NEXT 3 YEARS.

CIRCUS CIRCUS WILL BLOCK OFF 175 ROOMS FOR THE BOWLERS AT A RATE OF \$79.00 PER ROOM PER NIGHT. MORE INFORMATION ON ROOM RESERVATIONS AND HOW SOON RESERVATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.

THE CAMELLIA EXECUTIVE BOARD HAVE DECIDED TO HAVE THE DOUBLES EVENT ON SATURDAY AND DO THE SINGLES EVENT ON SUNDAY. I THINK THAT WILL MAKE EVERYBODY HAPPY.

NEEDLESS TO SAY, CAMELLIA CITY 500 CLUB IS VERY EXCITED ABOUT THE 2007 TOURNAMENT, WE HOPE YOU ARE TOO!

Marilyn

Club News

"Something for Everyone"

This year we hope to start a few more programs or tournaments that will make our members want to become more active in their club. We have listened to our member's suggestions and have added some new and revised some old tournaments for the upcoming year. Please look at the 2007 Calendar of Events for these tournaments. At some of our tournaments there will be brackets available for those who are interested. Our goal is to have "Something for Everyone". The 2007 Calendar of Events will be added and any updates will be updated on website. We have added special information and entry form holders at both bowling centers. The special file holders are located on the counter of each service desk at both bowling centers. If anyone has any suggestions on what would interest them, or one of their friends, to be more active; please leave us a note in one of the correspondence boxes located behind the service desks at both bowling center.



CLUB DUES

The membership dues are now **\$10.00 per year**. This year when you pay your dues, please complete the new [Membership Renewal Form](#) also. This form is attached with this Newsletter. If you need another copy, please see our website or contact Trudy Trovinger at 334-1632. **Submit your dues and the form together. If you are not actively bowling in a local USBC certified league, you must also supply a copy of either a current USBC card or a receipt for purchasing a USBC card.** 5 Delta Awards points are awarded to each member who completes the required information and pays their dues. **Your dues can be paid at any time between now and January 31, 2006** without any fines for late payment, however you cannot participate in the January Invitational if dues are not paid.

New Members for 2007

Luisa Bermudez
Renee Salemme

Welcome Abroad!

Last year we had 21 new members,
let's help keep our growing.

By-Law Revisions

Several of the Rules and Regulations of the Delta 500 Club, (by-laws), have been changed. The major revisions that were made were to change the word "Women's" to "Adult" in Article IV, (meaning that any woman can join our club and they only need to have a Adult USBC card, not a women's card), added a new section under Membership & Dues, titled "Bad Check Fees," added "with collar" to Article VIII - Uniforms (Dress Code), and to clarify the rules regarding the rotating of tournaments & Open Membership Meetings.

The Delta 500 Club is Making History

The Delta 500 Club is trying to gather information together for our "Historical Archives". We have collected a lot of information already but need the help of others. Perhaps someone has pictures, news clips, names and the 500 club membership #'s of past members. We can make copies and return them to you, if you wish. Please do not assume that we already have the information, any information anyone can give us is greatly appreciated. Anyone having information please contact Linda Black at lmblack@clearwire.net, MaryAnne Quilon at kingsgirl04@sbcglobal.net, or Trudy Trovinger at Trudy@Delta500Club.com or 209-334-1632.

THANKS!

Birthdays for October

Joann Boyd
Samantha Dobretz
Emelie Edell
Esther Meyer
Leona Scotten
Dawna Speers
Toni Stone
Debbie Taylor
Lydia Vasquez



Happy Birthday!

Birthdays for November

Barbara Begnaud
Lydia Cooper
Kara Gomez
Lynette Izaacson
Connie Parsons
Jaye Root
Nancy Salon
Lana Scott
Sharon Waugh



Happy Birthday!



Holiday Food and Gift Baskets

The Delta 500 club is asking for your help and support in preparing Christmas Baskets. These baskets provide the fixings for a nice holiday meal and a few gifts for a less fortunate family. We should be receiving the families' information in the middle of November. Once we know this information, we will keep you informed on such things as the genders and ages of the children in the family.

We are asking for donations of canned goods, cash and other items from the family's wish list, when supplied. Even small donations are important and are appreciated by the family that receives them. All cash donations will be spent on food and presents for the family for Christmas. Please help in any way you can.

For more information on this project, please contact Trudy Flaig at 474-0855.

The Delta 500 Club - Board of Directors

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Delta's Board meetings are normally held on the first Thursday of each month, at 7:00 p.m. at West Lane Bowl. They usually last about 1 to 1-½ hours. Any Delta 500 Member, or anyone else who wants to help the Delta 500 Club as a volunteer, is welcome to attend. Please attend any of our meetings or leave a message in the correspondence boxes if you want to voice your opinion on any matters concerning the Delta 500 Club.

Special Announcement

WE WANT YOUR FAMOUS BUFFET RECIPES

It has been suggested that we make up a recipe book. This recipe book would contain the famous recipes used by our members to create their favorite dishes that have been prepared for our invitational buffets. We can include your name or leave it anonymous, whichever you prefer.

Calendar of Events* - Mark you calendar for these events. (*Subject to Change)

If you are interested in attending any of these events, and need more information, please contact Trudy Trovinger at 334-1632, 368-1526, 327-7014 or Trudy@Delta500Club.com.

Important News Update

There are now special Delta Information and Entry Form holders located at both bowling centers. These file holders hopefully will make it easier for those members, who wish to participate in club activities to find the proper paper work that may be required. Entry forms for most of the tournaments listed are located in these holders.

Saturday – Nov. 11, 2006

San Jose 500 Club

Memorial Tournament

Certified Singles – 3 Games

Worth 25 Delta 500 Club Award Points

to the Delta 500 Club Member Only

Open to Any Bowler with a current USBC Card

Handicap is 90% of 200
Squad Time – 1:00 pm
Entry Fee - \$20.00
Entries Close: 11/7/2006

Sunday – Nov 12, 2006

Delta 500 Club – Pacific Avenue

BVL Tournament

Worth 35 Delta 500 Club Award Points

Mixed No-Tap (BVL)

Singles – WBA & BA

Separate Men's and Women's Divisions.

No-Tap Singles

Club Uniforms **NOT** Required

Handicap: 80% of 220

Squad Time: 2:00 p.m.

Entry Fee: \$15.00

Walk-Ins - subject to availability

November 18, 2006

Petaluma 500 Club

Invitational Tournament

No-Tap Singles

Worth 25 Delta 500 Club Award Points

Handicap: 90% of 200

Squad Time: 1:00 p.m.

Entry Fee: \$18.00

Guest Lunch: \$5.00

Paid In Advance

Entries Close: Nov. 14th

Oct. 28th through Feb. 4th

Livermore Valley Tournament

The Granada 500 Club has requested that we put together teams & participate in this event as part of the December Challenge.

More Information - Email
TomCrane@gobowling.com

December , 2006

Golden Gate Ladies 500 Club

Invitational Tournament

Worth 25 Delta 500 Club Award Points

Handicap is 90% of 200

Squad Time – 1:00 pm

Entry Fee - \$20.00

Entries Close: 11/7/2006

More Information Soon

Sunday – January 2006

Stockton USBC WBA

Bowler's Sharing Love Tourn.

Worth 20 Delta 500 Club Award Points

More Information Later

January 27 & 28, 2007

Stockton USBC BA

Master's Tournament

Worth 20 Delta 500 Club Award Points

More Information Later

Saturday – January 27, 2007

Delta 500 Club –

West Lane Bowl

No-Tap Singles

Worth 35 Delta 500 Club Award Points
for the Tournament and up to 40 Points
for bringing food items.

Handicap: 90% of 200

Squad Time: 1:00 p.m.

Entry Fee: \$18.00

Buffet included with entry

Guest Lunch: \$5.00

Entries Close: Nov. 14th

Delta Uniforms Required

Entries Close – Jan 25, 2007

More Information Soon

Sunday - January 28, 2007

Diablo 500 Club

Worth 25 Delta 500 Club Award Points

Handicap is 90% of 200

Squad Time – 1:00 pm

Entry Fee - \$20.00

Entries Close: 11/7/2006

More Information Later

Sunday, February 4, 2006

Marin County 500 Club

Super Bowl Invitational

Alibi - 4 games no-tap, keep best 3

Worth 25 Delta 500 Club Award Points

Handicap is 90% of 200

Squad Time – 1:00 pm

Entry Fee - \$20.00

Entries Close: 11/7/2006

More Information Soon

Calendar of Delta's 2007 Tournaments on Back

TURN IN COPIES OF YOUR RECAPS for any tournament that you bowl.
These can put in the correspondence boxes at either bowling center.