



# Mark's Merry Men win **Christmas Team tournament!**

We had a record 29 teams this year in the Christmas Team tournament at Cowtown Bowling Palace. The top 5 teams made the Baker stairstep final. In the first match the Stocking Stuffers (Stephen Adams, Bill Ferguson, Jerry Eddy, Bruce Meadors, Butch Cormier) defeated the Bah Humbugs (Denver Neely, Bert Morrison, Rodney Black, Brian Linderman, Thomas Gwin) 209-168. In the second match the Humbugs lost to the Slithering Snowflakes (Ron Boroff, Walter Mangan, Mark Driggers, Dave Lile, Pete Thomas) 214-170. The Slithering Snowflakes

won again in the third match beating the Chubby Cherubs (216-204). In the final match the tournament leaders Mark's Merry Men (Mark Busscher, Mel Goss, Ray Graham. Lee Mamone, Billy Hutchinson) defeated the Slithering Snowflakes 214-203 with Billy getting a clutch double in the 10th frame. It was Marks's 11th SASBA title, the 3rd for Billy and the 1st for Ray, Lee and Mel). Congrats guys!!!

Thank you to Mike Velasco and staff for hosting!

Congratulations to Mike McHugh for being inducted into the SASBA Hall of Fame. The Bowlers of the Year were Butch Cormier (50), Pete Thomas (60 and Rick Minier (70). Rookie of the Year was Steven Hauk. Sportsmanship award went to Brandon Moore. Mike Lynch earned a Million Pins award. The Presidents award went to Fours Seasons Bowl in Alexandria.

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**Tournament Directors: Jerry Beavers** 

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Bobby Holley, John Pangburn and John Austin, Jr had the only 300s. Jim Ensminger left the lily. All 29 teams cashed.

**Notes** 

Storm, RotoGrip and 900 Global give us gift certificates for balls to raffle off each year. We want to thank them for their continued support of SAS-BA!



Friday **Sweeper Results** 

- 1. Pete Thomas 528
- 2 **Rick Minier** 503 500
- 3. Brent Durov
- 4. Phil Kepner 491 5. Johnny Atkinson 483

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JANUARY 6-7, 2024 70/60/50/50 Foursome

JBS ALLEN BOWL 1011 S. GREENVILLE AVE ALLEN, TX 75002 PH: 972-727-9108 HOSTED BY: STACY STARRY \$2250 ADDED MONEY ENTRY FEE: \$800/TEAM NAME SHIRTS REQUIRED FRIDAY 2 GAME SWEEPERS \$20 TIMES: EVERY HOUR STARTING AT NOON LAST SWEEPER AT 4 PM

Meeting at 9:00 AM 5 team games starting at 10 Sunday—5 team games starting at 8:45

HOST HOTEL

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JANUARY 20-21, 2024 60/50/guest trio

ALL STAR LANES 9130 MANFIELD RD SHREVEPORT, LA 71118 PH: 318-687-3676 HOSTED BY: MIKE THOMAS \$2250 ADDED MONEY ENTRY FEE \$600/TEAM NAME SHIRTS REQUIRED FRIDAY 2 GAME SWEEPERS \$20 TIMES: EVERY HOUR STARTING AT NOON PM LAST SWEEPER AT 4 PM

MEETING AT 9:00 Everyone bowls 6 games starting at 9:45 Sunday 6 games starting at 8:45

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Note: Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from the SASBA Board and Staff!





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# 2024 SASBA SCHEDULE

(Subject to change)

\*denotes changes or corrections

DATE	CENTER	CITY	ТҮРЕ
Jan 6-7, 2024	JB's Allen Bowl	Allen, TX	70/60/50/50 Foursome
Jan 20-21, 2024	All Star Lanes	Shreveport, LA	60/50/Guest Trio
Feb 3-4, 2024	Hilltop Lanes	Waxahachie, TX	Modified Singles
Feb 17-18, 2024	Rowlett Bowl-A-Rama	Rowlett, TX	70/60/50/guest
Mar 2-3, 2024	Lions Lanes	Ennis, TX	Non champ singles
Mar 9-10, 2024	Four Seasons Bowl	Alexandria, LA	60/50/50/guest
Mar 16-17, 2024	Planet Bowl	Midwest City, OK	Member/Guest doubles
Mar 30-31, 2024	Cowtown Bowling Palace	Fort Worth, TX	70/60/50/Guest foursome
April 6-7, 2024	Emerald Bowl	Houston, TX	Age Bracket
April 20-21, 2024	Plano Super Bowl	Plano, TX	Masters
April 27-28, 2024	Holiday Lanes	OKC, OK	Member/Guest doubles
May 4-5, 2024	Lions Lanes	Ennis, TX	Super Senior Singles
May 25-26, 2024	Armadilla !	Pasadena, TX	Member/Guest doubles
June 15-16, 2024	Oil Bowl	Longview, TX	Memer/Guest Doubles
June 22-23, 2024	Forum Bowl	Grand Prairie, TX	70/60/50/Lady Foursome
July 4-7, 2024	Plano Super Bowl	Plano, TX	Firecracker
July 13-14, 2024	Holiday Lanes	OKC	60/50/Guest trio
July 20-21, 2024	Cityview Lanes	Fort Worth	Age Bracket
August 3-4, 2024	Firelake Bowl	Shawnee, OK	M/G Doubles
August 10-11, 2024	Terrell Bowling Center	Terrell, TX	Modified Singles



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