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Pete Thomas bests Jerry Beavers and Gordon Stuntz for Age Bracket Title!

In the first Age Bracket Tourney held in Shreveport, LA. Pete Thomas qualified first in the 50-59 age group to receive a bye. then defeated Delery Matherne and Joe Lecroy to survive the 50-59 division. Jerry also earned a bye, then defeated Leo Markwardt and Fred Barnes to win the 70 & over division. Gordon Stuntz qualified 6th, then defeated General Whitfield, John Shuffler, Rick Minier and Randy Summers to reach the title match. In the final game, Pete got lined up early and shot 279

to lock it up. Jerry had 225 to Gordon's 190 to grab the 2^{nd} spot.

Thanks to Mike and Josephine Thomas for hosting this tournament. Also, a big shout-out to the Horseshoe Hotel and Casino for sponsoring this event. They put \$2500 in the prize fund.

The scoring was high in qualifying, especially in the 50-59 group. Joe Lecroy, Bob Troutt, Mark Busscher, Rick Cheshier all had 300 games. In the finals, the 60 yr olds shot big. As always, the

matches are thrilling to watch. The 2nd game often produces a complete turnaround of the first game. Almost every match seems to come down to the last few frames.

Our next tournament is a member/ guest doubles at Armadilla I in Pasadena, TX this coming weekend. The following week is the Regular Trio at Cityview in Fort Worth, TX. Then, the next weekend is a regular singles at Tomball Bowl in Tomball, TX.



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Jim's Notes

General threw it great! Lance is still smiling! Neptune finished strong and barely missed! Toby Yeager traveled the farthest...and won the Sunday Sweeper. Ronnie and Pickett almost made it. There were Sonny Haynes and Robert Gibbs sightings. Boshers is getting married and she is a winner!

Jims Tips: More on grips. If you're still using the same grip you have for years, you might want to get it checked. Seniors who are still using reverse pitch on their thumbholes have more trouble repeating releases and using minimal grip pressure than those who have converted to forward pitches. The span is important as well and your span will change over the years as you age. Do yourself a favor and get it

checked by a competent pro shop operator.



Friday **Sweeper Results**

- Dale Eagle 510
- Charlie Hufford 502 3. Randy Summers 489
- 4. **Pete Thomas** 483
- - **Mark Cozart**

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MAY 24-25, 2014

MEMBER/GUEST DOUBLES

ARMADILLA I
3210 PRESTON AVE
PASADENA, TX 77505
PH: 713-941-2343

HOSTED BY: RANDY RAY

\$2250 ADDED MONEY ENTRY FEE: \$380/TEAM

NAME SHIRTS REQUIRED

FRIDAY 2 GAME SWEEPERS \$20

TIMES: EVERY HOUR STARTING @ 12 NOON

LAST SWEEPER @ 5PM

MEETING AT 8:00 AM

"A" SQUAD BOWLS AT 8:45 AM

"B" SQUAD BOWLS AFTER REOILING

HOST HOTEL

LA QUINTA INN & SUITES

3490 E. SAM HOUSTON PKWY S.

PASADENA, TX 77505

PH: 281-991-7771

\$82 FLAT (SASBA)

MAY 31-JUNE 1, 2014

REGULAR TRIO

CITYVIEW LANES
6601 OAKMONT BLVD
FORT WORTH, TX 76132
Ph: 817-346-0444

HOSTED BY:

\$2250 ADDED MONEY ENTRY FEE: \$570/TEAM

NAME SHIRTS REQUIRED

FRIDAY 2 GAME SWEEPERS \$20

TIMES: EVERY HOUR STARTING @ 12 NOON

LAST SWEEPER @ 5PM

MEETING AT 10:00 AM
6 GAMES STARTING AT 10:45 AM SATURDAY
6 GAMES STARTING AT 8:45 AM SUNDAY

HOST HOTEL

WATCH WEBSITE FOR HOST HOTEL INFO

Notes: The next tournament is a Member/Guest Doubles in Pasadena, TX. Then we have the Regular Trio at Cityview. The following week is a Regular Singles at the newly renovated Tomball Bowl in Tomball, TX. There has been a change to the schedule—the Foursome at Plano and the Singles at Del-Mar in November have switched.

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2014 SASBA SCHEDULE

(Subject to change)

*denotes changes or corrections

<u>DATE</u>	CENTER	CITY	TYPE
May 24-25, 2014	Armadilla I	Pasadena, TX	Member/Guest Doubles
May 31-June 1	Cityview	Fort Worth,, TX	Regular Trio
June 7-8, 2014	Tomball Bowl	Tomball, TX	Regular Singles
June 28-29, 2014	Brunswick Westcreek	Fort Worth, TX	Non-Champs
July 4-6, 2014	Plano Super Bowl	Plano, TX	Firecracker
July 19-20, 2014	Cityview	Fort Worth, TX	67/60/50 Trio
July 26-27, 2014	Copperfield	Houston, TX	Member/Guest Doubles
August 2-3, 2014	Firelake Bowl	Shawnee, OK	Regular Singles
August 16-17, 2014	Armadilla I	Pasadena, TX	Regular Singles
August 23-24, 2014	Cowtown Bowling Palace	Fort Worth, TX	70/60/50/Guest Foursome
August 30-31, 2014	University Lanes	Denton, TX	Super Senior Singles
September 13-14, 2014	Tangi Lanes	Hammond, LA	Member/Guest Doubles
September 20-21, 2014	Plano Super Bowl	Plano, TX	2 in 1 Singles
September 27-28, 2014	Brunswick Thousand Oaks	San Antonio, TX	67/50/Guest trio
October 4-5, 2014	Cowtown Bowling Palace	Fort Worth, TX	70/60 Doubles
October 18-19, 2014	Plano Super Bowl	Plano, TX	Member/Ladies JDRF Doubles
October 25-26, 2014	Cityview	Fort Worth, TX	Annual Championship
November 1-2, 2014	Plano Super Bowl	Plano, TX	Mixed Foursome
November 8-9, 2014	Del-Mar Lanes	Houston, TX	Regular Singles
November 22-23, 2014	Cowtown Bowling Palace	Fort Worth, TX	60/50/Guest trio
December 6-7, 2014	All Star Lanes	Shreveport, LA	Member/Guest Doubles
December 13-14, 2014	Cowtown Bowling Palace	Fort Worth, TX	Annual Christmas Team

