



IN THE DITCH



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BILL FILLMAN WINS 1ST SASBA TITLE!

Bill Fillman, bowling in his first tournament as a Super Senior, hung around the lead all weekend, then turned it on the last few games and edged Bill Poff to win his 1st SASBA title. Congratulations Bill. Entering the position round, Poff held a 42 pin lead and Gary Dickinson was another 30 back. Poff started with a 4-bagger, while Fillman fanned a 10 pin in the 1st, then strung the next 7. Poff split in the 6th and Fillman split in the 9th. Gary started spare, 8 bagger. With 1 frames to go, any of 3 bowlers could still win. Gary hung a 10 pin and Bill needed the 1st two in the 10th to nail down the victory. Bam! Bam! 20 in the pit and Mr. Fillman joins the elite group of SASBA winners.

Thanks to Gary Bullington for being great hosts. They just took over the bowling center last year and want to have us back again next year.

Newcomers Charles Buchert and George Hennessee made the finals in their first tournament. Congrats to Harold Hood

for winning “Dog of the Week” with a nice 140 game. Leon drove. Sam and Zapp had a date. It was good to see Drummond, Bill Holt, Payton Reddick, Doyle Burroughs, Soupy, George Barnes and Jerry Harris back bowling SASBA again after long absences.

Our next tournament is in Monticello, AR at Phil and Vicki Thompson’s Timber Lodge Lanes. After that, we go to Bowling Green, KY to Southern Lanes.

NEW! NEW! NEW!

We started a new event for 2007...**The Ultimate Sweeper**. The top 5 scores from the Friday sweepers will automatically qualify for the finals on Saturday morning of the Annual Team Championship in Monticello, AR. \$1 from each sweeper entry will go into the Ultimate Sweeper Finals. Qualifiers will be posted at each tournament. Ex: If you win the sweeper and are already qualified, we’ll take the next highest score that hasn’t qualified...and so on.

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Sweeper Winners

- 1 Pat Currie 545
- 2 DeWayne Thompson 495
- 3 DeWayne Thompson 484
- 4 Jerry Swank 476
- 5 Jerry Swank 474
- 6 Rick Timmons 466
- David Zappitelli 466
(second 5 Ultimate Sweeper Qualifiers)

NOTE:

2007 Dues are Due!!

BUSINESS MEETING SATURDAY - 8:30 AM

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March 3-4, 2007

**TimberLodge Lanes
267 Highway 425 N
Monticello, AR 71655
ph: 870-367-5393**

Regular Singles \$2000 added

Dress Code: No jeans, no hats

**PRO-AM Friday night
6:00—Junior 8:00— Adult**

Sweepers Friday: 12-1-2-3-4-5

Hosted by: Phil & Vicki Thompson

HOST HOTEL

**Super 8 Motel
306 Hwy 425 N
Monticello, AR 71655
ph: 870-367-6271**

Single -\$53.99 Double -\$58.00

March 24-25

**Southern Lanes
2710 Scottsville Rd.
Bowling Green, Ky 42104
Ph: 270-843-8741**

Regular Singles \$2000 added

Sweepers Friday: 12-1-2-3-4-5

Hosted by: Karen & John Litten

HOST HOTEL

Watch Website for details

Tournament Entry Form

ENTRY FEE—\$160

MAIL ENTRIES TO: JIM KING, 2321 E. Common St. Apt #200, NEW BRAUNFELS, TX 78130 (PHONE 1-800-682-2198)

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FINAL STANDINGS - Midland Bowl - Ft. Smith, AR February 3-4, 2007

<u>BOWLER</u>	<u>HOMETOWN</u>	<u>Earnings</u>	<u>P/M</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>
1. BILL FILLMAN (SS)	MUSKOGEE, OK	\$1,000.00	593	5.5	2.5
2. BILL POFF (SS)	NASHVILLE, TN	\$750.00	588	6	2
3. GARY DICKINSON (SS)	EDMOND, OK	\$600.00	576	4	4
4. CHARLES BUCHERT	WYNNE, AR	\$500.00	528	4	4
5. RICK TIMMONS	TULSA, OK	\$450.00	524	5	3
6. GARY PFEIL	DALLAS, TX	\$400.00	598	5	3
JERRY SWANK	TULSA, OK	\$375.00	573	4	4
8. SHANNON STARNES	FT. WORTH, TX	\$350.00	546	3	5
9. DAVID ZAPPITELLI	PLANO, TX	\$325.00	530	4.5	3.5
10. PAYTON REDDICK	NORMAN, OK	\$300.00	528	5	3
11. SAM HOWELL (SS)	MEMPHIS, TN	\$275.00	517	5	3
12. CHARLIE HUFFORD (SS)	OXFORD, MS	\$255.00	485	4	4
13. DEWAYNE THOMPSON (SS)	FT. SMITH, AR	\$240.00	401	3	5
14. CRAIG SLOCUM	KANSAS CITY, MO	\$225.00	367	3	5
15. PHIL THOMPSON	MONTICELLO, AR	\$210.00	334	2	6
16. GEORGE HENNESSEE	FT. SMITH, AR	\$200.00	313	1	7
<u>OTHER CASHERS</u>					
17. DAVE PERSON	TULSA, OK	\$175.00	228		
<u>HI SUNDAY BLOCK</u>					
STEVE BIGGERS	FT. SMITH, AR	\$120.00	931		
<u>HI SUPER SENIOR - NON CASH</u>					
JERRY HARRIS	ENID, OK	\$160.00	174		
BILL HOLT	MUSKOGEE, OK	\$160.00	164		
ROGER WEST	BRENTWOOD, TN	\$160.00	160		
DAVE SOUTAR	BRADENTON, FL	\$160.00	151		

2007 EBONITE/SASBA SENIOR TOUR
Midland Bowl - Ft. Smith AR
February 3-4, 2007

Final Qualifying Standings

	<u>±L</u>		<u>±L</u>
1. GARY DICKINSON (SS)	397	27. JERRY BEAVERS (SS)	112
2. SHANNON STARNES	373	28. VICTOR NORTON	109
3. JERRY SWANK	348	29. CLYDE GEHRINGER	98
4. RICK TIMMONS	344	30. LEON ARAGON (SS)	94
5. CHARLES BUCHERT	333	31. MIKE BALAZIC	86
6. PAYTON REDDICK	295	32. GEORGE BARNES	85
7. BILL POFF (SS)	287	33. DON RATLIFF (SS)	61
8. BILL FILLMAN (SS)	279	34. PAT CURRIE	37
9. DAVE ZAPPITELLI	260	35. RON WOODRUFF	36
CRAIG SLOCUM	252	36. REED TOWNLEY	23
11. GEORGE HENNESSEE	241	O.D. WINGARD (SS)	23
12. PHIL THOMPSON	238	38. DANNY DIXON	19
13. GARY PFEIL	236	39. DOYLE BURROUGHS (SS)	9
14. SAM HOWELL (SS)	209	40. DOC WILLIAMS (SS)	4
15. CHARLIE HUFFORD (SS)	187	41. STEVE THOMPSON (SS)	-25
16. DEWAYNE THOMPSON (SS)	184	42. JIM STARRETT (SS)	-30
17. DAVE PERSON	176	43. MARK HUCKELBERRY	-35
18. JERRY HARRIS (SS)	174	44. BLANE ADKINS	-37
19. BILL HOLT (SS)	164	45. JIM KING	-94
20. ROGER WEST (SS)	160	46. KEN MELTON (SS)	-129
21. RICHARD BANDY	156	47. DRUMMOND CREWS (SS)	-131
22. DAVE SOUTAR (SS)	151	48. LARRY SWIFT	-150
23. HORACE CHILDRESS	146	49. JERRY NUTT	-178
24. GRADY CREASIE (SS)	137	50. HAROLD HOOD (SS)	-292
25. WALLY CUMMINGS	134	51. DAVID PRESLEY (SS)	-417
26. STEVE BIGGERS	132		