



In the ditch



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Sam “The animal” howell strikes!

Sam Howell proved that it’s never “over until it’s over” by putting on a late charge and overtaking David Ozio and Jim King to win his fifth SASBA title. Sam started the finals with games of 212 and 174 and it looked like he was going nowhere and was over 300 pins off the lead. Then Sam found something as he reeled off scores of 240, 268, 266, 268 in winning his next four matches. In the position round, David Ozio had to stay within 21 pins of Jim King to stay in front of him. Sam was in 3rd place 37 pins behind Jim. Dave and Jim struggled with carry while Sam started stringing them again. He finished with 299...ringing a 10 pin in the 12th. Jim struck out for 228, creating a scenario where he could not beat Sam, but had the lead on Ozio. David was forced to get X 9/ for a tie of the game and to win the title. Two strikes would clinch it for sure. Dave flushed the first one, but left the 4-7 in the 11th, thus losing to Jim by 1 pin (227-228) and making Sam the champion. Whew! What a finish. Congratulations Sammy. I have always said you are an animal and you proved it in Kentucky.

2006 BOY, Doug Hayes, led most of the way, but had a big bullseye on his back...with 866 shot against him the last 3 games. John Montgomery bowled awesome to get 5th place.

Thanks to Karen and Don Litten for being gracious hosts. Don is a great ball driller.

Mike Friedman made the finals in his first tournament. Tommy Kemp’s first effort was 2 pins short. “The Professor” can’t add. Dave beat Doug. Ozbie drove all the way to Bowling Green and announced he is going to a 12 step program for “calcuttaholics”. Guppy beat Little Guppy. Kerry Fulford and Kevin Westerfield had the only 300s. Sam had the only 800.

Our next tournament is in Conway, AR at Conway Family Fun Center. Info about the Firecracker on Memorial Day weekend is enclosed.

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. **Doug Hayes 527**
2. **David Zappitelli 525**
3. **Dick Dube 507**
4. **Jim Winston 493**
5. **David Ozio 493**

(Ultimate Sweeper Qualifiers 16-20)

NOTE:

**2007 Dues
are Overdue!!**

<p>BUSINESS MEETING SATURDAY - 8:30 AM</p>	<p>BUSINESS MEETING SATURDAY - 8:30 AM</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">May 12-13, 2007</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Conway Family Bowling Center 1010 East Oak Conway, AR 72033 Ph: 501-329-2638</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Regular Singles \$2000 added</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NO JEANS NO SHORTS Name Shirts Required</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sweepers Friday: 12-1-2-3-4-5</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Hosted by: Pat Allen</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>HOST HOTEL</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Watch website for Conway hotel info</p> </div>	<p style="text-align: center;">June 9-10, 2007</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Plamor Lanes 2404 Leeman Ferry Rd Southwest Huntsville AL 35801 Ph: 256-539-2785</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Regular Singles \$2000 added</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NO JEANS NO SHORTS Name Shirt Requires</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sweepers Friday: 12-1-2-3-4-5</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Hosted by: Ron Ware</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>HOST HOTEL</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Comfort Inn 3788 University Drive Huntsville, AL 35816 Ph: 256-533-3291</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$50 + tax</p> </div>

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)

MEMBER _____

GUEST _____

ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____ AMT SUBMITTED _____

SS NO _____ BIRTHDATE _____ EMAIL _____

FINAL STANDINGS - BOWLING GREEN, KY

<u>BOWLER</u>	<u>HOMETOWN</u>	<u>Earnings</u>	<u>P/M</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>
1. SAM HOWELL (SS)	MEMPHIS, TN	\$1,000.00	386	7	1
2. DAVID OZIO	BEAUMONT, TX	\$825.00	373	4	4
3. JIM KING	NEW BRAUNFELS, TX	\$700.00	353	7	1
4. DOUG HAYES	CLARKSVILLE, TN	\$600.00	741	3	5
5. JOHN MONTGOMERY (SS)	CLARKSVILLE, TN	\$500.00	718	5	3
6. CHARLIE HUFFORD (SS)	OXFORD, MS	\$400.00	364	6	2
7. KERRY FULFORD	GATESVILLE, TX	\$375.00	361	3	5
8. GUPPY TROUP	TAYLORSVILLE, NC	\$350.00	324	5	3
9. GRADY CREASIE (SS)	OLIVE BRANCH, MS	\$325.00	589	5	3
10. ROGER WEST (SS)	BRENTWOOD, TN	\$300.00	567	4	4
11. KEVIN WESTERFIELD	PADUCAH, KY	\$275.00	564	3	5
12. PAT BROWNFIELD	NASHVILLE, TN	\$255.00	492	4	4
13. TIM YOUNG (SS)	BRENTWOOD, TN	\$240.00	412	2	6
14. MIKE FRIEDMANN	ADAMS, TN	\$225.00	357	2	6
15. BERNIE CARLISLE (SS)	EVANSVILLE, IN	\$210.00	349	2	6
16. DENNIS MOODY	MEMPHIS, TN	\$200.00	346	2	6
<u>OTHER CASHERS</u>					
17. TOMMY KEMP	ANTIOCH, TN	\$190.00	236		
18. DAVID WELCH	ATLANTA, GA	\$185.00	226		
19. RICHARD RAY (SS)	MONTECELLO, IN	\$180.00	223		
20. JIM KRUSE	SPRINGFIELD, TN	\$175.00	218		
21. STEVE BIGGERS	FT. SMITH, AR	\$170.00	204		
<u>HIGH SUPER SENIORS NON-CASH)</u>					
LEON ARAGON	EULESS, TX	\$160.00	179		
RON GARR	RIDGEDALE, MO	\$160.00	175		
DEWAYNE THOMPSON	FT. SMITH, AR	\$160.00	160		
HAROLD SUND	CLARKSVILLE, TN	\$160.00	157		
RALPH SIEBE	NASHVILLE, TN	\$160.00	128		
<u>HIGH SUNDAY BLOCK (NON-CASH)</u>					
DICK DUBE	EVANSVILLE, IN	\$120.00	369		

**2007 EBONITE/SASBA SENIOR TOUR
SOUTHERN LANES
MARCH 24-25, 2007**

Final Qualifying Standings

1. DAVID OZIO	<u>+/-</u> 407	33. RALPH SIEBE (SS)	<u>+/-</u> 128
2. DOUG HAYES	405	34. DOUG KING (SS)	118
3. JOHN MONTGOMERY (SS)	347	35. BILL POFF (SS)	114
4. GRADY CREASIE (SS)	336	36. BRUCE HAMMER (SS)	110
5. JIM KING	326	37. DAVE LILE	97
6. GUPPY TROUP	316	38. DON LITTEN (SS)	88
7. KEVIN WESTERFIELD	313	39. JIM PHILLIPS	78
8. ROGER WEST (SS)	311	40. DARRELL MILLER	74
9. DENNIS MOODY	304	41. DAVE MINNICKS	60
10. SAM HOWELL (SS)	294	42. JESSE LYONS (SS)	57
11. BERNIE CARLISLE (SS)	280	43. BRUCE CAMPBELL	54
12. KERRY FULFORD	276	PHIL BALLARD	54
13. TIM YOUNG (SS)	269	45. LARRY CANTU	39
14. MIKE FRIEDMANN	261	46. ROY SEAGRAVES (SS)	33
15. PAT BROWNFIELD	245	47. PHIL VOGT (SS)	30
16. CHARLIE HUFFORD (SS)	238	48. KENNY TYNAN	22
17. TOMMY KEMP	236	49. JIM COUNCE	20
18. DAVID WELCH	226	50. J.R. LITTLE (SS)	1
19. RICHARD RAY (SS)	223	51. CECIL WHITEHOUSE	-1
20. JIM KRUSE	218	52. JIM WINSTON	-25
21. STEVE BIGGERS	204	53. JOE SCHINGS	-61
22. JOEL PARSONS	197	54. PHILIP KARL	-64
23. LEON ARAGON (SS)	179	55. NIKE LESPERANCE	-89
24. RON GARR (SS)	175	56. CHARLIE PIPES (SS)	-92
25. DICK DUBE	169	57. CALVIN SANFORD	-103
26. DEWAYNE THOMPSON (SS)	160	58. MICHAEL BURTON (SS)	-127
27. DAVE ZAPPITELLI	157	59. GEORGE ATKINSON	-158
HAROLD SUND (SS)	157	BILL THRONEBERRY (SS)	-158
29. RAMON DELGADO	148	61. JOHN TINNEY (SS)	-190
30. MIKE MIKKELSEN	139	62. EARL HOLLINGSWORTH	-373
31. TERRY HOESLY	134	63. BILL TAYLOR	-391
32. EARL BELL	133	64. EDDIE RUSSELL	-493