Out on The Twig

Tam Wasson wins 7th SASBA Title!

In the 3rd Annual Claude Thomas Memorial, Tam Wasson barely made the finals, qualifying 15th, but then started reeling off win after win in the match play finals... carrying better than anyone else. In the title match, he was bowling Rick Minier and whoever won the match would win the tournament. An early split by Rick and front seven by Tam ended that drama, but other dramatic moves were happening. Dave Lundgren shot 800 the last three to finish second... his highest finish to date. Gary James reeled off the last five match play victories to get 3rd and Gordon Stuntz bowled steady to nab 4th. Rick rounded out the top five.

Thanks to Jo

and Mike Thomas for being great hosts. The shot was fair and only those who figured out the carry did well.

Next week, we're in Beaumont for a regular singles. The following week is the member/ ladies doubles in Richardson and then we're at Cowtown for the member/member doubles.



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Marshall Medlin

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Jim's Notes

Jeff Wilcox, John Hitzman and Ed Campbell all left the lily. Butch beat Mike. Lance Chien is still smiling every shot... whether split or strike. We had one first time bowler. Jack Wallisch Jack Van Arsdall and Dan Moran stopped and bowled on their way to Nationals.

Jim's Tip:

Every tournament, you can

hear countless players say "I'm hitting the pocket...just can't carry". Many times, that bowler has not moved, changed balls, hand position, ball speed, etc.. All of these can be tools in your toolbox (if you practice them) and you never know what combination will work. So, if you're struggling with carry, don't waste frames and games trying what hasn't worked. Try something different. It might be the one thing that helps you win.



Friday Sweeper Results

- Pat Currie **534** Mark Estes 504
- Gordon Stuntz 501
- Dale Dumbleton 491 **5**. **Albert Waites**

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MARCH 17-18, 2012

REGULAR SINGLES

CROSSROADS BOWLING CENTER
4370 DOWLEN RD., BEAUMONT, TX 77706
PH: 409-899-2695
HOSTED BY: MARK WILLIAMS

\$2250 ADDED MONEY ENTRY FEE: \$180/EACH
USBC CERTIFIED NAME SHIRTS REQUIRED
FRIDAY 2 GAME SWEEPERS \$20
TIMES: EVERY HOUR STARTING @ 12 NOON
LAST SWEEPER @ 5PM NO FINALS

MEETING AT 8:00 AM

"A" SQUAD BOWLS AT 8:45 AM SATURDAY

"B" SQUAD BOWLS AFTER REOILING

HOST HOTEL

HAMPTON INN BEAUMONT
3795 I-10 (EXIT WALDEN RD)
BEAUMONT, TX 77705
PH: 409-840-9922
\$59 (SINGLE OR DOUBLE)
MENTION SASBA

MARCH 24-25, 2012

MEMBER/LADY DOUBLES

AMF RICHARDSON
2101 N. CENTRAL EXPRESSWAY
RICHARDSON, TX 75080
Ph: 972-231-2695

\$2250 ADDED MONEY ENTRY FEE: \$380/TEAM
USBC CERTIFIED NAME SHIRTS REQUIRED
FRIDAY 2 GAME SWEEPERS \$20
TIMES: EVERY HOUR STARTING @ 12 NOON
LAST SWEEPER @ 5PM NO FINALS

MEETING AT 8:00 AM

"A" SQUAD BOWLS AT 8:45 AM SATURDAY

"B" SQUAD BOWLS AT AFTER REOILING

HOST HOTEL

HYATT HOUSE

2301 N. CENTRAL EXPRESSWAY
RICHARDSON, TX 75080
Ph: 972-671-8080
\$85
MENTION SASBA

Notes: Teams are already forming for the Member/Lady doubles at AMF Richardson. Start getting your partners for the Member/Member at the end of March at Cowtown and the Annual Trio Tournaments at AMF Euless in April. 2012 Dues are due!

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SASBA Tournament Entry Form	SASBA	
TOURNAMENT:NAME:	Jim King— 2321 E. Common St #200	
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CITY:	ph: 210-867-9582	BOWLING ASSOCIATION

2012 SASBA SCHEDULE

(Subject to change)

*denotes changes or corrections

DATE	CENTER	CITY	TYPE
Mar 17-18, 2012	Crossroads Bowling Center	Beaumont, TX	Singles
March 24-25, 2012	AMF Richardson	Richardson, TX	Member/Ladies Doubles
Mar 31-Apr 1	Fort Worth, TX	Cowtown Bowling Palace	Member/Member Doubles
Apr 14-15, 2012	AMF Euless	Euless, TX	Annual Trio
Apr 28-29, 2012	Astro Bowl	San Antonio, TX	Member/Guest Doubles
May 5-6, 2012	300 Bowl	Conroe, TX	Singles
May 12-13, 2012	AMF Showplace Austin	Austin, TX	Age Bracket Tourney
May 26-27, 2012	Armadilla, I	Pasadena, TX	Member/Guest Doubles
June 2-3, 2012	USA Bowl	Dallas, TX	SS Singles
June 30-July 2	Plano Super Bowl	Plano TX	Firecracker
July 7-8, 2012	Del-Mar Lanes	Houston, TX	Member/Guest Recruiter Dbls
July 21-22, 2012	Cityview Lanes	Fort Worth, TX	Over 67/Over 60/ Over 50 Trio
July 28-29, 2012	Copperfield	Houston, TX	Singles
August 18-19, 2012	Cityview Lanes	Fort Worth, TX	Non-Champs
Aug 25-26, 2012	Cowtown Bowling Palace	Fort Worth, TX	Over70/Over60/Over50/Guest
Sept 1-2, 2012	University Lanes	Denton, TX	SS Singles
Sept 15-16, 2012	All Star Lanes	Shreveport, LA	Member/Guest Doubles
Sept 22-23, 2012	Cityview Lanes	Fort Worth, TX	Over 60/ Over 50/ Guest Trio
Sept 29-30, 2012	Cowtown Bowling Palace	Fort Worth, TX	Over 70/ Over 60 Doubles
October 13-14, 2012	All Star Lanes	Shreveport, LA	Ss Singles
Oct 27-28, 2012	AMF Euless	Euless, TX	Annual Championship
Nov 3-4, 2012	Del-Mar Lanes	Houston, TX	Singles
Nov 10-11, 2012	Plano Super Bowl	Plano, TX	Mixed Foursome
Dec 1-2, 2012	Cityview Lanes	Fort Worth, TX	Age Bracket
Dec 15-16, 2012	Cowtown Bowling Palace	Fort Worth, TX	Christmas Team

2012 SASBA (SOUTH CENTRAL) SCHEDULE *denotes changes

<u>DATE</u>	CENTER	CITY	TYPE
Mar 24-25	Marquee Lanes	Monticello, AR	Singles
May 19-20	Millenium Bowl	Little Rock, AR	M/G Dbls

SASBA SOUTH CENTRAL Doug Hayes—South Central Director 706 Mt. Vernon Dr., Clarksville, TN 37043 931-645-2751 cell: 931-216-6789 Email: pdhaze1951@yahoo.com



2012 EBONITE SASBA TOUR All Star Lanes, Shreveport, LA March 10-11, 2012

FINAL STANDINGS

<u>BOWLERS</u>	EARNINGS	<u>P/M</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>
1 Tam Wasson	\$1,000.00	854	7	1
2 Dave Lundgren (SS)	\$800.00	784	3	5
3 Gary James	\$700.00	781	5	3
4 Gordon Stuntz	\$600.00	778	6	2
5 Rick Minier (SS)	\$500.00	770	3	5
6 Steve Wright	\$400.00	735	4	4
7 Mark Busscher	\$370.00	714	3	5
8 Donald Robinson	\$340.00	705	6	2
9 Randy Shewmake	\$320.00	699	6	2
10 Mike McHugh	\$300.00	659	3	5
11 Ben Edwards (SS)	\$280.00	658	4	4
12 Michael Warren	\$260.00	622	1	7
13 Robert Dunaway	\$240.00	612	5	3
14 Mark Estes (SS)	\$230.00	605	3	5
15 T.J. Johnson (SS)	\$225.00	569	3	5
16 Danny Inocencio	\$220.00	480	2	6
Other Cashers				
17 Joe Lecroy	\$190.00	296		
18 Pete Thomas	\$189.00	292		
19 Horace Childress (SS)	\$188.00	280		
Jack Soria	\$187.00	280		
21 Leo Plaia (SS)	\$186.00	273		
22 Clyde Fravel	\$92.50	264		
Delery Matherne	\$92.50	264		
High Super Seniors Non-Cash				
Roger West	\$180.00	251		
Marshall Medlin	\$180.00	251		
Kirk Harper	\$180.00	242		
Charlie Hufford	\$180.00	235		
Paul Pender	\$180.00	225		
Bruce Michaelson	\$180.00	216		
Dewayne Thompson	\$180.00	199		
High Over 70 - Non Cash				
Jerry Beavers	\$180.00	166		
High Sunday Block				
Bubba Haney	\$150.00	924		

2012 EBONITE SASBA TOUR TOURNAMENT



All Star Lanes, Shreveport, LA March 10-11, 2012

FINAL QUALIFYING STANDINGS

	<u>Bowlers</u>	<u>P/M</u>		<u>Bowlers</u>	<u>P/M</u>
1.	Rick Minier (SS)	454	35	Kenny Cantu	204
2.	Mark Busscher	425	36	Dewayne Thompson (SS)	199
3.	Mike McHugh	417	37	Dale Dumbleton (SS)	198
4.	Gary James	413	38	Butch Calvert (SS)	185
5.	Dave Lundgren (SS)	404	39	Grady Creasie (SS)	176
6.	Gordon Stuntz	386	40	Doug Barron (SS)	173
7.	Michael Warren	372	41	Rudy Garcia (SS)	170
8.	T.J. Johnson (SS)	368	42	Mike Lynch (SS)	167
9.	Steve Wright	365	43	Jerry Beavers (SS)	166
10.	Mark Estes (SS)	342	44	Pat Currie (SS)	161
11.	Ben Edwards (SS)	328	45	Albert Waites (SS)	149
12.	Randy Shewmake	322	46	Jeff Janssen	146
13.	Robert Dunaway	318	47	Bryce Ellison (SS)	126
14	Donald Robinson	315	48	Lance Chien (SS)	122
15	Tam Wasson	314	49	Greg Cooper	116
16	Danny Inocencio	307	50	Hank Jordan	110
17	Joe Lecroy	296	51	Steve Berry (SS)	99
18	Pete Thomas	292		Bill Gillane (SS)	99
19	Horace Childress (SS)	280	53	Jack Wallisch (SS)	97
	Jack Soria	280	54	Gary Ezell	90
21	Leo Plaia (SS)	273		John Hitzman (SS)	90
22	Clyde Fravel	264	56	Jeff Wilcox (SS)	83
	Delery Matherne	264	57	Randy Summers (SS)	66
24	Paul McCordic	258	58	Dan Moran (SS)	50
25	Kenny Tynan	257	59	Ed Campbell	44
26	Roger West (SS)	251	60	Ernest Ross (SS)	35
	Marshall Medlin (SS)	251	61	Wayne Merritt (SS)	30
28	Tom E. Crawford	250	62	Jack Van Arsdall (SS)	-21
29	Bubba Haney	248	63	Jackie Putnam (SS)	-34
30	Randy Ham	242	64	Mike Broussard (SS)	-48
	Kirk Harper (SS)	242	65	John Sands (SS)	-55
32	Charlie Hufford (SS)	235	66	Dale Patterson (SS)	-210
33	Paul Pender (SS)	225	67	Tom King (SS)	-214
34	Bruce Michaelson (SS)	216	68	Ricky Siegfried (SS)	DNF