43rd Annual

Hall of Fame
and
Bowler Recognition Dinner



August 14, 2014

Program

Welcome and Introductions	MBA President Z. Charles Reithmeyer
Introduction of Hall of Fame	MBA Association Manager Bill Dennis
Remember	Video Presentation
Dinner	
Bowler Recognitions	**Presenter**
High Series Darin Powers	MBA Director Darin Johnson
High Average Dick Thomas	MBA Director Mark Habich
High Composite Average Willie Feltz	MBA Director John Bisco
Jim Grady Bowler of the Year Derek Eoff	MBA Vice President George Dorn
Dan Mack Senior Bowler of the Year Dave Rasmussen	MBA Director Dave Shaw
Fred G. Engelke Scholarship	
Taylor LaVine	Jerry Hoddinott
Hall of Fame Induction	
Dawayne R. 'Doc' Tietz	Distinguished Performance
Closing	

Legion of Honor

The Legion of Honor was established in 1988 to honor both the memory and records of deceased MBA members whose commendable service and/or bowling achievements may have been dimmed by the passage of time or by the performances of more contemporary bowlers. The Madison USBC Bowling Association accords its recognition of these meritorious individuals by naming them to deserved membership in its Legion of Honor.

1988
Vic Adler
Ed 'Sarge' Easter
Billy Hoven
Dewey Roberts
Ed Wirka

1989
Al Blaser
Jack Hilgers
Bill Lazarz
'Buzz' Neubauer
George Oakey

1990
Walter Dahl
Charles 'Buck' Kennison
Lloyd McCann
Larry Nissen
Chuck Stampfl

1991
Leroy 'Punk' Bowes
'Gilly' Brumm
Auby Ehrmann
Duane Grinde
Orville 'Rusty' Syse

1992
Les Higbie
Carl Luckensmeyer
Ed Schmitz
Duane 'Buss' Topp

1993
Clarence Chivers
Eddie Toellner
Ollie Wheeler
Bernard 'Bun' White

1994
Ray Hilsenhoff
Roger Kasper
Ken Woerpel

1996
Gordon 'Gordy' Kraut
James G. Woodburn

1997
H.G. 'Hy' Smith
George Paltz
Leo Tester

1998
Sam DeGregory
Dan Mack
Duaine 'Dewey' Moore

2003
Joe Heibl
Don Phelan

2004
Ed Lundey

2007
Harlan L. Frank
Julius T. Porter

2008
Billy Harrelson
Shigeru Nakahira

2009
Larry Kivlin

2012
Don Thorpe

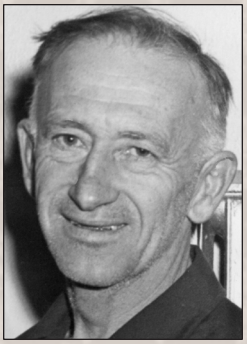
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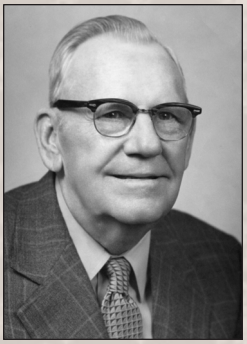
Bill Blau*

1972



John Bossart*

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Ray Farness*

1972



Pim Quinn*

1972



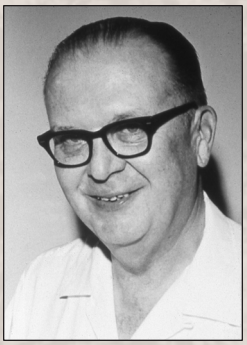
Connie Schwoegler*

1973



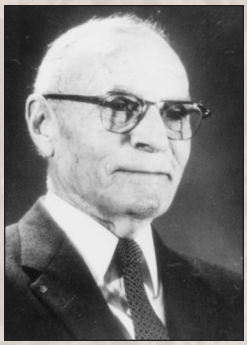
Joe Hackett*

1973



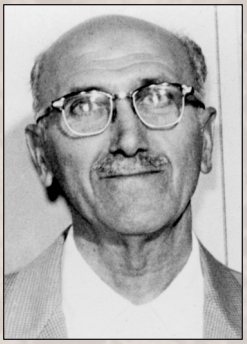
Mel Schwoegler*

1973



Art Stang*

1973



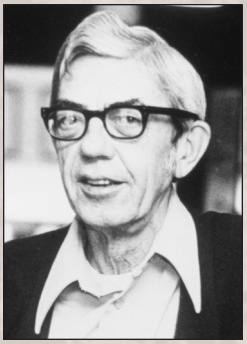
Matt Zwank*

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Billy Carroll*

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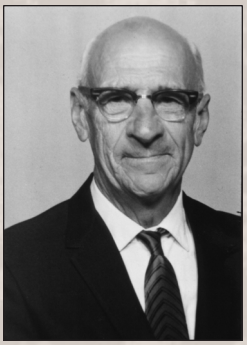
Gil Fischl*

1974



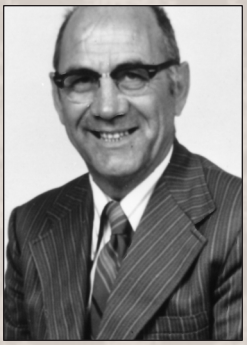
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Hub Spahn*

1975



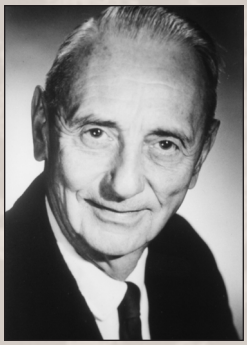
Gene Adler*

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Charles Allen*

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Scotty Skidmore*

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Stan Thaden*

1976



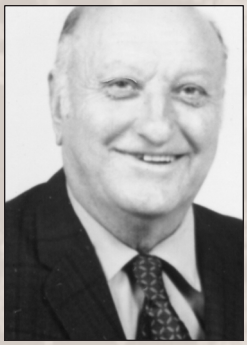
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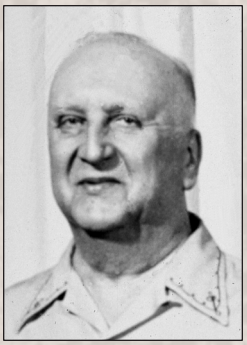
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Bob Schernecker*

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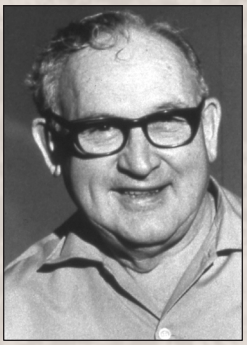
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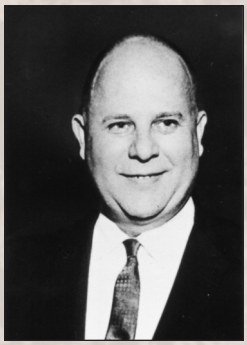
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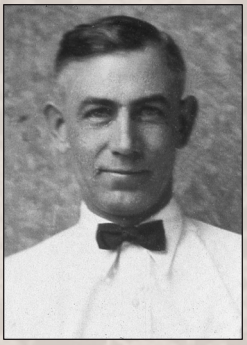
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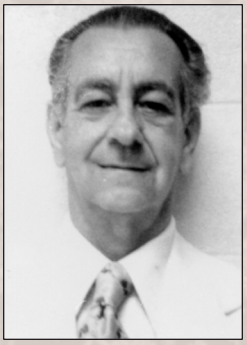
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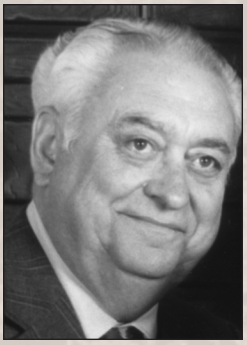
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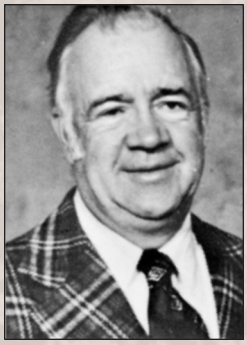
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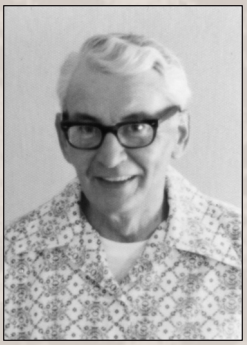
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Ed Iverson*

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Stub Tucker*

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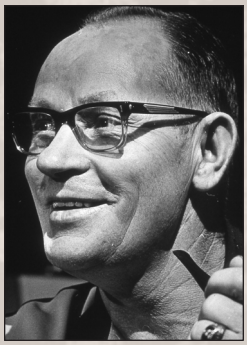
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Cully Freund*

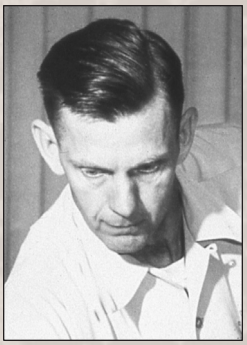
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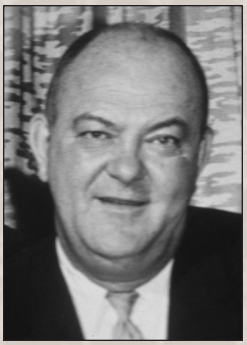
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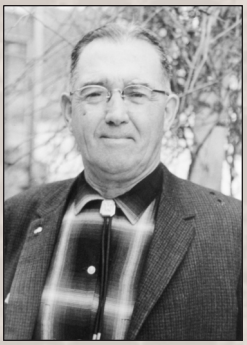
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1980



Chuck Carey*

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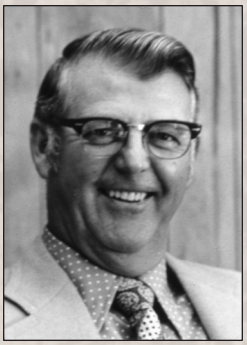
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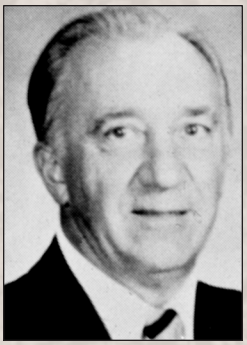
Nick Petratta*

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Fred Engelke*

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Casey Kasbaum*

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Chuck Weigen*

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Alex Pirola*

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Stan Schultz*

1982



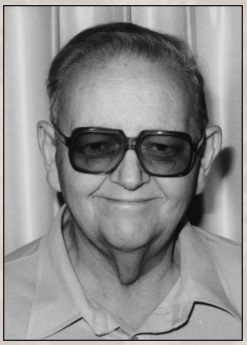
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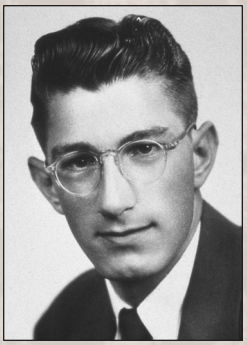
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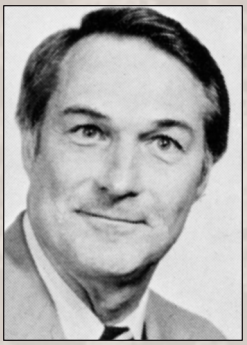
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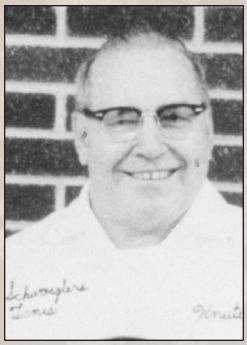
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Chuck Medcraft

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Knute Adler*

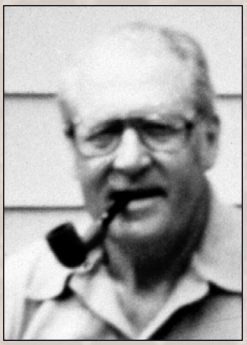
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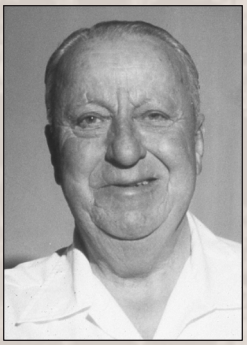
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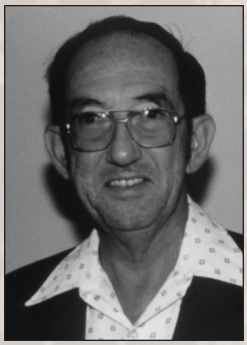
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Chris Andersen

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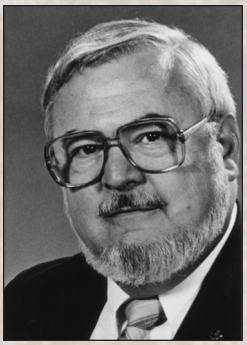
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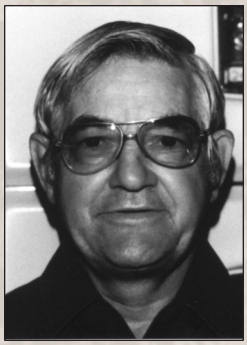
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1986



Bob DeZonia Sr.*

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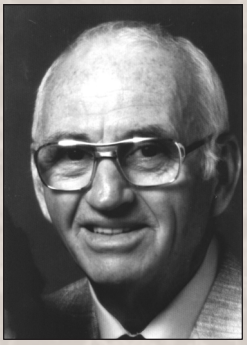
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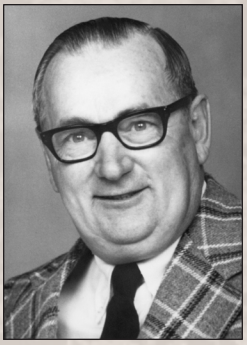
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Bun Crowley*

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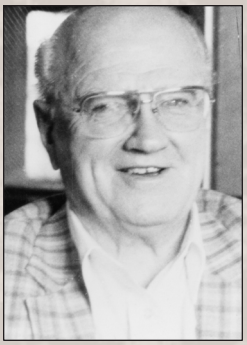
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Joe Dommershausen*

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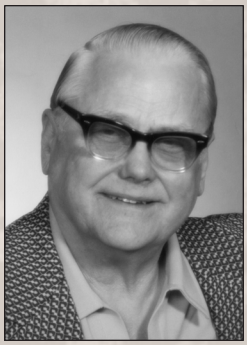
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Bruce Bryan

1989



Norm Hanson*

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Elmer Heiser

1989



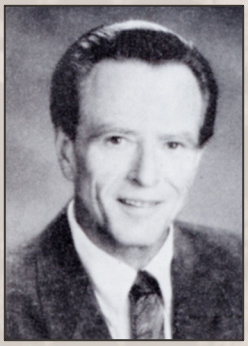
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Jim Fladen

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Roger Niesen

1991



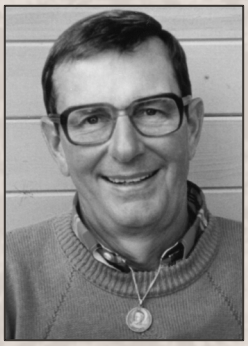
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Paul Loder

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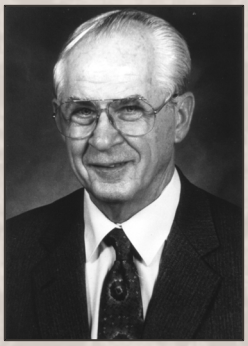
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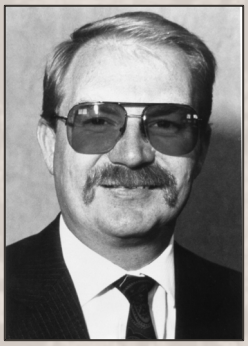
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Chuck Johnston

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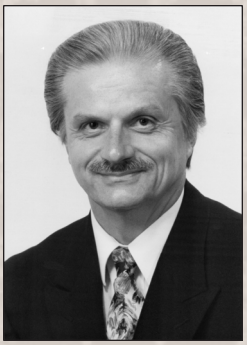
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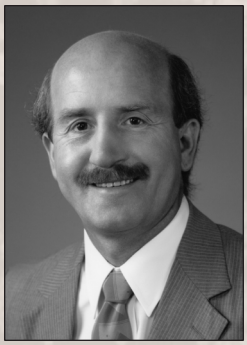
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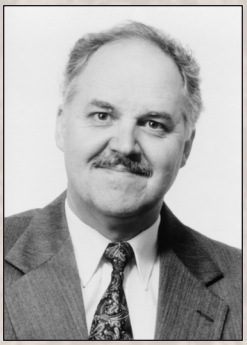
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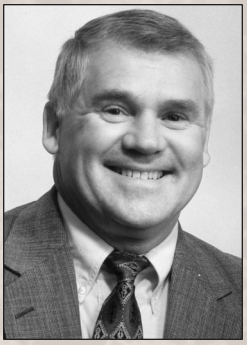
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Dick Kalnicky

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Bill Leidich

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Bob Lappen

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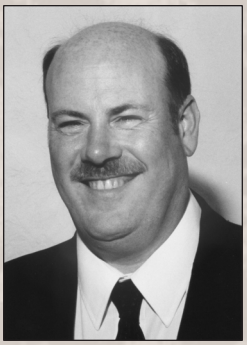
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Jim Fosdick

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Mark Henry

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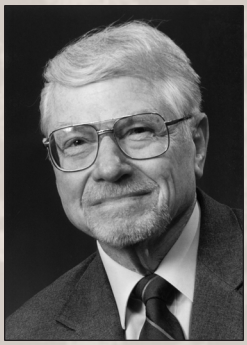
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Ken Woerpel*

2001



Armand Richman*

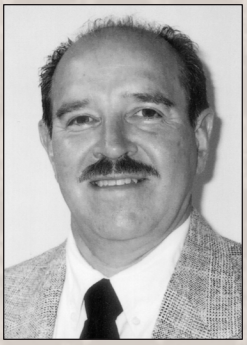
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2002



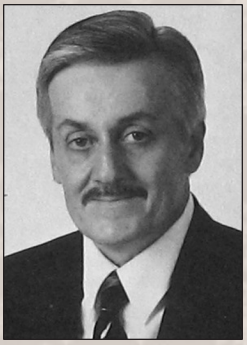
Jerry Murphy

2002



Jesse Parizo

2003



Bud Frye

2003



Mark Habich

2004



Jerry Anderson*

2004



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2006



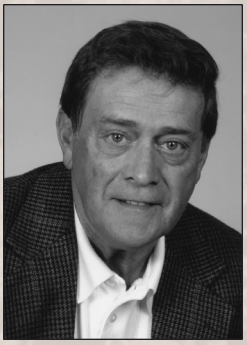
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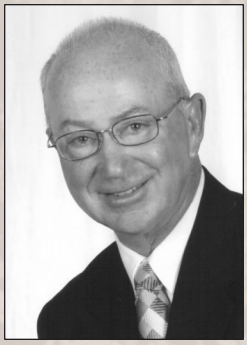
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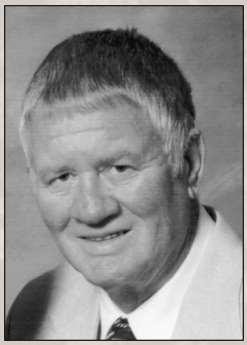
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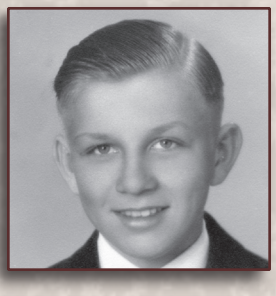
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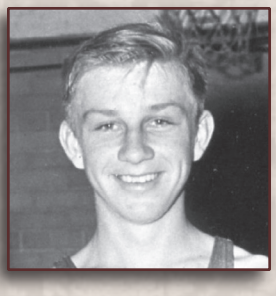














Born: November 14, 1929

Dawayne Tietz's 60 year bowling career began in 1947 in the Arcade Bowling Alley at the behest of owner Sam DeGregory. "Doc" worked there as a pinsetter and shot his first 700 at age 19.

For the next 25 years, he competed in the association's top major leagues at the Arcade, Plaza Lanes, Lark Lanes, Schwoegler's, Bowl-A-Vard, and Village Lanes. Doc credits Stan Thaden and Connie Schwoegler as important to his career, while he consistently posted high averages along with the top area bowlers, including a personal best of 202 at the Arcade in the 64-65 season.

Doc was a well-traveled competitor, winning a number of tournaments throughout the Midwest. He participated in 45 Madison Bowling Association tournaments and earned two titles; All Events in 1965 and Team event in 1969. He added a Senior All Events championship in the 2005-06 season.

Hall of Fame

The Madison USBC Bowling Association Hall of Fame is dedicated to the recognition of the outstanding bowlers and dedicated servants of the Madison area who through their competitive skills, high personal standards and dedicated principles have enriched the general welfare, spirit, reputation and progress of the sport of tenpin bowling.

Distinguished Performance

An individual should have established a documented record of outstanding performance in the sport of bowling. Some portion of the candidate's record must have been established as a member of the Madison USBC Bowling Association. Achievements might include but are not be limited to local, state, or national tournament championships; multiple years of awards recognition in high score categories, etc. The most important criteria will be performance above and beyond the ordinary.

Meritorious Service

An individual should have demonstrated service, devotion, ideas and ideals, contributions, or milestone achievements above and beyond the ordinary to the sport of bowling, and outside the framework of competitive bowling. Some portion of the candidate's service must have been established as a member of the Madison USBC Bowling Association.

Veterans

Individuals, at least 55 years of age, whose achievements and/or service to the sport of bowling and to the local, state, or national membership services organizations may have been diminished simply due to the passage of time or overshadowed by more contemporary performers or performances.

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MBA All City Teams

All-City First Team

Jim Grady Bowler of the Year
Derek Eoff

Eoff won the MBA Masters by sweeping the finals for a second consecutive year, rolling 1091 over the four stepladder games – including a 300 game and 822 series. He added two MAST titles, both in Doubles, including another 300 game at the Lake Ripley challenge event. In 24 MAST tournament games, he averaged 240. His 220 average in the Bullseye Masters league was 15 pins higher than any other. He added a third 300 in that league. He finished in the top ten in three City Tournament events. At State, he was runner-up in Doubles and 44th in All Events. Eoff shot 751 in Singles at nationals, good for 64th, and placed 51st in All Events with 2106.

Brent Ritchie

Ritchie was the MBA Masters runner-up after leading qualifying and losing a gritty 269-267 match to Eoff. He was 9th in City Tournament All Events, 2nd in Doubles, and 12th in Singles. In the Dream Lanes Major League, he led all averages with 242, including an 11-in-a-row, two 800 series', and four 300 games in that league. Ritchie made five of 10 MAST finals, with a 290 game at Wildcat Lanes, and a second place finish at Spartan Bowl.

Eric Pederson

Pederson rolled five 800 series this season, including one in the City Tournament where he won the All Events title with 2272. He also finished 3rd in Doubles and Singles. He had one 300 game, and two additional 11-in-a-row games in league play. At State, he finished in the top 50 in Doubles, and 83rd in All Events.

Jay Heinzelman

Heinzelman had the second high average in the Bullseye Masters league with 205. He finished in the top 10 in every City Tournament event; ninth in All Events, 3rd in Doubles and Team, and second in Singles. Three of his four 800 series' came in tournament play, as did his 11-in-a-row 299. He made five of seven MAST cuts, including a second place at Viking Lanes. At State, he finished 78th in All Events and 47th in Doubles. Heinzelman shot 731 in Singles at Nationals, for 138th place.

Chris Gibbons

Gibbons rolled five 300 games and one 800 series, this season, and posted a Bullseye Masters average of 201. He placed in the top ten in every City Tournament event, including the MBA Masters. He was 10th in Singles, 7th in Doubles, 3rd in All Events, and 2nd in Team. Gibbons made three of eight MAST cuts, including a second place finish at Wildcat Lanes.

All-City Second Team

Jeff Richgels

Richgels placed in the top five in each City Tournament event, 4th in All Events and Singles, 2nd in team, and won the Doubles Title. He recorded one 300 game this season, that being in the City Tournament. He averaged 201 in the Bullseye Masters league. In MAST tournaments, Richgels cut four out of five events, placing second in the Lake Ripley doubles event. He was on the 8th place team at Nationals. At State, he was 53rd in Doubles and 35th in All Events.

Mike Hoffman

Hoffman rolled a pair of 11-in-a-row honor counts, as well as a 300 game and four 800 series. He booked a high average of 248 in the Friday Friends league at Middleton Sport Bowl, and averaged 200 in the Bullseye Masters. He placed third in the MBA Masters event. He won two MAST tournament titles this season at Village Lanes and Leisure Lanes, and placed second in the Year End Championship. In the State tournament, he finished 63rd in All Events.

Herb Kimpel

Kimpel fired a slew of honor scores this season, including four 11-in-a-rows, six 300 games, and four 800 series. He finished sixth in singles at the City Tournament. In MAST tournament action, he cut six of 12 tournaments with a high finish of second at Leisure Lanes. At State, he finished 35th in Doubles and 11th in Team.

Rick Thomas

Thomas had three 11-in-a-row counts, three 300 games, and three 800 series. He finished second in City Tournament All Events, where he threw a 300 game. He was on the 4th place Team and was 25th in Singles. At State, he placed 13th in Doubles.

Marc McDowell

McDowell had one 300 game and one 800 series in the Monona 3-Man Golfers league, where he averaged 242, the second highest qualifying for MBA High Average. He won a Doubles title in the City Tournament, was on the second place team, and took 5th in All Events. In the MBA Masters, he finished in fifth place. He was on the eighth place team at Nationals.

MBA All City Teams

All City Senior Team

Dan Mack Senior Bowler of the Year
Dave Rasmussen
Rasmussen earned three Senior City titles this season, with wins in the Team event, Doubles, and All Events. His sole honor score came in that tournament with an 836 effort in Doubles en route to a 2213 All Events score. At Senior State, he placed 37th in Doubles and 67th in All Events. He booked a high average of 221 in the Senior Masters league at Bowl-A-Vard.

Dave Massey
Massey had one 298 game, one 300 game, and one 800 series in the Golfers league at Village. He added another 800 in the MARBA league at Dream Lanes. In the Senior City Tournament, he won a Doubles title, a Team title, and finished fourth in All Events. He placed second in the MBA Senior Masters. At Senior State, Massey placed 6th in Team, 7th in Doubles, and 20th in All Events.

Jim Fosdick
Fosdick hammered out three 11-in-a-row games, six 300 games, and two 800 series this season. He won a Senior City Team event title, placed 6th in Doubles and 10th in Singles. At the State Senior tournament, he placed 6th in Team, 7th in Doubles, and 16th in All Events. Fosdick high average for the year was 237, in two leagues, including one in the MARBA league at Dream Lanes over 270 league games.

Dick Thomas
Thomas pummelled Middleton Sport bowl for one 11-in-a-row count, eight 300 games, and six 800 series – with a high of 842. He finished 2nd in Singles in the MBA Senior Tournament with a 739 series. Thomas booked the highest qualifying average in the association, a 243 in the Lions league at Middleton Sport Bowl.

Rick Erce
Erce won the MBA Senior Masters title this year. He placed second in Team, third in Singles, and sixth in All Events. In league play, he had one 299, a pair of 300 games, and two 800 series with a high of 836. Erce booked averages of 236 and 232 in two leagues at Dream Lanes.

Association Manager All-City Team

Nate Sime
Sime posted two averages over 230; a 230 in the Wednesday Night Classic league at Viking Lanes and a 237 in the Golfers league at Village Lanes. Along the way, he compiled nine honor counts. He had 11-in-a-row three times, two 300 games, and four 800 series.

Ron Blanchar
Blanchar won the MBA City Tournament Singles title with a 778 set. He placed 6th in the MBA Masters, missing the stepladder finals by only three pins. He booked a high average of 226 in the Dream Lanes Major League.

Dave Erickson
Erickson won the MBA Senior City Tournament Singles title, placed 7th in All Events, and 4th in Team. At the State Senior tournament, he placed 4th in Doubles.

Jacob Morris
Morris was on the MBA City Tournament titlist team, piloting that effort with a tournament high 822 series.

Willie Feltz
Feltz was the Composite Average leader for this season, posting a 242 average in the Early Men's league at Dream Lanes, and a 230 average in the Friday 3 Man league at Bowl-A-Vard. He recorded two 11-in-a-row counts, four 300 games, and three 800 series.

Honorable Mentions

Darin Powers
Powers averaged 222 in the Spartan Classic league at Spartan Bowl. He led all association bowlers this season with an 867 series on games of 298, 289, and 279.

Rick Baker
Baker compiled a career of stats this season with three 11-in-a-row honor counts, two 300 games, and a career first 800 series in the Tiger league at Schwoegler's E.C. He also earned a career high average of 220