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Pair roll perfect games:



Ralph MacDuff rolled 12 solid strikes in a row in his first game of the morning to record a perfect game in Lambton County Tenpin Association (LCTA) bowling action this past week. He was participating in the Sunday Morning Men's League (SMML) at Marcin Bowl ending the day with 758 (300 - 84 pins over average – 213 -245 – 110 pins over average for three games). His triple was good for the week's high triple and he shared the high single of the week with Jeff Chortos. He now has a career 6-300's to his credit. It was also the 7th 300 in the LCTA this year. His career high triple is 835 which he bowled on March 1, 1999 at Port Huron Lanes. The lefty, who usually

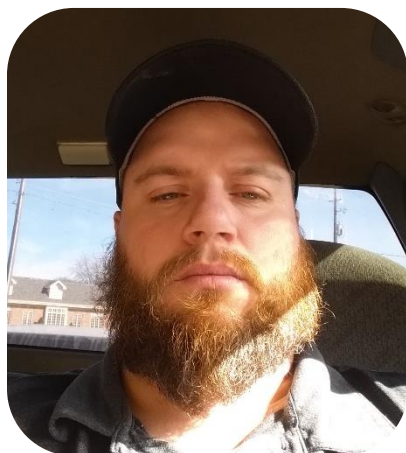
plays along the 5 board with a smooth rolling ball, is averaging 219 after 39 games in the SMML this year.

Jeff Chortos experienced the excitement of accomplishing one of every bowler's dreams on Monday night in his last game of the night. For the vast majority of bowlers you don't get this chance all too often. Getting 12 consecutive strikes in one game is not that easy. The first three or four are relatively easy. Five, six and seven become harder. Eight and nine can make you think ahead about a perfect game and thus you can lose your focus. The



tenth frame gets really tough because your body emotions are really kicking into high gear and a lot of bowlers are watching you. So let's get back to Jeff Chortos. After getting strike 10 and 11, Chortos knew what he had to do for the last shot. Set yourself up on the alley, take a deep breath to help you relax and then roll the ball, with good follow through. Sounds simple enough but easier said than done but Chortos did it and was awarded with his first perfect game. It was also the 8th 300 in the LCTA this year. He was taking part in the Bluewater Monday Night Men's League (BMNML) finishing the night with a 704 (300 – 96 pins over average) triple. Chortos started bowling in the BMNML in the 2012-2013 season and bowled in the league for 4 years then took a couple years off. He returned to the league in the 2018-2019 season finishing the year with a 193 average. This year he is averaging 206 after 36 games.

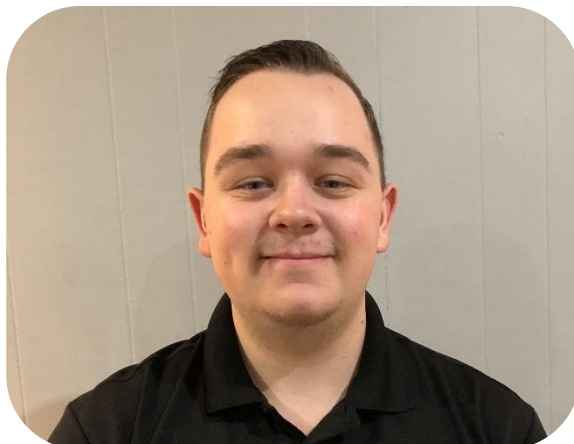
Twosome share second place:



John Armstrong rolled 747 (234-255-258 - 117 pins over average for three games) in the Sunday Morning Men's League (SMML) at Marcin Bowl to tie for the second high triple of the week in LCTA bowling action. It was his 4th 700 series in the SMML this year. His previous 700's this year were 709 – 741 and 720. He also has a 717 and 725 in the Bluewater Monday Night Men's League (BMNML) this year. This week he tossed 696 (258-259) in the BMNML. Armstrong started bowling 10- pin at age 20 and has been enjoying his passion on the lanes for 23 years. His career

sanctioned high scores are 2-300's and 792. John commutes from Chatham and is in his fifth year in the SMML averaging 213 after 42 games. He is averaging 213 after 36 games in the BMNML.

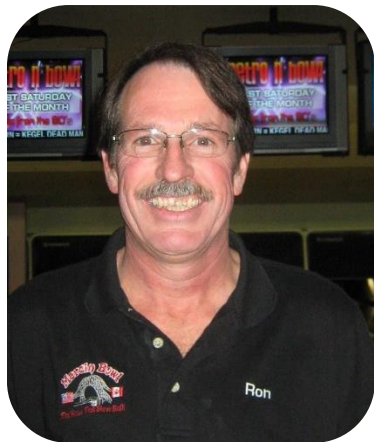
Ben Lapointe has been killing the pins the last two weeks at Hi-Way Bowl and Marcin Bowl. Last week he tossed 739 (225-279-235) in the RCAFA 403 Mixed League at Hi-Way Bowl and 702 (228-246-228) in the Sunday Morning Men's League (SMML) at Marcin Bowl. This week he rolled 690 (277) in the RCAFA league, 713 (253 – 221 - 239) in the SMML and 747 (247-



255-245 – 126 pins over average for three games) in the Bluewater Monday Night Men's League at Marcin Bowl to share second place in the week's high triple department. His 2-700's this week give him a career 47-700's (31 in adult leagues and 16 in youth leagues). Pretty impressive statistics for someone who is only twenty-one years old not to mention his 2-300's, 2-299's and 3-298's.

Vandermeer good for third:

Rob Vandermeer wheeled 739 (258 – 246 – 235) in the Border City Men's League (BCML) at Marcin Bowl to take the third high triple of the week in LCTA action. Vandermeer is another bowler who did not come through any organized youth bowling program but picked up the game on his own and tips from fellow bowlers. He is bowling in only one league this year and spares as required. The right handed bowler has 3 other 700's in the BCML this year – 707 – 781 and 739 and a 734 in the Marcin Sunday Morning Men's League. This year he is off to a great year averaging 220 after 45 games. Rob has sanctioned high scores of 3- 300's, 1-299 and 793. Vandermeer is an auto mechanic working at Griffin Autotek. During the summer months he keeps himself busy working on the "honey do list", golfing and drag racing. He races in Grand Bend, St. Thomas and has done some racing in the USA.



Bestard fires personal high triple:

Jacob Bestard is having a super year in the Marcin Bowl Youth Bowling Program. This past Saturday he established a new personal high triple when he fired 728 (235-248-245 – 104 pins over average for three games) in the Senior Division. Three weeks ago he had set a new personal high triple with 709 (280-225-204) beating his previous high triple of 700 (201-220-279) which he recorded in the LCTA Youth Doubles Tournament at Marcin Bowl in 2019. He is presently averaging 211 after 42 games. Last year he finished the season with a 199 average for 78 games. His



dad “Drew” is going to have to pick up his game to keep up to Jacob or else he will be left behind in the dust.

Parkkila bowls personal high scores:



Cameron Parkkila had a super day on the lanes this past Saturday at Hi-Way Bowl. He hurled 623 (189 - 243 - 191) in the Youth Phantom Intermediate Division to register his career personal highest scores. Cameron started bowling 10 pin when he was six years old but the following two years he wanted to give 5 pin bowling a chance. However he returned to the 10 pin lanes and has been enjoying the Saturday fun and friendship with his twin brother “Kole” and fellow bowlers ever since.

Besides league bowling, he keep himself busy with school, practice bowling and is learning to play the guitar.

The Editor’s Trivia Question of the week:

In what year was the Sarnia & District Bowling Association formed?

Find the answer somewhere in this report.

Honourable Mention:

- **Brandon Gauthier** – 712 (253-245) – Marcin Thursday Night Men’s League.
- **Tony Olsen** – 708 (258-226-224) – Marcin Sunday Morning Men’s League.
- **Mike Shephard** – 702 (236-232-234) – Marcin Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- **Nic Bruer** – 574 (211) – Marcin 1046 Mixed League.
- **Wally Sandrin** – 580 (+127 for 3 games) – Marcin Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- **Warren Knights** – 636 (+117 for 3 games) – Marcin Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- **Dan Chopp** – 279 – Marcin Border City Men’s League.
- **Jordan Croskery** – 266 (bowl off) – Marcin Border City Men’s League.
- **Jay Belliveau -265** – Marcin Sunday Morning Men’s League.



- **Brandon Gauthier** – 265 – Marcin Bluewater Monday Night Men's League.
- **Scott Salmons** – 264 – Marcin Sunday Morning Men's League.
- **Steve Kenehan** – 262 – Marcin Sunday Morning Men's League.
- **Roy Mezzatesta** - 259 – Marcin Border City Men's League.
- **Jim Lapointe** – 259 – Hi-Way RCAFA 403 Wing Mixed League.
- **Larry Plumb** – 259 – Marcin Sunday Morning Men's League.
- **Kyle Skinner** – 259 – Marcin Bluewater Monday Night Men's League.
- **Drew Bestard** – 259 – Marcin Border City Men's League.
- **Mike Shephard** – 258 – Marcin Sunday Morning Men's League.
- **Roy Mezzatesta** – 258 – Marcin Thursday Night Men's League.
- **Dave LeClair** – 257 – Marcin Border City Men's League.
- **Jim Barber** – 257 – Hi-Way RCAFA 403 Wing Mixed League.
- **Kyle Skinner** – 257 – Marcin Bluewater Monday Night Men's League.
- **Brandon Westfall** – 257- Hi-Way RCAFA 403 Wing Mixed League.
- **Alex Salmons** – 256 – Marcin Sunday Morning Men's League.
- **Bill Croskery** – 255 – Marcin Sunday Morning Men's League.
- **Mike Mitro** – 254 – Marcin Sunday Morning Men's League.
- **Darrell Dennett** – 254 – Marcin Bluewater Monday Night Men's League.
- **Connor Smith** – 254 – Marcin Border City Men's League.
- **Kevin Storozuk** – 250 – Marcin Border City Men's League.
- **Tony Spano** – 256 (+81) – Marcin Thursday Night Men's League.
- **Vince Pullman** - 237 (+78) – Marcin 1046 Mixed League.
- **Dean Troiani** – 269 (+73) – Marcin Border City Men's League.
- **Chad Pretty** – 198 (+73) – Marcin Bluewater Monday Night Men's League.
- **Tyler Robertson** – 257 (+72) - Marcin Bluewater Monday Night Men's League.
- **Dylon McKinnon** – 234 (+72) – Marcin Border City Men's League.
- **Cornell Nugent** – 87 (+48) – Marcin Youth Preps Division.
- **Bill Cole** – spared the 4 – 9 split – Marcin Border City Men's League.
- **Bill Cole** – 7 -10 split – no he didn't make the spare but it was his 20th 7-10 split of the year – Marcin Border City Men's League.



Other Men's Notable Scores:

Larry Plumb 699 (239), Alex Salmons 698, Jim Lapointe 697 (243), Scott Salmons 696 (244), Dan Chopp 694 (234), Jean Lacroix Jr. 692 (230-244), Brandon Gauthier 692 (245), Kyle Adamson 691 (237-230), Brandon Gauthier 690, Steve Kenahan 687 (232), Jay Belliveau 687, Roy Mezzatesta 683 (234), Mike Shephard 680, Paul Mezzatesta 678 (248-235), Bill Cole 246, Connor Smith 244, Dan Beauvais 244, Steve Peters 244, Larry Plumb 244, Mike Maxwell 242, Bill Cole 242, Dan Cook 239, Connor Smith 237, Walter Amyotte 237, Tony Olsen 236, Kyle Adamson 235, Bill Cole 234, Jeff Raymond 234, Stephane Sirois 234, Noah Best 234, Tyler Robertson 234, Chris Murphy 233, Glenn Crowe 233, Tony Olsen 232, Kevin Storozuk 232, Bill Bennett 232, Bob Chambers 231, Dan Beauvais 231 and Nathan Gonzalez 230.

Other Youth Notable Scores:

Bryce Watson 215, Joshua Shura 213, Ryan Pinel 212-201, Joe Windover 205, William Laframboise 203, Terrell-Walker Gray 200 and Blake Ingles 192.

Women's Notable Scores:

Kyra Lester 198 and Sarah Ingles 190.



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