## MIDWEST SENIOR CLASSIC

## Season 22, Issue 3

The MSC is a bowling venue for fifty and older players (male or female) to compete in against each other.
You must be at least 50 on the day of the tournament.

We have 12 events per year, June through May. Entry fee is $\$ 90$ for members, $\$ 100$ for non- members, membership is $\$ 45$ per season.

Payout is 1 for 2 , same day. The format is 8 random match games, with the $8^{\text {th }}$ game being a position round. A 4 or 5 game step ladder follows

When there are 6 or more SS or, if there are 4 or more SDS, one must be in the ladder; and if there are 4 or more ROGs, one must be in the ladder.

There must be at least one player under 59 and at least one player over 59 in the ladder, no matter anything else.

Age Classifications 50 through 58 is a regular 59 through 64 is a super senior(ss) 65 through 69 is a super duper(sds) 70 and older is a real old guy(rog)

To cash, you must finish in the top 50\% Of your age bracket.

The year end tournament has added money to each payout position. To qualify for the year end event, you must be a member and have played at least 3 tournaments in the 2014-15 season.

Your age determines your classification. You do not have the option of moving into another age bracket. For more info, go to
www. midwestseniorclassic.com/
Any questions related to payout and scoring will be left to the discretion of the Director.

Each MSC tournament is certified by the USBC


> L to R : Dave Whitman, Dana Wright, Champion Mike Wirz, Dave Ohlman, George Blazej

## Mike Wirz defeated tournament leader, Dana

 Wright, 233 to 199, to win his 6th title. Mike qualified in 2nd, defeated Dave Ohlman in the semi to advance. Mike bowled very well in the 2 games on a tough condition. He finished in 2nd last month.Dana had a good day, as he was the leading qualifier, only had 1 game below 200. He is looking to win his 1st title. The runner up finish is his high to date. Look for him to win a title or 2 in the future.

Finishing in 3rd was another youngster, Dave Ohlman. He is also looking for his 1 st title. Dave was the 2nd high qualifier. He defeated Dave Whitman in the 2 nd ladder game to meet Ohlman. In this game, nothing seemed to go well for him, as he lost. Again, look for this player to win in the future.

Fourth was Dave Whitman. He won the 1st ladder game over George Blazej in a close match to advance. He had the misfortune of running into a 256 game. Nevertheless, he had a good event. Here is another player who will win a future tournament.

Finishing in 5th was George Blazej. He was the "oldster" in the ladder. He was not seeded, as he bowled very well to make the ladder. George has several top 5 finishes to his credit. A very good tournament!!!!!!!!!!!!

| 2015-2016 Schedule Dates and Sites |
| :---: |
| June 28, Sun ---------Andover Lanes |
| July 26, Sun-----------Sun Ray Lanes |
| Aug 23 , Sun---------TexaTonka- |
| Sept 27, Sun------------Flahertys |
| Oct 25, Sun-------------Eau Claire |
| Nov , Sun-------------TBA |
| Dec , Sun------------TBA |
| Jan , Sun------------TBA |
| Mar , Sun-----.-------TBA |
| Mar , Sun-------------TBA |
| Apr , Sun------------TBA |
| May ,Sun------------TBA |

## Texa-Tonka Lanes

Date: August 23, 2015---Sunday
Paddock: 0830
Warm up: 0920
Bowl: 0930
Address $\mathbf{8 2 0 0}$ Minnetonka Blvd
St Louis Park, Mn 55426
Phone number: 952-935-3427
Directions; Located on the $\mathbf{N}$ side of Minnetonka Blvd

Mapquest or Google your directions or use your GPS
Texa-Tonka has a new scoring system, 24 lanes, a full service Bar and cafe, pull tabs

Our hosts are Jeff Kristal, Bill Johnson and Steve Tricki

Tom Korth, Mike Wirz x 2,
Bob Thompson, Karl Kampa, Sam Lantto
Previous winners at
Texa-Tonka Lanes

## Please Note

Anyone entering the tournament as a nonmember must pay the $\$ 10$ nonmember fee. This fee cannot and will not be applied toward the membership dues of $\$ 45$. No matter how many events one enters as a nonmember, the extra $\$ 10$ cannot be applied to towards the membership dues.

## J.D.'s fairly Useless Information

YOYOs: clauson-237-147-201, ohlman-240-187-239, schacht-172-249-189-202, whitman-178-266-157206, wright-231-171-238,
Greatest difference-consecutive games: - 100
korth-231 to 131
Honor scores: -none,


Games >250 $2=10 \%$ of games bowled
Games < 150-20

Field average: 185-new record low high 3game start-------------casher--------614---.------schroeder
high game start -------------casher---------223---------downer
low 3 game start--------------casher---------468----------korth
Iow game start-------------- casher--------145---.------korth
First time casher----
Most wins------7----- wirz
All deuces---- none
Needed to make stepladder-win at least $5 \mathrm{gms}+$ average-196
Needed to cash-average 188 and win at least 4 games
Player with highest opponent total---downer
Player with the lowest opponent total--henk
Age group averages for this event
seniors197

super seniors ..... 177
super duper seniors- ..... -186
real old guys ..... 172
Cashers per age bracket
Seniors---13 ..... $-6$

SS
-4
$\qquad$

SDS---------3- $\qquad$ ROG $\qquad$ -3- $\qquad$

## Rants and Raves,

Thanks to Sun Ray Lanes, Robbie Lawrence and his staff for hosting us. The shot was tough, the staff did an excellent job, service was great .

## The MSC website url http://midwestseniorclassic.com/ Please bookmark the site after you

| player | pts | player | ave | player | gms | player | $\$ \$ \$$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| wirz | 48 | wirz | 227 | Wirz | 13 | wirz | $\$ 545$ |
| downer | 38 | ohlman | 225 | blazej | 11.5 | downer | $\$ 445$ |
| blazej | 36 | downer | 224 | downer | 10.5 | ohlman | $\$ 340$ |
| ohlman | 36 | wright | 221 | ohlman | 10 | Blazej | $\$ 335$ |
| wright | 28 | blazej | 219 | schroeder | 10 | wright | $\$ 245$ |
| peterson | 23 | peterson | 218 | peterson | 9 | peterson | $\$ 210$ |
| schacht | 22 | schacht | 211 | theis | 9 | schacht | $\$ 210$ |
| whitman | 19 | schroeder | 210 | clauson | 9 | Poelzer | $\$ 165$ |
| schroeder | 18 | abrams | 209 | schacht | 8 | schroeder | $\$ 165$ |
| poelzer | 17 | coughey | 197 | abrams | 7.5 | whitman | $\$ 165$ |
| clauson | 17 | theis | 196 | ring | 7 | bordson | $\$ 145$ |
| bordson | 14 | latvala | 196 | poelzer | 6 | clauson | $\$ 125$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Blazej | 36 | Blazej | 219 | blazej | 11.5 | Blazej | 335 |
| schacht | 22 | schacht | 211 | theis | 9 | schacht | 210 |
| poelzer | 17 | abrams | 209 | schacht | 8 | Poelzer | 165 |
| theis | 13 | theis | 196 | abrams | 7.5 | theis | 105 |
| latvala | 12 | latvala | 196 | ring | 7 | Schmid | 95 |
| korth | 12 | hopkins | 189 | poelzer | 6 | korth | 95 |
| schmid | 9 | ring | 189 | hopkins | 6 | holets | 90 |

Final Statistics for 2014-2015
For all players, go to the web site

New for the 2015-2016 season

The seeding number has been changed in 2 age categories.
super seniors lowered to 6 super duper seniors lowered to 4

| pos | pts | Players | Scratch | Bonus | Total | Paid | $\$ \$ \$$ |
| :---: | :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 25 | Mike Wirz | 1646 | 240 | 1886 | yes | $\$ 285$ |
| 2 | 23 | Dana Wright | 1729 | 280 | 2009 | yes | $\$ 205$ |
| 3 | 21 | Dave Oulman | 1681 | 160 | 1841 | yes | $\$ 185$ |
| 4 | 19 | Dave Whitman | 1577 | 200 | 1777 | yes | $\$ 165$ |
| 5 | 17 | George Blazej (SDS) | 1570 | 240 | 1810 | yes | $\$ 145$ |
| 6 | 15 | Dave Clauson | 1570 | 160 | 1730 | yes | $\$ 125$ |
| 7 | 14 | Terry Schacht (SDS) | 1555 | 160 | 1715 | yes | $\$ 115$ |
| 8 | 13 | Rob Downer | 1543 | 160 | 1703 | yes | $\$ 110$ |
| 9 | 12 | Tom Korth (SS) | 1473 | 160 | 1633 | yes | $\$ 95$ |
| 10 | 11 | Hal Abrams (SS) ** | 1453 | 160 | 1613 | yes | $\$ 90$ |
| 11 | 5 | Rich Latvala (ROG) <br> $* *$ | 1483 | 120 | 1603 | yes | $\$ 90$ |

Qualifying Leader: Dana Wright with an average of: 216.13
Field Averaged: 184.832
** Category seeded

| Title |  | Mike Wirz |  |  |  | 233 |
| ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Title |  | Dana Wright |  |  |  |  |
| 3 |  | Mike Wirz |  |  | 248 |  |
| 3 |  | Dave Oulman |  |  | 168 |  |
| 2 |  | Dave Whitman |  | 213 |  |  |
| 2 |  | Dave Oulman |  | 255 |  |  |
| 1 |  | George Blazej (SDS) | 170 |  |  |  |
| 1 |  | Dave Whitman | 191 |  |  |  |

Financial Information

|  | Income |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Entries |  | 23 | $\$ 90.00$ | 2070 |
| added money |  |  |  | 0 |
| New Memberships | memberships | 0 |  | 0 |
| TOTAL |  |  |  | 2070 |
|  | Outgo |  |  |  |
| Prize Fund | entries | 23 | $\$ 70.00$ | 1610 |
| Lineage | entries | 23 | $\$ 13.00$ | 299 |
| To yr end | entries | 23 | $\$ 5.00$ | 115 |
| added pay out |  | 0 | $\$ 0.00$ | 0 |
| Bumped players | entries | 23 | $\$ 2.00$ | 46 |
|  |  |  |  | 2070 |
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| pos | pts | Players | Scratch | Bonus | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 12 | 5 | Greg Schroeder (Bumped) | 1524 | 160 | 1684 |
| 13 | 5 | Steve Coughey (Bumped) | 1467 | 200 | 1667 |
| 14 | 2 | Ed Peterson | 1503 | 120 | 1623 |
| 15 | 2 | Curt Matlock | 1447 | 160 | 1607 |
| 16 | 2 | Rick Henk | 1417 | 160 | 1577 |
| 17 | 2 | Doug Wobbema (SS) | 1450 | 120 | 1570 |
| 18 | 2 | Tom Gallivan (SDS) | 1347 | 160 | 1507 |
| 19 | 2 | Gary Ring (ROG) | 1322 | 160 | 1482 |
| 20 | 2 | Don Theis (ROG) | 1319 | 160 | 1479 |
| 21 | 2 | Eric Horner | 1306 | 160 | 1466 |
| 22 | 2 | Mike Netland | 1334 | 120 | 1454 |
| 23 | 2 | Larry Hopkins (SS) | 1293 | 80 | 1373 |

**** Seeded into match play
Honor Counts: none

