

# MIDWEST SENIOR CLASSIC

Season 23, Issue 6

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The MSC is a bowling venue for fifty and older players (male or female).

One must be at least 50 on the day of the tournament.

We have 9 events per year, September 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 7 random match games, with an 8<sup>th</sup> game being a position round. A 4 or 5 game step ladder follows

Step ladder formula, top five, if no SS, SDS, or ROG is among the top 5 qualifiers, then the following formula is used:

If there are 6 or more SS, the high SS is seeded,

If there are 4 or more SDS, the high SDS is seeded;

If there are 4 or more RoG, the high RoG is seeded

Seeds play each other in the 1<sup>st</sup> ladder game. There must be at least one player under 59

For more specific stepladder rules go to our website and see rules

#### 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, generally, you must finish in the top 50% of your age bracket. There are rare exceptions to this statement.

The yearend tournament has added money to each payout position. To qualify for the year end event, one must be a member and have played at least 3 tournaments in the 2016-17 season.

One's age determines your classification. One does not have the option of moving into another age bracket.

For more specifics, go to

[www.midwestseniorclassic.com/](http://www.midwestseniorclassic.com/)

**Any questions related to procedures, payout and scoring will be left to the discretion of the Director.**

Each MSC tournament is certified by the USBC



l to r: Mike Wirz , **Champion** Ron Cleveland, Terry Schacht, Dave Oulman, Carl Hendrickson, Dave Lutz

### A shocking ending to a tournament.

As a result, Ron Cleveland won his 4<sup>th</sup> title. Cleveland began the tournament with a 300, his 8<sup>th</sup>, and was the leading qualifier with 2113, 6 pins ahead of Oulman. The match was close going into the 10<sup>th</sup>. Cleveland had a clean game, finished 1<sup>st</sup>, marking out for a 203. Oulman had a 4 bagger from the 5<sup>th</sup> thru the 8<sup>th</sup>, ringing a 10 in the 9<sup>th</sup>. The last thing anyone watching expected from Oulman in the 10<sup>th</sup> was an errant shot. He left a 4-6-7 to finish with a 200. With this finish, Oulman increases his lead in the PoY points. Cleveland, with the win, moves into the top 5 of the PoY points list. Aside from MSCs, he has been doing extremely well in other local tournaments.

Finishing in 3<sup>rd</sup> was Mike Wirz, last year's PoY. Mike was 3<sup>rd</sup> qualifier. He met Carl Hendrickson and proceeded to shoot 299 at him, leaving a 9 pin on his last shot. In the following game, he lost to Oulman when he failed to strike out. With this finish, he moves into 3<sup>rd</sup> on the PoY list, looking to defend his PoY.

4<sup>th</sup> place was taken by Carl Hendrickson. Carl was seeded, defeated 2 very tough players, Dave Lutz and Terry Schacht, before going against Wirz. Carl is looking to be the 1<sup>st</sup> RoG to win 2 titles as a RoG. A very good event for him. He has become a part time player. Look for him to be in the ladder again.

5<sup>th</sup> place went to smooth stroking Terry Schacht. He is looking for title # 6. He has 22 top 5 finishes to his credit. This was his 1<sup>st</sup> event of the season. Against Carl, he just didn't have enough strikes. In qualifying, he was 1 of 3 players to have 8 deuces.

Losing the 1<sup>st</sup> match and finishing 6<sup>th</sup> was Dave Lutz. Lutz is looking for title #5. As a part time player, he does well. He has more than a dozen top 5 finishes on his MSC resume.

**2016-2017 Schedule  
Dates and Sites**

Sept 18, Sun-----Apple Place  
Oct 16, Sun-----Drkula's  
Nov 13, Sun-----Rochester  
Dec 18, Sun-----Matties  
Jan 22, Sun-----Sun Ray  
Feb 26, Sun-----Louisville-  
Mar 19, Sun-----Andover  
Apr 23, Sun-----Texa Tonka  
May tbd, Sun-----Treasure Island

## Louisville Lanes

**Date: February 26, 2017---Sunday**

**Paddock: 0830**

**Warm up: 0920**

**Bowl: 0930**

**Address 3020 133<sup>rd</sup> St W**

**Shakopee, Mn 55379**

**Phone number: 952-244-5811**

**Directions; Mapquest or Google your directions**

**or**

**use your GPS**

**Loiusville Lanes has 24 lanes, a full service Bar  
Snack Bar and a game room, pool tables, pull  
tabs, many tvs**

**Previous winners at**

**Louisville Lanes**

**Mike Wirz, Brian Floen,  
Dave Freeman, Craig  
Schiffler**

**For more info and pictures**

**Go to**

**[midwestseniorclassic.com/](http://midwestseniorclassic.com/)**

**Or**

**Mnbowling.com**

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**Brief glance at the 2016-2017 Season**

*5 tournaments to date*

*149 total entries*

*29 entries per event*

*58 different players have participated in at  
least one tournament*

*37 of 58 players have cashed*

*After 4 tournaments, field average is 215*

*1 800s and 4 300, 2-299*

*Yearend added prize fund to date: \$745*

## J.D.'s fairly Useless Information

YOYOs: downer-255-188-279, gallivan-225-180-243, lutz-234-188-221, halide-246-180-280, hanke-215-190-215, Hopkins-207-162-247, nils-257-138-238, nordyke-247-181-218, Olynyk-248-170-228-182-257, racette-212-178-230, schiffler-277-165-229, wright-245-181-258,

Greatest difference-consecutive games- - 119

Nils 257 to 138

Honor scores: -0

high 3 game start-----ladder guy-----770-----wirz  
 low 3 game start-----ladder guy-----642-----oulman  
 high game start-----ladder guy-----265-----lutz  
 low game start-----ladder guy-----201-----oulman

Games >250-- 29

Games < 150—4

Field average: 215

high 3 game start-----cashier-----722-----downer  
 high game start -----cashier-----258-----halida  
 low 3 game start-----cashier-----596-----poelzer  
 low game start----- cashier-----160-----sopp

First time cashier-

Most wins--6.5-----cleveland

all deuces—wirz, oulman, schacht

-needed to make stepladder-win at least 5 gms + average-233  
 needed to cash-average 221 and win at least 4 games

Player with highest opponent total---1899-nordyke

player with the lowest opponent total-1592-schacht

group averages for this event

seniors----- 221

super seniors----- 216

super duper seniors-----217

real old guys-----211

Cashers per age bracket

Seniors-- -15-----8

SS-----8-----4

SDS-----3-----2

ROG-----6-----3

## Current Statistics

PoY		average		Gms		Money	
oulman	97	oulman	238	downer	28	oulman	1010
downer	84	downer	229	oulman	27	downer	845
Wirz	64	Cleveland	229	Wright	24.5	Wirz	600
Cleveland	54	Hanke	238	Racette	20	Cleveland	575
Havlish	52	Lutz	227	Wirz	20	Havlish	495
Wright	44	Hommes	226	Lutz	20	Sikora	465
Lutz	43	Schiffler	225	Nelson	19	Blazej	455
Sikora	40	Wirz	224	Blazej	18.5	Schiffler	420
Blazej	37	Halida	222	Halide	18.5	Lutz	405
schiffler	37	wright	222	havlish	18	nelson	400
				<b>Senior</b>			
Wirz	64	Wirz	224	Racette	20	Wirz	600
Havlish	52	Holets	221	Wirz	20	Havlish	495
sikora	40	<b>Havlish</b>	218	blazej	18.5	Sikora	465
Blazej	37	racette	217	Havlish	18	Blazej	455
Holets	35	Korth	217	Gallivan	17	Gallivan	370
korth	30	segerstrom	213	Schmid	14.5	Holets	335

Please note:

Copies of MSC rules and procedures are available on the web site.

	Income			
Entries		34	\$90.00	3060
Entry Fees	non-members	?		0
New Memberships	memberships	0		0
TOTAL				3060
	Outgo			
Prize Fund	entries	34	\$70.00	2380
Lineage & expenses	entries	34	13	442
To yr end tourney	entries	34	\$5.00	170
membership to director	entries		\$45.00	0
Bumped players	entries	34	\$2.00	68
non member fee		0	\$10.00	0
	<b>Totals</b>			3060
Value of yr end	Entries to date	115	5	745

34 entries

pos	pts	Players	Scratch	Bonus	Total	Paid	\$\$\$
1	25	Ron Cleveland	1853	260	2113	yes	\$320
2	23	Dave Oulman	1907	200	2107	yes	\$245
3	21	Mike Wirz (SS)	1937	160	2097	yes	\$200
4	19	Carl Hendrickson (ROG)	1695	200	1895	yes	\$180
5	17	Terry Schacht (SDS)	1843	240	2083	yes	\$160
6	15	Dave Lutz	1870	200	2070	yes	\$150
7	14	Kurt Hanke	1830	200	2030	yes	\$140
8	13	Jeff Segerstrom (SS)	1818	200	2018	yes	\$120
9	12	Terry Halida	1818	200	2018	yes	\$110
10	11	Rob Downer	1893	120	2013	yes	\$105
11	10	Craig Schiffler	1803	200	2003	yes	\$100
12	9	Clark Poelzer (SDS)	1752	240	1992	yes	\$95
13	8	Ted Sopp	1731	240	1971	yes	\$95
14	7	Tim Racette (SS)	1699	240	1939	yes	\$90
15	6	Larry Hopkins (SS)	1737	160	1897	yes	\$90
16	5	Tom Gallivan (ROG)	1710	160	1870	yes	\$90
17	5	George Blazej (ROG)	1713	140	1853	yes	\$90

Total  
pay  
out = \$2,380

Qualifying Average Leader : Wirz with an average of: 242.13  
Field Averaged: 217.40

Stepladder Games

title	Ron Cleveland			203
title	Dave Oulman			200
4	Mike Wirz (SS)			227
4	Dave Oulman			239
3	Mike Wirz (SS)		299	
3	Carl Hendrickson (ROG)		215	
2	Terry Schacht (SDS)	204		
2	Carl Hendrickson (ROG)	234		
1	Dave Lutz	215		
1	Carl Hendrickson (ROG)	229		

Honor Counts: Cleveland: 300 (7 & 8)  
Wirz: 299 (7 & 8) in the step ladder

pos	pts	Players	Scratch	Bonus	Total
18	5	Dana Wright (Bumped)	1781	160	1941
19	5	Bill Nelson (Bumped)	1711	200	1911
20	5	Carl Fietek (Bumped)	1738	160	1898
21	2	Tom Wakefield (SS)	1694	200	1894
22	2	Greg Schroeder	1705	160	1865
23	2	Mike Schmid (ROG)	1741	100	1841
24	2	Dave Olynyk	1710	120	1830
25	2	Steve Mewhorter (SS)	1608	220	1828
26	2	Janell Niles	1707	120	1827
27	2	Todd Schneiderhan	1683	140	1823
28	2	Karl Kampa	1720	80	1800
29	2	Reed Nordyke (SS)	1716	80	1796
30	2	Rich Latavla (ROG)	1660	80	1740
31	2	Daryl Konrad (SDS)	1611	120	1731
32	2	Doug Wobbema (SS)	1587	120	1707
33	2	Gary Ring (ROG)	1615	60	1675
34	2	Miike Houck	1538	120	1658

**Rants and Raves.**

Thanks to Robbie Lawrence and his staff for hosting us. The shot was good and the staff did an excellent job .

Regarding the **February date** change from the 19<sup>th</sup> to the 26<sup>th</sup>.

The Board of Directors wants to acknowledge it made the difficult decision to change the Feb date with the best of intentions. Ultimately, it was a poor decision based on poor information. For that, the Board offers its regrets and apologizes to the members who will be affected. The 26<sup>th</sup> date will stand. In the future, it was decided dates and sites would be changed only when a scheduled bowling establishment closes.

The MSC would like to acknowledge Janelle Niles, only the 6<sup>th</sup> female to play an MSC.

Hopefully, more women will give the MSC a try. FYI, Anne Bryand is the only woman to cash in an MSC event.

**Sad News**

Pete Bahr, MSC titlist and nice guy, passed away. For more info, go to [mnbowling.com](http://mnbowling.com)

Bob Hanson, USBC Hall of Famer and Mr nice guy is moving to Florida. His last week in Mn will be the 2<sup>nd</sup> week in February. We wish him well and thank him for who he is.

If change is necessary, the membership can decide whether or not changes can be made or need to be made

As you know, the MSC has no dress policy other than banning the wearing of trousers with holes.

We suggest wearing long shirts that either can be tucked into your pants waist or hang below the rear pocket of ones trousers  
The goal, to avoid "PLUMBER BUTT"...

**Concord Lanes**





	<b>Income</b>			
Entries		48	\$90.00	4
Entry Fees	non-members	?		
New Memberships	memberships	0		
<b>TOTAL</b>				4
	<b>Outgo</b>			
Prize Fund	entries	48	\$70.00	3
Lineage	entries	48	\$13.00	0
To yr end tourney	entries	48	\$5.00	1
membership to dire	entries	0	\$45.00	
Bumped players	entries	48	\$2.00	
non member fee		0	\$10.00	
	<b>Totals</b>			4
<b>Value of yr end</b>	yr end value	227	\$5	1
membership to dire	members	0	\$45.00	









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