

# MIDWEST SENIOR CLASSIC

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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<sup>th</sup> game being a position round. A 4 or 5 game step ladder follows

When there are 8 or more SS or, if there are 6 or more SDS, one must be in the ladder; and if there are 4 or more ROG's, one must be in the ladder.

There must be 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. Payout is guaranteed 1 for 2 for ss, sds and rogs.

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 4 tournaments in the 2012-13 season.

**For every 20 bowlers, there will be a non casher high game**

Your age determines your classification. You do not have the option of moving into another age bracket.

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: Craig Schiffler, Terry Halida, Brian Floen, Champion Rob Downer, Dave Freeman, Doug Burnikel

**Rob Downer is still sizzling, as he won his 2<sup>nd</sup> consecutive tourney and his 3<sup>rd</sup> of the season. He qualified in 3<sup>rd</sup> and once in the ladder, was unstoppable. He defeated 3 tough opponents with games of 300, 279 and 258. He set a record 3 game ladder total of 834. He takes the lead in the "POY" race.**

The tournament leader, Dave Freeman, was the qualifying leader with a total of 1993(2<sup>nd</sup> highest of the season). The title match was actually close. Freeman left 4 7 pins. Dave is looking for his 2<sup>nd</sup> title.

Craig Schiffler is also looking for his 2<sup>nd</sup> title. Craig was 2<sup>nd</sup> high qualifier. Schiffler's game against Downer was one of no carry. He had another great tourney.

Fourth was Brian Floen, who was victimized by Downer's 300 game. To get to that match, he defeated Burnikel. Brian is looking for career title number 7.

Doug Burnikel qualified for his first stepladder. He was 5<sup>th</sup> and met Terry Halida in the 1<sup>st</sup> ladder game. The game seemed over after Doug finished his 10<sup>th</sup> frame. Halida needed a mark in the 10<sup>th</sup>. Terry bowled and left a split. This resulted in a tie. Going 1<sup>st</sup> in a 9 & 10<sup>th</sup> rolloff, Terry spared. Doug pitched a three bagger to win. Terry is looking for his 4<sup>th</sup> title. This was the high finish for each of these players for the season.

In the "stink hole" was ROG Wayne Hohenstein.

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## 2012-2013 Schedule

### *Dates and Sites*

January 27, Sun-----Drkula's  
February 23, Sat-----AMF Maplewood  
March 17, Sun-----Treasure Island  
April 21, Sun-----Skyline Lanes-Duluth  
May 19, Sun-----Brunswick-Blaine

## *Previous Winners at Skyline Lanes*

This is the first  
MSC to be held here.

For more info and pictures

Go to Tom Havlish's

[mnbowling.com](http://mnbowling.com)



Tournament trophies Courtesy of

Mike Schmid

## Skyline Lanes

Date: April 21, 2013---Sunday

Paddock: 0845

Warm up: 0920

Bowl: 0930

Address: 4894 Miller Trunk Hwy

Duluth, Mn 55811

Phone number: 218-727-8555

Directions; Located northeast of Duluth. From 35E, exit onto Cody St(exit 251A), turn left onto N 59<sup>th</sup> Ave W, turn left onto Highland St, continue onto Getchell, slight right onto Stebner Rd, turn right onto Miller Trunk.

Use your GPS or consult a map!!!!!!

Our hosts will be Dave Koquist & Tyler Swar

Skyline Lanes - has 24 lanes, automatic

- scorers, Lounge, Dave's Pizza, pull tabs, pro shop, game room .

Plan to bowl----call Don Theis at 952-944-6267

[perfuseguy@yahoo.com](mailto:perfuseguy@yahoo.com)

Two High games out of the money

at Island Xtreme Lanes \$40 ea

1st= Dave Bordson-299 2nd=Rich Latvala-279

## Rants and Raves.

Thanks to John Foss and his staff for providing us with a trouble free tournament.

## J.D.'s fairly Useless Information

**YOYOs**—Abrams-238-182-236, blad-232-186-235, bordson-206-182-235, hendrickson-224-179-211, hohenstein-204-181-201; micek-247-175-222, miller-237-175-233, moreland-203-155-204-158-203-178, poelzer-245-187-217, racette-266-182-212, segerstrom-267-161-202, stearns-233-184-203, suhr-245-172-201, Thompson-238-157-225,

**Greatest difference-consecutive games**-102--bordson- 299 to 197

**Honor scores**:-downer- 837-300-279-258, Bordson-299, schmid-299, racette-290,

high 3 game start-----ladder guy-----747-----downer  
low 3 game start-----ladder guy-----684-----burnikel  
low game start-----ladder guy-----225-----floen  
high game start-----ladder guy-----260-----downer  
high 3 game finish----ladder guy -----762-----freeman  
high game finish-----ladder guy-----258-----freeman

**Games** >250=47—16% of games bowled

**Games** < 150—1,

**Field average:** 221

high 3 game start-----casher-----749-----holets  
high game start -----casher-----290-----racette  
low 3 game start-----casher-----596-----baker  
low game start-----casher-----197-----baker  
high game finish-----casher-----254-----miller  
high 3 game finish-----casher-----747-----kohner

**First time cashers**-----

**Most wins**-----6---burnikel, corbett, downer, floen, freeman, halide, hohenstein, schiffler,

**All deuces**-----burnikel, freeman, halide, schiffler, van beck

**Needed to make stepladder-win** at least 6 games + average 230

**Needed to cash-average** 225 and win at least 4 games

**Player with highest opponent total**—van beck (season high)

**Van Beck** shot 1772 scratch-his opponent total was 3<sup>rd</sup> high all time.

**Age group averages for this event**

**seniors**----- 221

**super seniors**-----223

**super duper seniors**-----220

**real old guys**-----223

Rave:

The MSC has a web site.

<http://midwestseniorclassic.com/>

Please bookmark the site after you visit it.

Any suggestions regarding the site will be Considered.

### **Please Note**

In order to qualify for the year end event, the following need to play 1 more event.

Bushway, Hohenstein, Kohner, Miller, Nilsen, E Petersen, Robillard, Seath, Sherman, White, Wirz

The yearend tournament is an added money event, requiring 4 events and MSC membership.

**\$2300** will be added to the yearend prize fund.

## **Who will be the Player of the Year?**

Four players are dueling for this honor. With 2 tournaments remaining in the season, one of the four will win the honor. **Rob Downer**, last year's POY is currently in the lead with 147 pts, followed by **Dave Lutz's** 137, **Dave Freeman's** 130 and **Craig Schiffler's** 126.

For 59 and older players, **Roger Blad**, SDS leads **Clark Poelzer**, SS, 97 to 93.

**Players eligible for the year end tournament;**  
Abrams, Anderson, Baker, Blad, Blazej, Bordson, Burnikel, Busch, Captain, Corbett, Downer, Floen, Freeman, Gallivan, Halida, Hansen, Havlish, Hendrickson, Hollets, Hommes, Hopkins, Joyner, Korth, Latvala, Lutz, Matlock, Micek, Moreland, Olynyk, Poelzer, Racette, Rasmus, Ring, Schacht, Schiffler, Schmid, Segerstrom, Schroeder, Smith, Stepp, Stoeber, Suhr, Theis, B Thompson, R Thompson, Van Beck,

## Midwest Senior Classic

Treasure Island				
Players	Scratch	Bonus	Total	\$\$\$\$
Rob Downer	1891	240	2131	335
Dave Freeman	1993	240	2233	260
Craig Schiffler	1901	240	2141	210
Brian Floen	1882	240	2122	195
Doug Burnikel-SDS	1856	240	2096	175
Terry Halida	1842	240	2082	160
Wayne Hohenstein-ROG	1816	240	2056	155
Steve Kohner	1887	160	2047	130
Bob Miller	1829	200	2029	120
Tim Racette	1861	160	2021	110
Ken Holets-SS	1858	160	2018	100
Mike Schmid-ROG	1870	140	2010	95
Carl Hendrickson-SDS	1845	160	2005	95
Tom Corbett	1760	240	2000	90
Roger Blad-SDS	1782	200	1982	90
Bob Micek	1817	160	1977	90
Clark Poelzer-SS	1826	120	1946	90
Jeff Baker	1745	200	1945	90
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Rob Downer				258
Dave Freeman				247
Rob Downer			279	
Craig Schiffler			207	
Rob Downer		300		
Brian Floen		227		
Brian Floen	248			
Doug Burnikel-SDS	179			
Doug Burnikel-SDS	216*			
Terry Halida	216			
*Burnikel wins rolloff				
John Stoebner	1780	160	1940	
Rich Latvala-SDS	1773	160	1933	
Dave Bordson	1766	160	1926	
Hal Abrams	1720	200	1920	
Neil Busch-SS	1792	120	1912	
Curt Matlock	1725	160	1885	
Dave Olynky	1764	120	1884	
Dave Lutz	1762	120	1882	
Bob Stearns-SDS	1802	80	1882	
Jeff Segerstrom	1683	160	1843	
Bob Thompson	1695	120	1815	
Rich Van Beck	1772	40	1812	
Steve Suhr	1690	120	1810	
Karl Kampa	1664	120	1784	
Warren Manske	1653	120	1773	
Terry Schacht-SS	1696	40	1736	
Bruce Pals-ROG	1605	80	1685	
Gary Ring-SDS	1525	120	1645	
Gary Moreland	1434	40	1474	
	32301			
High gms out of money				
Field Average--221.4				
Dave Bordson	299			\$40
Rich Latvala-SDS	279			\$40

### Tournament Financial Information

	Income			
Entries		37	\$90.00	3330
Entry Fees	non-members	4	\$10.00	40
New Memberships	memberships	0	\$45.00	0
TOTAL				3370
	Outgo			
Prize Fund	entries	37	\$70.00	2590
Lineage	entries	37	\$13.00	481
To yr end tourney	entries	37	\$5.00	185
membership to direct	entries	0	\$35.00	0
Hi game out of \$\$	entries	37	\$2.00	74
membership to yr end		0	\$10.00	0
non member fee		4	\$10.00	40
				3370
	Totals			
To yr end	entries	404	\$5	2020
To yr end	memberships	54	\$10.00	540
Value of yr end				2560
membership to direct	members	54	\$35.00	1890

			Current		Statistics	
	Points		Average		Games won	
1	Downer	147	Downer	228.8	Freeman	47
2	Lutz	137	Freeman	227.6	Blad	44.5
3	Freeman	130	Schiffler	227.6	Racette	44.5
4	Schiffler	126	Lutz	226.4	Schiffler	44
5	Racette	97	Floen	225.3	Downer	44
6	Blad	93	Poelzer	222.4	Lutz	44
7	Poelzer	86	Micek	222.1	Corbett	43.5
8	Floen	79	Racette	221.1	Corbett	41.5
9	Corbett	78	Bordson	220.2	Bordson	40
10	Bordson	77	Hombres	219.5	Abrams	38
11	Abrams	66	Baker	219.7	Burnikel	37
12	Baker	58	Korth	219.5	Schmid	36.5
			SENIOR		PLAYERS	
1	Blad	93	Poelzer	222.4	Blad	44.5
2	Poelzer	86	Korth	219.5	Poelzer	41.5
3	Korth	53	Blad	217.5	Burnikel	37
4	Burnikel	52	Schacht	216.4	Schmid	36.5
5	Schacht	51	Joyner	215.6	Joyner	30
6	Schmid	45	Blazej	214.1	Thompson	30
7	Hendrickson	43	Busch	208.3	Korth	29
8	Smith	43	Havlish	207.4	Hendricksn	28.5
9	R Thompson	41	Burnikel	207.2	Schacht	28