

# MIDWEST SENIOR CLASSIC

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Season 20, Issue 1

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 ROGs, 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 2013-14 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. For more info, go to [midwestseniorclassic.com/](http://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: Jay Joyner, **Champion Tom Gallivan**, Tom Korth, Don Theis, Rob Downer, Craig Schiffler

Tom Gallivan had a “really” good day, as he won his 2<sup>nd</sup> title. It’s been almost 11 years since his first win. Tom averaged over 250 for the nine games, including an 808 for the last 3. He defeated the hottest player in the MSC, Rob Downer. Rob was looking for his 4<sup>th</sup> consecutive title and 5<sup>th</sup> of the season. Tom’s 279 was more than enough to prevent Rob’s attempt to win 4 in a row. For the 2<sup>nd</sup> year in a row, Rob is the “POY”.

Gallivan, a SDS player, became only the 4<sup>th</sup> SDS to win in the past 10 years. In 3<sup>rd</sup> was Ken Holets. Ken had 2 of the worst breaks a player could have. The 1<sup>st</sup>, in the 10<sup>th</sup> frame and the 2<sup>nd</sup>, in the 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> frame roll off. Nevertheless, he had a great tournament. Ken is looking for his 3<sup>rd</sup> title.

Tom Korth finished in 4<sup>th</sup>. He is looking to win his 9<sup>th</sup> title. 5<sup>th</sup> place went to Don Theis, who was seeded into the ladder. He managed to win the 1<sup>st</sup> ladder game.

The other 2 players in the ladder were Jay Joyner and Craig Schiffler. Schiffler and Joyner were looking for their 2<sup>nd</sup> title.

Blaine Brunswick Zone provided us with a medium shot, as the field averaged 206. 40 of 48 eligible players participated in the added money event.

This tournament concluded the 19<sup>th</sup> MSC season.

The 20<sup>th</sup> season will begin with the June tournament at Texa Tonka. The season will consist of 12 tournaments.

Beginning in June is a reduced entry fee for those 55 and over who have never played a previous MSC. The fee is \$55.

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## 2013-2014 Schedule

### Dates and Sites

June 23, Sun-----Texa Tonka  
July 21, Sun-----TBA  
August 18, Sun-----TBA  
Sept 22, Sun-----TBA  
Oct 27, Sun-----TBA  
Nov 24, Sun-----TBA  
Dec 22, Sun-----TBA  
Jan 26, Sun-----TBA  
Feb 16, Sun-----TBA  
Mar 23, Sun-----TBA  
Apr 27, Sun-----TBA  
May 18, Sun-----TBA

## Texa Tonka Lanes

Date: June 23, 2013---Sunday

Paddock: 0830

Warm up: 0920

Bowl: 0930

Address: 8200 Minnetonka Blvd

St Louis Park, Mn 55426

Phone number: 952-935-3427

Directions; Located on Minnetonka Blvd

From 100- Exit west onto Minnetonka Blvd

From 169-Exit east onto Minnetonka Blvd

Our hosts will be

Jeff Kristal, Steve Tricki, Bill Johnson

Texa Tonka Lanes - has 24 lanes, automatic  
scorers, Lounge, pro shop, pull tabs .

## Previous Winners at

### Minnetonka Lanes

Tom Korth, Mike Wirz x 2,  
Bob Thompson

For more info and pictures

Go to  
[midwestseniorclassic.com/](http://midwestseniorclassic.com/)  
Or  
[Mnbowling.com](http://Mnbowling.com)

**Mike's**  
**PRO SHOP**  
SINCE 1962

Tournament trophies Courtesy of

Mike Schmid

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 Blaine Brunswick Lanes \$40 ea

1st= Steve Kohner-279

2nd=Bob Micek-266

## Rants and Raves.

Thanks to Kristi Clark and staff for providing us  
with a trouble free tournament.

## J.D.'s fairly Useless Information

YOYOs-abrams-212-167-224, halida-266-177-213, captain-217-181-207, 266-177-213, Corbett-225-182-222, hohlenstein-215-170-222-182, olynk-201-177-266, 211-180-248, schmid-203-181-231, suhr-212-180-211, van beck-176-211-149-226, ,

**Greatest difference-consecutive games**-89—halida & olynk - 266 to 177

**Honor scores:** none

high 3 game start-----ladder guy-----750-----downer  
 low 3 game start-----ladder guy-----660-----korth  
 low game start-----ladder guy-----213-----korth  
 high game start-----ladder guy-----268-----downer  
 high 3 game finish-----ladder guy -----750-----gallivan  
 high game finish-----ladder guy-----287-----gallivan

**Games >250=29—9% of games bowled**

**Games < 150—8,**

**Field average: 206**

high 3 game start-----cashier-----718-----hommes  
 high game start -----cashier-----267-----freeman  
 low 3 game start-----cashier-----592-----suhr  
 low game start-----cashier-----170-----floen  
 high game finish-----cashier-----258-----hommes  
 high 3 game finish-----cashier-----728-----floen

**First time cashers**-----none

**Most wins**-----8---holets

**All deuces**-----downer, gallivan, joyner, korth,

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

**Needed to cash-average 209 and win at least 4 games**

**Player with highest opponent total**—

### **Age group averages for this event**

seniors----- 209  
 super seniors----- 219  
 super duper seniors----- 202  
 real old guys----- 206

Rave:

The MSC has a web site.

<http://midwestseniorclassic.com/>

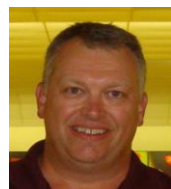
Please bookmark the site after you visit it.

Any suggestions regarding the site will be Considered.

### 2012-2013 MSC All Star teams



Rob Downer



Dave Freeman



Dave Lutz



Craig Schiffler



Roger Blad

### MSC Senior All Star Team



Roger Blad



Clark Poelzer



Tom Korth



Tom Gallivan



Doug Burnikel



Don Theis

**Congratulations to these players. Rob Downer is the MSC "POY" and Roger Blad is the "Senior POY".**

Please note: Selections are based on season "POY" Totals.

