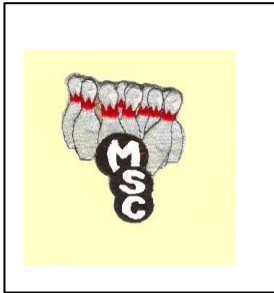


MIDWEST SENIOR CLASSIC

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L to r: Greg Schroeder, Champion Dave Freeman, Ron Stepp, Brian Floen, Tim Racette, Roger Blad, Dave Borfson

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.

Format is 8 match gms, with the 8th game being a position round. This is followed by a stepladder.

When there are 8 or more SS or 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)

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

Dave Freeman won his first MSC title. He started qualifying with a 266 and kept on going. He won all 8 matches in qualifying, averaging 247. In the title game, both he and Racette were matching strikes for the first 7 frames. Racette left a 2-8-10 in the 8th. Freeman jumped on the opening and finished the game with a 269. A well deserved victory.

Racette was looking to add another plaque to his current collection of 3. Tim qualified in 4th and defeated 2 very tough competitors, Floen and Bordson, to make it to the title game. As noted, the light hit against Freeman was the key shot in determining the outcome of the game. A good tournament!

Dave Bordson finished in third. Dave is looking for his first title in the MSC. Dave qualified in second. He made a big move with his last 3 game qualifying total of 773. This was his 3rd third place finish. Look for him to finish higher than third in an upcoming tournament. He shot a 300 game in the 3rd game.

Fourth went to Brian Floen, who is looking for his seventh title. Brian shot 8 deuces, won 5 games. His last 3 games totaled 784, which allowed him to move up several spots. Against Racette, he had several solid 7 pin leaves. Brian is looking for his 7th title.

Roger Blad finished in fifth place, his 5th such finish in MSC competition. Roger, a SDS, was seeded into the ladder. He defeated 2 players in the first ladder game to advance. He was a strike shy of besting Racette in the second ladder game. Roger is looking to win his 7th title.

Greg Schroeder finished in 6th place. Greg qualified in 5th. In the first ladder game, he just did not strike often enough to win. His previous high finish was a second.

Ron Stepp, the seeded ROG, was a strike short of winning. He falls back to his qualifying finish. Ron had 3 top 5 finishes last season.

The "Stink Hole" belonged to Craig Schiffler.

Louisville Lanes Results

	Louisville		Lanes		
	Players	Scratch	Bonus	Total	\$\$\$\$
1	Dave Freeman	1977	320	2297	340
2	Tim Racette	1867	280	2147	265
3	Dave Bordson	1942	280	2222	225
4	Brian Floen	1961	200	2161	210
5	Roger Blad-SDS	1774	240	2014	185
6	Greg Schroeder	1815	280	2095	170
7	Craig Schiffler	1831	200	2031	155
8	Dave Lutz	1824	200	2024	130
9	Dave Rasmus	1724	280	2004	115
10	Dale Seath	1738	160	1998	105
11	Dave Olynk	1760	200	1960	100
12	Clark Poelzer-SS	1759	200	1959	100
13	Tom Korth-SS	1746	200	1946	100
14	Bob Thompson	1696	240	1936	100
15	Roger Thompson-SS	1717	200	1917	95
16	Jay Joyner--SS	1725	160	1885	95
17	Terry Schacht-SS	1641	240	1881	90
18	George Blazej-SDS	1654	200	1854	90
19	Ron Stepp-ROG	1682	160	1842	90
20	Wayne Hohenstein-ROG	1702	120	1822	90
21	Bob Stearns-SDS	1622	200	1822	90
		37157			
	Stepladder Games				
5	Dave Freeman				269
5	Tim Racette				224
4	Tim Racette			223	
4	Dave Bordson			191	
3	Tim Racette		214		
3	Brian Floen		191		
2	Tim Racette	246			
2	Roger Blad-SDS	225			
1	Roger Blad-SDS	238			
1	Ron Stepp-ROG	224			
1	Greg Schroeder	190			
22	John Hommes	1726	200	1926	
23	Tom Corbett	1718	200	1918	
24	Larry Hopkins	1659	160	1819	
25	Rich Van Beck	1672	120	1792	
26	John Stoebner	1622	160	1782	
27	Jeff Baker	1660	120	1780	
28	Terry Halida	1646	120	1766	
29	Mike Schmid-ROG	1642	120	1762	
30	Hal Abrams	1594	120	1714	
31	Mike Bushway	1535	160	1695	
32	Bob Micek	1611	80	1691	
33	Curt Matlock	1562	120	1682	
34	Doug Burnikel-SS	1527	120	1647	
35	Bob Swercinski	1526	120	1646	
36	Gaery Ring-SDS	1550	80	1630	
37	Carl Hendrickson-SDS	1471	120	1591	
38	Tom Havlish-SS	1526	40	1566	
39	Rich Anderson-SDS	1510	40	1550	
40	Randy Gerdes	1449	40	1489	
41	Jack Wallisch-SDS	1481	0	1481	
42	Dick Hansen-ROG	1256	40	1296	

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TOURNAMENT INCOME				
Entries		42	90	3780
Entry Fees	nonmember	1	10	10
New Memberships	membership	9	45	405
Total				4195
TOURNAMENT OUTGO				
Prize Fund	entries	42	70	2940
Lineage	entries	42	13	546
To Yr End Tourney	entries	42	5	210
Membership to Dir	entries	9	35	315
Hi Game Out of \$\$	entries	42	2	84
Membership to yr en		9	10	90
Non member fee		1	10	10
				4195
Totals For Year End Tourney				
To Yr End Tourney	entries	86	5	430
To Yr End Tourney	memberships	40	10	400
Value of Year End				830
Membership to Dir	members	40	35	1400

		Current		Statistics	
Points		Average		Games Won	
B Thompson	32	D Freeman	247.1	Rasmus	13
T Racette	29	D Bordson	242.8	Schacht	13
R Thompson	27	B Floen	239.1	bo Thompson	12
D Rasmus	27	T Racette	233.7	Racette	11.5
D Freeman	25	Rob Downer	232.9	R Thompson	11
T Corbette	25	N Busch	232.1	Hommes	11
T Schacht	24	B Thompson	232.1	Blad	10.5
R Blad	22	T Corbett	231.5	Corbett	10
D Bordson	21	L Almstad	230.1	Poelzer	10
B Floen	21	D Seath	229.8	Stoebner	10
C Hendrkson	19	Bi Thompson	229.4	Hendrcksn	9
C Schiffler	16	T Korth	228.6	Schiffler	9
		SENIOR		PLAYERS	
R Thompson	27	N Busch	232.13	Schacht	13
T Schacht	24	L Almstad	230.1	R Thompson	11
R Blad	22	T Korth	228.6	Blad	10.5
C Hendrkson	19	R Thompson	227.7	Poelzer	10
C Poelzer	16	J Joyner	226.7	Hendrcksn	9
J Joyner	14	C Poelzer	225.9	Schmid	9
M Schmid	14	G Blazej	223.7	Joyner	8
T Korth	13	R Blad	223.6		

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2012-2013 Schedule

Dates and Sites

July 22, Sun-----Texa Tonka Lanes
 August 19, Sun-----Louisville Lanes
 September 23-----Brunswick BP
 October 28-Sun-----West Side Lanes
 November 11, Sun---Saxon
 December 16-Sun----Southtown
 January 27-Sun-----TBA
 February 23,Sat-----AMF Maplewood
 March 24, Sun-----Treasure Island
 April 21, Sun-----TBA
 May 19, Sun-----Brunswick XL Blaine

*Previous Winner at
 Brunswick Zone
 Brooklyn
 Park.*

*Jay Joyner defeated
 Roger Blad*

in last season's event

**Tournament trophies
 courtesy
 of
 Mike Schmid**

**Go to Tom Harlick's
 For more Tom and pictures
 mnbowling.com**

**Mike's
 PRO SHOP**

Brunswick Zone – Brooklyn Park

Date: Sunday, September 23 , 2012

Paddock: 0845

Warm up: 0920

Bowl: 0930

Address: 7545 Brooklyn Blvd

Brooklyn Park, Mn 55379

Phone number: 952-445-8112

Directions; Located on the southwest side of Brooklyn Blvd near Zane. From 694/94 exit north onto Brooklyn Blvd/highway 152, it will be on the left. From Hwy 169, exit east onto 77th Ave N, stay on this ave and it will be on the right.

Brooklyn Zone - has 36 lanes, automatic scorers, a full service Restaurant/Lounge, big game area.

**Plan to bowl--all Don Theis
at 952-944-6267**

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Two High games out of the money

Louisville Lanes at \$40 ea

1st=Jeff Baker=266 2nd=Tom Corbett =259

**Rants, Raves and etc
 RAVE-**

Thanks to Dick Benson and his staff

for providing us with a smooth running tournament.

Rave- The shot was very good. The field averaged 208. There were 3 honor counts, 2 300s and a 299.

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Rants, Raves and etc (continued)

etc-several players had opponents who shot 8 200+ games at them: floen, micek

hohenstein's opponents shot 1922 at him

etc-Several changes will be introduced for this season.

1)As you know, a high game out of the money was awarded \$40 for every 13 entries.

Because our lineage to the house increased to \$13 per entry, the high game will be \$40 for every 20 entries.

In an attempt to keep 65 and older players from retiring from competition, the former ratio of 8:1 for stepladder seeding has been revised. The new ratio is: SDS=1 for 6; ROG= 1 for 4. The ratio for SS remains at 1 for 8.

I would like to emphasize the impact older Players (ROG) have on the MSC. In a typical tournament, for every 2 entries, they put \$140 into the prize fund and usually take out \$90. That leaves \$50 for the field.

The MSC now has a web site. It is a project under construction. At present, all necessary information is posted.

The address is:

<http://midwestseniorclassic.com/>

Once you access this site, bookmark it. Any suggestions regarding this site are welcomed.

Note

About Brunswick: last year, 8 players had 1800 to 1997, 8 more players had at least 1700, but less than 1800.

The field average was 210. There were no honor counts.

J.D.'s fairly Useless Information

YOYOs Abrams-183-257-174-224; blad-234-182-215; halide-214-188-237; korth-243-174-223; micek-235-161-202; matlock-217-178-212-170-237; -olynk-255-156-200; poelzer-205-182-269; Schacht-208-183-200; schmid-192-214-181-205-160-234; Schroeder-238-184-267; stepp-232-180-215; stoebner-216-162-237;

Greatest difference-consecutive games-102-b thompson-299 to 197

Honor scores 300-dave bordson, dave lutz; :299- bob thompson;

high 3 game start-----ladder guy-----742-----freeman

low 3 game start-----ladder guy-----611-----racette

low game start-----ladder guy-----220-----bordson

high game start-----ladder guy-----266-----freeman

high 3 game finish----ladder guy -----784-----floen

high game finish-----ladder guy-----279-----bordson

Games >250=32—5.2% of games bowled

Games < 150—5,

Field average:-208,

high 3 game start-----casher-----740-----olynk

high game start -----casher-----268-----korth

low 3 game start-----casher-----530-----b thompson

low game start-----casher-----170-----rasmus

high game finish-----casher-----256-----schiffler

high 3 game finish-----casher-----718-----schiffler

First time cashers-----

Most wins-----8-----freeman

All deuces-----freeman, bordson, floen, seath

Needed to make stepladder-win at least 5 games + average 227

Needed to cash-average 216 and win at least 4 games

Player with highest opponent total—micek 1967

Age group averages for this event

seniors-----215

super seniors-----208

super duper seniors-----198

real old guys-----196