

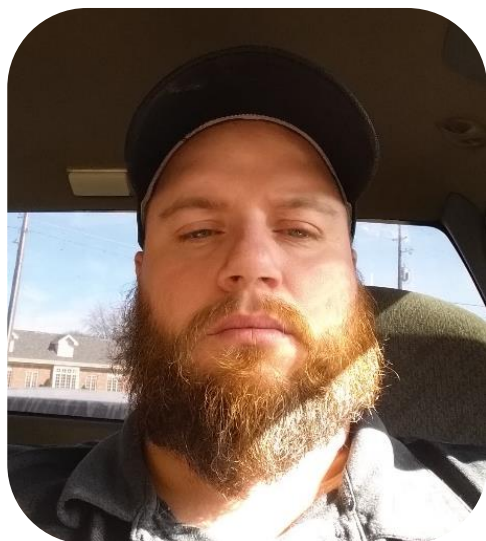


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Armstrong leads the way:



John Armstrong fired 774 (258-280 – 67 pins over average – 236 – 135 pins over average for three games) in the Sunday Morning Men's League (SMML) at Marcin Bowl to lead all bowlers in Lambton County Tenpin Association bowling action this past week. Armstrong is having a great year in the SMML as he posted his 5th 700 in the league this season. His other 700's were 747 (234-255-258), 709 (237-225-247), 741 (276-248-217) and 720 (235-227-258). He also has 2-700's in the Bluewater Monday Night Men's League (BMNML): 725 (234-246-245) and 716 (255-

Friis is tops for the women:

Jill Friis rolled 760 (267 – 290 – 87 pins over average - 203 – 151 pins over average for three games) in the Tuesday Night Ladies League (TNLL) at Marcin Bowl to lead the way for the women in LCTA bowling action this past week. The right handed Sarnia born bowler who resides in Mount Brydges is having a solid year in the TNLL averaging 209 for 24 games. The number of games in the TNLL is lower than most leagues this year because the league is forced to bowl alternate weeks due to COVID – 19. Friis is a member of the



Team Canada Tenpin Senior Women's team along with Lisa Morabito from St. Catharines, Ontario, Deb Lee from Surrey, British Columbia and Sharan Tatary from Winnipeg, Manitoba. The team competes each year in the World Championships and the Pan American Bowling Congress tournaments.

Skinner slides into second for the men:



Kyle Skinner fired 757 (278 - 72 pins over average -259 - 220 – 139 pins over average for three games) in the Bluewater Monday Night Men's League (BMNML) at Marcin Bowl to register the men's second high triple of the week in LCTA bowling action. Skinner had previously bowled in the Sunday Morning Men's League for eight years. His averages starting from the 2010-2011 season and corresponding upwards in the league were 208 – 209 – 218 -212 – 217 – 211 – 212 and 211. In the 2018-2019 season he switched to the BMNML and only averaged 173 because he was forced to bowl the two handed delivery rather than the single arm swing due to an injury. Last

season in the BMNML he averaged 207 for 42 games. This year he is averaging 211 for 30 games. The lefty's most memorable night on the lanes happened at Marcin Bowl on January 4, 2015 when fired 807 (290-299 – solid 7 pin - 218). He also has another 299 (March 18, 2019) to his credit. He bowls on the team "True Colours Tatoon" with fellow amigos Brandon Gauthier, Mark White, Ryan Skinner, Nathan Gonzalez and spare bower Dan Chopp.

Marciniszyn edged in third:

Mike Marciniszyn wheeled 749 (247-246-256) in the Sunday Morning Men's League at Marcin Bowl to take third place in the race for the men's high triple of the week. It was his 6th 700 plus triple in the league this year. His other 700 plus triples are 732 (232-235-265), 779 (273-247-259), 775 (280-249-246), 703 (279) and his 812 (268-258-286) which he bowled three weeks ago. Marciniszyn has another 800 (804) which he



bowled in the Cowboys And Indians League in Port Huron in 2008. He has 10-300's in his pocket posted in league and tournament action in the Canadian Tenpin Federation, the United States Bowling Congress and the defunct American Bowling Congress. He is having a super year averaging 230 for 45 games this year. His closest competitors in the league are Larry Plumb 223 after 42 games and Connor Smith 219 after 21 games.

Scott grabs fourth place:



Paul Scott rolled 743 (266-247-230 – 113 pins over average for three games) in the Sunday Morning Men's League (SMML) at Marcin Bowl to grab the men's fourth high triple of the week. Paul started bowling 5 pin at age 6 at Northgate Bowl but after a couple years he switched to 10 pin in the Marcin Bowl Youth Bowling Program and has been knocking down the pins for 41 years. The right handed bowler's personal highest sanctioned scores are 782 and 300. He recorded his sanctioned 300 in the SMML on January 20, 2008. He also has a non-sanctioned natural 300 which he bowled in his final game in a no tap tournament after registering back to back no tap 300's giving him a 900 series. His most memorable moment in bowling was of course when he rolled his first perfect game. He also said it was exciting to watch his kids start in the Marcin Bowl Youth Bowling Program over the last couple years and watch them reach their first 200 games. He is averaging 213 for 39 games this year in the SMML. He bowls on the team "Crossroad - CL" with fellow compadres Bill Cole, Jay Chipman, Walter Amyotte and Steve Peters.

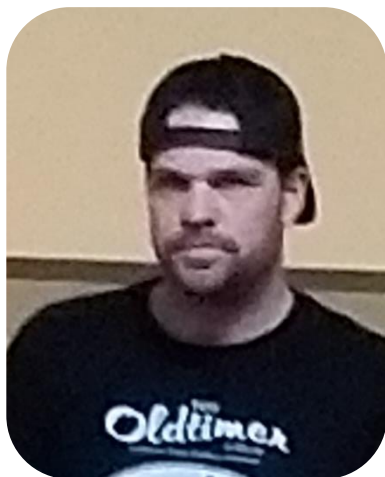
Pelkie second best for the ladies:

Morgan Pelkie tossed 723 (246-228-249) in the Tuesday Night Ladies League at Marcin Bowl to take second place in the ladies high triple department this week. Pelkie is keeping her game in top shape this holiday season averaging 232 after 9 games in the league. She is home for the Christmas holidays from Oklahoma Christian University where she is studying on an athletic bowling scholarship and is a member of the university "Eagles"



varsity team. The “Eagles” first four tournaments in Las Vegas, Nevada were cancelled due to COVID. They have 12 more tournaments on their schedule in Dallas Texas, Plano Texas, Wichita Kansas, Topeka Kansas, Shawnee Oklahoma and Addison Illinois. Hopefully these tournaments will not get cancelled. Morgan was hoping to do some practicing while at home but unfortunately the bowling alleys in Sarnia are now forced to close for one month due to a provincial lockdown.

Westfall rolls personal high scores:



Last week Brandon Westfall rolled his personal highest scores in the RCAFA 403 Wing Mixed League at Hi-Way Bowl. He rolled 645 (166 – 222 – 257 – 102 pins over average – 180 pins over average for three games). He was only given an Honourable Mention at the time because a picture of Brandon and information to go with the picture was unavailable. This writer has since received both picture and info. Westfall started bowling at age 12 in the Phantom Junior Bowlers Program at Hi-Way Bowl. He said he lived on Churchill line at the time and would bike to the bowling alley

on Saturday mornings. He participated in the program for 5 years, then at age 17 he gave up bowling to peruse other sports particularly baseball and dodge ball. At that time he also took on a full time job. Brandon still participates in summer sports but decided after 19 years he would try 10-pin bowling once again. This is his first year in the RCAFA league and he is presently averaging 163 after 24 games. Westfall was surprised to hear that he would be awarded a watch for his 257 game which is given by the Canadian Tenpin Federation to any bowler who rolls a game 100 pins over average.

The Editor’s Trivia Question of the week:

Who was the only Canadian bowler to win both the Sarnia Singles title and the Port Huron Singles title in the same year. (*answer is hidden in this report*)

Honourable Mention:

- Team “True Colours Tattoo” consisting of team members Mark White, Nathan Gonzalez, Kyle Skinner, Ryan Skinner and Dan Chopp fired 1193 scratch in their



first game for an average of 237 per bowler – Marcin Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.

- Team “True Colours Tattoo’ tossed a team scratch total of 3374 for an average of 675 per bowler.
- **Ryan Skinner** – 706 (257-213-236) – Marcin Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- **Kyle Adamson** – 705 (235-228-242) – Marcin Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- **Pierre Belliveau** – 700 (224-267-209) – Marcin Sunday Morning Men’s League.
- **David Paquette** – 290 – Marcin Sunday Morning Men’s League.
- **Tony Olsen** -278 – Marcin Sunday Morning Men’s League.
- **John Armstrong** – 278 – Marcin Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- **Tony Olsen** - 257 – Marcin Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- **Brandon Gauthier** – 255 – Marcin Sunday Morning Men’s League.
- **Fred Harris** – 255 – Marcin Sunday Morning Men’s League.
- **Dawn Williams** – 245 – Marcin Tuesday Night Ladies League.
- **Matt Lepine** - 229 (+85) – Marcin Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- **Callum Downton** – 160 (+55) – Marcin Youth Preps Division.
- **Cornell Nugent** – 90 (+49) – Marcin Youth Bantam Division.
- **McKenna Scott** – 577 (199-190-188 +130 for 3 games) – Marcin Tuesday Night Ladies League.
- **Matt Lepine** – 561 + 129 for 3 games – Marcin Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- **Dion Maness** – 514 (+116 for 3 games) – Marcin Youth Junior Division.
- **Cornell Nugent** – 238 (+115 for 3 games) – Marcin Youth Bantam Division.

Other Men’s Notable Scores:

Tony Olsen 694 (230), Nathan Gonzalez 675 (236), Mike Maxwell 247, Bill Cole 245, Mike Mitro 245, Bob Spence 244, Steve Best 244, Dan Chopp 241, Doug Brooks 237, Jay Belliveau 237, Dan Cook 237, David Paquette 236, Mike Shephard 235, Ron Paquette 235, Justin Romanik 234, Dan Beauvais 232, Neil Sinclair 232, Rob Plamondon 231, Kirk Pretty 231, Jay Chipman 231, Jamie Ridealgh 230 and Larry Plumb 230.



Other Ladies Notable Scores:

Melissa Legault 662 (234-201-227), Dawn Williams 645 (203), Melissa Crowe 606 (226-209), Hollie - Anne Jean 568 (193-203) and Sharon Lewicki 195.

Youth Notable Scores:

Terrell Walker-Gray 578 (214), Braeden Scott 570 (201-206), Ryan Pinel 570 (206), Joe Windover 223, Jacob Bestard 212, Mack Fiddy 206, McKenna Scott 201 and Hollie-Anne Jean 194.



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Happy belated 73rd Birthday (Dec. 25) to the editor (Dave LeClair) of the LCTA web site.

