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## Weekly Highlights

### Lapointe perfect with 2-800's:

Ben Lapointe had a phenomenal week in the Lambton County Tenpin Association (LCTA) this past week setting a LCTA record by bowling 2-800's in league action in three days. Over the years, other bowlers have rolled 2-800's in a season but not in such a short time frame. He fired 800 (299 – 80 pins over average – 249-252 – 143 pins over average for three games) on lanes 35 & 36 at Marcin Bowl in the Mulder Financial Fun League (MFFL) and 811 (300 – 89 pins over average - 245-266 – 178 pins over average for three games) on lanes 31 & 32 at Marcin Bowl In the Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men's League (FTBMNML). He also bowled 729 (214-268-247) on lanes 33 & 34 in the Sarnia Produce Border City Men's League which was good for the 5<sup>th</sup> high triple of the week. In the FTBMNML he had 31 out of a possible 36 strikes. In the MFFL he had 27 out of a possible 36 strikes. He also bowled his career 5<sup>th</sup> 300 in the FTBMNML. In the MFFL he had the first eleven



strikes with powerful, canonizing (for all you older NHL hockey fans - “Danny Gullivan’s” favourite word) pocket hits. However, on his last delivery, with another solid pocket hit, the unapologetic 10-pin refused to fall robbing Lapointe of another perfect game. It was the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> 800 posted in the LCTA this bowling season with the other one belonging to his dad “Jim Lapointe” who fired 812 (279-298-235). It was the 4<sup>th</sup> 300 in the LCTA this season with the other three belonging to Bryce Watson, Brandon Gauthier and Jim Lapointe. It was also the 2<sup>nd</sup> 299 this season in the LCTA as the other one belongs to Jerry Worsley. It was Ben’s 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> 700 plus series this season and career 94<sup>th</sup>, 95<sup>th</sup> and 96<sup>th</sup> 700 plus series (93-700’s and 3-800’s) in the LCTA. Last season he fired 862 (299-300-263) which was the high triple for the year in the Canadian Tenpin Federation. Lapointe also has 4-299’s, 3-298’s and 1-297 to his credit in the LCTA.

### **Watson rolls first 2-700’s:**

Bryce Watson experienced the excitement of bowling his first 700 series as he



fired 713 (242-256-215) in the Mulder Financial Fun League (MFFL) on lanes 25 & 26 at Marcin Bowl in LCTA action this past week. He then tossed 725 (257-265-203) in the Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League (FTBMNML) on lanes 35 & 36 at Marcin Bowl. He was using his “DV8 Troublemaker” bowling ball to reach the milestone. His previous high triple was 698 to go along with his 2-300’s. Watson recorded the first 300 in the LCTA this season back in October. His

triples were good for the 6<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> high triples of the week. Now that the ice has been broken, this writer is expecting many more 700’s and 300’s down the road from this young talented right handed bowler. Watson is averaging 197 for 43 games in the MFFL this year and 198 for 38 games as a spare in the FTBMNML.



When this writer asked Watson for any comments about his achievement he replied “it felt pretty awesome to finally break the 700 barrier”.

### **Koundakjian wheels first 600 triple:**

Werner Koundakjian wheeled 608 (183 – 213 – 52 pins over average – 212 – 51 pins over average – 125 pins over average for three games) in the Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League (FTBMNML) on lanes 17 & 18 at Marcin Bowl to record his career sanctioned first 600 triple. His previous high triple was 559 and his high single is 243 which he bowled in the FTBMNML last season. Werner started bowling at age 39 and has been bowling for 14 years. He comes from a bowling family as his wife and daughters also enjoy the fun on the lanes. Werner bowled with his daughters in the Provincial Family Twosome Tournaments when they were youth bowlers. Koundakjian started sanctioned league bowling in the 2018-2019 bowling season in the FTBMNML. His other interests are hockey, basketball and football. As a hobby he loves playing pool and wood working. He is a right handed bowler averaging 164 for 54 games in the league this year.



### **Landon fires career high single:**

Jeremy Landon was in a position he never experienced before this past Friday night. He had the first 10 strikes in game one and his body’s physical conditions were kicking into high gear – the racing heart, the jitters, the sweaty hands not



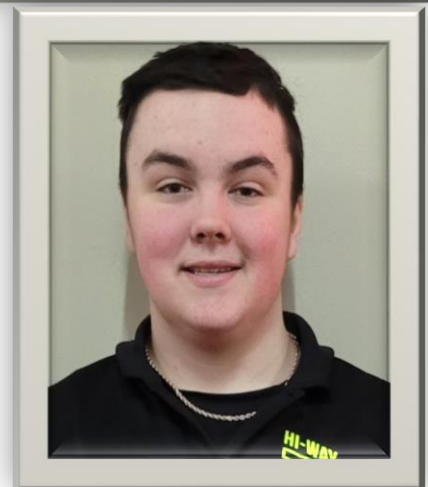
to mention the mind game of thinking a perfect game. This writer has been there myself a few times in my younger years. I know the feelings. So let's get back to Jeremy. On his eleventh delivery he left the 6-10 pins, missed the spare for a super 286 recording his career highest single game. It was not his time for his first 300. He was bowling in the Mulder Financial Fun League on lanes 33 & 34 at Marcin Bowl finishing the night with 645 (286 – 123 pins over average -174-185). Jeremy is eligible for a Canadian Tenpin Federation 100 pins over average award which is a watch. Landon's highest triple is 648 and he is averaging 166 for 51 games in the league.

### **Parkkila posts new high single:**

Kole Parkkila fired 264 (73 pins over average) in his first game of the night to establish a new high single beating his previous 259. He was bowling in the Mulder Financial Fun League (MFFL) on lanes 25 & 26 at Marcin Bowl finishing the night with a 616 triple. Parkkila also experienced the excitement this season as he joined the 700 club by tossing his career first 2-700's (720 and 701). He bowls on the "Young Guns" team in the MFFL with Blake Ingles, Cameron Parkkila and Bryce Watson.

### **Hannah tops his high triple:**

Logan Hannah wheeled 598 (226 – 71 pins over average – 182-190) in the Phantom Youth League on lanes 15 & 16 at Marcin Bowl to establish a career new high triple beating his previous high 597. His sanctioned high single is 242. Hannah is averaging 155 after 18 weeks of bowling this year.



Logan started bowling at age 11 and is in his eighth year on the lanes. He bowls with team members Jack Allan and on Zachary Ingles.

**"Jay" Lapointe has solid week:**

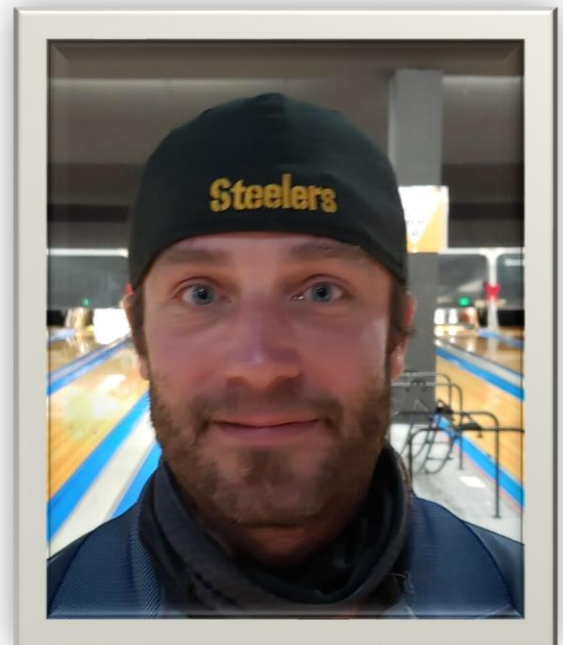


Jason Lapointe had a solid week on the lanes as he recorded 2-700's in LCTA bowling action this past week. He rolled 763 (279-269-215) in the Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men's League (FTBMNML) at Marcin Bowl and 703 (258-212-233) in the Best Wiring Classic League (BWCL) on lanes 27 & 28 at Marcin Bowl to record the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> high triples of the week in LCTA bowling activity. It was his 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> 700 in the LCTA this season as he previously recorded 725-750-704-731. Jason is averaging

212 for 48 games in the BWCL. He also bowls full time in the Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League and is averaging 212 after 20 weeks. He spares in the Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men's League and is averaging 213 for 39 games.

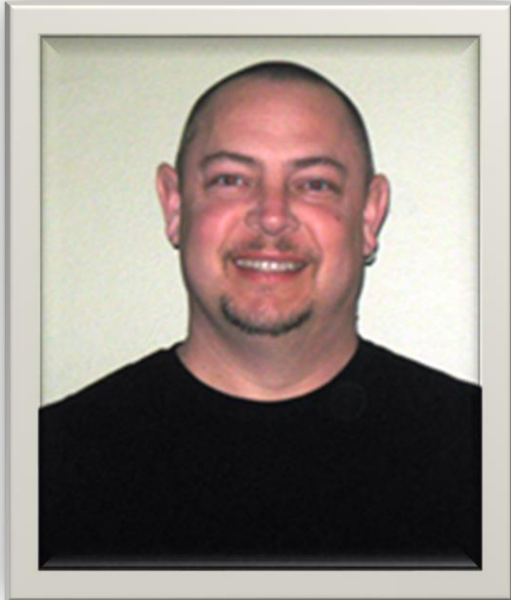
**Ridealgh takes fourth place:**

Bill Ridealgh tossed 735 (267-259-209) in the Best Wiring Classic League (BWCL) on lanes 31 & 32 at Marcin Bowl in LCTA bowling action to take fourth place in the 700 race this past week. It was his 4<sup>th</sup> 700 this season as he previously tossed 717-704-750. Ridealgh is averaging 216 for 51 games in the BWCL bowling with team members Brian Watson



and Kyle Adamson. His career high scores are 776 and 300 (2).

**Lapointe Senior on hot streak:**



Jim Lapointe hurled 720 (217-256-247) in the Best Wiring Classic League (BWCL) on lanes 27 & 28 at Marcin Bowl and 701 (246-240-215) in the Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men's League (FTBMNML) on lanes 31 & 32 at Marcin Bowl to take the 7<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> places in the high triple department in LCTA bowling competition this past week. It was his 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> 700 plus series this season. Jim started out the season in slow mode but now is on a hot streak as he has posted seven consecutive 700 plus triples in the last six weeks. The first two (761- 812) came in the

Mulder Financial Fun League in the last two weeks before Christmas break. The next five (708-735-759-720-701) have been rolled in the FTBMNML and the BWCL. Lapointe holds the high average in the BWCL with 219 for 51 games. He is averaging 213 for 51 games in the FTBMNML.

**Friis is tops for the Ladies:**

Jill Friis wheeled 715 (257-223-235) in the Best Wiring Classic League (BWCL) on lanes 33 & 34 at Marcin Bowl to claim the 8<sup>th</sup> high triple and the ladies high triple of the week in LCTA action this past week. It was her 2<sup>nd</sup> 700 in the BWCL as she previously rolled 721 (204-268-249). Jill is averaging 214 for 30 games in the league. Jill has many memorable bowling accomplishments



over the years. One that this writer is sure that sticks in her mind took place in Las Vegas in 2016. She was a member of the “Canucks from Canada” (CFC) team from London that won the Ruby Division (RD) scratch tournament at the United States Bowling Congress Women’s Championships. The RD had teams with combined averages between 650 -724. The winning CFC team members and their scores in brackets (bowled on very difficult lane conditions), were Jill Friis (618), Debbie Sims (604), Judy Hansen (560) and Karen MacNeil (552).

### **Kinny ties for ninth spot:**



TJ Kinny hurled 713 (279 – 72 pins over average – 226-208) in the Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League (SPBCML) on lanes 25 & 26 at Marcin Bowl to tie with Bryce Watson for the 9<sup>th</sup> high triple of the week in LCTA bowling activity. It was his 5<sup>th</sup> 700 in the LCTA this season as he previously rolled 703-709-712-743. TJ is averaging 208 for 51 games in the SPBCML this year. His career sanctioned high triple is 800 which he bowled as a junior bowler at Hi-Way Bowl on October 2, 2002 and his high single game 300 which he tossed in the Mulder

Financial Fun League on March 10, 2023.

### **Honourable Mention:**

- The “ Connor Smith Fan Club” team consisting of Bryce Watson, Connor Smith, Jim Lapointe and Ben Lapointe fired 1048 scratch in their first game of the night for an average of 262 per bowler. They also had a three game scratch total of 2930 for an average of 732 per bowler- Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.



- Roy Mezzatesta – 697 (258) – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- Connor Smith – 693 (245) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Ben Lapointe – 693 - Best Wiring Classic League.
- Brandon Gauthier – 688 (241) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Kirk Ramsay – 685 – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Larry Plumb – 682 - Best Wiring Classic League.
- Jason Lapointe – 680 (242-259) – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Brad Best – 680 (258) – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Alex Salmons – 680 – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Jamie Ridealgh – 679 (244) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Billy Best – 677 – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Mike Shephard - 676 (248) – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Rob Vandermeer – 675 – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- Jordan Croskery – 674 (244) – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Mike Marciniszyn – 673 (243) – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Mike Shephard – 670 (246) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- TJ Kinny – 668 (244) – Mulder Financial Fun League.
- Jeff Raymond – 668 (243) – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Rod Honke – 664 – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- Dennis Ramsay – 663 (255) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Peter English – 663 – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Kyle Adamson – 662 – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- Bryce Watson – 660 (247) – Best Wiring Classic League.



- John Armstrong – 660 – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Chris Murphy – 657 (253) – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- Shane Chipman – 655 – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Roy Mezzatesta - 654 (248) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Patrick Mumby – 648 – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Doug Brooks – 646 – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Ralph MacDuff – 642 – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Roy Mezzatesta – 641 (290) – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Adam Pinel – 641 – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Bill Cole – 640 – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- Dara Sinclair – 614 (227) – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Steve Peters – 255 – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Ty Patterson – 248 – Target Trios Mixed League.
- Alex Salmons – 246 – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Jason Armitage – 246 – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Steve Best – 245 – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- David Paquette – 244 – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Tyler Hoadley – 242 – Mulder Financial Fun League.
- Steve Schincariol – 612 (+132 for 3 games) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Scott Mezzatesta – 220 (+79) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Alex Ettinger – 150 (+77) – Marcin Phantom Youth League.



- Steve Schincariol – 235 (+75) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Jason Fox – 182 (+70) – Mulder Financial Fun League.
- Joshua Shura – 240 (+66) – Marcin Phantom Youth League.
- Zachary Ingles – 212 (+66) – Marcin Phantom Youth League.
- Danny Moorey – 210 (+66) – Mulder Financial Fun League.
- Brynn Nesbitt – 152 (+66) – Marcin Phantom Youth League.
- Shawn Hill – 224 (+65) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Steve Best – 245 (+64) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Jason Armitage – 233 (+63) – Mulder Financial Fun League.
- Braeden Scott – 231 (+63) – Marcin Phantom Youth League.
- Kevin Ptolemy – 215 (+63) – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Marnie McQueen – 212 (+62) – Mulder Financial Fun League.
- Rob Bonhomme – 231 (+60) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Lisa Lapointe – 213 (+60) – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Jamie Barron – 215 (+59) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Mark Brooker – 226 (+58) – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- Joe Windover - 236 (+57) – Marcin Phantom Youth League.
- George Newman – 226 (+57) – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Eric Cunningham – 188 (+57) – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- Char J – 178 (+57) – Mulder Financial Fun League.
- Franco Gabriele – 235 (+56) – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- Jon Bauman – 192 (+55) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.



- Scott David – 216 (+54) – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Mike Sheppard – 226 (+53) – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Connor D Smith – 223 (+53) – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- Deb Archer – 211 (+53) – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Daniel Wright – 180 (+53) – Target Trios Mixed League.
- Rigby Callander – 200 (+52) – Bar 10 Thursday Night Men’s League.
- Blake Ingles – 234 (+51) – Marcin Phantom Youth League.
- Kevin Dunn – 222 (+51) – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Dave Slater – 221 (+51) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Shawn Park – 203 (+50) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Mazlynn Allen – 133 (+50) – Marcin Phantom Youth League.
- Tayllum Taylor – 113 (+46) – Marcin Phantom Youth League.
- Tyler George – 157 (+41) – Marcin Phantom Youth League.
- Davis DaCuhna – 2-113’s (+41) – Marcin Phantom Youth League.

### **Other Men’s Notable Scores:**

Matt Salmons 635, Steve Peters 628, Brian Watson 627 (233), Shawn Cotterill 625, Doug Black 625, Alex Salmons 624, Jay Smith 622 (233), Pete Dufault 620, Brandon Gauthier 237, Connor Smith 236, Bill Cole 236, Mike Marciniszyn 236, Devon Crowe 236, Ian Fraser 235, Jamie Ridealgh 235, Roy Mezzatesta 235, Rob Vandermeer 235, Ralph MacDuff 235, Chris Murphy 235, Alex Salmons 235-231, Rod Honke 234, Larry Plumb 234, Ben Lapointe 234-234, Shane Chipman 234, Adam Pinel 233, Justin Romanik 233, Kirk Ramsay 232, Jordan Croskery 232, Matt Salmons 232, Billy Best 232, Rob Bonhomme 231 and Peter English 230.



**Other Women's Notable Scores:**

Sharon Lewicki 202, Cori Slater 198-190, Annette Thompson 194-191 and Penny Geerts 192.

**Other Youth Notable Scores:**

Joe Windover 630 (222), Blake Ingles 597, Braeden Scott 584, Joshua Shura 568, Zachary Ingles 550, Jack Allen 211 and William Laframboise 190.

**Memory Lane: (provided by Bill Cole)**

