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Weekly Highlights

Lapointe closes gap in the Crown race:



Ben Lapointe fired 760 (279 – 58 pins over average - 257 – 224) in the Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League (FTBMNML) on lanes 21 & 22 at Marcin Bowl, to record the high triple of the week in Lambton County Tenpin Association (LCTA) bowling competition. He also fired 709 (207-246-256) in the Best Wiring Classic League (BWCL) on lanes 13 & 14 at Marcin Bowl, to register the 9th high triple of the week. It was his 13th and 14th 700 in the LCTA this year and he is one behind Mike Shephard in the race for the season’s 700 crown. They were his career 127th and 128th 700 in the LCTA. Lapointe is carrying the high average in the BWCL this season with 235 for 33 games. He is followed by Mike Shephard at 230 for 33 games. Lapointe is averaging 224 for 33 games in the FTBMNML.

Parkkila rolls new high triple:

Kole Parkkila rolled 750 (244-210-296 – 91 pins over average – 135 pins over average for three games) in the Mulder Financial Fun League (MFFL) on lanes 23 & 24 at Marcin Bowl to register a new personal high triple this past week. His previous high triple was 737 (233-259-245). It was his 2nd 700 this season as he previously rolled 717 (213-245-259). This writer is keeping an eye on Parkkila’s 700’s and he now has a career 7-700’s. His triple was good for the 2nd high triple of the week. The right hander commented about his night on the lanes saying “ I was throwing my brand-new Roto Grip



Attention Star over the 4th arrow at about 17.5mph. All the strikes were good except for a lucky break in the 2nd frame. On the last shot, I threw the ball a bit slower and let it out to the dry area to fast, so with 500 revs it had no chance of holding the dry boards and the ball jumped off the dry area leaving the big 4 (4-7-6-10) split." Parkkila is eligible for an "eleven strikes in a row award" with his 296. Kole's career high single is 300 and he is averaging 210 for 30 games in the MFFL this year.

Smythe posts new high triple:



Joe Smythe wheeled 627 (213 – 54 pins over average - 201 – 42 pins over average – 213 – 54 pins over average – 150 pins over average for three games), in the Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men's League (FTBMNML) on lanes 23 & 24 at Marcin Bowl this past week to record his career highest triple. Smythe said he didn't know his highest triple, but this writer's bowler profile of Smythe had it at 570. His highest single game is 252. Joe said he didn't come up through any youth league but started bowling at age 30 and has been bowling for about 10 years minus a 4-year gap. He decided to give the sport a try with some of his friends. His other sporting interest is baseball and his hobbies are working, travelling and brewing his own beer. Smythe started sanctioned league bowling in the FTBMNML in the 2022-2023 season averaging 159 for 93 games. Last year in the league he averaged 155 for 96 games and this year he is averaging 166 for 33 games.

Baldwin records new high triple:



Catherine Baldwin rolled 507 (192 – 52 pins over average – 149-166) in the Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League (B10TNML) on lanes 17 & 18 at Marcin Bowl to record a new personal high triple topping her previous 503. Her career high single is 206. Catharine is averaging 140 after 13 weeks of bowling this year. Last year in the B10TNML she averaged 140 for 87 games.



Fox tops his high single:



Jason Fox tossed 193 in his first game of the night to top his previous high single of 185. He was bowling in the Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men's League (FTBMNML) on lanes 23 & 24 at Marcin Bowl. Fox's career high triple is 469. Jason is averaging 135 for 33 games in the FTBMNML this year. Last year in the league he averaged 119 for 96 games.

Youth bowler is high over average for three:

Carter Nilsson bowled 272 (71- 105 – 62 pins over average – 96 – 53 pins over average – 143 pins over average for three games) in the Marcin Youth League on lanes 25 & 26 this past week to be the youth's bowler high over average for three games. This is Carter's first year of bowling in an organized sanctioned youth league and he is averaging 43 after 13 weeks of bowling. This writer guesses that the scores Carter bowled are probably his career highest scores because of his low average.

Gark takes third position:



Lefty Jeff Gark tossed 748 (233-257 – 57 pins over average – 258 – 58 pins over average – 148 pins over average for three games) in the Mulder Financial Fun League (MFFL) on lanes 29 & 30 at Marcin Bowl, to record the 3rd high triple of the week in LCTA bowling action. This writer apologies to Jeff for missing his great effort on the lanes in week eight when he fired 751 (236-248-267) for his career high triple. This writer is not sure how I missed that score.

Gark's highest single is 289. It was his 5th 700 this season. Jeff is averaging 207 for 21 games as a spare in the MFFL this year.

Murphy rolls triplicate:

Chris Murphy rolled 567 (189-189-189) to record a triplicate score in the RCAFA 403 Wing Mixed League on lanes 21 & 22 at Marcin Bowl this past week. Chris bowls as a spare in the league and is averaging 199 for 18 games. Triplicates tend to be a rare achievement, but the LCTA had 4



the last two seasons: Cheryl Karchewski 300 (100-100-100), Mel Kongus 549 (183-183-183), John Armstrong 741 (247-247-247) and Ben Lapointe 684 (228-228-228).

Youth team tournament:

The London & District Tenpin Bowling Association Youth Team Tournament sponsored by dmac Automation Ltd. located in St. Thomas, was held on Sunday, October 27, 2024, at Marcin Bowl, Point Edward. The tournament was open to sanctioned youth bowlers in the London & District Tenpin Bowling Association (LDTBA), Sarnia, St. Thomas, and Woodstock with the participants bowling three games. There were three divisions determined by combining the team's four bowlers averages: Division "A" – 620+, Division "B" – 480 to 619 and Division "C" – up to 479. Twenty-three teams took part in the tournament.

In the "A" Division, a team from Marcin Bowl, Sarnia, placed first with a score of 2748 (2136 scratch and 612 handicap) winning \$500.00. Team members were Zachary Ingles, Logan Hannah, Blake Ingles and Joe Windover.

In the "B" Division, a team from Marcin Bowl, Sarnia, placed first with a score of 2948 (2048 scratch and 900 handicap) winning \$500.00. Team members were Lennox Dean, Brayden Steadman, Joushua Shura and Dion Maness.

In the "B" Division, 2nd place went to a team from Fleetway Bowl, London, with a score of 2743 (1828 scratch and 915 handicap) winning \$320.00. Team members were Nickolas Rudell, Jason Preece, Grayson Earnshaw and William MacEachern.

In the "C" Division, a team from Bowlerama, Chatham, placed first with a score of 2982 (1653 scratch and 1329 handicap) winning \$500.00. Team members were Alyssa Belliveau, Abbygail McIlvenna, Leah Field and Sebastian Belliveau.

In the "C" Division, 2nd place went to team form Heritage Lanes, St Thomas, with a score of 2972 (1733 scratch and 1239 handicap) winning \$320.00. Team members were Wyatt Hakkers, Logan Welch, Charles Higgs and Michael John.

In the "C" Division, 3rd place went to a team from Marcin Bowl, Sarnia, with a score of 2969 (1130 scratch and 1839 handicap) winning \$280.00. Team members were Parker Hubbarth, Jose Rivas, Laila Dean and Miguel Dacunha.



In the "C" Division, 4th place went to a team for Fleetway Bowl, London, with a score of 2944 (1414 scratch and 1530 handicap) winning \$200.00. Team members were Kael Giles, Oden Schmitt, Andrew Linington and Jayden Dawson.

The LDTBA would like to thank all the bowlers who took part in the tournament and hope to see everybody at next year's tournament.

Smith records number two:



Connor D.R. Smith wheeled 721 (244-257-220) in the Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men's League (FTBMNML) on lanes 21 & 22 at Marcin Bowl, to post the 4th high triple of the week. It was his 2nd 700 of the year as he previously rolled 711 (227-259-225). Smith is averaging 214 for 27 games in the FTBMNML this year. Last year in the league he averaged 209 for 87 games. Connor's career high scores are 815 (258-279-278) rolled at Hi-Way Bowl and 300.

Lapointe Senior and Shephard share same triple:

Jim Lapointe and Mike Shephard tied in the triple department this past week with both recording 718's.



Lapointe hurled 718 (247 – 268 – 59 pins over average – 203) in the Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men's League (FTBMNML) on lanes 21 & 22 at Marcin Bowl to tie with Mike Shephard for the 5th high triple of the week. It was his 4th 700 in the LCTA this season as he previously rolled 745, 729 and 707. Jim is averaging 211 for 33 games in the FTBMNML this year. Last year in the league he averaged 215 for 90 games. Lapointe's career high scores are 845 (300-300-245) tossed at

Marcin Bowl and 300 (7).

Shephard fired 718 (239-245-234) in the Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League (B10TNML) on lanes 23 & 24 at Marcin Bowl to tie for the 5th high triple of the week. It was his 15th 700 of the season and is leading Ben Lapointe for the 700 Crown this season by one. Mike is averaging 228 after 13 weeks in the B10 TNML league this year. Last year in the



league he averaged 216 for 48 games. Shephard's career high scores are 827 (7) and 300 (13).

Watson Junior nipped to sixth spot:



Bryce Watson rolled 717 (248 – 290 – 94 pins over average – 179 – 130 pins over average for 3 games) in the Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men's League (FTBMNML) on lanes 31 & 32 at Marcin Bowl to post the 6th high triple of the week. It was his 3rd 700 this season as he previously tossed 712 and 707. This writer is keeping tabs on this young great bowler, and he now has a career 8-700's. Watson is eligible for an "eleven strikes in a row" award with his 290 game. Bryce is averaging 201 for 30 games in the FTBMNML this year. Last year in the league he averaged 205 for 75 games.

Chopp rolls top triple in Classic League:



Dan Chopp tossed 712 (232-234-246) as a spare in the Best Wiring Classic League on lanes 19 & 20 at Marcin Bowl to record the 7th highest triple of the week. It was his 2nd 700 of the season as he previously tossed 715 (242-268-205). Dan is only bowling full time once a week in the Sarnia Produce Border City Men's League and he is averaging 211 for 33 games. His career high scores are 797 and 300 (7).

Lapointe good for eighth place:

Jason Lapointe fired 711 (223-232-256) in the Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League (B10TNML) on lanes 19 & 20 at Marcin Bowl to register the 8th high triple of the week. It was his 4th 700 of the season as he previously posted 751, 737 and 715. Jason is averaging 234 after 13 weeks in the B10TNML this year but has not bowled all 13 weeks. Last year in the league he averaged 210 for 78 games. His career high scores are 792 and 300 (3).



Fraser is tops for the ladies:

Michelle Fraser bowled 608 (201-213-194) in the Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League (B10TNML) on lanes 19 & 20 at Marcin Bowl to record the ladies high triple of the week. She is averaging 172 after 13 weeks in the B10TNML this year. Last year in the league she averaged 178 for 96 games. Michelle's career high scores are 616 and 244.

Laframboise leads the way for the youth:

William Laframboise wheeled 604 (211-231-162) in the Marcin Youth League (MYL) on lanes 21 & 22 to register the youth's high triple of the week. William is averaging 178 after 13 weeks in the MYL this year. Last year in the MYL he averaged 165 for 88 games. His career high scores are 657 and 267.

**Hannah is the second best:**

Logan Hannah tossed 603 (219-181-203) in the Marcin Youth League (MYL) on lanes 19 & 20 to record the youth's second highest triple of the week. Logan is averaging 171 after 13 weeks in the MYL this year. Last year in the league he averaged 163 for 72 games. His career high scores are 639 and 269.

Honourable Mention:

- The team "Lambton Metal Service" rolled 993 scratch in their 1st game for an average of 248 per bowler. In their 2nd game, they rolled 1038 scratch for an average of 259 per bowler. They had a 3-game scratch total of 2866 for an average of 716 per bowler. SUPER bowling guys!!
- Jim Lapointe – 694 (254) – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Jamie Ridealgh – 688 (365) – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Jamie Ridealgh – 684 (256) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men's League.
- Kevin Dunn – 683 (246-264) – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.



- Jordan Croskery – 683 (237) – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Brian Watson – 682 (247) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Mike Marciniszyn – 680 (266) – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Ben Lapointe - 680 – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- Mike Shephard – 677 (259) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Steve Lewicki – 677 (247) – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Kevin Lyon – 677 - Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- Kirk Ramsay – 672 (258) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Kevin Storozuk – 672 – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- Dan Cook – 670 (256) – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- Ian Fraser – 669 (290 – 11 strikes in a row award) – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Shane Chipman - 669 (243) – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Shane Chipman – 667 (256) - Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- David Paquette – 667 (243) – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Dan Chopp- 665 (248) – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- John Armstrong – 664 (259) – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Larry Plumb – 663 (246) – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Roy Mezzatesta – 658 (279) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Bryce Watson – 656 – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Steve Peters – 655 (258) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Kyle Adamson – 654 – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Shane Chipman – 654 – Mulder Financial Fun League.
- Jason Lapointe – 653 (264) – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Rod Honke – 649 – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- Dan Vandermeer – 648 (244) – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Pete Dufault – 648 – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Roy Mezzatesta - 644 – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- Bryce Watson – 644 – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- Chris Murphy – 643 – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Alex Salmons – 642 - Best Wiring Classic League.
- Ty Patterson – 639 – Target Trois Mixed League.



- Marsha Pinel – 607 (213-217-177) – Last week – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Mike Shephard – 259 – Best Wiring Classic League.
- Adam Farrenkopf – 259 – RCAFA 403 Wing Mixed League.
- Carl Best – 248 – Fabbri Tile Bluewater Monday Night Men’s League.
- Mike Sheppard – 245 – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Annette Thompson – 242 – Target Trios Mixed League.
- Bob Lever – 242 – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Kyle Bogaert – 242 – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League,
- Tim Nickels – 223 (+67) – Mulder Financial Fun League.
- Tina Sheppard – 207 (+67) – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Tim Nickles – 223 (+66) – Mulder Financial Fun League.
- Ally Myers – 141 (+64) – Mulder Financial Fun League.
- Bob Chambers – 235 (+62) – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Dan Pimental – 221 (+62) – Mulder Financial Fun League.
- Liette Schafer – 189 (+62) – RCAFA 403 Wing Mixed League.
- Joe Windover – 236 (+60) - Mulder Financial Fun League.
- Wayne O’Grady – 223 (+58) – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Marianna Bell – 143 (+54) – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Rigby Callander – 191 (+53) – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Jason O’Reilley – 184 (+53) – Mulder Financial Fun League.
- Claude Lajoie – 179 (+52) – Mulder Financial Fun League.
- Jose Guerrero – Ramirez – 162 (+51) – Mulder Financial Fun League.
- Bob Avery – 210 (+50) – Target Trios Mixed League.
- Al McChesney – 206 (+50) – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Will Greenway – 202 (+50) – 571 (+112) for 3 games – RCAFA 403 Wing Mixed League.
- Mark Callander – 202 (+50) – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Marty Davidson – 180 (+50) – Mulder Financial Fun League.
- Chase Lamb – 165 (+50) – Bar 10 Thursday Night Mixed League.
- Russel Davis – 114 (+49) – Marcin Youth League.
- Mazlynn Allen – 149 (+47) – Marcin Youth League.
- Kian O’Keefe – 169 (+46) – Marcin Youth League.



- Addie Parkins-Curran – 95 (+38) – Marcin Youth League.
- Reid Reidel – 150 (+37) – Marcin Youth League.
- Emily Peters – 102 (+37) – Marcin Youth League.
- Mason Weed – 101 (+36) – Marcin Youth League.
- Rio Grasser – 145 (+35) – Marcin Youth League.
- Xaver Dwyer – 93 (+34) – Marcin Youth League.
- Blake Furtah – 89 (+34) – Marcin Youth League.
- Dave Little – spared the 4-10 and the 4-7-10 splits – Mulder Financial Fun League.
- Franco Savo – spared the 3-10 split – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- Mike Guzik – spared the 5-10 split – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.
- Dean Troiani – spared the 2-4-10 split – Sarnia Produce Border City Men’s League.

Other Men’s Notable Scores:

Mike Shephard 637, Jeff Raymond 631, Dan Beauvais 630, Kole Parkkila 625 (238), Roy Mezzatesta 622, Jay Smith 620, Bryce Watson 619, Rob Vandermeer 238, Ben Lapointe 238-229, Jodan Croskery 237, Alex Salmons 237, David Paquette 237, Roy Mezzatesta 236, Kevin Lyon 236-235, Steve Lewicki 235, Jason Lapointe 235, Kevin Storozuk 235-234, Devon Crowe 234, Ty Patterson 234, Brian Watson 233-233, Dan Chopp 233, Chris Murphy 232, Justin Romanik 232, Franco Gabrielle 232, Bryce Watson 231 and Kole Parkkila 231.

Other Ladies Notable Scores:

Jill Friis 598 (208-203), Makayla Apter 593 (209-206), Annette Thompson 591 (200), Kelly Sitter 210-198, Anne Strangway 206, Roni Shephard 204-194, Cori Slater 199 and Kelly Sitter 191.

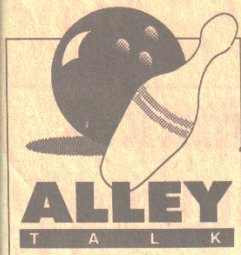
Other Youth Notable Scores:

Joe Windover 586 (228-224), Blake Ingles 572 (211-189), Daniel Wright 560 (193), Zach Ingles 206 and Dion Maness 193.

Memory Lane: (from D. LeClair files)



The article is from December 23, 1995, lots of names from the past.



Stewart leads Polysar league

Wayne Stewart rolled a 212 single and 567 triple for the top scores in the Polysar men's 10 pin bowling league. Frank Bartley Jr. added a 552. In the team standings, Bad News leads with 67 points followed by Crushers 57, Rockers 56, Washouts 54, Lucky Strikes 53 and Packers 49.

Donna Moore tops with 308 single

Donna Moore rolled a 308 single and 730 triple to lead the St. Clair Bowlers Association Border City five-pin league this week. Harold Phillis had a 25 single and Max Brouwer a 660 triple. Standings: Brawlers 60, White Lightning 55, BMW 54, Out of Sight 54, Thunder Alley 42, Brew Crew 30.

Bolton, Craig roll high scores

High rollers in the St. Clair Monday Night Five Pin Bowling League this week were Kim Bolton 294, Don Craig 361, Kim Bolton 1,187 and Paul Anderson 1,214. Honorable mention to Steve Wight 1,180, 315, Steve Ash 1,127, Roger Buck 1,121, Ken White 1,119 and Phil Lasek 1,115. Standings: Brydges 117½, Williamson 110, P. Lasek 108½, Gilbert 105½, K. Amerlinck 97½, Smith 91.

Ken Sole stars with 276 single

Ken Sole rolled a 276 single and 695 triple for the top scores in the Hiway Thursday men's 10 pin bowling league. Jim Kenehan added a 681 and Doug Hartwick 660. Logowear leads the team standings. No points were provided for the standings, so you don't get one listed.

McAlpine was 49 pins over average

Brenda McAlpine rolled a 179 single, 49 pins over average for the top score in the Marcinettes ladies 10 pin bowling league. Neva McDougall was 45 pins over average at 169. In the team standings, President's Choice leads with 56.5 points followed by Six Pax 55.5, Four Muskateers 53, Marg's Girls 53, Nameless 52 and Balls Up 44.

Ryan powers win in CIL mixed loop

Bonnie Ryan rolled a 202 single and 510 triple for the top men's scores in the CIL mixed 10 pin bowling league. Women's highs were Ernie Derbyshire's 199 and 551. Irene Williams was 79 pins over average. In the team standings, Ann's Leafs leads with 24 points followed by Cheryl's Flyers 22, Brian's Bruins 20, Kent's Sharks 18, Neil's Oilers 17, Ludger's Canadiens 14, Mike's McWings 12, Ian's Stars 11, Bob's Mighty Ducks 11, Dave's Jets seven, Lisa's Kings seven and Laurie's Flames five.

Hillis leads way with top scores

Russ Hillis rolled a 225 single and 557 triple for the top men's scores in the Braves, Balls and Strikes mixed 10 pin bowling league. Ladies highs were Wendy Waltham's 207 and Kelly Amerlinck's 542. In the team standings, Rynky Dynks lead with 61 points followed by JC and the Disciples 59, Robbie B's 57, Gutter Balls 55, Eye Ballers 46 and 4 Play 37.

Qualifying round for local bowlers

St. Clair Bowlers Association recently held its 20 games qualifying round for the Ontario Cup five-pin bowling championship, sponsored by Sidney L. Morris Awards.

Brain, Velestuk roll high games

Pete Brain rolled a 741 triple and Mike Velestuk a single-game high of 276 in leading the Border City Mens 10 pin league this week. Other good scores went to Dave Leclair 672 (246, 247), Ray Coulombe 653, Fred Bentley 645, Dan Bestard 641, Rick Randall 633, and Mark Auterhoff 632. Velestuk finished his day with a 651 triple. Standings: Lake Huron Lanes 71, Marcin Bowl 68, Numerics 64, TSM Mechanical 59, Bluewater Plumbing 58, Sarnia Insulation 57, Overkill 57, Gutterballs 56, SarTech 56, Rutherford 55, Dicocco 50, Sar Con 50, Juke Box 45, Falco Cranes 42, K and K 33, Boiler-makers 19.

The top three ladies are Kelly Amerlinck with a 4,825, Ann Marie Lasek with 4,645 and Tammy Williamson with 4,376.

The top three men are Larry Wagner with 5,231. Bruce Fleming had 5,178 and Scott Syrie with 4,898.

The ladies team consists of Kelly Amerlinck, Ann Marie Lasek, Kim Bolton, Donna Moore and Mary Lynn Gilbert.

The mens team consists of Larry Wagner, Brad Fleming, Scott Syrie, Paul Anderson, Brian Labrasceur and Steve Rowe.

The mixed team features Ed Warby, Phil Perry, Kevin Hadlock, Ingrid Deprey, Lynn Mackinnon, Mary Mason and Paul Brydges.

All of the above singles as well as the teams will advance to the next round of competition in Toronto during the Easter week of 1996.

