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More at stake in prize money for pro bowlers

Bowling at last is getting some big time tournament prize money. The grand old game will reach a new high in the national championships at the Imperial Lanes in Toledo when the pin spillers will be shooting for portions of a \$200,000 prize fund.

The Pro Tour on television has been popular for years, but never before have the prize lists passed the \$175,000 mark. And, according to the pro officials, this is just the beginning of bigger and better purses.

Dates have not yet been set for the Toledo event.

CLOSE TO 1,000 juniors attended the annual bowling banquets sponsored by Merri-Bowl and Woodland Lanes at Roma Hall during the past week.

The crowning of the champions in the Parks and Recreation leagues furnished the highlights of the two parties as the parents looked on.

These two banquets are rated the largest in the Detroit area that are sponsored by the individual proprietors.

IRV DAVIS, who has served for years on the board of directors of the Greater Detroit Bowling Association, is being honored as bowling's Man of the Year in the Detroit area.

He will receive the award as part of the championship dinner at the Polish Century Club on June 25.

DICK BEATTIE, the sharp shooting left hander who is considered one of the best bowlers in the area, is headed for another honor.

He teamed with Bob Garrett for a 1395 count in the city tournament doubles. If the score holds up, which is more than likely, Dick will share another title.

During the past week, he was honored as a member of the winning team in the Westland Mixed Classic where he carried an average of 224, one pin less than Bob Goike, the leader and team captain.

CARL HANSEN finally gained membership in the 700 club at Merri-Bowl during the past week when he paced the Senior House League with a 733 series. He got away to a great start with a 279, then added a 258 and closed with 196.

In the Roving Jills League, Pam Cerron rolled one of her best series of the year. She found the range early and posted a 248 in her first game. To this, she added games of 203 and 181 for 632.

AS THE Westland Bowl Mixed Classic came to a close, Gary Zarick rolled his way in to the 700 club. He was consistent with games of 238, 232 and 238.

Les Crawford and Mike Harris deadlocked at 695 for second place.

With the end of the schedule, Bob Goike's team won the title and Bob topped the averages with 225. Dick Beattie was next with 224. Jim Wright had 210, Bob Albright 198 and Dave Fitt 199.

AT BILBREATH took the prize for consistency in the Business and Industrial League at Plaza Lanes. He paced the loop with games of 215, 223 and 235 for 673.

In the Pin Busters circuit, Joe Barbee was top muen with 634 that included a 235 closing game for 634. Rick Murick was next with 629 and Ron Aman had a 235 middle game for 622 and third lace.

Christian downs Liggett

Southfield girls stay perfect

Southfield High's impressive girls' track team remains unbeaten. The Blue Jay girls won two relays, three field and four individual track events to easily scratch past Bloomfield Hills Andover 73-50 in a Southeastern Michigan Association (SMA) meet Thursday evening.

The Blue Jays field-event winners were Alicia Hunter (shot put), Kristi Jackson (high jump) and Penny McAnn (discus).

Jackson won the 110-yard low hurdles in a school-record time of 15.3. Jackson also won the 220-yard low hurdles, while Blue Jay teammate Millie Holiday won the 100-yard dash.

The winning Blue Jay 880 relay team included Regina Hall, Hayley Hillman, Janine Hayward and Adrienne Tillman.

Hillman, Toni Watkins and Angie Pergall combined to win the 440 relay in a time of 54.6.

Southfield (7-0 overall, 6-0 in the SMA) will host Berkley in the last dual meet of the season tomorrow. The SMA league championships will be May 19 at Hazel Park.

SOUTHFIELD CHRISTIAN 60 LIGGETT 57

Shelley Spratt won two individual events last week to help her Southfield Christian girls' track team overcome Grosse Pointe University Liggett School 60-57 in the Michigan Independent Athletic Conference.

Spratt won the high jump (4 feet, 8 inches) and the 800-yard run (2:41.5). Christian's mile relay (Pam Burch, Inge Lundin, Spratt and Dianna Ferando) won in 4:36.0. Ferando won the 100 in 12.05.

Christian is 3-1 overall.

SOUTHFIELD 72 TROY 51

Southfield preserved its untarnished record with its sixth victory of the season and a rash of record-breakers Tuesday.

Three double-winners — two of them record setters — led the Blue Jays: Alicia Hunter in the shot put and discus, (31 feet, two-and-a-half inches) and (97-1) respectively; Kristi Jackson in the 100-meter and 200-meter high hurdles (15.1) and (39.8), and Susie Stabile in the 1600-meter and 800-meter (metric records of 5:43.9 and 2:35.8 respectively).

Southfield's 800-meter relay team which included Regina Hall, Hayley Hillman, Lisa McCall and Millie Holiday, also broke a record, clocking 1:49.1.

Hall, Hillman, Toni Watkins and Holiday won the 400-meter relay (52.5) and Hall, Janine Hayward, Hillman and McCall set a metric record in the 1600-meter relay, (4:16.7).

McCall also won the 100-meter dash (12.7).

FHS girls win again

Farmington High's softball team, which showed its strength with a victory over highly rated Waterford Township last week, notched its fifth win in six starts this season with a 6-1 win over Livonia Stevenson in the Inter Lakes League Friday.

Farmington, which leads the ILL with a 5-0 mark, used a three-hitter by Jean Zuhorski to beat Stevenson. She walked two and struck out none.

Farmington had only six hits off losing pitcher Cathy Potter. Zuhorski, Julie Ingalls and Mo Twomey each had two hits for the winners.

In the 5-1 win over Waterford, Zuhorski set the distance, struck out three and walked two. Mary Long, a junior outfielder, clouted a bases-loaded triple for Farmington.

Farmington travels to Walled Lake Central for a 4 p.m. game on Monday. On the same afternoon, Farmington Harrison hosts Livonia Churchill and Farmington Our Lady plays at Harper Woods Regina. On Tuesday, North Farmington entertains Livonia Franklin.

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CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS

SPECIAL STATEWIDE ELECTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a Special Statewide Election will be held in All Precincts CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS County of Oakland, State of Michigan

ON
TUESDAY, MAY 19, 1981

At the place in each of the several Wards or Precincts of said Farmington Hills as indicated below, viz:

Precinct 1. Gill Road School	Precinct 13. Wm. Grace School
Precinct 2. Wheeler Fire Hall	Precinct 14. East Junior High
Precinct 3. Woodcreek School	Precinct 15. Gill Road School
Precinct 4. Kenbrook School	Precinct 16. Fairview School
Precinct 5. Wm. Grace School	Precinct 17. Alameda School
Precinct 6. Shawassee School	Precinct 18. Lutheran High Northwest
Precinct 7. Duncel Jr. High	Precinct 19. Forest School
Precinct 8. Middlebelt School	Precinct 20. Duncel Jr. High
Precinct 9. N. Farmington High	Precinct 21. Middlebelt School
Precinct 10. Duncel Jr. High	Precinct 22. N. Farmington High
Precinct 11. N. Farmington High	Precinct 23. East Jr. High
Precinct 12. East Jr. High	Precinct 24. Independence Green Club House

TO VOTE ON THE FOLLOWING PROPOSITION:

PROPOSAL A
PROPOSAL TO REDUCE PROPERTY TAXES, REDUCE CITY INCOME TAXES, LIMIT GROWTH OF PROPERTY TAX REVENUES, RETURN ADDITIONAL SALES TAX TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND SCHOOLS AND GIVE STATE LOTTERY PROFITS TO SCHOOL AID FUND.

The proposed amendment would:

1. Reduce by 50% homestead property taxes used for operating schools and local governments. Reduction limited to \$1,400.00 in 1981 and changed yearly as home values change.
2. Reduce by 50% local individual income taxes on first \$40,000 of taxable income.
3. Make state return to local governments all funds lost by above reductions.
4. Limit yearly property tax revenue growth to 6% by property type unless raised by local voters.
5. Raise sales tax from 4% to 5.5%. Raise must be returned to local governments and schools.
6. Let farms and forests be assessed at use value.
7. Give state lottery profits to school aid fund.

SHOULD THIS AMENDMENT BE ADOPTED?

ALSO ANY ADDITIONAL AMENDMENTS OR PROPOSITIONS THAT MAY BE SUBMITTED.

Notice Relative to Opening and Closing of the Polls.
ELECTION LAW, ACT 116, P.A. 1954

SECTION 720. On the day of any election the polls shall be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon, and shall be continuously open until 8 o'clock in the afternoon and no longer. Every qualified elector present and in line at the hour prescribed for the closing thereof shall be allowed to vote.

The Polls for the said Election will be open from 7 o'clock A.M., and remain open until 8 o'clock P.M., of the same Election day.

FLOYD A. CAIRNS, Clerk

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