

It was Prep Bowl time and the kids had a (bowling) ball

"We Build Excitement." This popular slogan could also apply to the Michigan High School Conference Championships last weekend at Century Bowl in Waterford. They came from all over the state including the Upper Peninsula.

A total of \$20,000 in scholarship funds were up for grabs, and from a starting field of 72 male and 60 female bowlers, the process of elimination produced winners in the singles events on Friday and the team competition winding up last Saturday.

"This is a wonderful way for kids in high school to gain pride

in themselves, by competing for their school and in personal development as they grow into adulthood." Century Bowl's Mike Vaughn said. "The spectators were literally hanging from the rafters, and this is a large house than most with 62 lanes and having temporary grandstands set up in the concourse."

The student athletes put on a terrific showing both days, with singles competition on Friday and team events on Saturday. There were divisions for boys and girls. Saturday's action had 24 boys and 22 girls teams.

In the singles competition, both high qualifiers in the boys and girls division also went on to win their respective championships.

Abraham DeMond of Coldwater topped all qualifiers with 1,397. He rolled scores of 235, 256, 255, 230 and 231 for a 2,604 total, which earned him a \$1,000

scholarship. Jhamall McGaughy of Flint Southwestern Academy finished second at 2,515, earning a \$700 scholarship.

On the girls side, Jenni Johnson of Bay-City Western dominated the field, qualifying with 1,313, and then rolling games of 287, 181, 221, 224 and 246 for a total of 2,462 for a \$1,000 scholarship.

Kristi King of Warren Cousino, who won it all last year, finished second this time, earning another \$700 for her scholarship fund.

The team competition took place Saturday. The first three games of qualifying were all bowled in the standard team format, then the rest of the competition was in the Baker System format, in which each bowler bowls one frame in the first five, then one more turn in the second five. It works somewhat like the

batting order in baseball.

After they finished qualifying rounds, it turned out that the top two teams ended in a tie. That meant one more tie-breaker game was called for and this time Waverly won, gaining top seed for the match play rounds.

After the last pin had bitten the deck in match play, it was the team from Plymouth Salem that emerged victorious having defeated Lansing Waverly 458-329 in a two-game match. Rogers (358-336) and Bay City Western (467-380).

The Salem team, coached by Cliff Richards, consisted of Jeff Thomas, Cory Calencos, Justin Horvath, Steve Reinsel, Pat Brown, Eric Pawlus and Matt Bowden.

The win earned the Salem team \$3,000 in scholarships.

As for the girls, it was Waterford Mott going all the way to

the winners circle by defeating Grand Rapids Creston, 358-274.

A special mention for those who worked so hard to make the event a huge success. Scott Bennett, Executive Director of Bowling Centers Association of Michigan, Bob Huebel, BCAM President, and Ron Tomassoni of Iron Mountain whose initiative four years ago started this new movement to high school bowling.

This year's event doubled last year's turnout and it is hoped that soon there will be a high school letter-sport called bowling.

"The Mechanic" repeats. Jarvis Wohlske of Dearborn recently rolled another 300 game in the Senior Men's League at Mayflower Lanes in Redford.

It was his third 300 game and the second one since last December when he became the third oldest in the history of organized bowling (at age 86) to roll a per-

fect game.

This time, Jarv rewrote the record books as he is the only person to do it twice at this age. Jarv used the Columbia Extreme Chaos ball for both of his perfect games. As of now, it appears that Jarv Wohlske is the only person in 105 years of recorded ABC bowling history to have bowled two ABC sanctioned perfect games in his 80s.

For the third straight week a perfect game has been registered in the All-Star Bowlerettes League at Livonia's Cloverlanes when Novella White notched her third career 300.

Meanwhile, Robin Barter of Westland came close with a 299 and 702 series, her first ever 700 set. Karen continued her hot streak with a 280 game in 751, while Westland's Diane St. Louis rolled a 287 in a 712 set and Erica Mickowski ran up a 267 game with a 720 set.

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Cloverlanes (Livonia)
All-Star Bowlerettes: Novella White, 300/683; Robin Barter, 299/702; Karen Martin, 280/751; Diane St. Louis, 257/712; Erica Mickowski, 267/720.
Tuesday Seniors: Jon Newton, 211/530; Howard Simons, 203/555; Chel Zajac, 213/576.
Folletta Thursday Nite: Mike Malone, 287 (113 pins over average); Mike Saunders, 249/702; Frank Knitter, 276; Chuck O'Rourke, 271; Jim Griffith, 714; Randy Thompson, 711.
Pine Inter Plant Mixed: Don Kanelos, 205/600; Jim Christian, 210/236/627; Steve O'Murichina, 215/227/645.
Friday Seniors: Floyd Halstead, 232; 208/684; Joe Newton, 221/210/207/638; Dan Ulter, 211/522; George Bowman, 213/544.
Woodland Lanes (Livonia)
Lyndon Meadows: Debbie Ellsworth, 205/532; Dan Fedigo, 221/567.
G&G Auto: Larry Gielger, 300/703; Keith Elvert, 269/709; Marv Holly, 288/730; Mike Robertson, 258/716; Lloyd Nichols, 288.
St. Edith: Roger House, 259/714; Bob Rushford, 248/653; John Paul, 245/663; Bob Daley, 600; Ray Blair, 245.
Ford Parts: Steve Hicks, 266/765; Gary Shaffer, 256/737; Vaughn Fricolles, 238/693; Minh Grogan, 209/753; Rick Hiller, 172 triplike.
Mack's Tire: Jeff Adenzyck, 299/784; Mark Howell, 707; Derica Seaman, 110; Dave Grabos, 701; Tim Saunders, 998.
Early Birds: Ann Guerra (125 average), 214 (first-ever 200); Robin Marchese, 215; Gerry Brady, 202; Marilyn Gould, 202; Joyce Yandic, 640.
Cups & Dots (Seniors): Kris Barbour, 201; Joe Karier, 201; Ed Edmondson, 207; John Harstad, 204; Bill Bauman, 204.
All-Americans: Tim Melczak, 257; Jim Zapinski, 239; Evans Brown, 235; Doug Wismann, 230; Doug McKinnon, 228.
Senior House: Dave Kolb, 267/697; Mick Web, 253/697; Jeff Roche, 269/773.
Edmond Mixed: Tim Rose, 256/704; Dave Parker, 219/677; Bobbi J. Williams, 219/687; Joe Heim, 233/670.
Monday Seniors: Larry Noville, 217/210; Jim Melchior, 235; Zula Chemsillo, 219; Bob Weinlin, 204.
Super Bowl (Seniors)
Friday Funsters: Gene Wietecha, 209/559.

Nelle Vroman, 191/514; Robert Vroman, 189/503; George Dracley, 199.
Saturday Youth: 11 a.m. (Majors): Cory Calencos, 250/511; Drew Barn, 218/553; Matt McCaffrey, 204/510.
(Juniors): Andrew Siemens, 200; Gregor Johnson, 179.
(Preps): Katelyn Ingraham, 163.
(Bantams): Ryan Clark, 189.
8 a.m. Majors: Jon Robson, 200/630; Pat Brown, 260/731; Heidi Pierce, 197/509; Ken Barman, 208/547.
(Juniors): Amy Ansara, 124; Ted Panaratos, 198; Kevin Mudge, 145.
(Bantams/Preps): Chris Dytche, 138; Greg Polard, 160.
Friday Majors: Brian Peczynski, 234/653; Leon Walsh, 229/674; David Jacobs, 235; Jon Robson, 234/627; Todd Schemanski, 229/541.
Friday Juniors: Tom Johnson, 179; Erica Say, 140.
Friday Preps: Kyle Acuna, 165; Alex Drake, 151; Danielle Wren, 149.
Country Lanes (Farmington)
Greenfield Mixed: Rob Allen, 247/617; Ryan Wisch, 245/275/251/778; Tom Gow, 238/215/218/671; Chris Brugman, 232/217/635; Rick Madden, 238/639; Walt Thomas, 232/217/635; Lynne Wegener, 232; Bill Reed, 247/632.
St. Paul's Men: Kevin Cee, 240; Tom Brown, 605; Jim Schafer, 676.
Saturday Old Couples: Jim Anderson, 247/645; Wayne Kister, 235.
Sports Club: Mike Salmo, 243/583; Steve Hyson, 240/614.
EVER 7: Dave Spits, 278/708; Mike Harch, 269/747; Barney Moore, 268; Bob Tutanowski, 267; Bill Beck, 164.
Ladies Semi Circle: Sue Marsella, 258/610; Denise Linton, 222/525.
Monday Night Men: George Denha, 254; Wasson Mot, 247; Art Romania, 649; Chicago Shabo, 675.
Hockey O'Utes: Sue Osten, 222; Sherry Kanter, 213/507; Meryl Schwartz, 527.
Leon Lake: Jeff Haezbruck, 247/599; Scott Latta, 255/630; Dave Jerni, 248.
Prince of Peace: Alice Iacorelli, 215; Karen Frick, 211/534.
Tuesday Trio: John Osborne, 267; Kim Keim, 247; Lyle Scheeler, 247/681; Jeff Franberg, 199; Tina Verdyke, 198/500.
Country Keglers: Walt Ulrich, 277/695; Larry Kaplan, 268/654; Ralph McSorley, 225.

257/677; Ron Krahn, 246; Pat Forme, 246/687.
University Men's: Kevin Karanen, 300; Joe Ashburn, 278.
Temple Israel: D. Abramson, 277/670; M. Cozzello, 204.
Sunday Comics: Joe Kupit, 237; Jim Ben Biehl, 215/586; Vicki Miller, 202 Monday Night Men: Dave Weidenbach, 269; Chris Brungman, 208/723; Larry Spierburt, 744.
Country Couples: Ed Stroud, 245/660; Doug Rice, 223; Peggy Bone, 204/525.
Wednesday Knights: Steve Lingertot, 277/692; Mike O'Donerty, 255; Dave Green, 269/692; Kevin Karanen, 248/684.
Advanced Youth: Stan Skarbinski, 205/592; John Hooven, 203; Pearl Friend, 200.
Farmington Schools: Ben Shapiro, 240; Howard Nedy, 226/632.
Country High School: Jake VanMeter, 236/620; Mike Lee, 223/610; Melissa Miller, 222/589; Jerry Long, 214/564.
Westland Bowl

St. Mar's Men: Mel Wohlske, 258/660; Roy Lince, 237/630; Jerry Noy, 250/658; Nick Cimo, 288/734; Dan Rupp, 267/678.
Monday 8:30 p.m. Men: Dino Makowski, 245/580; David Prydn, 235/647; Paul Lindon, 234; Ronald Lunde, 234/625; Mike Sorenson, 233/620.
Monday Morning Men: Danny Renberg, 267/660; Pat Stover, 256/653; Randy Kime, 252/713; Vernon Loney, 247/646; Fred Heister, 240/533.
E/O Out to Lunch Bunch: Steve Goldner, 235/622; Ron Wojewicki, 227/562; Randy Mulvin, 223/595; Dan Zundel, 219; Louis Hargis, 215/520.
E/O Friendship: Dennis Allison, 231/596; Ray Galtow, 210; Pat Topper, 205/500; Sean Wicombell, 201/556; Annette Allison, 194/506.
Sunday Sleepers: Gerald Brown, 300/704; Rich Truland, 300/821; John Huxley, Jr., 287; David Strivis, 279/762; Larry Collins, 278/697.
Thursday Nite Mixed: Ken Forbes, 270/687; Larry Logue, 245/626; Brian Boley, 235/577; Dan Harrison, 232/620; Audrey Chaffin, 224/519.
Westland Champs: Candy Loschavo, 214/585; Mark Ann Burke, 203/530; Cathy Franberg, 199; Tina Verdyke, 198/500.
John Glenn Intramural: Travis Robinson, 225.

Tuesday Men's Invitational: John Saranas, 279/680; Bill Sikes, 277; Jeff Kirkland, 254/695; Mike Smetzer, 256/686; Larry Fin, 255/714.
Youth League (Tuesday Youth Doubles): Kristopher Moyer, 164.
(Tuesday Bantams): Stefan Harrison, 129; Joshua Vowles, 125; Cally Goodin, 115.
Saturday Coca Cola (Majors): John Leann, 211/571; Brett Suemko, 235/582; Rob Ledman, 245/648; Crystal Tronge, 100/529; Juniors: Jena Trudell, 172; Marty Strand, 182; Darrell Olds, 245/669 (Preps): Chris Melkay, 175; Jessica Barnett, 127; Samantha Elava, 148.

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