



It's official now.

The Thunderbird Inn ladies team that won the championship in the Ladies Major League under the name of Mr. F's, survived the late challenge to win the top honors in the Detroit Woman's Bowling Association tournament that ended over the past weekend.

The team score of 2788 took top honors in the actual pinfall division and the team gained an additional honor when Mary Mohacs, one of the members won the actual all-events crown with 1788.

The team members were honored guests at the annual league banquet Friday at Mr. F's and walked away with most of the trophies.

With Helen Baker as captain the team posted the best record of any woman's group. Aside from winning the Ladies Major League the team finished second in the Bowlerettes and won the city title.

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And in the Industrial Classic the Cast Forge team won top honors.

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The Oakland County Traveling League paid a visit and left its mark when Eddie Gibb had a 267 in 225 and Russ Ruban had a 712.

ONE OF THE MOST dramatic finishes of the season occurred Tuesday at Southfield bowl where the Maintenance Team No. 1, of the Teachers League, upset the Levey No. 1 team to win the league title by a half point.

Trailing when the match started the Maintenance team came through with just enough points for the title.

Members of the new champions are Fred Martin, Herman Schiller, Bob McTharlos, Fred Hamlin, owner of Farmington Lanes who has developed many youthful stars, uncovered another last week in the Peanut division of the YBA league.

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Headpin Meet Nets \$400 To Band Fund

More than 800 bowlers contributed approximately \$400 to the Farmington High School Band Fund in the headpin tournament conducted in the four area establishments over the weekend.

"For our first event, it was better than we expected," Dick Lujey Sr. stated, "and because of the many requests we have had the event now is certain to become an annual affair."

The event, held in Norwest Lanes, Farmington Lanes, Bel-Aire Lanes and Country Lanes, drew equally well from each district, both in bowlers and spectators.

CONCEIVED BY LUKY, to raise funds for new band uniforms, a band visit to summer camp, and a scholarship, the event was the first of its kind held in Observeland.

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The total prize list reached \$300. Aside from the monetary prizes high score in each of the four establishments was awarded a trophy. This meant that Mike Phillips, of Farmington Lanes, was one of the winners.

The following members of the AJBC and YBA, who were unable to compete for cash prizes, were awarded trophies: Dave Alwin, Norwest Lanes; 55; John Grassie, Norwest Lanes; 50; Mike Harris, Norwest; 67; Tom Bradley, of Country Lanes; and Susan Jahn, of Farmington who tied for fifth place at 62.

Parents Day Event Ends Pin Season

Parents Day will officially close the junior bowling winter season Friday afternoon at Plymouth Bowl.

The festivities start at 3:30 p.m. when the parents and their children take over the lanes for what is termed "Fun Day." For more than an hour they will have the lanes to themselves.

After the bowling, trophies will be awarded and refreshments served.

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