



Annual Open Meeting
July 15th, 2023

Greater Miami USBC
Annual Open Meeting
Agenda
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Call Meeting to Order

Welcome

Pledge of Allegiance

Invocation

Introduction of Board Members

Bird Bowl Announcements

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Actions of the Board

Committee Reports

Election of Board Members

Election of Delegates

Open Discussion

Close

Presidents Message
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We are one center, we are one heartbeat, we are the bowlers and board members of GMUSBC.

It was a fabulous year! It was awesome to have everything back to normal again.

We held 13 tournaments this year. The tournaments were the Bird Bowl Youth Scholarship, Rolling Toward a Cure, BVL Mail-O-Gram League Play, Don & Paula Carter Adult/Youth Scholarship, Women's City, Youth City, Rolling Toward a Cure Mail-O-Gram League Play, Adult City, Seniors 50+, BVL Baker Doubles, 9-Pin No-Tap End of the Year Celebration, Youth Top "8" and next weekend will be the Adult Top "8" and Super Seniors. Thanks to new and returning sponsors we were able to maintain pretty good prize fund payouts and scholarships.

We honored some very special individuals this past year. We finally inducted Pam Cameron for Service and Sherry Cockfield for Ability into the Hall of Fame. They were nominated during the 2020-2021 season, but thanks to Covid we had to wait a little over a year to celebrate their achievement. Caitlin Graham and Fernando Guadalupe the Adult Bowlers of the Year, Gillian Pons and Christian Farfan the Youth Bowlers of the Year, Pam Cameron the Secretary of the Year, Kenny Deutch the Ed & Patty Arnette "Making a Difference" Award and Nick Erviti, Chritian Farfan, Julian Fernandez, Emilia Nodarse, Connor Pipho, Gillian Pons, and Ryan Toffoli our \$1,000 Youth Scholarship Recipients. Yes, I just listed seven \$1,000 scholarships! Congratulations to all of you!

Fundraising was very successful! Thanks to the best bowlers that any association could ask for and board members that are simply amazing! We raised \$2,260 for BVL and \$8,389 for Rolling Toward a Cure benefiting the Florida Breast Cancer Foundation. We dropped compared to the last couple of years, but we are still just as grateful and thankful!

Let us remember, we would not be able to do what we do without the huge support of Bird Bowl! I couldn't be prouder than to bowl in such a beautiful updated center.

Like I always say, find a friend, find a family member, find a stranger, just find someone, and then take the time to show them what the "bowling experience" is all about!!!

Good luck and good bowling,

Patty Nevers

Greater Miami USBC Association, Inc.-President

Greater Miami USBC Association Annual Meeting Minutes
July 16, 2022

President Patty Nevers called meeting to order at 11:30am. The President's report was given.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Dianna Rose and Kristin Smith gave the invocation.

Patty welcomed all the attendees and guests to the meeting.

The Association Board Members, officers and Florida State Directors were introduced by Patty.

There were 21 attendees at the meeting which satisfied our required quorum of 15 attendees.

Glenda Beckett briefly presented the minutes from the last year and the Actions of the Board from last year. This report is included in the booklet that is provided for the attendees.

The Committee Reports are all included in the booklet and each committee chairman gave a brief report.

Budget Committee – The delegates were shown the approved budget for the upcoming year.

Community Service – Pam - reported that \$13,000.00 was given to Florida Breast Cancer Research and \$2500.00 was given to BVL. This money is made up of donations from bowlers as well as from entry fees for tournaments.

Ways and Means – Miguel – We have had a table at every tournament that we have. Money collected from ways & means is shared between our youth scholarship program and our general fund for the association, with the exception of our BFC, BVL and Youth Tournaments. We have 50/50 raffles at most of our tournaments. Our baked goods are always a hit – especially “Blanche's Brownies!”

This year the Board decided to have a drawing and give a paid sanction to a bowler, not on our Board, for the upcoming year. This year's winner was Cindy Rudbeck.

Legislative Session

For policies & procedures this year, there was an amendment brought up to increase the local dues for the Association. This amendment passed the local board and needs to be presented to the entire membership present at the meeting for approval.

Miguel motioned that the local dues be increased to \$10, bringing total sanction fees for adults to \$25.00; Ronnye seconded it. The motion was passed with an affirmative vote by the membership present. Sanction fees going forward will be \$25.00 for adults and \$20.00 for those who are participating in a senior league.

Elections of Board Members and Officers –There is 1 officer position and 3 Director Positions up for election this year; Incumbent President Patty Nevers and Jennifer Hough names were put on the ballot. Patty was reelected as President. Directors up for reelection are; Miguel Baro, Glenda

Beckett, Jennifer Hough. The 3 Directors positions were reelected by acclamation since there were no additional candidates.

Florida State Annual Convention is October 7-9, 2022 in St. Pete, FL. and we are allowed 4 delegates. Delegate positions were elected; Sabrina Binegar, Sharon Colon, Patty Nevers, Pam Cameron. Alternates elected were; Miguel, Jennifer, Dianna & Shelley. Sabrina opted not to go because of a date conflict so Miguel was moved to the Delegate list.

USBC Annual Convention is in Las Vegas April 24-27, 2023 and we have 3 delegates. National Delegates elected are; Miguel Baro, Sabrina Binegar and Jennifer Hough.

There being no further business the meeting was dismissed at 12:55pm.

Patty thanked everyone for attending. After adjournment the board members need to be sworn in.

Actions of the Board – 2022-2023

- Sanctioned 17 leagues at Bird Bowl: including 3 youth leagues.
- Awarded the “Ed & Patty Arnette Make a Difference Award” to Kenny Deutsch
- Honored Adult Bowlers of the Year: Fernando Guadalupe & Caitlin Graham
- Honored Junior Bowlers of the Year: Christian Farfan & Gillian Pons
- Honored Secretary of the Year: Pam Cameron
- Partnered with Bird Bowl to have a Bird Bowl Youth Scholarship Tournament in Sept. 2022
- Conducted the Don & Paula Carter Adult/Youth Tournament and awarded a Junior Gold spot in December 2022
- Conducted the annual Women’s City Tournament in January 2023
- Held a Rolling Towards a Cure Breast Cancer Tournament October 2022
- Conducted the Youth City Tournament in February 2023
- Held the annual Open City Tournament in March 2023
- Conducted a tournament for senior men & women in April 2023
- Conducted a Baker Doubles Fun tournament benefiting BVL in April 2023
- Had a 9 pin No Tap Tournament in May 2023
- Conducted the Top 8 Invitational Tournament for Youth June 2023
- Conducted the Top Invitational Adult Tournament July 2022
- Awarded scholarships to every Junior participant in Top 8
- Contributed to both the BVL (\$2500.00) & Florida Breast Cancer Research (\$8,000.00) in July 2023 for the fiscal year 2022-23
- All Board members are participating in the Registered Volunteer Program and are SafeSport Certified
- At the Annual Meeting in 2022 there were Office & Director positions up for re-election.
Officer Patty Nevers - President
Directors – Miguel Baro, Glenda Beckett, Jennifer Hough
- Continuing to have posters in Bird Bowl announcing our activities information to bowlers.
- Sent 4 voting Delegates to the Florida State Annual Meeting in October 2022
- Sent 2 Voting Delegates to the USBC Annual Convention in April 2023



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Audit Committee

The audit committee met this past season to review the financial records of the association. We can report that the financial records have been audited through May 31st. All records were in order.

Our association manager does a fantastic job with recordkeeping and maintains excellent documentation to backup all deposits and payments for the association. Our committee will meet very soon to complete the review of the records for June and July.

Sabrina Binigar

Committee Chairperson

Margo Buzzard

Committee Co-Chairperson



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AWARDS COMMITTEE

The Awards desk processed 1367 League Achievement Awards for the 2022-2023 Season

774 Game Awards; 380 Series Awards; 204 Pins over Average Awards and 9 Special Awards

100-124 Game (95 Avg or Less) = 8	300-399 Series (90 Avg or Less) = 5	+140 Pins Over Series (All Avg) = 66
125-149 Game (115 Avg or Less) = 38	400-499 Series (120 Avg or Less) = 37	+75 Pins Over Game (All Avg) = 138
150-174 Game (140 Avg or Less) = 82	500-599 Series (150 Avg or Less) = 67	Triplicate Series = 5
175-199 Game (160 Avg or Less) = 114	600-699 Series (180 Avg or Less) = 138	All Spare Game = 0
200-224 Game (175 Avg or Less) = 146	700-799 Series (All Avg) = 114	Dutch 200 = 1
225-249 Game (180 Avg or Less) = 145	800 Series (All Avg) = 14	7-10 Split Conversion = 3
250-274 Game (190 Avg or Less) = 80	700 Series (WOMEN All Avg) = 5	4-6-7-10 Split Conversion = 0
275-299 Game (All Avg) = 102	300 GAME (All Avg) = 30	11 Strikes In-A-Row (All Avg)= 29

Women's City received 8 Plaques and Open City received 15 Plaques.

Various trophies were awarded to the champions of the Rolling Toward a Cure, 9 Pin No-Tap, Don & Paula Carter Youth/Adult; and BVL Baker's Doubles Tournaments.

41 Bowlers received League Champion Bowling Pin Keychains.

A special Thank You to the Secretaries that submitted the information to provide these awards for our Bowlers.

Committee Chairperson

Peggy Guest

Committee Co-Chairperson

Rob Stadmir

Committee Members: Kristin Smith and Sabrina Binigar

GREATER MIAMI USBC ASSOCIATION, INC.

GENERAL OPERATING FUND

AUGUST 1, 2023 - JULY 31, 2024

	<u>2022-2023 Budget Amounts</u>	<u>2022-2023 Actuals</u>	<u>2023-2024 Proposed</u>	<u>Net Change from 22-23</u>
INCOME:				
Memberships				
Adults	\$ 7,000.00	\$ 6,690.00	\$ 6,500.00	(500.00)
Youth	400.00	\$ 487.00	\$ 400.00	-
Seniors	450.00	\$ 415.00	\$ 450.00	-
Multiples	240.00	\$ 239.00	\$ 240.00	-
Total Membership Income	<u>8,090.00</u>	<u>\$ 7,831.00</u>	<u>\$ 7,590.00</u>	<u>(500.00)</u>
Fundraising Income				
Tournament Income (.50 /bowler & late fees)	450.00	\$ 469.00	\$ 450.00	-
Other Association Funds	7,168.25	\$ 10,300.00	\$ 7,500.00	331.75
Total Other Income	<u>7,618.25</u>	<u>\$ 10,769.00</u>	<u>\$ 7,950.00</u>	<u>331.75</u>
TOTAL INCOME	<u>\$ 15,708.25</u>	<u>\$18,600.00</u>	<u>\$ 15,540.00</u>	<u>(168.25)</u>
EXPENSES:				
Awards	2,500.00	\$ 3,718.07	\$ 3,000.00	500.00
Annual Meeting	100.00	\$ 141.23	\$ 100.00	-
Corporate Annual Filing	61.25	\$ 61.25	\$ 61.25	-
Employer Taxes	368.00	\$ 349.33	\$ 368.00	-
Insurance	-			-
Hall of Fame Awards Dinner	1,000.00	\$ 4,744.83	\$ 1,000.00	-
Manager Salary	5,000.00	\$ 4,635.62	\$ 5,000.00	-
National & State Meetings	2,150.00	\$ 1,956.00	\$ 2,150.00	-
Office Supplies & Printing	1,250.00	\$ 727.92	\$ 1,250.00	-
Other Expense	350.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 300.00	(50.00)
Postage	60.00	\$ -	\$ 60.00	-
Poster Printing	300.00	\$ 434.90	\$ 500.00	200.00
Quickbooks Software	-			-
Storage	1,236.00	\$ 1,288.00	\$ 1,236.00	-
Sunshine / Good & Welfare	175.00	\$ -	\$ 175.00	-
Telephone	110.00	\$ -	\$ -	(110.00)
Uniforms	600.00		\$ 600.00	-
Website Maintenance	600.00	\$ 414.85	\$ 600.00	-
TOTAL EXPENSES	<u>\$ 15,860.25</u>	<u>\$ (18,572.00)</u>	<u>\$ 16,400.25</u>	<u>540.00</u>

YOUTH BOWLERS FUND

AUGUST 1, 2023 - JULY 31, 2024

		<u>Actuals</u>	<u>Proposed</u>	
INCOME				
Fees for Youth Awards	411.00	\$ 868.00	640.00	229.00
TOTAL INCOME	411.00	\$ 868.00	640.00	229.00
EXPENSES				
Awards & Other Expenses	411.00	\$ 164.40	640.00	229.00
TOTAL EXPENSES	411.00	\$ 868.00	640.00	229.00



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COMMUNITY SERVICE

In addition to all GMUSBC's accomplishments, the Community Service Committee focuses on two major charities for our local community. We raise funds for our military veterans, BVL, which is donated to the local VA Administration, and for breast cancer research, education and helping those in need. Our funds raised for breast cancer are donated to Florida Breast Cancer Foundation.

As we entered the year with the diminishing threat of COVID, we were faced with the lower number of sanctioned bowlers. However, we planned, prevailed, and carried on with our fundraisers. Our first endeavor was the collection of funds through league donations for both BVL and RTC. Thanks to all bowlers who opened their wallets and donated.

We held our "Rolling Toward a Cure" tournament on October 23, 2022. We had a tremendous turnout and participation with over 100 entries, adult and youth. It was a fantastic day with all the bowlers dressed in their pink shirts. We had basket raffles, 50/50 drawings, ways and means table, baked goods, and we even had the Metro Dade pink-mobile parked out in front; it was a "something for everyone" kind of day. We all worked for the same goal, to raise funds for breast cancer research. Florida Breast Cancer Foundation supplied all bowlers with bright pink accessory bags, a delight to all. Our winners were Manuel Lacayo, Christine Clark and Alejandro Mejia-Blanco for the youth. In addition to our tournament, we were able to hold a Rolling Toward a Cure Mail-o-gram (in-league play) tournament. This took place during the week of February 13-18, 2023, with 138 league participants. First place winners were Siku Martinez, Ryan Toffoli, and Christian Farfan, our youth winner.

We held two fundraising events for BVL. Our mail-o-gram for this cause took place on November 7-12, 2022, with 134 entries and winners being Christine Pascual-Fernandez, Steve Ho-Sang, and Justin Jesurum-Miranda, our youth winner. Our BVL Bakers Doubles tournament was on April 23, 2023, with 39 teams competing. Emelie and Emerio, Jr, daughter and dad, came out on top as our winners.

We are very proud to say, to date, we have raised a total of \$8,389.36 to donate to Florida Breast Cancer Foundation. At the end of July, we will present our check in the amount of \$2,260.25 to the local Miami Veterans Hospital.

As you can see, your donations, tournament entries and participation go a long way. We encourage all bowlers to check with their league secretaries for entries, review our website and look for Facebook postings. We now have a bulletin board where we post our events for all to see. Our goal is to inform all and grow these events with more participants and donations. A huge thanks to ALL.

Pamela Cameron

Committee Chairperson

Margo Buzzard

Committee Co-Chairperson



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ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE

After two years of NOT having a Hall of Fame/Awards Dinner, we were happy to hold the 54th event on October 1, 2022, at the Venetian Banquet Hall. We had a lot of catching up to do.

We did so in style, honoring our recent Hall of Fame Inductees, Pam Cameron for service and Sherry Cockfield for ability, our adult and youth bowlers of the year, Top 8 winners and the newly created Top 6 Super Seniors winners, Secretary of the year, Rookie of the year and our prestigious "Ed & Patty Arnett Making a Difference" service award.

We had over 70 guests to celebrate the elite winners, and purchase raffle tickets for some great prizes with funds benefiting our Veterans and breast cancer research.

The Entertainment Committee is also responsible for providing refreshments for the annual open meeting, Officers School, Top 8 tournaments, and all board meetings.

We remain strong and committed to serving the bowlers of Dade County.

Pamela Cameron

Committee Chairperson

Ronnye Weisberg

Committee Co-Chairperson



Proposed Amendments

This form is to assist associations in presenting to its members/delegates at the association's annual meeting, any proposed amendments to its bylaws.

Association Name: Greater Miami USBC Assn Number: 82112

BYLAWS PROPOSAL NO. 1

PRESENT RULE:

Article Number and Name: Article V - Board of Directors - Management

Section Number and Name: Section B - Eligibility A. Adult

(Copy and paste the entire section that is proposed to be changed from your current bylaws here) Additional eligibility requirements, if any, are to be approved by the board, adult members and youth representatives.

A candidate for election or appointment as a Director of the Greater Miami USBC must have attended at least one annual meeting within a two year period immediately preceding nomination.

PROPOSAL: *(Insert proposed changes/additions/deletions below)*

A candidate for election or appointment as a Director of the Greater Miami USBC must have attended at least one annual meeting, including the current year, before being elected/appointed.

If adopted, (SectionB - Eligibility - Adult - #2 will read:

Additional eligibility requirements, if any, are to be approved by the board, adult members and youth representatives.

A candidate for election or appointment as a Director of the Greater Miami USBC must have attended at least one annual meeting before being elected/appointed, including the current year.

REASON FOR PROPOSAL: *(Insert the reason for the proposal below)*

It is becoming increasingly difficult to find qualified candidates for the Board positions. Making too stringent requirements only makes it harder to find people to serve. As small as our association is, we all know the qualifications of our bowlers & how much a person is willing to work and sometimes attending the annual meeting is hard to fit into a persons schedule.

PRESENTED BY: *(Enter Name & USBC ID # for all proposers below)*

Glenda Beckett # 2993-4830



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Promotion & Publicity

This past year we have continued writing articles for the Florida State Newsletter and have also begun an evaluation regarding the necessity of publishing two local association newsletters per season. Thanks go to those people who wrote articles for these.

Our best means of getting out information about our tournaments and bowlers' achievements have been through social media including our website, Facebook, Twitter, e-mails, etcetera and our tournament/event posters which can be found on the wall near the small bar at Bird Bowl. Thank you, Patty, for your tireless commitment to keep our bowlers informed on bowling issues.

If anyone has suggestions or questions about the above, please contact a member of our committee/association as we are always looking to get new ideas or comments.

Committee Chair
Sharon Colon

Committee Co-Chair
Rob Stadmire

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We hosted the Hall of Fame & wards Dinner for the first time in two years (thanks to the pesky coronavirus that stuck around forever) on October 2nd, 2022. It was a night to remember!

We honored 2020-2021 Hall of Fame Inductees Pam Cameron for Service and Sherry Cockfield for Ability.

We also honored the 2021-2022 major award (FRAGILE) recipients.....

Fernando Guadalupe and Caitlin Graham were the Adult Bowlers of the Year. Christian Farfan and Gillian Pons were the Youth Bowlers of the Year.

The Top 8 Youth Champions were Casey Puett and Gillian Pons. The Top 8 Adult Champions were Albert Morales and Yei Alayo. And the Super Seniors Champions were Gary Fox and Pam Cameron.

Secretary of the Year went to Pam Cameron.

The Ed and Patty Arnette "Making a Difference" Award went to Kenny Deutsch.

Congratulations to all the winners!

Committee Chairperson

Margo Buzzard

Committee Co-Chairperson

Danielle Graham



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Sponsors

We had a very successful year of tournaments due to many sponsors coming on board with much needed financial support. Just about every tournament had higher prize fund payouts and scholarships added.

We are so grateful to sponsors FPL, Alpine Mar CPA'S & Advisors, Truck Max, NAI Miami-Ft. Lauderdale, Southwest Animal Hospital, Dairy Queen (4040 SW 67th Avenue), Kenny's Pro Shop, Somi Pet Resort, Woodys Backyard Grill, Mike's Pro Shop, Bob & Charlene Richards and Bob & Peggy Guest.

We are very humbled to accept so many donations from our bowlers, their families, friends and GMUSBC board members of items for raffle, give away or sell at all our tournaments. You have no idea how much these heartfelt gestures helped with our success of fundraising for BVL and the Florida Breast Cancer Foundation. Along with adding monetary value to the raffles.

And.....thank you Bird Bowl! Your reasonable lineage, donation of \$5,000 toward youth scholarships at your youth tournament and amazing staff that you have us work with at all the events makes for the BEST behind the scenes sponsor of all!

Thank you from the bottom of all involved with GMUSBC's hearts-Patty

Committee Chairperson

Danielle Graham

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Tournament Committee

During the 2022-23 Association year the committee held 7 regular tournaments and two special tournaments; an Adult/Youth Tournament, Women's, Open and Youth City Tournaments, Senior Tournament, Rolling Towards the Cure Tournament and the Top 8 Invitational Tournaments. This year we held the Top 8 in 2 parts, Youth one weekend and the adults later. Our special tournaments were a BVL Bakers Doubles Tournament and a 9 Pin No Tap tournament.

July 24, 2022 the Annual Top 8 Invitational Tournament was held. There were 8 men & 8 women who qualified. This is a tournament to recognize the Top 8 highest averages in the Association. The only requirement is for each bowler to have bowled at least 60 games in the past season in 2 leagues. This year we have a new division – it's called the Super Seniors Top 6. This division is for our bowlers aged 64 & up.

On October 23, 2022 the Annual Rolling Towards A Cure Tournament was held in support of Breast Cancer Research. There was a total of 104 entries, including Women's division, Open division, Youth Division & a scratch division. There was a total donation from the proceeds of the tournament of \$8300.00 this includes entry donations as well as donations from individuals and other fund-raising events for this cause.

On December 11, 2022 the Association held its annual Don & Paula Carter Adult/Youth Doubles Tournament. This year we were fortunate to be able to offer a Junior Gold Spot. There was \$1000.00 added to the prize fund. There was a total of 29 entries in two divisions.

On January 22st & 22nd, 2023 the Annual Women's City Tournament was held. We had a doubles division with an optional singles event as well as optional scratch. \$850.00 was added to the prize fund.

The breakdown of entries and payouts is as follows:

- Women's Doubles had 23 entries with \$1064.50 in prize money
- Doubles Scratch had 7 entries with \$70 in prize money
- Women's Singles had 34 entries with \$875.50 in prize money
- Scratch Singles had 8 entries with \$40.00 in prize money
- All Events had 32 entries with \$330.00 paid out in prize money

On February 4th & 5th, 2023, the GMUSBC Association held the Annual Youth City Tournament. This year \$2000.00 was added to the prize fund. This year the tournament was changed to a Doubles/Singles Event.

The breakdown of entries and Scholarship payouts for the Youth City Tournament is as follows:

- Youth Doubles had 17 entries with \$993.00 paid out in scholarship money

Youth Singles had 28 entries with \$936.00 paid out in scholarship money
All Events had 18 entries with \$760.00 paid out in scholarship money

Feb. 25, 26, March 3 & 4, 2023 were the dates for the Open Adult City Tournament. There was a total of \$1,900.00 added to the prize fund courtesy of GMUSBC.

The breakdown of Entries and Payouts for the Open Adult City Tournament is as follows:

Open Team had 25 entries with \$2,775.00 in prize money
Open Doubles had 60 entries with \$2,750.00 in prize money
Open Singles Division had 117 entries with \$2,443.75 in prize money
Open All-Events had 78 entries with \$640.00 in prize money

Scratch Events had a total of 143 entries with a total of \$1030.00 in prize money paid out.

The Senior 50+ Tournament this year held on April 2, 2023 had 50 entries with a combined prize fund paid out of \$1,144.00, including scratch.

On April 23, 2023, the Association held a BVL Doubles Tournament. There were 39 entries in the tournament. The prize fund paid out was \$852.00, There was a total donation to BVL of \$2400.00 from the proceeds of the tournament as well as donations from individuals and other fund-raising events for this cause.

On May 21, 2023 the Association held a 9 Pin No Tap Tournament. There was a total of 49 entries. There were 39 adult entries, and the prize fund paid out was \$585.00. There were 10 youth entries who had a prize fund of \$150.00 deposited in their SMART account.

The Annual Invitational Top 8 Tournament Youth Division was held on June 10, 2023. The decision was made last year to separate the Youth & Adults so that the Youth who are going to Junior Gold could participate in our Local Top 8. This year there were 8 Youth Boys & 7 Youth Females who were able to participate. Every Youth received SMART scholarship money. There was a total of \$2900.00 deposited in the SMART accounts for the youth.

The Adult Top 8 event will be held on July 23, 2023.

Respectfully Submitted,

Glenda Beckett
Committee Chairperson

Blanche Bronwit
Committee Co-Chair



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Ways and Means Committee

Bowling and brownies, what a beautiful thing!

Yes, Blanche's brownies are always the hit of the Ways and Means table, and we thank her for fulfilling our chocolate dreams! A great big thank you to the other members of the committee and board who keep the table full of delicious goodies!

A special thank you to Miguel Baro for spearheading the profit sharing events that benefit both our bowlers and our charities.

The profits from the Ways and Means sales give financial support to the BVL and the Florida Breast Cancer foundation. Thank you to the tournament bowlers who purchased these items in supporting this effort!

Dianna Rose

Chair

Miguel Baro

Co-chair



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Youth Committee

We had a ball this year with Bird Bowls Youth Program.

We started the season off in August by awarding a record number of seven \$1,000 scholarships. The deserving recipients were Nick Erviti, Christian Farfan, Julian Fernandez, Emilia Nodarse, Connor Piphon, Gillian Pons and Ryan Toffoli. We also named Gillian Pons the Youth Female Bowler of the Year and Christian Farfan the Youth Male Bowler of the Year.

When the season began in September with the leagues, we had the pleasure of working with the best youth bowlers and their guardians. They were so appreciative, happy and respectful all year. Making it an absolute privilege to pass out bowling shirts, bag tags, coffee mugs, high score awards and tournament trophies.

Birds Bowls coaches that are led by Susie Coile are bar none, the best there is! Jim Porter, Richard Cheney, Mike Perdomo, Chris Salinetto, Shawna Erviti, Shelly Nodarse (her helper Frank) and Jorge Ferrer.

Congratulations to all Tournament Champions during the year.....Tyler Salinetto, Evan Viener, Alejandro Mejia-Blanco, Christian Farfan, Justin Jesurum-Miranda, Ethan Aguililla, Robert Perera, Jr., Amber Meza, Kevin Lasso, Tristan Benigno, Emerio Diaz III, Nicholas Chan, Emelie Diaz, Samantha Abreu and Zachary Rodriguez. And 2023 Pepsi USBC Youth Championships U18, U18 GIRLS, Handicap-1st place Eva Rose Garcia.

Couldn't be happier than I was this year working so closely with Bird Bowls Youth Program-Patty

Committee Chairperson

Patty Nevers

Committee Co-Chairperson

Shawna Erviti



2023-2024 TENTATIVE CALENDAR OF EVENTS

August 20th: League Officers School

September 23rd: Bird Bowl Youth Scholarship Tournament

October 7th: Annual Hall of Fame & Awards Dinner

October 16th-21st: Rolling Toward a Cure League Collections

October 22nd: Rolling Toward a Cure Tournament

November 6th-11th: Mail O Gram "BVL" Singles Handicap Tournament-League Play

December 9th & 10th: Youth City Tournament

January 20th & 21st: Women's City Doubles Tournament with Optional Singles

February 18th: Don & Paula Carter Adult/Youth Doubles Tournament

February 19th-24th: Mail O Gram "RTC" Singles Handicap Tournament-League Play

March 2nd & 3rd: Adult Open City Tournament

March 16th & 17th: Adult Open City Tournament

April 14th: Seniors 50 Plus Open & Women's Tournament

April 15th-20th: "BVL" League Collections

May 19th: "BVL" Baker Doubles Tournament

June 8th: Youth Top "8" Invitational Scratch Tournament

July 20th: Annual Open Meeting

July 28th: Top "8" and Super Seniors Invitational Tournament

