



GFUSBCA



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Greater Fredericksburg United States Bowling Congress Association Newsletter

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Important Announcements

GFUSBCA Open Tournament 9:00am Liberty Center Apr 2-3

Youth Scholarship \$500 Scholarships for [youth](#) and [adults](#) to help with College tuition are available through the GFUSBCA College fund. Check the web site for full details.

GFUSBCA Annual Meeting The annual meeting will be held on **April 9, 2016** at Liberty Center. If you want to apply for one of the five positions up for election on the board, then fill out an [application](#) and give it to any GFUSBCA board member or mail it to the Association Manager. **We will be looking for Applicants for 1st Vice President, 3rd Vice President, Director #1, Director #3 and Director #5.**

GFUSBCA Board of Directors

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[Joshua Eggleston](#)

Director #5 (Youth):
[Tammy Southall](#)

Director #6 (Youth):
[Brian Eggleston](#)

Upcoming Local Tournaments and Events

- ◆ Mar 5-6, [GFUSBCA Mixed Tournament](#) 9:00am AMF Fredericksburg
- ◆ Mar 5, [Bobby Phillips Handicap Tournament](#) 8:30pm AMF Fredericksburg
- ◆ Mar 13, Liberty Doubles Shootout Handicap Tournament, 10:00am Liberty Center
- ◆ Mar 26, [Bobby Phillips No-Tap Tournament](#) 8:30pm AMF Fredericksburg
- ◆ Mar 27, TNT Dynamite Handicap Doubles 9:00am AMF Fredericksburg
- ◆ Mar 27, Heard Scratch Sport Tournament, 2:00 pm AMF Fredericksburg
- ◆ Apr 2-3, [GFUSBCA Open Tournament](#) 9:00am Liberty Center
- ◆ **Apr 9, GFUSBCA Annual Meeting 1:00pm Liberty Center**
- ◆ **Hall of Fame entry submission deadline, June 1, 2016**

Check GFUSBCA Web Site <http://gfusbca.org/events/events.aspx> for more events

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AMF Dale City Lanes Woodbridge



AMF Fredericksburg Lanes

NOTICE OF GFUSBCA ANNUAL MEETING

The Greater Fredericksburg USBC Association will hold its Annual Membership Meeting to discuss association business, any proposals to change association bylaws, elect officers and directors who will lead the association, and elect delegates to the 2017 USBC Convention as well as the Virginia State Bowling Association Annual Meeting.



Meeting Location: Liberty Center (Upstairs Meeting Room)
5801 Southpoint Centre
Fredericksburg, VA 22407
~ (540) 710-7467 ~

Meeting Date: Saturday, April 9, 2016

Meeting Time: 1 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Meeting Registration: Begins at Noon, 12:00 p.m.

This meeting is open to all members of the Greater Fredericksburg USBC Association. You must present your local association (GFUSBCA) membership card to be admitted to the meeting. Only those ages 14 or older may vote.

Direction to Liberty Lanes:

From Dale City...

Follow I-95 S to US-1 S/US-17 S in Battlefield. Take exit 126 from I-95 S. Take ramp to RTE 1 South. Follow US-1 S/US-17 S and Southpoint Pkwy to Southpoint Centre Blvd in Lee Hill. Use the left 2 lanes to turn left onto Southpoint Pkwy. Turn right on to Southpoint Centre Blvd. Liberty Center will be on your left.

Honor Scores

Reported January – February

Bowler	Achievement	League or Tournament	Date
Moylan, John Jr.	833	AMF Dale City, DCOMMCL	January 11, 2016
Gallahan, Bryan	814	AMF Fredericksburg, Merchants' Mixed	January 5, 2016
Dalton, Jamie	300	Liberty Center, Wednesday Night Men's	February 10, 2016
Rumbaugh, Paul	300	AMF Fredericksburg, Merchants' Mixed	February 9, 2016
Dalton, Jamie	300	AMF Fredericksburg, Merchants' Mixed	February 2, 2016
Campbell, Charles	300	AMF Dale City, DCOMMCL	February 1, 2016
Holloway, Jeter III	300	AMF Fredericksburg, Steve's Trios	January 28, 2016
Zemore, Mike	300	AMF Fredericksburg, Thursday Knights	January 28, 2016
Norton, Donnie	300	Liberty Center, Wednesday Night Men's	January 20, 2016
Einhorn, Jim	300	Liberty Center, Wednesday Night Men's	January 13, 2016
Dalton, Jamie	300	AMF Fredericksburg, Merchants' Mixed	January 12, 2016
Hailstalk, Richard	300	AMF Fredericksburg, Merchants' Mixed	January 12, 2016
Brown, Nicholas	300	AMF Fredericksburg, 11th Annual GFUSBC Youth Tournament	January 10, 2016
Grant, Frank	11-in-a-Row	AMF Fredericksburg, Friday Nite Early	February 26, 2016
Sowers, Sean	11-in-a-Row	AMF Fredericksburg, Friday Nite Early	February 26, 2016
Young, Nicholas	11-in-a-Row	Liberty Center, Wednesday Night Men's	February 24, 2016
Wolfe, Jim	11-in-a-Row	AMF Fredericksburg, Friday Nite Early	February 12, 2016
Myers, Jamey	11-in-a-Row	Liberty Center, Wednesday Night Men's	February 10, 2016
Rush, Jennifer	11-in-a-Row	AMF Fredericksburg, Merchants' Mixed	February 9, 2016
Perdue, Daryl	11-in-a-Row	Liberty Center, Wednesday Night Men's	February 3, 2016
Gallahan, Bryan	11-in-a-Row	AMF Fredericksburg, Merchants' Mixed	February 2, 2016
Oliver, John	11-in-a-Row	AMF Fredericksburg, Friday Nite Early	January 29, 2016
Brown, Eric	11-in-a-Row	AMF Fredericksburg, Friday Nite Early	January 15, 2016
Monroe, Don	11-in-a-Row	Liberty Center, Wednesday Night Men's	January 13, 2016
Hatfield, Tammy	11-in-a-Row	AMF Fredericksburg, Merchants' Mixed	January 5, 2016

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AWARD PRESENTATIONS



David Henningsen being presented his 300 ring for the perfect game he rolled at Liberty Center Massaponax during the Tuesday Nite Mixed league on November 3, 2015. His wife Deberia, Director for the GFUSBCA did the presentation. This was David's first 300 game



Nicholas Young being presented his 300 ring for bowling a perfect game in the Wednesday night men's league at Liberty Lanes on Dec 16, 2015.



Brenda Chambers receiving her Association President's ring in recognition for her service to the GFUSBCA. Presented by current GFUSBCA President George French.



Otis Davis being presented with his 300 ring for the perfect game he rolled in the Guys And Dolls league at AMF Fredericksburg on November 8, 2015. This was the first 300 game thrown on the Guys and Dolls league.



800 ring presented to John Scott Moylan (left) for bowling an 833 series on the DCMML league on Jan 11, 2016 at AMF Dale City. Presented by League president Chris Merrill (right)



Matt Thomas receiving his 300 and 800 Rings from Hall of Fame member DJ Johnson.



Mullan's Pro Shop

Steve Mullan, Owner and Operator of Mullan's Pro Shop Liberty Center Massaponax, Southpoint Centre Boulevard, Fredericksburg, VA 22407

Mullan's Pro Shop is a Storm VIP Pro Shop. We sell balls from Storm, Roto Grip, Ebonite, Columbia 300, Hammer, Track, Brunswick, DV8, Motiv, Radical, Lane #1 and other great brands. We also sell shoes from Dexter, Storm, and Brunswick. We also sell Gloves, Braces, Towels, shoe covers, Tape, powders and all other kinds of Sundry items.

Services include: Ball Plugging (one hour service), Layout and Drilling, Surface adjustment, Resurfacing, Oil Extraction, Name Engraving and Consultation. We install Thumb Slugs, Turbo Switch Grips, and Interchangeable Thumbs, Finger Inserts, and Ball Static Weight measurements.

Lessons by appointment.

We accept:



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Liberty Center Massaponax



Cannon Ball Lanes Dahlgren

Youth City Tournament Awards

Youth City Tournament Awards were presented during league February, 13, 2016. All awards were presented by Tammy Southall (not pictured) and Tom Snowman – Fred City Strikers League Supervisor. Tammy Southall also presented awards at Saturday Youth Legends. No recipients were present for pictures. Photos credit goes to Kerrie Mattice.



1st Place Team – Division 1 – Anthone Simpson, Brooke Driver, Isiah Cranfield, Brandon Driver



1st Place Doubles Division 1
Nicole Anderson and Caitlin Crandall

1st Place Team Division 2
Andrew Sterner, Abigael Tivan,
Omari Ellis, Anthony Picariello
NOT PICTURED

1st Place Doubles Division 2
Kenneth Coleman
and Gavin Monroe
Not pictured

Division 1 1st Place Singles Handicap 1st
Place All Events Gavin Monroe
Not pictured



Division 2
1st Place All-Events
1st Place Singles Scratch
1st Place Singles Handicap
Morgan Watkins



1st Place Singles Scratch Division
300 Game Plaque
Nicholas Brown



High Game Achievement Pins
Anthony Picariello, Omari Ellis, Terry Moreland, Caleb Mattice,
Wade Garrison, Philip Pryor, Rachel Morgan, Pete Oliver,
Abigael Tivin, Morgan Watkins, Tessa Hatfield
League Supervisor Tom Snowman

GFUSBCA Outstanding Service Award



Guidelines and Directions:

1. Any member of GFUSBCA may nominate an individual, Group, or Company.
2. The nomination should be in narrative form, include the name of the Individual, Group, or Company and reason for nomination.
3. The Nominee must have performed some action or actions benefiting the sport of bowling and the GFUSBCA.
4. Written nomination should be submitted no later than March 1. Nominations received on or after March 1 will be considered for the following year.
5. Give to any GFUSBCA board Member.

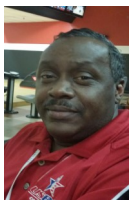
Your Name: _____

Individual, Group, or Company you are nominating. _____

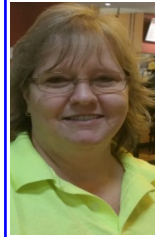
Reasons this nomination should be approved:

Bowlers Spotlight

Interviews taken during Fred City Strikers league with coaches/parents



Eric Brown Eric is an Orbital Analyst Supervisor at Dahlgren. His group provides Collision Avoidance for the International Space Station. How cool is that?! 21 years ago, Eric was dragged into bowling by his wife (Dawn). Now, he bowls at AMF Fredericksburg on the Merchant's Mixed, the Friday Nite Early, the Monday Master's league and subs at Liberty lanes in the Wednesday Night Men's league. He currently has a 223 average with lifetime high yearbook average of 218. Eric's high series is an 812 and he currently has bowled four (4) 300 games, 2 at AMF Fredericksburg and 2 at Liberty Lanes. He bowls in Local tournaments, Association Tournaments, and National Tournaments. His most memorable moment was bowling an 11-in-a-row in a state tournament. He follows the PBA and his favorite pro bowler is Walter Ray Williams III. He admits that he also like Liz Johnson, who he got to meet in Buffalo during a youth tournament. When not bowling, Eric coaches youth leagues. He has been coaching for 11 years. When asked about his own bowling. He says he is practicing on Sundays with Bryan Gallahan working on his hand and arm position during his release. He is also working on his mental focus during the last game as he feels that is his weak point.



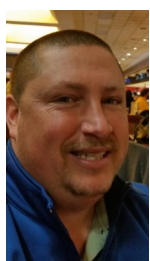
Dawn Brown Dawn is a Configuration Management Analyst at BAE Systems. Dawn's Mother started her in bowling duck pin bowling when she was 5 years old. She started been bowling Tenpin bowling in 1992. Now, Dawn bowls at AMF Fredericksburg on the Friday Nite Early, and subs on the Merchant's Mixed league. She currently has a 173 average with lifetime high yearbook average of 184. She doesn't know what her high game or series is. She doesn't have any illusions of bowling a 300 game. She says she gets shaky when she has 5 in a row and said that if she had an 8 bagger, she would probably throw up. However, nerves don't keep Dawn from bowling in Association, State, and National Tournaments. Dawn says she doesn't really like to think about her bowling. Her husband (Eric) had to drag her into a finger tip ball and a proper release. She just wants to have fun. If she had it her way, she would use a conventional drilled ball, throw it at the head pin and see what happens. That doesn't mean that she isn't into Bowling. Dawn is currently the Vice-President of the GFUSBCA Board of Directors. Dawn is the Fred City Strikers Youth Tournament Leader. With this job she leads fundraising for the Fred City Strikers and coordinates all of events including Pepsi Qualifiers.



Ashley Couture Ashley is an IRS Revenue Officer. Her mother introduced her to bowling as a small child. Her whole family bowled, so it was just natural that she picked it up. Ashley bowls at AMF Fredericksburg on the Friday Nite Early, and on Tuesday on the Merchant's Mixed league. She currently has a 138 average with lifetime high yearbook average of 145. Her high game is 279 and she believes her high series is 502. Ashley's most memorable event was truly memorable. She was competing in the USBC Open Tournament in Reno, NV. She bought a new ball there and it was a little tight on her thumb. Early in the event, her thumb stuck in the ball. The ball sailed 10 feet in the air, and came down with a resounding boom. She was at the foul line and almost the entire stadium stopped and looked at her. On a good note, her embarrassment was not as bad as the guy bowling across from her, though. His entire team was giving him a hard time because he was getting beat by a woman. She doesn't plan to embarrass herself for much longer. Her husband is a bowler and plans to get her a more aggressive ball with finger tip drilling and make her practice more.



Isabelle Pryor When I asked Isabelle what she did for a living, she first said she doesn't work. Then she said he home schools her children and is a homemaker. That sounds like a pretty tough job to me. Isabelle's Father was a bowler, but it was her neighbor, Tony Cornell that got her into bowling. She shared her first season with another woman and they split costs and bowling. By the end of that season, Isabelle decided that sharing time on the lanes was not for her. She wanted to bowl more. Isabelle now bowls at AMF Fredericksburg on the Tuesday Merchant's Mixed league, the Wednesday Frenzy league, and the non-sanctioned Goodtimers league. She currently has a 169 average with lifetime high yearbook average of 168. Her high game is 236 and her high series is 566. Isabelle bowls in the local no-tap and handicap tournaments along with Association and State Tournaments. She hasn't bowled in any National Tournaments, but it is on her bucket list. Isabelle is always updating her goals. Her original goal was to have her average higher than her handicap. Now with that accomplished she has a goal of 500 or better every time she bowls. She is coming close to that by working on her timing and release. She is doing it with practice and coaching.



Daryl Perdue Daryl is a Substation Technician for Rural Electric Cooperative. He bowls at Liberty center in the Wednesday Night Men's league. He also subs at AMF on the Merchant's Mixed league and the Friday Nite Early league. Daryl's mother and father were YABA coaches, and they taught him how to bowl. He is passing his bowling skills on to his son. They practice on Sundays. While his son is working on his strike game, Daryl works on his spare game. They also challenge each other to a game of low-ball. Daryl likes to bowl as a sub, because he gets to meet and bowl with new people. He does follow the PBA. His favorite male bowler is Norm Duke and his favorite female bowler is Liz Johnson. Daryl bowls in Association and State tournaments, but has not yet bowled in a national tournament. He has bowled and cashed in a PBA regional tournament. Daryl is the owner of two 300 games and one 800 series, an 813. His most memorable event was bowling 24 strikes in a row on his way to his 813 series. He is most proud of his Team first place finish in an Association Tournament.

Fred City Strikers Youth League News

High School Tournament

Fred City Strikers Youth League is sending 8 teams to the High School Tournament on 13 March 2016 at 10:00. The tournament will be held at Bowl America Southwest, Midlothian, VA. **Good luck to all!**

Representing Colonial Forge HS
Caitlin Crandall
Nicole Anderson
McKayla Lang

Representing Riverbend HS
Zack Biggs
Kelly Williams
Jacob Hatfield

Representing Massaponox HS
Cody Abelende
Tessa Hatfield
Josh Eggleston

Representing Mountain View HS
Garrison Wery
Frederick Finch
Rachel Marlowe

Representing Riverbend HS
Andrew Sterner
Joey Wilmer
Andrew Young

Representing Orange County HS
Eric Wilson
Devin Jobe
AJ Dyott

Representing Riverbend HS
Josh Mattice
Caleb Mattice
Morgan Watkins

Representing Chancellor HS
Rachel Cropp
Keishon Ellis
Kelly Jurkouich

PEPSI News

Fred City Strikers Youth League is sending 21 bowlers to participate in the State Pepsi Bowling Tournament. All are scheduled to compete on 4/9, 4/17, or 5/1. The tournament will be held at AMF Hanover Lanes, Mechanicsville, VA.

U8 M – Hunter Couture
U10 M – Anthony Picariello
U12 M – Omari Ellis
U12 M – Troy Stoudt
U12 M – Evan Snowman
U12 M – Thomas Marinari
U12 F – Abigael Tivin
U15 M – Devin Jobe
U15 M – Caleb Mattice
U15 M – Scott Southall
U15 M – Dylan Perdue

U15 F – Tessa Hatfield
U15 F – Morgan Watkins
U20 M – Kyle Mann
U20 M – Pete Oliver
U20 M – Cody Abelende
U20 M – Jacob Hatfield
U20 M – Joshua Mattice
U20 M – Nicholas Brown
U20 F – Nicole Anderson
U20 F – Caitlin Crandall

Qualifying through the Sports Challenge Tour Travel League are:

U15 M – Kenny Coleman
U20 F – McKayla Lang
U20 M – Keishon Ellis