THE NEBA NEWSLETTER

AMF Circle Lanes East Haven, CT



January 18-19, 2003 500th Edition

JOE MAZURYK WINS BACK TO BACK TO BACK

First to win three in-a-row

JOE MAZURYK became the first bowler to win three consecutive NEBA tournaments after defeating Vinnie Furtado in the championship match at AMF Circle Lanes. Joe won his first title last month at The 40th Anniversary Tournament, his second at The Tournament of Champions and his third this month at The 500th Singles Tournament. It only took the twenty-six year old from Vooheesville, NY eight tournaments to accomplish this feat. At Circle Lanes, Joe secured himself a spot in match play with games of 196, 260, 227, 269 and 269 for 1221 on the Sunday morning squad. The righty earned a one round for shooting the second highest score in qualifying then defeated Jeff Morin (Hopatcong, NJ) 266-176, Al Tulacro (Wolcott, CT) 211-207, Duncan Harvey (Braintree, MA) 237-225 and Mike Lichstein (Broad Brook, CT) 60-59 in a ninth and tenth frame roll-off after a 257 tie. Joe took immediate control of the championship match by throwing the first five strikes. Vinnie kept the match within twenty pins through most of the match but, by the end, Joe only needed good count in the tenth to win his third title. With a great turnout of 290 entries and the five dollar increase in entry fee, Joe took home \$2,300 along with another championship trophy. Joe used his Storm Pearl Thunder Road, Ebonite Savage and Storm X-Factor to average 246 for ten games. There is no doubt Joe is the hottest bowler in NEBA but the big question is can he make it four?

Final Match JOE: X X X X X 9/9/X X XXX = 268 VINNIE: X X 9/ X X 9/ X 9/ 8/ XX9 = 225

VINNIE FURTADO from New Bedford, MA qualified on the 9 a.m. squad with games of 218, 180, 238, 245 and 245 for 1126. On his way to the final match, the right-hander defeated Jim Rusin (Swansea, MA) 216-213, Jeff Monahan (Bridgeport, CT) 203 tie then 20-17 in a ninth and tenth frame roll-off, John Kirker (Taftville, CT) 226-213, Jeff Moore (Shelton, CT) 206-204 and Don Fournier (Pascoag, RI) 213-180. Although Vinnie bowled well in the final match, hitting the pocket 11 out of 12 frames, he had to settle for second place and \$1300. For the tournament, Vinnie used a Storm Big Hit to average 214 for eleven games. This is Vinnie's second runner-up finish in the past six months as he also finished second place in June, with his partner Mike Dupuis, in the NEBA doubles in Milford.

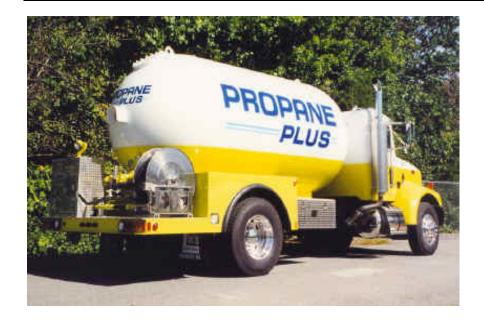
There were 290 entries at our first tournament of 2003. The at-large cut for 56th place was 1091. Since we had over 285 entries, we paid extra spots. 1088 cashed. The score needed to receive a one round bye (8th place) was 1177. Three seniors out of twenty-five made the at-large or squad cuts so there was no senior cut. **Don O'Malley** was the high non-cashing senior with 1064. Squad cuts were 1102 on Saturday 6 p.m. (squad leader **Rob Forester** with 1218), 1113 on Sunday 9 a.m. (squad leader **George Tignor** with 1229) and 1062 on Sunday afternoon (squad leader **Dave Botcowsky** with 1173). **George Tignor** led qualifying with 1229 (257-265-234-215-258) on the 9 a.m. squad. **Darrell Pesta** shot 299 to win the high game out of the money prize of \$50. The Storm Core Power LRGs were won by **Dave Zebrowski** (1087), **Mark Bouchard** (1087) and **George LeCain** (Raffle). **Honor Scores**: 300 by Dan White (9:00), 300 by Roger Fournier (12:30), 299 by Darrell Pesta (12:30)

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Good Luck NEBA Bowlers

	Qual.	BOY		\$		Qual.	BOY		\$
Pos Name	<u>Score</u>	Pts.		<u>Won</u>	Pos Name	<u>Score</u>	Pts.		<u>Won</u>
1. J OE M AZURYK	1221	72	\$	2,300					
			+	ToC entry	30. Jon Norton	1139	22	\$	230
2. VINNIE FURTADO	1126	60	\$	1,300	31. TONY DELUCIA	1120	22	\$	230
3. MIKE LICHSTEIN	1098	49	\$	750	32. JEFF MORIN	1113	22	\$	230
4. Don Fournier	1127	49	\$	700	33. VIC MAROTTO	1101	15	\$	190
5. DUNCAN HARVEY	1100	39	\$	525	34. DAVE FORCIER	1088	15	\$	190
6. JEFF MOORE	1108	39	\$	525	35. MIKE DUPUIS	1156	15	\$	190
7. George Tignor	1229	39	\$	500	36. DAN WHITE	1168	15	\$	190
8. Anthony Puglisi	1112	39	\$	500	37. KEITH LAING	1124	15	\$	190
9. Roger Fournier	1092	30	\$	350	38. Jim Rusin	1095	15	\$	190
10. JOHN KIRKER	1178	30	\$	350	39. RICH DEPALMA	1127	15	\$	190
11. AL TULACRO	1092	30	\$	350	40. MARK BLANCHETTE	1091	15	\$	190
12. Dave Reali	1062	30	\$	350	41. DEREK PONTES	1062	15	\$	190
13. MARC LECLAIR	1193	30	\$	330	42. WILLIE WILLIS	1166	15	\$	190
14. GEORGE LECAIN	1088	30	\$	330	43. DAN MCCORMICK	1104	15	\$	190
15. HANK WILLIAMSON	1079	30	\$	330	44. JASON HERBERT	1090	15	\$	190
16. KEITH DEMAINE	1156	30	\$	330	45. PHIL KARWOSKI SR.	1129	15	\$	185
17. Tom Durand	1135	22	\$	240	46. MIKE ANTONOVICH	1123	15	\$	185
18. DAVE BOTCOWSKY	1173	22	\$	240	47. JIM SANSONE	1199	15	\$	185
19. TODD LATHROP	1095	22	\$	240	48. Chuck Burr	1098	15	\$	185
20. BILL WEBB	1177	22	\$	240	49. Tom Andrelli	1106	15	\$	185
21. JOE POMPILIO	1158	22	\$	240	50. MIKE COLBY	1095	15	\$	185
22. CHRIS BEAUCHESNE	1145	22	\$	240	51. Brandon Barrios	1102	15	\$	185
23. SEAN SANCHIONI	1193	22	\$	240	52. CHRIS FORRY	1092	15	\$	185
24. CHRIS WOOD	1075	22	\$	240	53. JOE MORNEAU SR.	1099	15	\$	185
25. Rob Forester	1218	22	\$	230	54. JOE CAMPBELL	1077	15	\$	185
26. JEFF MONAHAN	1172	22	\$	230	55. JOHN CHENG	1176	15	\$	185
27. JAY JOHNSON	1116	22	\$	230	56. MIKE COONAN	1113	15	\$	185
28. Lou Rosa	1065	22	\$	230	57. CHRIS MONROY	1090	10	\$	125
29. GARY KURENSKY	1106	22	\$	230	58. TRACY WARD	1088	10	\$	125
HIGH QUALIFIER-GEORGE TIGNOR-1229 5 pts. \$ 75 HIGH GAME OUT OF MONEY-DARRELL PESTA - 299 \$ 50							50		

NEBA Web Site 2002 Annual Awards (Thanks to those who took the time to vote)

Bowler of the Year

1. Bill Webb (48%)

2. Dave Forcier (19%)

Best in the Clutch

1. Brian Boghosian (37%)

2. *Joe Mazuryk* (11%)

Most Accurate

1. Brian Boghosian (61%)

2. Chris Rebstock (22%)

Most Powerful Delivery

1. Chris Wood (15%)

2. Dale, Kirker, Sanchioni (11%)

Comeback Player of the Year

1. John Kirker (31%)

2. Dave Forcier (23%)

Most Improved

1. Chris Forry (48%)

2. *Joe Mazuryk* (7%)

Best Attitude

1. Mike Lichstein (41%)

1. Barry Warshafsky (45%)

2. Bill Webb (19%)

Best Senior Bowler

2. Ed Butler (16%)

NEBA Star of the Future

1. Joe Mazuryk (26%)

2. *Jon Van Hees* (22%)

Ability to Be a PBA Champion

1. Brian Boghosian & Bill Webb (26%)

Prediction for Next Year's Bowler of the Year 1. Bill Webb (26%)

2. John Kirker (15%)

Accounting							
RECEIPTS		DISBURSEMENTS					
Entries	231 @ \$75 = \$ 17,325.00	PRIZE FUND (BREAKDOWN BELOW)	\$ 18.580.00				
RE-ENTRIES	59 @ \$75 = \$ 4,425.00	\$16,294 ENTRIES + \$784 CIRCLE LANES					
RENEWALS	172 @ \$20 = \$ 3,440.00	\$1,500 CAMBRIDGE CREDIT + \$2 NEBA					
NEW MEMBERS	24 @ \$25 = \$ 600.00	LINEAGE	\$ 2,352.00				
NON MEMBERS	3 @ \$15 = \$ 45.00	SALARIES	\$ 1,280.00				
FINES	4 @ \$10 = \$ 40.00	PRINTING & 1099 SUPPLIES	\$ 1,733.50				
SANCTION	1 @ \$ 16 = \$ 16.00	ANNUAL AWARDS 2002	\$ 700.00				
PATCHES	3 @ \$ 4 = \$ 12.00	TROPHIES & SHIRTS	\$ 330.02				
CENTER DONATION	= \$ 50.00	POSTAGE & SANCTION	\$ 189.00				
CAMBRIDGE CREDIT	= \$ 2,000.00	POINT LEADERS TOURNAMENT	\$ 500.00				
TOTAL INCOME	= \$ 27,953.00	TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 25,664.52				

~ Match Play ~

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ROUND 1 (LOSERS FINISH 33 RD	- 56 TH)						
JOHN CHENG	164	KEITH DEMAINE	275	VINNIE FURTADO	216	CHRIS BEAUCHESNE	257
DAVE REALI	248	DAVE FORCIER	247	JIM RUSIN	213	JASON HEBERT	193
JEFF MONAHAN	226	JIM SANSONE	186	KEITH LAING	215	JON NORTON	225
DEREK PONTES	200	GEORGE LECAIN	195	TODD LATHROP	228	MARK BLANCHETTE	203
DAN WHITE	228	TOM DURAND	230	MIKE ANTONOVICH	186	JEFF MORIN	258
LOU ROSA	246	CHRIS FORRY	170	MIKE LICHSTEIN	260	VIC MAROTTO	257
WILLIE WILLIS	196	PHIL KARWOSKI	188	TONY DELUCIA	256	ANTHONY PUGLISI	184
CHRIS WOOD	214	AL TULACRO	223	CHUCK BURR	181	BRANDON BARRIOS	176
JOE POMPILIO	226	JAY JOHNSON	180	RICH DEPALMA	203-38	JEFF MOORE	199
JOE CAMPBELL	167	JOE MORNEAU SR.	168	ROGER FOURNIER	203-48	DAN MCCORMICK	194
MIKE DUPUIS	235	Don Fournier	183	MIKE COONAN	160	GARY KURENSKY	188
HANK WILLIAMSON	268	Mike Colby	178	DUNCAN HARVEY	198	TOM ANDRELLI	181
ROUND 2 (LOSERS FINISH 17 TH	-32 ND)						
GEORGE TIGNOR (#1)	214	CHRIS WOOD	204	Lou rosa	190	SEAN SANCHIONI (#5)	210
GARY KURENSKY	183	ROGER FOURNIER	256	Don Fournier	204	DUNCAN HARVEY	246
GEORGE LECAIN	234	JOE MAZURYK (#4)	266	JOHN KIRKER (#7)	212	HANK WILLIAMSON	289 235
CHRIS BEAUCHESNE	213	JEFF MORIN	176	TONY DELUCIA	180	TOM DURAND	
BILL WEBB (#8)	214	JOE POMPILIO	213	JEFF MONAHAN	203-18	D. BOTCOWSKY (#3)	226
MIKE LICHSTEIN	230	AL TULACRO	240	VINNIE FURTADO	203-40	ANTHONY PUGLISI	236
DAVE REALI	237	MARC LECLAIR (#6)	200	ROB FORESTER (#2)	203-50	KEITH DEMAINE	256
TODD LATHROP	215	JAY JOHNSON	199	JEFF MOORE	203-59	JON NORTON	180
ROUND 3 (LOSERS FINISH 9 TH -	16 TH)						
Marc LeClair	178	JOHN KIRKER	213	DUNCAN HARVEY	223	AL TULACRO	207
Don Fournier	246	VIN FURTADO	226	ROGER FOURNIER	222	JOE MAZURYK	211
JEFF MOORE	190	Anthony Puglisi	196	MIKE LICHSTEIN	184	GEORGE TIGNOR	238
KEITH DEMAINE	164	Hank Williamson	172	DAVE REALI	181	GEORGE LECAIN	176
QUARTER FINALS (LOSERS FINISH 5 TH -	- 8 TH)			SEMI-FINALS (LOSERS FINISH 3 ^R	D - 4 TH)	CHAMPIONSHIP MATCH	
Anthony Puglisi Don Fournier	166 235	Duncan Harvey Joe Mazuryk	225 237	JOE MAZURYK MIKE LICHSTEIN	257-60 257-59	JOE MAZURYK	268
JEFF MOORE Vinnie Furtado	204 206	MIKE LICHSTEIN GEORGE TIGNOR	221 190	Don Fournier Vinnie Furtado	180 213	VINNIE FURTADO	225

Optional Jackpot Update

X or 9 - Game 4 - Lou Rosa won \$262 (12:30) - No Carryover

7X - Game 5 - Jay Pelczar won \$270 (9:00) - Jackpot starts at \$100 in East Providence

Senior Jackpots ... Senior 7X = \$182 ... Senior X or 9 = \$88

NEBA has a new e-mail address ~ NEBA@Bowl.com Please send reservations and inquiries to this new address

1099's were mailed to all bowlers who won more than \$600 in 2002 Entries for the Point Leaders tournament were mailed to the Top 58 bowlers If you did not receive yours, please contact secretary Becky Kregling

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Reservations: Call the NEBA number (203) 377-0161 OR e-mail your reservation to NEBA@Bowl.com

before 10:00 p.m. on Friday to make a reservation. Leave a message with your squad and name.

<u>Directions</u>: East Providence Lanes is located at 80 Newport Avenue in E. Providence, RI ~ Telephone (401)438-2300

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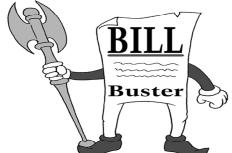
From Hartford & New Haven, CT & NYC: Take best route to I-95 towards Providence, RI. Follow I-5 to I-195 East to Exit 8 (Route 1A North). Follow the signs for Route 1A North for about 3 miles. At the split in the road between Route 114 and Route 1A, bear to the right (stay on Route 1A). Look for the Gansett shopping plaza on the right. The center is in the back right corner of the Gansett shopping plaza.

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