

## **Crowe claims high series honors**

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Tom Crowe rolled three clean games during Rolling Thunder League play to capture the weekly scoring honors. After stringing strikes the first two games to start league play with games of 242 and 255, he lost his strike carry and managed one double in his final game to close with a 200 for a 697 total.

T.J. Mooney and Dandy Richards had a close battle for the second high set with Mooney posting a 677 to Richards 671.

Other bowlers breaking the 250-650 mark were Mark Svatek (657), Mike Stacy (652), Mike Osterson (276), Scott Snow (269), Glenn Mason (254), and Jeff Cass (253).

The ladies struggled this week with Jessica Howarton posting a 528 set during Sunday Strikes League play for the top score.

The 2018 Women's Texas State Tournament and the TSUSBC Open Tournament final standing results have been posted on the [texasbowling.com](http://texasbowling.com) website. In the women's tournament, local bowler Irma Garcia cashed in the team, singles, and all events. Kathy Kern also cashed in team and singles.

In the USBC Open, Dave Matthews joined his former Victoria teammates and cashed in team, doubles, singles and all events. All the people who cashed in the tournaments are listed below, with the exception of the Lady Cats, whose entry came from Victoria but I do not know the names of the individuals on the that roster.

A fall league schedule is available at the Century Lanes with a time that may fit your schedule for bowling fun and competition. We would like to have more senior bowlers join the Over the Hill League. There should be bowlers from the old Dow or Dupont Leagues or any new bowlers willing to get a little exercise and camaraderie on Monday afternoons. The league is 100% handicap so regardless of average you can be competitive.

## **Bowler remembered**

It is with sorrow that I note of another former local league bowler having passed away with death of Roger Dixon at the age of 63. My condolences and sympathy go out to the family.

It is the women's time to shine on national television with CBS Sports Network broadcasting the BPAA/Women's US Open last Tuesday night.

Twenty five year old Liz Kuhlekin won her second career PWBA title and her first major championship by winning the U.S. Open. She bowled a 299 game in the final round of qualifying to make the TV finals as the 5th seed. She started by winning step ladder matches against Shanon O'Keefe 235-214, Danielle McEwan 246-172, and Erin McArthy 213-186 to meet top seed Texan Stefani Johnson for the championship. Johnson could not double during the match and lost to Kuhlekin's, 217-196 who had great strike carry through all the matches. A rebroadcast of this tournament is scheduled for Tuesday on CBS Sports.

On Saturday, Aug. 4 at 6 p.m. local time, CBS Sports will telecast PWBA Championship Tournaments on consecutive Saturdays, starting with the Pepsi St. Petersburg-Clearwater Open.

Women's state tournament, Team: Div 4 — 4th place Family Ties (2,704) with members Irma Garcia, Kathy Kern, Debra Kern and Delores Stroud. Winning score was 2,876. Div 5 -2nd place Lady Cats (2,693), winning score 2,707. Singles: Div 4 — 4th place I. Garcia (755), winning score 765. Div 5 -9th K. Kern (739), All Events Div 4 – 29th I. Garcia (2,073). Texas State Open, Team: Div 2 — 3rd Five Buddies (3,414) with members Mike Stacy, Jacob Silgero, Ricky Kendricks, Tom Crowe and Dave Matthews. Winning score 3,505. Doubles: Div 2 – 7th D. Matthews — Tom Crowe (1,429) Div 3 – 14th Ida Caballero – Steve Zeplin (1,425). Singles: Div 2 – 3rd R. Kendricks (773) winning score 790. Also cashing Matthews (718) and Zeplin (689) Div 4 Lee Caballero cashing with a score of 729. All Events: Div 2 – 8th Matthews (2,164), also cashing were Zeplin 26th (2,069) and Kendricks (2,039).

Congratulations to the bowlers.

## **RESULTS**

SUMMER SUNDAY STRIKEERS 1ST (tie) SPLIT HAPPENS and TEAM #13 Women: J. Howarton 528; S. Tausch 524; Men: A. Whitehead 234-636; C. Reynolds 618; M. Osterson 234-596; S. Kenney 235-578; M. Shows 230; ROLLING THUNDER 1ST ON A ROLL Women: T. Wortham 513; Men: T. Crowe 255-697; T.J. Mooney 235-677; D. Richards 246-671; M. Svatek 228-657; M. Stacy 248-652; E. Smith 231-647; P. Delgado 235-643; M. Osterson 276-635; C. Reynolds 235-631; J. Silgero 629; T. Bennett 233-624; S. Snow 269-615; G. Mason 254-614; S. Zeplin 611; G. Brooks 226-609; J. Blount 237-607; J. Cass 253-604; D. Rowe 594; S. Miller 583; G. Hatter Jr. 583;

M. Conchola 235-581; P. Visconti 577; R. Morris 572; K. Stasny 570; T. Bassano 565;  
B. Kitchens 554; FUNTAPPERS (No Tap) 1st SPARE ME Women: C. Danesi 626; Men:  
B. Turek 264-767; R. Lyman 300-744; J. Silgero 713; D. Tamm 256-709; T. Bennett  
277-687; R. Kalmus 683; J. Holbert 677; R. Waterbury 251;