



Florida State USBC Youth

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Thanks for all the emails starting to come in for our newsletter, we are looking for all youth bowlers, parents, coaches, so everyone is able to read the newsletter and find out what is happening in the State of Florida and at USBC.

Please email me back, and tell me your name (so I can put a name with the email address, what center you are from)

Be sure to visit our website at www.fsusbcy.com here you can see honor scores, throughout the state. Did you have a 300 or a series of 700 or 800, or 11 in a row? Be sure to email so we can post it.



Tournaments –The Florida State Youth Scholarship Tournament is under way; the Unofficial Standings are up on the website. The tournament this year is being held at AMF Lakeland and at Cypress Lanes in Winter Haven.
Hope everyone has a great time.

2014 Florida State Youth Scholarship Tournament will take place in my area Largo/Seminole, doubles/singles at Seminole Lanes a 60 lane house & team at Liberty Lanes a 32 lane house.

Memorial Scholarship Landen Tournament results are posted on the website; winners of each division were Division A – Gregory Young, Division B – David Miller, & Division C – Leanne Davidson. Congrats to these kids!!!

Be on the lookout for the 2013 tournament flyer, it will be posted on the website. Entry form will be out in October.

Pepsi Tournament was held at Striker's Family Sports Center located in Sunrise, Florida. The tournament ended the weekend of April 27-28. You can find Official results on our website. If you have any questions, please contact Allen Solomon at BeachBowlYouth@aol.com - Hope everyone had a great time!!!



On bowl.com you can find an article called High Five, be sure to check it out. You can go to the search bar, and type in High Five; it will bring up different articles. If you feel you deserve to be mentioned on this, they have a form that you can submit your information. Be sure to write about your accomplishments.

Here is an example of one from Florida that was sent in November: Patrick Wallace (left), 16, of Jupiter, Fla., had been getting so close to bowling a perfect game, that it was just a matter of time when it was going to happen. On Oct. 28, 2012, in the U & Me Kid League at Jupiter Lanes, he rolled a 300 game as part of a 758 series (300, 211, 247). Patrick has been bowling since becoming a Pee Wee bowler at age 4.

And his picture was sent in and posted. Awesome!!!!

In the latest High Five, there are 3 kids from Florida featured in the article, Katarina Hagler from Tamarac, FL & Sawgrass Lanes, Michael Donahue from Tampa, FL and Pin Chasers Veterans, and Logan Furlong from Oviedo, FL and Oviedo Bowling Center.

You can find out a lot of information on bowl.com for instance, a New Yorker girl, Melanie Hannon received the Alberta Crowe Star of Tomorrow Award for 2013. It looks like this award has been given out since 1961 and no one from Florida has won!! Read about the scholarship and see who you know deserving of this award. Go to:

[http://www.bowl.com/Scholarships/Honor_Awards/Awards/USBC
Alberta E Crowe Star of Tomorrow/](http://www.bowl.com/Scholarships/Honor_Awards/Awards/USBC_Alberta_E_Crowe_Star_of_Tomorrow/)

Applications must be postmarked by December 1st. So check it out and get started. She is receiving a \$6000 scholarship and she was presented the award at the USBC Convention in Reno, Nevada. How exciting!!!

There is also an award for the BOYS. The Chuck Hall Star of Tomorrow Award. This award recognizes star qualities, including distinguished bowling performance, academic achievement and civic involvement, in a male high school, or college student who competes in bowling.

The award this year was given to Joey Kopera of Orland Park, IL. This award has been given out since 1980 and there were 2 boys from Florida that received this award and the \$6000 scholarship were Drew Barthie, of Tampa, FL and Andrew Koff of Miami, FL. Here is the site address for this scholarship if you know of someone deserving of this award:

[http://bowl.com/Scholarships/Honor_Awards/Awards/
USBC Chuck Hall Star of Tomorrow/](http://bowl.com/Scholarships/Honor_Awards/Awards/USBC_Chuck_Hall_Star_of_Tomorrow/)

Joey also was invited to the National Convention, in Reno, NV.

More Scholarships:

Five USBC Youth Members have been selected to receive the Earl Anthony Memorial Scholarship in recognition of their community involvement and academic achievements. The scholarships are presented in honor of the late Earl Anthony, the legendary bowling professional who was dedicated to helping youth bowlers. The USBC Youth committee selects the scholarship winners and each will be awarded a \$5,000 scholarship.

All five scholarship recipients are completing their senior year of high school. They are:

* Taylor Brown, Louisville, Ky.

* Landon Coleman, Newton, N.C.

* **Samantha Roberts, Port Orange, Fla.**

* Michelle Rose, West Des Moines, Iowa

* Kendra Rowey, St. Louis, Mo.

Roberts, left, is a member of the National Honor Society, Spanish Club, Education and Support Services Academy and the bowling team at Atlantic High School. She has a 4.17 GPA (4.0 scale) and has taken several honors and AP courses, AP statistics and physics.

She has been a director for the East Volusia-Flagler County USBC Youth Association and a Florida State USBC Youth Leader since 2009. Roberts, who plans to become a teacher, has been a Girl Scout for 12 years and has been a substitute Sunday school teacher for three years.

Rose, is one of 15 students in the honors program at Valley High School, which includes taking a rigorous course load and completing a Seniors Honors project. She has taken nine AP courses and has a 3.91 GPA. She is a National Merit semifinalist.

She is an accomplished cellist in the school's orchestra, an ambassador for the school and a member of the bowling team. She has volunteered with Meals from the Heartland, packing meals for countries in need, and worked at the Red Rock Wildlife Education Center. She also has served as a camp counselor at the Living History Farms Day Camp and at her church.

JUNIOR TEAM USA:

The 2013 Junior Team USA was announced on April 3, and 3 of the youth bowlers are from Florida, they are: Michael Coffey, of Melbourne this will be his first year on the team, Gregory Young, of Viera, FL also his first year on the team & Elise Bolton of Merritt Island she has been on the team in 2010, 2011, 2012 and again this year.

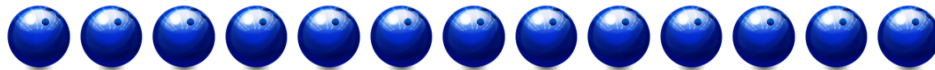


So how do you get chosen for Junior Team USA? The team consists of 10 boys & 10 girls. Six boys and six girls will have earned spots at the North Point Junior Gold tournament.

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The top two boys and girls in the 2013 Team USA Trails, based on ranking points, will earn automatic spots on the Junior Team USA 2013, while two additional boys and girls will be selected by the National Selection Committee from either the 2013 Team Trials or 2012 North Pointe Junior Gold Tournament.

You can find more information if you go to www.bowl.com and go to the search bar and type in Junior Team USA.



Florida State USBC Youth tournaments are the Championship Scratch State Finals Pepsi Tournament & FS USBC Youth Handicap Scholarship Finals, State Scholarship Tournament & Landen Memorial Scholarship Tournament. Scholarships, given yearly are the JJ Garrett Memorial & the Florida State Scholarship.

Visit our site, at

<http://www.fsusbcy.com/Tournaments.asp?Page=TOURNAMENTS>
<http://www.fsusbcy.com/bowling.asp?Page=SCHOLARSHIPS>

Florida State has a Youth Hall of Fame and an Adult Hall of Fame. Visit our website and think about who you think is deserving of both of these honors.

<http://www.fsusbcy.com/Bowlopolis.asp?Page=HALL+OF+FAME>



There are other tournaments in the State of Florida and all over the United States. We will post these tournaments, but we are not affiliated with them.

4th Annual International Tournament Nemecio “Mencho”
Camacho III – June 19-22, 2013

Hott Shots Youth Scratch @ Twedt’s bowling center, Largo
July 28 @ 10 am <https://www.facebook.com/events/474542419287006/>

[USBC North Pointe Junior Gold, July 13-19, Detroit, MI.](#)

[USBC Youth OPEN, July 11-28, Sterling Heights, MI](#)

[Southwest Florida Youth Classic Tournament](#)

[Burkins Bowling Tournaments](#)

[Florida Gators Youth Championship & Junior Gold Qualifier](#)

Email: tournaments@ufbowling.com

If you know of any other tournaments maybe in your area that are for ANY youth USBC bowler, please be sure to email me and let us know, so we can put in our next newsletter.

You can find entry forms & websites on our website for these tournaments.

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In February the Florida State USBC Youth Leaders put together a bowl-a-thon for the Veterans, BVL – Bowlers to Veterans Link.

They had the event at Saint Lucie Lanes and they were able to raise \$400 for the Veterans. Take a look at our website at <http://www.fsusbcy.com/leagues.asp?Page=Bowl+for+Veterans>

The Florida State Youth Leaders Annual meeting is on June 22, 2013, at 10 am at the Hilton, 3600 SW 36th Ave. Ocala, FL 33774.

MapQuest:

<http://www.mapquest.com/maps?address=3600%20SW%2036th%20Ave&city=Ocala&state=FL&zipcode=34474>

Above you can type in your address and get directions.

Check out the new USBC youth shirt for the 2013-2014 season:



The jerseys will have an open design on the back so they can be personalized by leagues and individuals.

They will be available after August 1, 2013

On bowl.com – I just looked to see if I missed anything, and now bowl.com has a newsletter for our youth, so go to this site and you can pull up their Youth Bowling Today Newsletter that launched TODAY!!!

<http://www.bowl.com/youth/>

Well, here is till next time, hope you enjoyed reading the newsletter, pass the word to everyone about our newsletter and ask them to send in their email addresses.

