

Buzzard Club of America

Houston Chapter November 2017 Newsletter



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FOUNDER - THOMAS E. WALTERS, JR
CHIEF BUZZARD – Arlen Deason

November Meeting Minutes

December Celebrations

Birthdays

Be sure to come out and bowl in your birthday month and pay only \$10!

Michael Carreon.....	1
Serge Scharf	9
Jeri Soliz.....	13
David Bushart.....	16
Emma King.....	18
Ronald Wood.....	18
Jim Hansen	27

Anniversaries

Sidney Shaver.....	14
Martha James.....	30



The latest meeting of the Houston Buzzard Club was held on November 12, 2017 at the Copperfield Bowling Center.

Roger Moon started the meeting by announcing that the Chapter lost two members since the last meeting. Alvin Tate died on November 3 and John Beuhler passed away on November 6. Roger handed out winnings from the October Tournament, noting that John Beuhler won first place in the Men's Class A Division. The membership voted to donate his winnings to the Go Fund Me Page set up for his final expenses.

Arlen Deason provided the Treasury Report and announced November Birthdays and Anniversaries.

Arlen presented eight new members for approval: Michael Carreon, Perry Dailey, Sherri Gardner, Martha James, Andrew Kain, Wesley Matthews, Wayne McCurdy and Laurie Schwarzbach.

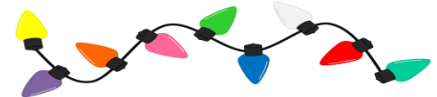
Arlen reminded the membership that the Christmas Potluck is December 3 at Delmar. Bowling will consist of 9 Pin No Taps, Crazy Eights and Snake Bite. Also, time is short for participating in Wreaths Across America, so get your orders in as soon as possible.

The membership then discussed two proposed rules changes for 2018. First, to split the men's divisions more equitably, change the Men's Division average ranges from Class A designated as Over 150 and Class B as 150 and Under to Class A designated as Over 165 and Class B as 165 and Under. The second proposed rules change is to eliminate the opportunity to bowl for \$10 during your birthday month. The reason for this rules change is that the Chapter is required to make up the difference in cost, and during those months that have a lot of birthdays, it is becoming difficult to cover bowling costs. These rules changes will be voted on during the December meeting.

Roger announced to the membership that Denise Blonstein is having medical issues and would like the membership to remember her in their prayers.

Pete Harvey provided information about a Special Olympics Bowling Tournament to be held at Copperfield on Friday, December 1 at 7:00 PM.

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned to bowl.



And the Winners Are . . .

We had 34 bowlers attend the November tournament at Copperfield. Here are the winners:

Class A Men	Score	Payout
Aaron Porter	688	\$16.02
Perry Dailey	680	\$12.83
Jeff Starkey	674	\$10.70
Kenneth Deason	668	\$ 7.52

Class B Men	Score	Payout
Jeffrey Brewer	654	\$16.02
Jerry Bryce	579	\$12.83

King Buzzard- 8 Splits	
Scott Lurton	\$5

Class A Women	Score	Payout
Bette Kelley	642	\$16.02
Kelly Patterson	641	\$12.83
Sheree Poe	639	\$10.70
Donna Castellese	637	\$ 7.52

Class B Women	Score	Payout
Deb Sutton	680	\$16.02
Gail King	677	\$12.83
Martha James	654	\$10.70
Donna Small	632	\$ 7.52

Queen Buzzard- 10 Splits	
Janice Porter	\$5

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November Over and Under

Winner	Over	Under
Gail King	+33	
Rick Broussard		-53
Donna Castellese	+44	
Larry Keeton		-89
Bette Kelley	+22	
Pete Harvey		-59

Welcome New Members!

Please say hello to the following new members: Michael Carreon, Perry Dailey, Sherri Gardner, Martha James, Andrew Kain, Wesley Matthews, Wayne McCurdy and Laurie Schwarzbach. We are glad you are here!



Pot of Gold

*There was no winner in November.
December's Jackpot will be \$36.*

November 200 Club

Wayne Harvey	216
Jeff Starkey	214 212
Donna Castellese	203
Kenneth Deason	201
Aaron Porter	234
Perry Dailey	219

More Winners!

The Club provides additional opportunities to take home some cash and prizes each month. Whether you are a new bowler or a seasoned pro, be sure to get in on the action!

November's prize winners were as follows:

Door Prizes: Gayle Miller, Jeff Starkey, Donna Castellese

Candy Guess: Sheree Poe

Lottery Ticket Winners: Barbara Castellese, Jeff Starkey

Strike/Split Pot

STRIKES	SPLITS
Jeff Starkey (2) Pete Harvey (2) Perry Dailey Debbie Winkelmann	Donna Small Gayle Miller

2018 Officer Nominations

The following members are running for 2018 officer positions. These will be voted on at the December Meeting:

President-Arlen Deason

Vice President- Donna Castellese and Pete Harvey

Secretary – Roger Moon

Treasurer-Gayle Miller

Recording Secretary-

Janice Porter

Parliamentarian- Barbara Castellese

Sergeant-at-Arms-Ray Hess

Scratch Bracket

FIRST PLACE	SECOND PLACE
Aaron Porter	Wayne Harvey

Scratch Game/Series

FIRST GAME	SECOND GAME	THIRD GAME	SERIES
Aaron Porter 178	Wayne Harvey 216	Aaron Porter 234	Jeff Starkey 599

Handicap Brackets

FIRST PLACE	SECOND PLACE	SECOND CHANCE
Martha James	Jeffrey Brewer	N/A (150 and Under)
Arlen Deason	Pete Harvey	N/A
Ken Deason	Janice Porter	Ray Hess
Kelly Patterson	Roger Moon	Ken Deason
Jeff Starkey	Roger Moon	Deb Sutton
Ken Deason	John Rodgers	Roger Moon
Ken Deason	Gordon Gibson	Roger Moon

DECEMBER 3, 2017

DelMar Lanes

3020 Mangum

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*In Memoriam***Johnathan Wayne Beuhler**

was born on May 25, 1964 in Toledo, Ohio. He was a huge sports fan and enjoyed bowling and playing pool. He played Thursday nights in the Mr. and Mrs. League at Del Mar Lanes, and was a member of the Houston Buzzard Club. John worked for Houston Installation Services.

He passed away on Monday, November 6, 2017, at his home in Jersey Village at the age of 53.

He is survived by his children, Sarah Beuhler & Joseph Cantrell of Rosharon, Mason Beuhler of Conroe, and Katie Beuhler of Houston; granddaughter, Rowan Cantrell of Rosharon; siblings, Joe Beuhler and his wife Linda of Temperance, Michigan, Sue Imperial and her husband Frank of Pemberville, Ohio, his twin sister, Annie Thompson of Toledo, Ohio, and Bill Pringle of Toledo, Ohio; as well as numerous other relatives and a host of friends. He was preceded in death by his parents, Ethel and Frank Beuhler, and his brother, Mike Pringle.

Alvin Lamar Tate

1947-2017

Alvin Lamar Tate, 70, of Tomball, Texas born in Memphis, TN. 8-4-1947, and departed this life on 11-03-2017. A U.S, Air Force Veteran, retired Accountant, and a bowling fanatic. He leaves to cherish his memories wife Vivian Tate, 3 children Elaina Tate, Lloyd Byron (Teneea) Tate and Claudia (Andrea) Tate, and 4 grandchildren, Jaden, Byron, Jaxon and Dasia.