



Gentlemen of the BTC,

February 9, 2012

I would like to take this opportunity to wish a Happy Valentine's Day to all the Ladies of the Builders Tee Club Family. No excuses guys, buy that special someone something nice!

Mike Kent had his fourth consecutive 700+ series and his Jan Michaels team continued to dominate the A division taking 5 points from Febel Bros. and increasing their lead to 8 points over Febel Bros. and Smoky's Bandits.

In the B division, Bob Chudy led the way with a 278, 786 hdcp, crushing Bob Kieffer and his Mama Vesuvio crew for a 7 point sweep and vaulting them in to a three way tie at the top with Central Scale and Tri Star, who split 4&3 for the second week in a row to create the log jam at the top.

The night though belonged to Gary Foster, with his 278, 766 hdcp series. Foster holds 14 of the top 25 spots in the Brosius Doubles. Hats off to Mike, Bob, and Gary on their great bowling!!!!

The Top 25 Standings of the Brosius Doubles Tournament follows later in the newsletter.

BUILDERS TEE CLUB NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT!!!!!!!!!!

*******BE A ROSTER BOOK SPONSOR*******

Here we are at the start of another year, the 85th year in the clubs history. It's time to begin compiling the Roster Book for 2012. As you know, the book includes ADS taken out by businesses owned or operated by members of the Club or by businesses that the club patronizes. The monies generated by these ads cover the costs of developing, printing and distributing the Roster Books. The cut-off date is March 15th. Don't be late!!!!!!

We again appeal to those of you who have not previously taken an ad. You who own, operate, direct or control a company or are in a position to solicit an ad from the company for which you work, are being asked to consider taking an ad in this year's special edition. We also appeal to the various business enterprises, that the Builders Tee Club patronizes, to become a sponsor of the Roster Book. Your ad will be seen by all B.T.C. members, giving them a chance to use your services when needed. The cost is \$100 for a full-page ad and \$60 for a half-page ad. What a bargain!!!

Please send your checks and ad layouts (business cards or ???), if new or changed from last year, to the Treasurer, SCOTT CARTER, as soon as possible.

Jerry Maciejewski at 815-464-5958 or jerdeemac@yahoo.com can be contacted for any help you may need with your ad. We can then proceed with the development of the 2012 Builders Tee Club Roster Book. Your sponsorship, cooperation and support will be greatly appreciated by all of the BTC membership in this our 85th year.

Jerry Maciejewski, Roster Book Chairman

CHECKS PAYABLE TO: **Builders Tee Club**
MAIL TO: SCOTT CARTER
11422 S. NATOMA AVE.
WORTH, IL. 60482

Dues Reminder

As of February 7th, all but 15 members have paid their 2012 BTC dues. I would like to encourage the remaining 15 to send your dues as soon as possible and please send the completed yellow sheet along also (no need to cut it in half), as it helps Jerry Maciejewski in filling out the roster book. Your 2012 Builders Tee Club Dues are past due as of January 31st. Please send your payment ASAP to remain an active member.

Super Bowl Tidbits:

In Manhattan, the New York Giants had their own ticker tape parade. They don't use much ticker tape on Wall Street anymore. Stock brokers just toss government bailout money from the windows.

Madonna came into the Super Bowl halftime show carried by muscle-bound men. It's a good thing she wasn't carried in by the Patriots, because they would have dropped her.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Bowling Calcutta coming to a bowling alley near you March 2012.

St Pats Dinner March 13th Mama Vesuvio's Rte. 83 and Ridgeland Avenue in Palos Heights. 6:30 PM.

Dick Kamin and the golf committee will be collecting for the two man event and the Peoria trip at the St Pat's Dinner.

SICK AND VIGIL

Please send any news to my attention at carter208@gmail.com or call 773-406-4155 to insure timely updates for the newsletter.

Joke of the Week

Fishing Trip

Gorman and Gil went on a fishing trip. They had all the equipment: the reels, the rods, bait, wading boots, rowing boat, the car and even a log cabin in the woods. No expense was spared for their yearly expedition.

On the first day they went fishing they didn't catch a thing. The same thing happened on the second day, and on the third day. It continued like this until finally, on the last day of their vacation, Gorman caught a fish.

As they're driving home they're really depressed. Gil turns to his friend, Gorman, and says, "Do you realize that that one fish we caught cost us \$1200?"

Gorman replies with a smile, "It's a good thing we didn't catch any more!"

GOLFER AT THE DENTIST

A man and his wife walked into a dentist's office. The man said to the dentist, "Doc, I'm in one heck of a hurry I have two buddies sitting out in my car waiting for us to go play golf, so forget about the Anesthetic, I don't have time for the gums to get numb. I just want you to pull the tooth, and be done with it! We have a 10:00 AM tee time at the best golf course in town and its 9:30 already... I don't have time to wait for the anesthetic to work!"

The dentist thought to himself, "My goodness, this is surely a very Brave man asking to have his tooth pulled without using anything to kill the pain." So the dentist asks him, "Which tooth is it sir?"

The man turned to his wife and said, "Open your mouth Honey, and show him....."

Your Treasurer,
Scott Carter

My wife and I went back to the hotel where we spent our wedding night; only this time I stayed in the bathroom and cried.

Indecision may or may not be my problem.

TENNIS REPORT - Al Baldermann

12 players this week. After tennis 6 players and Ed Wood went to the Train Station for dinner and drinks where we were joined by fellow BTC members Dave Hearne, Jerry Bradley and Dave Defries for drinks and laughs.

While we were having dinner a little lady troll kissed the head of the smurf and was granted three wishes.

We hope Pat Joyce is recovering from his back injury and will join us soon.

Ed Wood wants to remind everyone that next week we will set up challenge matches for February 21st.

Results:

Court 1

Tom Cleary	18/27
Bob Craig	13/27
Bob Kennedy	12/27
Chuck DiNolfo	11/27

Court 2

Ron Abramowicz	18/29
Bob Vizdal	14/29
Al Baldermann	13/29
John Schiera	13/29

Court 3

Rob Rollins	16/28
Rick Schroeder	16/28
Ed Garry	14/28
Don Borus	10/28

BOWLING REPORT

Even with quite a few bowlers on vacation, we still managed over 135 entries in the Brosius Doubles. The leaders will appear later in the newsletter. However, probably among the leaders will be Gary Foster who lead the scoring with a 709 scratch series (766 handicap). Mike Kent topped 700 for the third straight week with a 704. The other contenders for the Brosius with the top three handicap series are Bob Chudy (786), Ron Orent (750), and Don Neybert (746). That is, of course, if any of their partners bowled well. As far as the division races go, Jan Michaels extended their lead to 6 points in the "A" division. But since they already won the first half, there are 4 teams within 2 points of second and a roll-off spot. In the "B" division, there is now a three way tie for first with Central Scale, Tri-Star and Darwin Furniture. All sponsor fees have now been paid. The bowling Calcutta is scheduled for March 20th.

John Delano
Bowling secretary

POTS FOR THE WEEK

HANDICAP	Game 1 Roberts 287	Foster 278	
	Game 2 Parisi 279	Johann 268	
	Game 3 Lewis 288	Campbell 279	
DOUBLES	Game 1 Roberts/Foster 565	Roberts/Klonowski 561	
	Game 2 Huddleston/Orent 533	Parisi/Kent 523	
	Game 3 Campbell/Lewis 567	Reimer/Lewis, Chudy/D.Samoska & J.Jasinski/Foster 533	
BLIND DOUBLES	Orent/Kent 530	Roberts/Johann 500	Parisi/McManus 497
TEAM GAME	Bluebird Lanes 1172		
MYSTERY	Downey 184	CLEAN FRAMES	Kent 21F Magee 19R
SCRATCH	Game 1 Klonowski 269	Foster 259	
	Game 2 Parisi 262	Lyman 256	
	Game 3 Campbell 279	Foster 247	
SCRATCH SERIES	Foster 709	Kent 704	
SERIES DOUBLES	Stahl/Foster 1355	Kent/Magee 1323	
SURVIVOR	Foster 247	Kent 221	

DIVISION A

13 Jan Michaels	24	4
14 Febel Bros.	16	12
10 Smoky's Bandits	16	12
4 Bluebird Lanes	15	13
7 Bluebird Pro Shop	14	14
11 Beggar's	10	18
2 Oak Forest Bowl	9	19
8 Gary Galassi S/S	7	21

DIVISION B

12 Tri-Star	19	9
3 Central Scale	19	9
1 Darwin Furniture	19	9
6 Van Henkelum Funeral	14	14
16 Mama Vesuvio	13	15
5 Burr Oak Bowl	12	16
15 LTC Global	9	19
9 AM NAPA	6	20

Lane assignments for 2/14:

17-18 19-20 21-22 23-24 25-26 27-28 29-30 31-32
5-9 12-7 6-13 16-11 1-15 4-10 14-3 8-2

BROSIUS DOUBLES TOP 25 after Week 1:

1.	Foster	766	Kent	722	1488
2.	Chudy	786	D.Samoska	702	1488
3.	Foster	766	McManus	695	1461
4.	Foster	766	Roberts	689	1455
5.	Foster	766	Parisi	689	1455
6.	Foster	766	Magee	679	1445
7.	Foster	766	Jenner	676	1442
8.	Kent	722	Cohn	720	1442
9.	Foster	766	Heatter	674	1440
10.	Chudy	786	Ward	653	1439
11.	Kent	722	Lyman	716	1438
12.	Foster	766	Kamin	672	1438
13.	Foster	766	Krizka	670	1436
14.	Foster	766	Bandauski	663	1429
15.	Kent	722	D.Samoska	702	1424
16.	Foster	766	J.Jasinski	658	1424
17.	Chudy	786	Siniawski	637	1423
18.	Lewis	729	Reimer	694	1423
19.	Foster	766	Huddleston	656	1422
20.	Cohn	720	D.Samoska	702	1422
21.	Foster	766	Ward	653	1419
22.	Foster	766	J Reichenberger	652	1418
23.	Kamin	672	Neybert	746	1418
24.	Lyman	716	D.Samoska	702	1418
25.	Kent	722	McManus	695	1417