

Welcome!

Bowlers!

To Your 1956

Tournament



The annual meeting of the Montana Bowling Association will be held in the **SOUTH PINE** room of the Florence Hotel at 12:00 Noon, Sunday, May 6, 1956.

39th Annual

*Montana Bowling Association
Tournament*

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Montana State University Fieldhouse

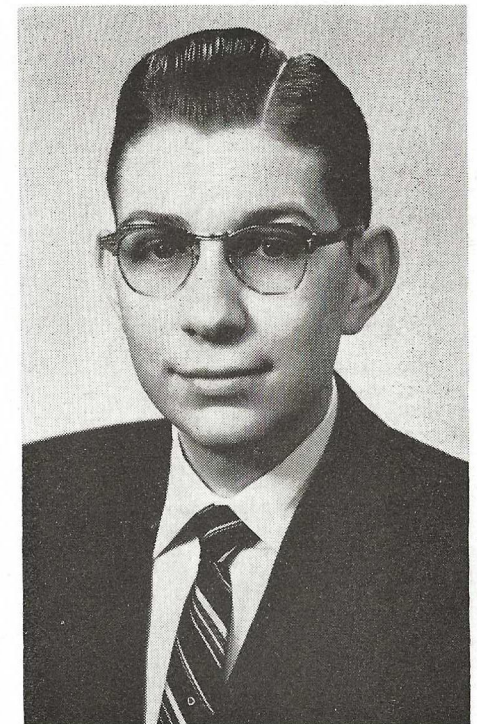
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April 7 to May 6, 1956
Liberty Bowling Center Alleys
Missoula, Montana

Officers of the Montana State Bowling Association



Emery Curran
President



Bob Froehlich
Secretary and Treasurer

Open Division Winners of Previous Tournaments

TEAM

1917 Home Plates, Great Falls	2791
1918 Miles City	2512
1920 Mudro Gril, Butte	2634
1921 Mudro Gril, Butte	2848
1922 Mudro Grill, Butte	2789
1923 ACM No. 3, Great Falls	2635
1924 Mudro Gril, Butte	2962
1925 ACM Club, Great Falls	2775
1926 ACM Club, Great Falls	2805
1927 Truzzolino's, Butte	2770
1928 Truzzolino's, Butte	2865
1929 Mudro Grill, Butte	2680
1930 Peckover-Kelly, Anaconda	2875
1931 Mudro Grill, Butte	2967
1932 Marquettes, Butte	2968
1933 Rainbow Hams, Great Falls	2888
1934 Herrick's, Missoula	2838
1935 Kaufman's, Great Falls	2886
1936 Walsh Sheriffs, Anaconda	2782
1937 Milwaukee Tavern, Butte	2905
1938 Park Buffet, Butte	2844
1939 Canyon Bar, Great Falls	2874
1940 Larson Sheriffs, Anaconda	2837
1941 P. J. Finnegan Co., Anaconda	2878
1942 ACM No. 5, Great Falls	2746
1945 Big Steve's, Anaconda	2865
1946 T. B. Miller, Helena	2864
1947 The Mint, Great Falls	2941
1948 Sladich Bar, Anaconda	2827
1949 Rex Laundry, Billings	2910
1950 Freebourn's, Butte	2886
1951 Finberg Furniture, Butte	2833
1952 Club Cafeteria, Great Falls	2797
1953 Johnson's Standard Service, Anaconda	2929
1954 Yandts', Missoula	2819
1955 Main Tavern, Helena	2871

SINGLES

1917 Sherman, Lewistown	640
1918 C. Mudro, Butte	627
1921 Buzzard, Missoula	674
1922 Brenston, Great Falls	644
1923 Murray, Missoula	600
1924 C. Mudro, Butte	675
1925 Wallace, Deer Lodge	642
1926 Salsburg, Billings	660
1927 Olson, Miles City	661
1928 S. Ugrin, Anaconda	640
1929 O'Brien, Butte	637
1930 Dolighan, Helena	648
1931 Ely, Great Falls	665
1932 Petlin, Butte	677
1933 Fultz, Billings	653
1934 B. Kennedy, Billings	711
1935 Krall, Great Falls	692
1936 Oliver, Billings	659
1937 Toole, Great Falls	684
1938 Richards, Butte	698
1939 Brenner, Billings	670
1940 Tucker, Helena	675

DOUBLES

1917 Tuss, GF; Latimer, Anaconda	1210
1918 Anderson-Ruvich, Great Falls	1182
1920 Farley-Carey, Missoula	1147
1921 Cebuhar-Haun, Roundup	1202
1922 Ugrin-Borgen, Anaconda	1202
1923 Antonich-Strizich, Great Falls	1097
1924 Wallace-Shaddock, Deer Lodge	1258
1925 J. Mudro-Mooney, Butte	1182
1926 Heinsch-Luedeman, Deer Lodge	1217
1927 J. Mudro-Dazzie, Butte	1252
1928 J. Keenan-E. Keenan, Great Falls	1226
1929 Strizich-Kralich, Great Falls	1195
1930 Parock-Varelia, Great Falls	1210
1931 Pelly-Riley, Butte	1237
1932 Edwards-Harvey, Billings	1217
1933 Murray-Zbinden, Missoula	1231
1934 Tulin-Dolighan, Helena	1227
1935 Swanson-Urgin, Anaconda	1259
1936 Hilton-Gibb, Billings	1265
1937 Domitrovich-Swanson, Anaconda	1261
1938 A. Tuss, Sr.-W. Tuss, Great Falls	1281
1939 O'Connell-Edwards, Helena	1248
1940 W. Tuss-A. Tuss, Sr., Great Falls	1264
1941 Haddick-Finnegan, Anaconda	1221
1942 Thomas-Bardi, Roundup	1154
1945 Harrity-Stegar, Anaconda	1206
1946 W. Tuss-A. Tuss, Sr., Great Falls	1369
1947 Braithwaite-Morgan, Roundup	1279
1948 Devine-Harrity, Anaconda	1204
1949 R. Swanson-E. Swanson, Anaconda	1256
1950 J. Mullen-F. Converse, Great Falls	1267
1951 W. Tuss-A. Tuss, Jr., Great Falls	1253
1952 E. Simonich-E. Dazzie, Butte	1309
1953 E. Gallagher-Koski, Missoula	1264
1954 Simonich-Dazzie, Butte	1250
1955 Irv Joos-Ole Hoveland, Miles City	1241

ALL-EVENTS

1917 Vautrin, Anaconda	1915
1921 Cebuhar, Roundup	1950
1922 S. Ugrin, Anaconda	1788
1923 Brentson, Great Falls	1625
1924 C. Mudro, Butte	1880
1925 Akin, Missoula	1815
1926 Pete Jezick, Missoula	1790
1927 Borgen, Anaconda	1871
1928 S. Ugrin, Anaconda	1871
1929 O'Brien, Butte	1750
1930 Shubat, Great Falls	1781
Murray, Great Falls	1781
1931 Pelly, Butte	1828
1932 Jovich, Butte	1806
1933 Fahl, Butte	1910
1934 Antonich, Great Falls	1888
1935 Hamilton, Missoula	1876
1936 Linnane, Great Falls	1806
1937 W. Tuss, Great Falls	1903
1938 W. Tuss, Great Falls	1887
1939 Kegel, Great Falls	1867
1940 Suden, Great Falls	1825

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1955 Open Team Champions Main Tavern — Helena



Pat Egan Morris Ranger George Schneider Gary Garden Robert Lenhart Gene McKinnon

1955 Open Singles Champion



1955 Open Doubles Champions



Mel Best

Ole Hoveland and Irv Joos

Booster Division Winners of Previous Tournaments

BOOSTER SINGLES

1933	Jewett	Helena	606
1938	Sams	Helena	615
1939	"179" C. Swanson	Anaconda	623
	"160" Clements	Great Falls	579
1940	"179" Porter	Shelby	635
	"164" Fishback	Billings	577
1941	"179" McDermott	Helena	628
	"165" Calvert	Butte	696
1942	"179" Shadoan	Bozeman	608
	"160" Stephens	Billings	592
1945	Dougherty	Anaconda	655
1946	L. Epperly	Kalispell	665
1947	F. Korn	Butte	662
1948	Rogan	Butte	686
1949	Smith	Billings	685
1950	K. Tyner	Conrad	654
1951	Fred Victor	Helena	687
1952	N. Hanson	Deer Lodge	649
1953	W. C. Ward	Billings	706
1954	Al Moerkkerke	Hamilton	659
1955	Edgar Moos	Hardin	671
	A. Odegard	Missoula	671

BOOSTER DOUBLES

1933	McDonald-O'Connell	Helena	1093
1938	Lees-Coyle	Helena	1086
1939	Laramie-Thompson	Butte	1234
1940	Kolskie-McClosky	Havre	1104
1941	"350" Yerkes-Cavanaugh	Butte	1202
	"320" Olsen-Vulberdine	Livingston	1057
	Horvath-Knez	Anaconda	1057
1942	"350" Pelletier-Wagner	Billings	1117
	"320" Westwood-Kennedy	Billings	1107
1945	Anderson-Tracy	Anaconda	1213
1946	Epperly-Epperly	Kalispell	1226
1947	Kane-Hoover	Conrad	1261
1948	Treloar-Flynn	Butte	1182
1949	Leonard-Liddell	Anaconda	1219
1950	E. Gannon-G. Terkla	Anaconda	1207
1951	K. Holts-Foster	Great Falls	1242
1952	M. Colter-E. Kramer	Red Lodge	1211
1953	W. Janhunen, Jr. - G. Stunich	Butte	1215
1954	Somers-Clark	Kalispell	1200
1955	J. Gerber-R. Pierce	Whitefish	1210

BOOSTER ALL-EVENTS

1933	Jewett	Helena	1969
1938	Jacobsen	Butte	1760
1939	McAndrews	Great Falls	1772
1940	"164" Sherbo	Billings	1633
	"179" Porter	Shelby	1705
1941	"165" Corkesh	Butte	1569
	"179" Yerkes	Butte	1642
1942	"179" Simon	Billings	1608
1945	Schneider	Anaconda	1809
1946	Epperly	Kalispell	1899
1947	Allison	Butte	1865
1948	Rogan	Butte	1812
1949	Kerbs	Great Falls	1843
1950	Kuchan	Lewistown	1869
1951	Hartung	Billings	1863
1952	Joe Bartzan	Butte	1869
1953	T. Robertson	Big Sandy	1824
1954	John Siebrasse	Big Sandy	1789
1955	Larry Kramer	Billings	1755

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1955 — Booster Team Champions Eli Wood Auto Repair — Missoula



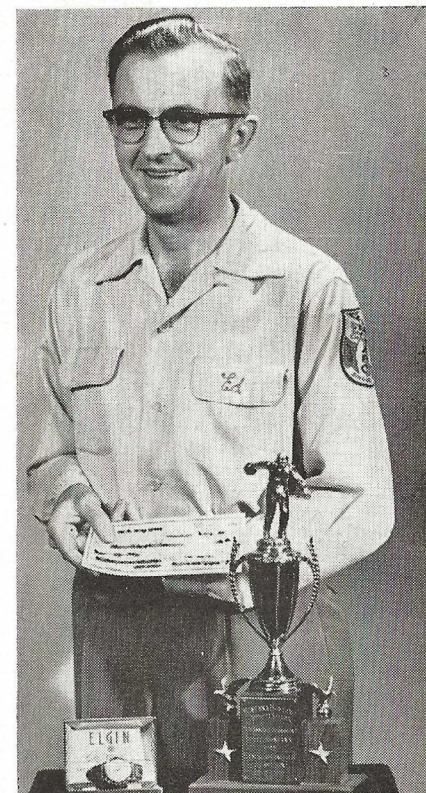
Weldon

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Sharpe

Rand

Northey



Edgar Moos

1955 Handicap Singles Champion



1955 Handicap Doubles Champions



J. Gerben and R. Pierce

Previous Booster Division Winners (Continued)

TEAM — 800 BOOSTER

1927	Deer Lodge	Deer Lodge	2569
1928	Montana Power No. 2	Great Falls	2525
1929	First National Bank	Butte	2426
1930	Laboratory	Great Falls	2598
1931	Stone-Ordean-Wells	Butte	2573
1932	Gem Grocery	Deer Lodge	2631
1933	Kiwanis No. 2	Deer Lodge	2586
1934	U. S. Building & Loan	Butte	2605
1935	Bertsche's Food Store	Great Falls	2799
1936	ACM No. 9	Great Falls	2569

TEAM — 825 BOOSTER

1937	Moose Legion	Anaconda	2756
1938	Great Falls Townsite	Great Falls	2965
1939	Montana Power	Helena	2670
1942	Pierce Packing Co.	Billings	2450

TEAM — 750 BOOSTER

1938	Starringers	Helena	2407
1939	Big Butte Tavern No. 3	Butte	2461
1942	Sanitary Barbers	Livingston	2353

TEAM — 775 BOOSTER

1940	Cut Bank Drug	Cut Bank	2511
1941	Laurel Bar	Laurel	2468

TEAM — 850 BOOSTER

1940	Billings Merchants	Billings	2733
1941	Montana Hotel	Anaconda	2646
1942	Quaker State	Billings	2502
1945	Pacific Car & Foundry	Billings	2840
1946	Epperly Brothers	Kalispell	2825
1947	Moose Club	Helena	2830
1948	Agate Lines	Butte	2775
1949	Yellowstone Hardware	Billings	2829
1950	30-Club	Butte	2782
1951	McCarthy's Restaurant	Billings	2928
1952	Malcady's Bar	Butte	2826
1953	Pierce Packing Co.	Billings	2836
1954	Joe's Boys	Kalispell	2741
1955	Eli Wood Auto Repair	Missoula	2728



Open Division Winners of Previous Tournaments (Continued)

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SINGLES

1941	Marianette, Billings	639
1942	Dosen, Butte	722
1945	Young, Butte	653
1946	Dosen, Butte	670
1947	Mehl, Billings	682
1948	Sams, Anaconda	636
1949	Jarnot, Great Falls	656
1950	Bruce Farnum, Missoula	638
1951	Sam Pancich, Great Falls	678
1952	Ed Swanson, Anaconda	650
	Frank Wiley, Billings	650
1953	Frank Johns, Butte	684
1954	Don Lemon, Kalispell	653
1955	Mel Best, Butte	688

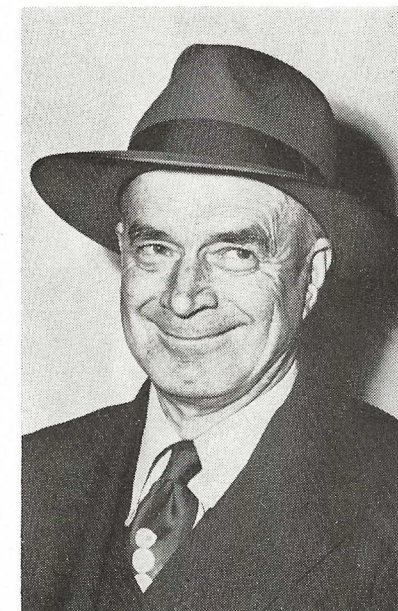
ALL-EVENTS

1941	P. Finnegan, Anaconda	1799
1942	Dosen, Butte	1810
1945	Martinich, Butte	1768
1946	W. Tuss, Great Falls	1880
1947	Treweek, Great Falls	1928
1948	Devine, Anaconda	1732
1949	Pramenko, Missoula	1771
	Greenleaf, Billings	1771
1950	F. Converse, Great Falls	1893
1951	A. Tuss, Jr., Great Falls	1956
1952	Vern Ulstad, Anaconda	1849
1953	Howard Christian, Missoula	1884
1954	Robert Turnbull, Helena	1783
1955	Frank Pratt, Billings	1741

1955 Open All Events Champion



Frank Pratt



Ray Rocene

This page is dedicated to Ray T. Rocene, sports editor of The Daily Missoulian and The Missoula Sentinel. The bowlers take their hats off to Ray.

"Ray" is known by every bowling fan who reads his page, has handled sports on The Missoulian for 40 years, and throughout that time has been a continuous booster of bowling, both in Missoula and Montana.

His interest in bowling has done much for its success in Missoula and Montana, and will contribute materially to the success of this state tournament.

MONTANA STATE BOWLING ASSOCIATION

OFFICERS — PAST AND PRESENT

PRESIDENT	VICE-PRESIDENT	SECRETARY
1921 F. C. Walker	Ralph Conrad	J. L. Patterson
1922 Joe Mudro	Ed Wenger	J. L. Patterson
1923 W. I. Hicks	James Moore	M. T. Linnane
1924 Arthur Perham	Felix Mudro	M. Sheehan
1925 James Moore	L. E. Jones	J. W. Keenan
1926 Fred Miler	Lloyd Swingle	Thomas Carey
1927 W. R. Medlin	Matt Mooney	W. C. McGonigle
1928 James W. Moore	James J. Waller	F. J. Sten
1929 Joe Markham	V. Truzzolino	Alex Remneas
1930 William Tretheway	Thomas Boland	F. J. Sten
1931 Dr. J. S. McKinley	Herb Bretherton	Joe M. Miller
1932 Harry Smith	Earl Clute	George Diedricks
1933 H. Hennessy	W. Campbell	W. Hawke
1934 L. E. Jones	F. J. Sten	K. J. Black
1935 Alex Remneas	Peter Miller	Ted Warren
1936 Frank Comte	Q. A. Edwards	Joe Novasio
1937 A. W. Merkle	Ray Armstrong	Wayman J. Williams Assistant, Tyler Broman
1938 A. W. Merkle	Ralph Conrad	Wayman J. Williams Assistant, M. E. Anderson
1939 Ralph Conrad	H. G. Satterthwaite	Wayman J. Williams Assistant, Avard Symes Honorary Secretary, K. J. Black
1940 Ralph Conrad	H. B. McKinsey	Wayman J. Williams Assistant, W. W. Jones

A. W. Merkle, Delegate at Large.



PRESIDENT	SITE	VICE-PRESIDENT	SECRETARY
1941 Frank Comte	Butte	H. H. Bretherton	W. Williams
1942 J. C. Jensen	Billings		W. Williams
1943 War		Same officers for 1943—1944—1945—No tournament	
1944 War		account of the war.	
1945 Ed. Wenger	Anaconda	R. E. Goodenberger	A. L. Rowe
1946 W. Gehring	Missoula	J. Tabarracci	Ray Flaherty
1947 J. Tabarracci	Great Falls	W. Tuss	Bud Rowe
1948 G. Schulte	Butte	W. P. Donelly	Bob Young
1949 John Purcell	Billings	Chuck Howe	Ralph Bassett
1950 Herb Carlson	Anaconda	Don Juhl	C. McLean
1951 A. P. Symes	Great Falls	J. Tabarracci	A. L. Rowe
1952 Joe Miller	Helena	Jim Easby	Basil Mason
1953 G. A. Barrett	Bozeman	C. Stucky	L. Daems
1954 Ken Murchison	Kalispell	R. Olson	J. W. Anderson
1955 C. Pat Egan	Butte	John Helehan	Joe Miller
1956 Emery Curran	Missoula		Bob Froehlich