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Pepsi Youth Qualifying Tournaments

The 2016 Pepsi Youth Tournaments were held on April 24th at Hall of Fame Silver Lanes in East Hartford and on May 1st at Circle Lanes in East Haven under the CT State USBC guidance and supervision. Matt Favreau of Fairfield was chairman of the event with the assistance of the CT State Youth Committee and CT State USBC Board. Winners of the events in their age divisions are eligible to enter the National Junior Gold Tournament. Under 12 youth bowl 3 games on one day while older participants bowl 6 games on each day for a total of 12 games. Pictures from the Hall of Fame Silver Lanes event appear below.



Matthew Favreau

Kristen Parks of Milford checks in with CT Youth Director Peter Dombrowski.



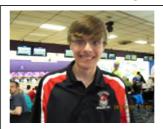


Practice begins while he coaches, families, riends and other pectators look on.

Youth bowler, Brandon Whiting, out of Nutmeg Lanes in Fairfield, turns in his scores to Director Favreau at the end.



CT Youth Scores Huge



Pictured above is 16 year old youth bowler, Michael Perreault who bowls in a youth league at Lakewood Lanes in Waterbury. On March 16, 2016 this 216 average bowler rolled a fantastic 802 series with games of 246, 267 and 299! The CT State USBC is proud to congratulate this fine young man on his outstanding accomplishment!

CT USBC Youth Fest Photos



CT USBC Youth Director Chairman,, Annie Gallant, center, presents checks and awards to this year's two \$1,000 scholarship winners. Karissa Massicott, of Meriden, left, and Bryan Bornn, of Bethel. (See article on their accomplishments in this newsletter.)



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CT STATE USBC 2016 YOUTH SCHEDULE

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Nov. 13 & 20 – Youth/Adult Tournament-Wolcott Lanes, Wolcott, CT

Bowlers are reminded to follow dress codes & rules for all events to avoid a disqualification.

Pepsi Winners at Youth Fest



Front (from left) – Josh Parent, Jack Tebeau, Kailey Velasco Back – Jesse Lake, Caitlyn Cairns



Ryan Mola, Skylar Smith, Justin Snow



CT USBC Youth Director, Peter Dombrowski, presents the youngest Pepsi winner, Olivia Armistead, (Girls Under 8 Division), with her award.

Photos from CT STATE USBC Youth Fest 9th Annual Youth State Tournament Awards Held at Bradley Bowl – June 4th, 2016



CT USBC Staff sign in youth bowlers and their families for the event.



CT USBC Youth Director, Annie Gallant, speaks during the awards.



CT USBC Youth Director, Pete Dombrowski helps Kayla Bivens, carry 4 awards (Pepsi, Scratch Team, Scratch Singles, and Scratch All Events). She's quite a bowler!



From left, brothers Ryan and Jake Mola and Erik Pennell won the Scratch Team event with Kayla Bivens, photo right. The brothers also won Scratch Doubles.



Faith Nyholt, left, and Erik Pennell won All Events in their respective divisions Handicap and Scratch.



Siblings Caitlyn and Cody Cairus represented their Handicap Team. (Absent -Sal Orosz and Bryan Roberts)



Riley Smith won Handicap Singles.



Dozens of awards await presentation.

This was the 2nd Annual Youth Fest.

After Awards the bowlers enjoyed a meal of pizza, chicken fingers, snacks, cake and soda. The day ended in bowling for everyone! Youth bowlers and their families will be honored after each season at this type of event. Be on the lookout for next year's Youth Fest location and activities!

CT STATE USBC Scholarship Winners

The CT State USBC Board of Directors and Scholarship Committee have announced the winners of the two \$1,000 scholarships they award annually to high school seniors who plan to further their education.

Winning the \$1,000 scholarship set up by the CWBA before merging with CT State BA for a child of a sanctioned mother or grandmother is Karissa Massicott, of Meriden, a 2016 Platt High School high



honors graduate. She will study pre med at Siena College in the fall. Her experiences include participation as a patient aide at MidState Hospital in Meriden and in the People to People Student Ambassador Program. School honors and activities include:, a Skills USA Member; Student of the Month in History, Science and Latin; highest CT score on Early childhood elementary exam; a 2016 CTE Presidential Scholar Award Semifinalist; National Honor Society Membership; and an Ultimate Frisbee Manager. She has an interest in photography as a Yearbook member and won 1st in medical photography with the Health Occupation Students of America. She has been in youth bowling leagues since 2006, currently maintaining a 173 average, and is involved in her religious and neighborhood community activities. Her career goal is to become a pediatrician.

Winning the CT State USBC \$1,000 scholarship that



goes to either a youth bowler or child of a registered adult bowler is Bryan Bornn, of Bethel. Bryan is senior and going to the University of Maryland this fall to major in

mechanical engineering. At school, he was a high honors student, member of the National Honor Society, and on the All Conference Academic Team every varsity season while participating in soccer, indoor track, lacrosse and recreational basketball. The many awards he won include: the Presidential Volunteer Service Award, Sons of the American Revolution Outstanding Cadet Award, the President's Award for Academic Excellence, the Bausch and Lomb Honorary Science Award, and his high school Spanish Achievement Award. He participated in NJROTC as a squad leader and Assistant Platoon Commander. He attended the CT Science and Humanities Symposium and the U.S. Naval Academy Summer Seminar. Within his school and community activities he volunteered a myriad of hours, as well.

The CT State USBC Board of Directors salutes both students on their many academic and community achievements and honors and wishes them much success in their future endeavors. It reminds future high school seniors to apply for these scholarships each year!