

1998 CBA HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE



Juetta & Pat Holseth, Golden Valley, MN
The Metro Bowler
Meritorious Service

For years, people going by the Holseth's driveway would see Pat and Juetta's cars parked next to each other. Juetta's license plate read "I BOWL" and Pat's "D U BOWL". Pat & Juetta personify what it means to be dedicated to the sport of bowling. Their willingness to put their talents and determination behind new and innovative ideas has resulted in numerous contributions to the sport of bowling. The Metro Bowler and the CBA are cases in point. Pat started The Metro Bowler in 1975 despite nay-sayers who scoffed at its chances to succeed. Pat effectively went door to door selling the concept to bowling center proprietors. Ever since, the Metro Bowler has been dispensing local and national bowling news to bowlers in the Twin Cities, and around the state. In 1971, another new concept called the Central Bowlers Association had taken wing. Pat was a charter member. The Metro Bowler got behind the CBA with feature articles and photos giving the organization invaluable publicity. Together, the Metro Bowler and the CBA have flourished for more than two decades. Juetta entered the Metro Bowler picture in 1977 when she started working with Pat. They were married in 1983 and Juetta took over primary responsibility for the publication. Long and late hours have not phased Juetta through the years as she maintained the quality tradition of the Metro Bowler. The CBA has continued to benefit from Metro Bowler coverage. Few, other than those who have similarly put themselves on the line to make a new concept work, can imagine the effort, the thick skin in the face of criticism, and the dedication that's needed to be successful. Pat and Juetta have made the Metro Bowler work. The CBA thanks them for playing an integral role in the organization's success and is pleased to induct them into the CBA Hall for Fame for Meritorious Service.