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INCREASING THE GENERAL INTEREST IN THE GAME OF BOWLING WITHIN THE HERITAGE OF THE JAPANESE CULTURE AND COMMUNITY.

Open Roll-Off Coming to Brunswick Covina Bowl in March

The Roll-Off tournament will be held on **Sunday, March 30** at Brunswick Covina Bowl. There is no team maximum and all teams must have at least one person of the opposite sex. Qualifying will start at **10am** and will consist of 2 game. The top eight teams will then be cut to start the single elimination roll-off.

Last year's champions were **Brian Quon, Lindsey Quon, David Koshi** and **Jay Culver**. The entry deadline is **March 22**.



Nikkei Vegas Championships Moves to Sept at Sam's Town

This will be the 3rd annual Championship tournament hosted by Sam's Town on **September 27-28, 2014**. The events this year will be Trios Team event, Big Kahuna of the SCNBA and Singles event. During the Singles event, we will have a Ragtime Doubles and Fantasy Team side pots. All tournament entry forms are available online at www.SCNBA.com. The deadline to enter is September 1. Last year's winners are: **Sr. Singles:** Curtis Oba and Lily Ikegami; **Sr. Singles Opt. Scratch:** Curtis Oba and Kay Johnson; **Sr Singles No-Tap:** Glenn Matsuda and Michiko Kondo; **Open Singles:** Miles Yokota and Jamie Rovner; **Open Singles Opt Scratch:** Keith Yamakawa and Jamie Rovner; **Doubles:** Ryan Mangahas and Kurt Valmonte; **Doubles Opt Scratch:** Jaime Rovner and Scott Critchfield; **Big Kahuna of the SCNBA:** Miles Yokota. Also congratulations to **Keith Yamakawa** for shooting 300 in the Doubles event!

Danielle Armstrong – Scholarship Winner

Our 2014 Scholarship winner is 16-year-old Danielle Armstrong, daughter of Jerry and Debbie Armstrong, who are members of the Friday night SFV Nisei League at Mission Hills Bowl. Danielle has been working with the SFV Nisei since she was 9 years old helping the tournament committee as a lane monitor and office help. She also works many of the SCNBA tournaments as a lane monitor as well. And keeping bowling in the generations, Danielle has recently turned adult and is bowling in the same league as her parent on Friday nights. Danielle is a Junior at the Valley Academy of the Arts & Sciences and plans to be President next year as a senior. She spends all of her free time performing and has been in every musical performance at school since its opening. After High School, she is looking forward to attending college. Future applicants can download the nomination form online at SCNBA.com. The deadline for application submission is June 20.



Holiday Fun Tournament & Craft Fair Moves to AMF Beverly Bowl

Our Fun Holiday tournament is moving to Montebello this December on **Sunday, Dec 7**. Bowling starts at 1pm and the partnered Craft Fair will be from 10am to 6pm so that bowlers can shop before and after the tournament. The format of this event is 2 games No-Tap & 2 games Scotch Doubles. Entry forms must be postmarked by **November 30**.

NO-TAP: Knock down 9 pins on your first ball and receive an automatic strike. **SCOTCH DOUBLES:** Each teammate alternates turns. The only time the 2nd player doesn't bowl in a frame is if the 1st player gets a strike. If the 1st player gets a strike, the 2nd bowler will continue for the next frame, etc.

HOLIDAY CRAFT/ BOUTIQUE FAIR (10am – 6pm): A variety of vendors will be on site selling their custom made crafts. A perfect opportunity for Holiday shopping of unique and one of the kind items. If you are interested in purchasing a table to sell products, please contact **Jane** at **(323) 661-9891**. Tables are sold based on first come, first serve.

2014 SCNBA EVENTS

Open Roll-Off

Brunswick Covina (March 30)

Tournament of Champions

AMF Beverly (June 14)

Singles Tournament

Linbrook Bowl (August 3)

Nikkei Vegas Championships

Sam's Town (Sept 27-28)

Holiday Doubles

AMF Beverly (December 7)

Dates subject to change

Tournament of Champions AMF Beverly Bowl

Team "Sorry Charlie!" from AMF Beverly Lanes (**Jason Carrillo, Eric Sera, Brett Yokota and Miles Yokota**) won the 2013 ToC event so they are now the new hosts for this year. They each received an embroidered SCNBA shirt for their great accomplishment and their league was given a bowling ball to raffle (Ball Winner: **Mike Lee**) Join us on **Saturday, June 14** at **AMF Beverly** to see which Nikkei league is the Best of the Best!

Phiten Added as a New Sponsor for the SCNBA!

Phiten is the newest sponsor to help promote the SCNBA. Phiten along with RotoGrip/Storm and Steve Cook's Bowling Supply (Ric Hamlin, Sales Specialist), will sponsor all SCNBA events! Bowling balls and Phiten products will be donated for a free raffle at each event. Enter all of the tournaments for your chance to win and THANK YOU to these sponsors for their outstanding support. Help us to support them by purchasing their products as well.



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For Nikkei tournament info, visit
SCNBA.com & nikkeibowling.com.

Submit articles to SCNBA300@yahoo.com.

NEXT MEETING:

March 30, 2014 • Brunswick Covina • 4:00pm

Missed our meeting? Download past meeting minutes
and info at www.SCNBA.com/forms.htm.

Nikkei Leagues

Action Lanes	Nikkei Seniors
Action Lanes	SGV Nikkei Mixed
AMF Beverly Lanes	Monterey Park Nisei
AMF Beverly Lanes	PPBC Nikkei Trios
AMF Carter	Sansei Trios
AMF El Dorado Lanes	Japan Trade
AMF El Dorado Lanes	Nisei Mixed Four
AMF Valley View.....	Tozai Nikkei
Brun. Covina Bowl	Covina Nisei
Canoga Park Bowl	SFV CC Nikkei
Fountain Bowl	FV Nikkei Trios
Gable House	Harbor City Nisei Mix 4
Gable House	Nisei Mixed Hdcp
Gardena Bowl	Islanders
Gardena Bowl	Premiere Nisei B
Gardena Bowl	Nisei Mixed 4
Linbrook Bowl	Anaheim Nisei Mixed
Mission Hills Bowl	SFV Nisei
Westminster Lanes	Niko Niko Trios