

### **PINBOARD**

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## Congratulations to 5 Pin

Thanks to all our 5 pin bowlers' we came out #4 on the top 50 Canadian Inventions. It was an exciting evening and we are sure anyone who watched the program was very surprised at the outcome. 5 Pin Bowling was the only sport to make it to the top ten and it was an Honour well deserved. Once again, to all who helped make this happen, well done.

Congratulations!

### Bramalea 5 Pin

Bramalea 5 Pin Bowlers' Association is hosting a Texas Hold'em Poker Night at Bramalea Bowl on Saturday, February 3rd. Tickets are now on sale for \$25.00 each. For more information contact Lori Beesack at: Ibeesack@genisysoutsourcing.com or Nicole Nibbs at: Nicole@itwal.com



### **Central Ontario**

Central Ontario will be hosting a Horse Race fundraiser at Bramalea Bowl on Sat. Jan. 27/07. Admission is \$5.00 whether you are there to bowl, bet or just have fun. Please contact Brenda Hamilton at: Brenda.hamilton@kaobrands.com or Nicole Nibbs at: Nicole@itwal.com



#### The Senility Prayer

Grant me the senility to forget the people I never liked anyway, the good fortune to run into the ones I do, and the eyesight to tell the difference.

# The Twelve Days of Christmas

#### Answers

- A) A partridge in a pear tree
- C) Two turtledoves
- 3. B) Three French hens
- 4. A) Four calling birds
- 5. C) Five golden rings
- 6. A) Six geese a-laying
- 7. B) Seven swans a-swimming
- 8. B) Eight maids a-milking
  - C) Nine ladies dancing
- 10. A) Ten lords a-leaping

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- 11. C) Eleven pipers piping
- 12. B) Twelve drummers drumming
- 13. C) On the twelfth day of Christmas, my very generous true love gave to me 78 presents:

Twelve drummers drumming, eleven pipers piping, ten lords a-leaping, nine ladies dancing, eight maids a-milking, seven swans a-swimming, six geese a-laying, five golden rings, four calling birds, three French hens, two turtledoves and a partridge in a pear tree.



### **Tournament Dates**

#### **High-Low Doubles**

Provincial Championships Feb. 24th. 2007

#### **League Executive**

Provincial Championships Feb. 24th, 2007

#### Truca\$h Holiday Classic

Combined Zone/DC House Rounds

Jan. 28th, 2007

### Youth Challenge/Ontario Winter Games

Provincial Championships Feb. 10th, 2007

#### **Provincial Triples**

Zone/DC House Rounds Feb. 18 to Mar. 11, 2007

#### **Strike It Big Tournament**

Entry Deadline Feb. 18th, 2007

#### C5PBA

Semi-Annual Meeting Jan. 18 - 21, 2007





### **SOO Male Athlete of the Year**



Matthew Nighswader of Stouffville is this year's SOO Male Athlete of the Year. Regionally, Matthew has participated in many 5 pin bowling tournaments, and in 2004 he competed at the Provincial Spring Games. A qualifier for the 2006 National Summer Games, Matthew won a gold medal in bowling singles. Also in 2006, Matthew received the Caring Citizen Award because of his dedication to May Day events in Stouffville for the past five years, as well as his continuous work with other community programs.

Not only does he compete in **Special Olympics** events, he also competes in generic bowling tournaments with excellent results. When attending a competition, Matthew takes a very pleasant, professional approach and is well liked by all he meets. This season he has improved his average by fifteen (15) pins and enjoys helping to teach his friends how to bowl. Matthew will also share his knowledge with everyone.

Mr. Nighswander is always willing to help anyone who asks. He continues to volunteer in both his hometown of Stouffville and Markham where he attends High School. Some of his community involvement includes assisting the Youth Involvement Group with weekly activities, volunteering at a Community Living Residential Program assisting

with daily activities, acting as staff, and a role model and mentor during Living Summer Youth Programs. Matthew also speaks on behalf of Community Living at special events and for their Corporate Sponsors. He also volunteered with the Special Needs Summer Day program for two (2) years.

Matthew is 21 years of age and attended Brother Andre Catholic High School. He presently bowls in two leagues, Stouffville-Markham Bowlers and Markham High Rollers. Matthew Nighswander gives his free time generously and without hesitation. A well grounded, easy going, kind and caring individual, he truly represents a Special Olympic Athlete.

### **Bowling School** Provincial Winners

### Go Figure

A reminder to all Zones and DC's that to ensure your spots for the Bowling School, your deposit was due in the office at the beginning of January. If any Zone or DC has not sent in their payment, please contact the office to ensure your reserved spots.



A reminder to all Zones and DC's regarding your winners in the Hi/Low Tournament and the League Executive Tournament who are advancing to the Provincial Round. Please ensure that all pertinent information has been forwarded to the O5 office. If you have not done so yet, please advise the office ASAP.



Out walking, I noticed an old lady sitting on a park bench sobbing her eyes out. When I asked her what was wrong she said, "I have a 22 year old husband at home. He makes love to me every morning, then gets up and makes me pancakes, sausage, fresh fruit and freshly ground coffee. He makes me homemade soup for lunch and my favorite brownies and then makes love to me for half the afternoon. For dinner he makes me a gourmet meal with wine and my favorite dessert and then makes love to me until 2:00 a.m.." I said, "Well why in the world are you crying?" She said, "I can't remember where I live!"