



'9-Tap Tour' Coming to LV



The **9-Tap Tour** is coming to Las Vegas, November 27th - 29th, hosting their **FIRST** local Tournament at **Texas Station**. The first 100 bowlers to enter will receive a complimentary one year membership and they're also guaranteeing that 1st Place will pay at least \$2,500.00 with a full Winner's Pot entry. **Brunswick** will present new Bowling Balls to Top Qualifiers on both Friday & Saturday.

The 9-Tap Tour offers a handicapped 9-Pin No Tap Tournament format (9 on your first ball counts as a **STRIKE**). This has proven to be very popular in the Seattle area for the last 12 years, with payouts averaging over **\$378,000.00** per year for the last 4 years. That popularity has also spread to Hawaii, where their format has also proved to be very successful over the last 5 years.

By excluding the higher average bowlers (210+), the Tour has created a Tournament specially structured for the rest of the bowling community. The goal of providing a 'level playing field' for all skill levels (up to 210) has been proven by the results. The Seattle Region averages 40+ Tournaments each year and consistently produces a very diverse list of Champions. In 2014, Champions ranged in age from 20, all the way to 87 year old **Wess Hall Jr** who won his first career Title and a \$2,629.00 check. Another Senior, 82 year old **Leon Bemis**, won his 6th career title, boosting his Tour earnings to over \$22,000.00. Ladies captured 9 Titles in 2014, following **Pen Hagen** who became the first lady to win the Tour's Bowler of the Year competition. The Seattle Tour's 12th season of competition, still produced 20 bowlers who earned their **FIRST** Tour Titles. With every Tournaments 'Cash List' having a wide range of handicaps, in both Seattle and Hawaii, we can see why the Tour is proving to be so popular.

The Tour expects Las Vegas to be the showcase region for this fast growing organization, producing even bigger successes in the city that has become the Capitol for bowling in the USA.

Qualifying Squads: Friday, Nov. 27th 7:30 pm, Saturday 11:00 & 1:30 & 4:00, Sunday's "Last Chance" 10:00 am. Rules and details are available at www.9taptour.com. Please email through website if you have any questions.