



## President's Report

Welcome to our annual meeting. This has been a very busy year for us. We have finished buying and installing the rest of the computers needed to make us fully compliant with the new WinLabs program requirements. This also meant updating our other computer programs such as Microsoft Office and Windows 10.

We also signed a new printer contract that reduces our annual cost by a significant amount.

Another major update deals with our outdated telecommunications system (telephone/Internet). We are in the process of completing a full update to the system.

In the past my reports have focused on the fact that despite economic issues, we seem to have stabilized our membership. That isn't to say that we are happy with this. I believe that we, just like any organization that relies on membership, would love to see a steady increase in our numbers. Even without any significant changes, we are still considered by USBC to be a premier association and I do not see that changing anytime soon.

Once again, we came in over budget this year. While this is not something we look for, there were some items that could not have been planned for and some that, while expected, we lacked the knowledge on potential cost. Additionally, a significant expense for the coming fiscal year was inadvertently paid for in this cycle. I do want to note that we are financially sound and with the upgrades behind us we should be okay. I say this not knowing what our new membership numbers will be and that is always a challenge. I believe that I have created a budget using conservative membership numbers just to be on the safe side.

A final undertaking that we are pursuing is the use of Email blasts to all members that have provided email addresses. These will help spread the word on what we are doing and will give the membership the opportunity to download tournament entry forms and sign up for the tournaments online.

I do want to thank each of our board members who have been there when we needed them. And, I especially want to thank our Association Manager (Ben Benzenhafer) and our Assistant Association Manager (Eva Strobbe) who are the most essential components of this organization.

Vern Vernazzaro  
President



## Association Manager's report

Here we are at the end of another season. As with every season, there are ups and downs but for the most part this was a successful season. There were several changes we had to deal with this season. For the most part, they were, the dues increase at the State and National level, lane condition designation now requires leagues to choose between Sport, Challenge or Standard lane condition on their certification applications and at the association level, there were some changes in the lane certification inspections.

At the time of this report, our overall membership count was slightly down from the previous season. However, there were still some summer leagues that have not come in for processing. Once they do, the numbers should be a little closer. We kind of expect our numbers to fluctuate each season due to our Military population and the ups and downs of the job market. Each season, the number of people we lose is almost matched by the new members to our association. This season we had 2,451 new members. A good percentage of these are new to bowling. Some come to us from other associations while some former USBC members return to the activity after a short absence. We currently have 363 leagues. Of that number 74 are senior leagues. Unfortunately, we lost some leagues, but we also had some leagues come back after not sanctioning last season. Because of the way the youth leagues are processed, it is hard to get an accurate count, but we do have a healthy youth population.

Our tournament participation was up this year compared to last year. The Tournament Committee continually strives to come up with ideas to help this growth. This year, our recently added Senior Doubles was a big success. Keep an eye on our web site so you can stay abreast of our upcoming tournaments as well as other events in our bowling community.

I would like to give a big thank you to the league officers for the fine job they are doing. They are the ones who have made this season the success it was. It isn't always easy.

I would also like to thank our bowling center managers and their staff for also helping to make this a successful season. The various incentives you have put out there to help increase our membership and providing the facilities for our tournaments and other functions has been great. Thank you!

Our awards committee has done an outstanding job of getting all the awards processed and sent back out in a timely manner. Not to leave anyone out, I want to extend a special thanks to our other board members and volunteers. You are always there to step up and help with our tournaments and certifications as well as our other functions.

We have an open-door policy and look forward to seeing each and every one of you whether it is just for a quick visit or taking care of business, you are always welcome.

Let's have another fun filled season and I hope to see you on the lanes.

William "Ben" Benzenhafer



## **Audit/Finance**

The purpose of this committee is to audit the budget, expenditures, and ongoing financial matters of the association in a timely manner. The committee makes recommendations when deemed necessary. The short-term and long-term goal of the committee is to ensure that financial records and required government reports are accurate and in compliance with association policies and the law.

Monthly financial statements from the bank are checked by a committee member and the association staff each month to ensure that they balance, and that expenditures and withdrawals are appropriate. That committee member signs off and dates documents at the completion of this task.

All tournament expenses and income are inspected by the committee to ensure that reported income concurs with tournament sign-ups. Checks for tournament winners as well as other expenses are reviewed. This includes bracket funds collected and paid out. Appropriate documents will have the signature(s) and date of the auditing committee members. Other expenses and income are reviewed at committee and board meetings.

A specific committee member assumes responsibility for examining state and federal reports the association must file periodically and shares his findings with other members. The intent is to ensure the reports are filed in a timely manner and that information is accurate.

The financial statement included in this packet on pages 24 through 27 is current for the period ending July 27, 2018.

A budget for the 2018-19 bowling season has been prepared and is included on page 28 in this folder.

Janet Tonelli, Chairperson  
Carol Gotheim  
Ralph Johnson  
Sandy Cox



## AWARDS

As of July 7<sup>th</sup>, The Awards Committee has processed 12,409 regular awards, 608 Youth awards and 59 11 in a row awards). We will be issuing bag tags this year and we will continue issuing the pins that we have used the past two years until we run out of them.

While we have developed an 11-in-a row program that seems to be working, it is our intent to continually evaluate this award to see if this is a viable one or if there are other alternatives available that might be more cost efficient. We have not yet taken any action on this because of changes to the committee. However, we have discussed some alternatives that will be evaluated more extensively this coming year.

We are at a point where we believe we have found a method to reward those who have bowled multiple 300 games. Unfortunately, our finances will not allow us to provide something for every 300 bowled in the association but we do believe that we can provide an award not unlike the 11 in a Row for those bowlers who bowl their 5<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> etc. 300 games. The problem we are running into currently is the fact that our data does not match the data USBC has. We believe that this may have been caused by the transition from a Sybase supported system to the one now used by USBC. We have found that the few other associations that also used Sybase are encountering the same issues. Because of this problem it will require quite a bit of research but, once the correct data is determined and added to the database that we will create the program should not be overly difficult to maintain. Our goals are to make our bowlers realize that their accomplishments are important. If you have any ideas, please let me know.

I do want to thank the committee for their work in keeping up with the awards processing.

Betty Null, Chairperson  
Val Shaw  
Janet Tonnelli  
Carol Nettles



## Charities Committee Report

The Charities Committee is comprised of both Board of Directors from the Southern Nevada Bowling Association and non-board members from our community. We help raise awareness and money for charities. Our big event is our annual Bowl for the Cure, held in September each year. The funds are donated to our local affiliate of the Susan G. Komen Foundation.

Last year we were able to donate \$20,000 here locally. This money helps both women and men combatting breast cancer, by helping them with treatment and support. Bowling Associations across the US partner with the Komen Foundation by holding events in their communities.

We are less than 2 months away from this year's event, which will be at the South Point Bowling Center on Sunday, September 16. In addition to having great items for raffle and silent auction items our event will feature some great Vegas Golden Knights merchandise.

Each year we try to exceed donations from years past. My goal this year is to donate \$22,000. I'm hoping with the support of our community that we'll be able to achieve that goal.

Shari Bohanon, Chairperson  
Carol Gotheim  
Dotty Corbett  
Sue Johnson  
Joani Emery  
Vicky Snyder  
Terri Robinson  
Linda DeCamp  
Phyllis Punturiero  
Tami Wantanabe  
Michael Tucker



## Hall of Fame

Bid proposals for this year's banquet were received from two establishments. After reviewing each bid the board voted to host the event at The D Las Vegas. The event will be held on Saturday, October 20, 2018. Our entire bowling community is invited as well as their guests.

For the 2017-2018 season, two of our members were elected to the Hall of Fame:

### Superior Performance

Terry Leong  
Les Shirwindt

For the 2018-2019 season, sealed packets with the information on eligible nominees are currently being prepared and will be mailed out to each member of the SNUSBCA Board of Directors, Bowling Center Managers and members of the Hall of Fame.

Applications for the Hall of Fame must be received by June 1<sup>st</sup> of the current year to be considered for election in that year. All applications remain eligible for 5 years, but they should be reviewed annually and, if necessary, updated by the person who submitted the application. Once updated, the 5-year period begins anew.

Other business completed by the HOF committee includes the creation of a new application form with photos of the nominees.

A special thank you to the HOF committee: Shari Bohanon, Eric Catalan, Carol Gotheim, Betty Null, Brenda Rowe, Dave Rowe, Vicki Snyder and Terry Leong.

Dotty Corbett, Chairperson



## **Legislative, Policy and Procedures Report**

The committee is tasked with reviewing committee policies and procedures as well as any changes to the Operations Manual and the Bylaws. Each committee is required to perform an annual review and then this committee is charged with ensuring that they meet all USBC requirements.

Based on actions taken by USBC, our Bylaws have been updated using a fillable form required by USBC. In most cases the changes were administrative in nature and do not have a significant impact on Southern Nevada.

The Association's Policy Manual was reviewed and updated with minor changes. A few of the sections are still under review.

The Association's Operations Manual was reviewed and updated again with minor changes.

Any changes to any of these documents because of anything that takes place during the Annual Membership Meeting will be posted immediately. Copies of our Bylaws and Operations Manual may be found on our website under the "About Us" tab.

John Graham, Chairperson  
Nate Brewer  
Doug Valentine  
Gary Oatis  
Jim Eckerson  
Vern Vernazzaro, Advisor



### Merchandise Sales

The Merchandise Sales committee is responsible for maintaining and selling inventory items at approved public gatherings such as tournaments.

This year we added the ability to add names and even to customize images and apply them onsite. This has proven to be very lucrative. At the Senior Doubles tournament, we changed how check-in was accomplished by having the bowler's check-in at the merchandise table. We felt that it helped with overall sales, so it looks like we will continue to do this at future tournaments.

We are still on the lookout for new products besides just shirts. We will be adding more shoe covers and maybe even ball carriers. I even have the vendors coming to me with new suggestions now that they understand what we are looking for. We would like to add jewelry and other accessories to available items for sale.

Michael has helped us add a link to my website where those people that sign up for tournaments online can order custom shirts and pay for them at the same time. The idea is that if they order soon enough that we can have the shirts or other items ready for them when they check in. We also are going to offer special event shirts that commemorate the tournament.

This season was considerably better than last due to the fact that Kathy and I were able to attend more tournaments. We have more than tripled our sales numbers from last season. Next year we expect to do even better.

Tournament	Sales	Credit Card Fees	Total	Sales Tax	Total Profit
State Seniors	\$ 620.00	\$ 5.13	\$ 614.87	\$ 47.25	\$ 90.62
Mixed Doubles	\$ 690.00	\$ 11.43	\$ 678.57	\$ 52.59	\$ 117.98
Championship	\$ 528.00	\$ 8.04	\$ 519.96	\$ 40.24	\$ 67.22
Senior Doubles	\$ 1,121.00	\$ 14.39	\$ 1,106.61	\$ 85.43	\$ 153.18
Totals	\$ 2,959.00	\$ 38.99	\$ 2,920.01	\$ 225.51	\$ 429.00

We now have a new member on our committee, Stacey Frazier has volunteered to help at the tournaments and also bring a fresh set of ideas for new items and even advertising. The three of us are looking forward to the next season.

A special thank you to Kathy who has helped in everything we have accomplished. Also, I would like to thank Ben for those times that he stayed behind to help us pack up and load everything into the truck, it was greatly appreciated.

Daryl Vance, Chairperson





## Secretary of the Year

The objective of the Secretary of the Year Committee is to prepare and then put forth the procedures for nominating and selecting the Secretary of the Year for the SNUSBCA certified leagues.

The Board of Directors met on September 10, 2017 and elected three recipients. One for Small League, one for Medium League, and one for Large League. The awards were presented at the Hall of Fame Banquet held on October 20, 2017 at Sam's Town Hotel & Casino.

The winners were:

Dee Runau, Small League (Pahrump Nugget)

Kirk Dabrowski, Medium League (Strike Zone at Sunset Station)

John DeBenedetta, Jr., Large League (South Point)

New applications for the 2017/2018 season are being accepted through July 31<sup>st</sup>, and will be reviewed by the Committee. Applications will be distributed at the Board of Directors meeting in September 2018 to select the 2018 recipients.

One of the best things we can do in our sport, is, to recognize the secretaries of our sport who go above and beyond year in, and year out, and who challenges themselves to do an exceptional job that is all too often taken for granted.

Thank you to the committee for all your help and support.

Jim Eckerson, Chairperson

Gary Oatis

Eric Thoma



### Tournament (Adult)

The Senior Singles tournament for the 2017 - 2018 period was held in September at the Pahrump Nugget and it drew 382 entries. This was a 49% increase from the prior year.

The 2017 - 2018 Mixed Doubles tournament was held at the Red Rock Bowling Center in January and it drew 235 entries which was the exact same number we had last year.

The Southern Nevada Championships (formerly known as City Championship) was held at the South Point Plaza during March. The tournament had 142 entries which was the same number we had the prior year. This tournament has handicap and scratch divisions for the Open, Men and Women.

Last year we added a Senior Doubles tournament and were pleasantly surprised by the 196 entries we had. This year that number was 256 entries for the tournament held at the Suncoast. That was a 26% increase for our newest tournament.

We will be changing our oil patterns for the Mixed Doubles and Championship tournaments. They will be slightly more challenging than the White patterns we have been using. However, we do not plan on changing the oil patterns for either of our Senior Tournaments.

Except for the newly created Senior Doubles Tournament, locations for the other three tournaments have been set through 2018. The dates for the next 3 tournaments have been set. Please refer to our website at [www.sonvbowl.com](http://www.sonvbowl.com) for entry forms, online entry and, where appropriate, hotel discount offers.

#### 2018

Senior Singles                      Sam's Town                      Sep 22-23 & Oct 6-7

#### 2019

Mixed Doubles	Texas Star Lanes	January 12-13 & 26-27
SN Championships	Strike Zone	March 9-10 & 23-24
Senior Doubles	Sam's Town	June 22-23, July 6-7
Senior Singles	Suncoast	Sep 21-22 & Oct 5-6

We do accept credit card payments both online and at our tournament sites. However, I do caution you that there is a charge for this. We have and will continue to work on keeping this charge at a minimum. There is no intent to make any profit off these transactions.



## Youth Annual Report

2017-2018 was again a busy season for the Southern Nevada USBCA Youth Committee. It has been my honor to once again be elected and serve as the chairperson of the youth committee. Our committee has also again elected Joani Emery as our Recording Secretary.

Four tournaments were organized by the Southern Nevada USBCA Youth Committee this season:

- The 2017 SNUSBCA Youth Championship Tournament was held the 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> of November and the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> of December at the South Point Bowling Center. Tournament Director Eric Catalan, Assistant Tournament Director Don Smale and Tournament Secretary Joani Emery. There were 203 entries and \$4,260 was awarded to individual youth bowlers SMART accounts.
- The 2017 SNUSBCA Youth/Adult 9-Pin No Tap Tournament was held the 31<sup>st</sup> of December at the Suncoast Bowling Center. Tournament Director Robert Buckles, Assistant Director Terri Robinson and Tournament Secretary Joani Emery. There were 48 teams and \$900 was awarded to individual youth bowlers SMART accounts. We were honored to have several SNUSBCA Board of Directors bowl with some of our youth bowlers. Also, once again each adult winner donated their winnings to their youth partners SMART account.
- SNUSBCA Bobby McVey Memorial High School MVP Tournament was held on February 25<sup>th</sup> at the Orleans Bowling Center. Tournament Director Vern Vernazzaro, Assistant Tournament Director Eric Catalan and Secretary Joani Emery. There were 91 entries and \$6,000 was awarded to individual youth bowlers SMART accounts.
- SNUSBCA Youth Masters Tournament was held March 18<sup>th</sup> at the Sam's Town Bowling Center. Tournament Director Eric Catalan and Tournament Secretary Joani Emery. There were 87 entries and \$6,800 was awarded to individual youth bowlers SMART accounts.

The SNUSBCA Above and Beyond Youth Scholarship has been awarded to April McDonnell and Devyn Patalina. Each of our winners have been awarded a \$1,500 SMART scholarship.

The Southern Nevada USBCA Youth Committee members also promoted and assisted in the Junior Bowlers Tournament, Clark County High School Tournament and the Nevada State USBCA Youth Tournament and Nevada Pepsi Youth Tournament.



## USBC Convention Highlights for 2018

### RESULTS OF 2018 USBC ANNUAL MEETING LEGISLATIVE SESSION

#### League Rules (majority needed)

Amendment No. LR 1 – **Rejected** (39 accept, 803 reject)  
Rule 109c, Tardy Players  
Defaults the rule to allow tardy bowlers to make up missed frames.

Amendment No. LR 2 – **Rejected** (26 accept, 802 reject)  
Rule 118c, League Entering Average  
Changes default for entering averages.

#### Tournament Rules (majority needed)

Amendment No. TR 1 – **Accepted** (830 accept, 12 reject)  
Rule 303, Management, New Rule  
Requires all Tournament Managers to be members of USBC.

Amendment No. TR 2 – **Accepted** (772 accept, 55 reject)  
Rule 319a, Conditions that Apply  
Removes requirement for tournament managers to utilize printed average books.

Amendment No. TR 3 – **Accepted** (708 accept, 133 reject)  
Rule 325, Team Bowling Alone  
Allows a tournament to have a rule to allow teams bowling alone to set their own pace.

#### Bylaws (two-third votes needed)

Amendment No. B 1\* – **Accepted** (758 accept, 82 reject)  
USBC National Bylaws  
Article IV, Board of Directors  
Section C. Terms

Article V, Officers  
Section B. Election or Employment  
Section C. Term

Amended proposal: Changes the President and Vice President to two-year term, limit two terms. A President elected in his/her ninth year will be allowed to remain on the board with 10-year maximum.

\*Note: Motion to amend proposal from one term to two terms was **accepted** (671 accept, 163 reject).

Amendment No. B 2 – **Rejected** (111 accept, 717 reject)  
USBC National Bylaws  
Article VI, Meeting

**Southern Nevada USBC Association**

**Profit & Loss**

August 1, 2017 through July 27, 2018

07/27/18

	Aug 1, '17 - Jul 27, 18
<b>Income</b>	
Certification	7,443.00
Charitable Donation	7,635.91
HOF & Awards Banquet	2,886.43
Merchandise Sales	3,199.67
Misc Revenue (Avg Bk, Copies)	833.46
Tournament Income	
Championship Tournament	36,361.19
Mixed Doubles	17,715.40
Senior's	10,830.15
Senior Mixed Doubles	14,832.21
<b>Total Tournament Income</b>	<b>79,738.95</b>
Tournament Income (Brackets)	
Championship Brackets	710.00
Mixed Doubles Brackets	615.00
Senior Mixed Doubles Brackets	421.50
Tournament Income (Brackets) - Other	463.92
<b>Total Tournament Income (Brackets)</b>	<b>2,210.42</b>
USBC Membership Income	292,932.00
Youth Scholarship & Tournament	
Youth MVP Tournament	958.10
Youth Scholarship & Tournament - Other	10,991.51
<b>Total Youth Scholarship &amp; Tournament</b>	<b>11,949.61</b>
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>408,829.45</b>
<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b>408,829.45</b>
<b>Expense</b>	
Assn Nametags, Shirts & Jackets	1,422.95
Awards (Local)	3,593.17
Awards Committee Travel	770.00
Business Expense Advance	6,500.00
Certification Expenses	5,438.77
Charitable Donations	8,448.00
Facilities and Equipment	
Copier Rental	
Copy Charges & Prop Tax	16.48
Copier Rental - Other	7,396.33
<b>Total Copier Rental</b>	<b>7,412.81</b>
Cox Communications	2,907.98
Electric	1,989.96
Office Cleaning & Maintenance	983.72
Property Insurance	1,073.00
Rent	21,889.56
Storage	1,257.40
<b>Total Facilities and Equipment</b>	<b>37,514.43</b>
Hall of Fame	
HOF Banquet Hall & Catering	7,298.04
HOF Rings & Non-Tourn Awards	1,285.12
Hall of Fame - Other	1,174.30
<b>Total Hall of Fame</b>	<b>9,757.46</b>
Merchandise COGS	1,826.50
Miscellaneous	1,046.79

## Southern Nevada USBC Association

## Balance Sheet

As of July 27, 2018

07/27/18

	<u>Jul 27, 18</u>
<b>ASSETS</b>	
<b>Current Assets</b>	
<b>Checking/Savings</b>	
Nevada State Bank	16,202.48
Nevada State Bank - Youth	9,676.58
<b>Total Checking/Savings</b>	<u>25,879.06</u>
<b>Other Current Assets</b>	
Undeposited Funds	5,750.26
<b>Total Other Current Assets</b>	<u>5,750.26</u>
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	31,629.32
<b>Other Assets</b>	
Certificate of Deposit	25,000.00
Rental Security Deposit	3,328.00
<b>Total Other Assets</b>	<u>28,328.00</u>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b><u>59,957.32</u></b>
<b>LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>	
<b>Liabilities</b>	
<b>Current Liabilities</b>	
<b>Credit Cards</b>	
Nevada State Bank CC	996.63
<b>Total Credit Cards</b>	996.63
<b>Other Current Liabilities</b>	
Payroll Liabilities	172.85
<b>Total Other Current Liabilities</b>	<u>172.85</u>
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>	<u>1,169.48</u>
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	1,169.48
<b>Equity</b>	
Opening Balance Equity	57,777.60
Undistributed Smart Funds	16,436.78
Net Income	-15,426.54
<b>Total Equity</b>	<u>58,787.84</u>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>	<b><u>59,957.32</u></b>

**Southern Nevada USBC  
2018-2019 Budget Data**

	2017-2018			2018-2019
	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	Budget
<b>Income</b>				
Certification	6,950	7,443	493	3,860
Charitable Donations (BVL, Youth, Special Olympics, etc.)	1,200	7,636	6,436	4,500
Hall of Fame & Awards Banquet	1,500	2,886	1,386	2,000
Membership Dues (based on estimate of 13,500 members)	310,000	292,932	(17,068)	300,000
Tournament Bracket Revenue	2,500	2,210	(290)	2,500
Tournament Entry Fees	70,000	79,739	9,739	75,000
Merchandise Sales Revenue	750	3,200	2,450	2,500
Youth Scholarship & Tournament	13,000	11,950	(1,050)	13,000
Misc. (Average Books, copies, Nevada State tourn. support), etc)	250	833	583	250
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>406,150</b>	<b>408,829</b>	<b>2,679</b>	<b>403,610</b>
<b>Expenses</b>				
Association Nametags, Shirts & Jackets	1,300	1,423	(123)	360
Awards (Local)	6,000	3,593	2,407	6,000
Awards Committee Travel Expenses	850	770	80	850
Business Expense Reimbursement (Travel, per diem, etc))	0	6,500	(6,500)	0
Certification (incl purchases for new equip to meet new rqr.)	2,800	5,439	(2,639)	1,800
Charity (BVL, Youth, Special Olympics, BFTC, etc.)	2,200	8,448	(6,248)	4,500
Facilities (Copier)	10,000	7,413	2,587	7,500
Facilities (Cox Communications)	2,700	2,908	(208)	2,900
Facilities (Electric)	1,300	1,990	(690)	2,000
Facilities (Office Cleaning & Maintenance)	1,100	983	117	1,000
Facilities (Property Insurance)	1,115	1,073	42	1,073
Facilities (Rent)	21,433	21,890	(457)	23,000
Facilities (Storage - Unit added for Youth during 2017)	624	1,257	(633)	1,257
Hall of Fame & Awards Banquet	10,000	9,757	243	10,000
Merchandise Purchases (COGS)	0	1,827	(1,827)	1,200
Miscellaneous Expenses (includes Rule Books & USBC Conv.)	500	1,047	(547)	500
NSB Bank Checks/Service Charges/Credit Card Charges	275	261	14	275
Office Equip Repair & Maint., Software upgrades	500	1,243	(743)	500
Operations (Office Supplies)	3,000	3,767	(767)	3,000
Operations (Postage & Postage Equipment Lease)	1,100	1,300	(200)	1,300
Payroll (Salary - 2 employees)	65,000	65,000	0	65,000
Payroll Taxes	4,972	4,972	0	4,972
Printing (Average Books)	400	0	400	0
Reconciliation Discrepancies	100	57	43	60
Refunds (Overpayments)	1,000	648	352	700
State & Local Taxes Personal property, state filings, etc.)	75	100	(25)	100
Tournament Expenses (Incl lineage, prize fund, trophies, etc.)	70,000	82,103	(12,103)	75,000
USBC Membership Expense (USBC & State)	179,800	169,906	9,894	174,000

	2017-2018			2018-2019
	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	Budget
Web Site & Marketing Expenses (incl program updates)	100	858	(758)	1,100
Youth Scholarship & Tournament	20,000	17,722	2,278	13,000
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>408,244</b>	<b>424,255</b>	<b>(16,011)</b>	<b>402,947</b>
<b>Profit/Loss</b>	<b>-2,094</b>	<b>-15,426</b>	<b>(13,331)</b>	<b>663</b>

**Notes:**

Charity Expense: BFTC Account setup at new bank (Required \$2,500 deposit/minimum balance). The 2,500 is not really an expense but the bank required a check instead of transferring the amount from the parent account.

Above & Beyond was erroneously paid in advance (\$3,000). This will wash next year.

Acquired new certification equipment to meet USBC's new requirements (\$2,741)

Acquired new desktops for Awards desks (1,200)

Acquired new software for new desktops (\$300)

Website expenses include one-time upgrades for apps used by website.

Started paying set amount for electric (not previously charged)

Tournament Expenses included unbudgeted expenses related to Tournament held in Pahrump

Youth Scholarship variance due to \$6,000 we pay each year out of Adult funds

Miscellaneous expense includes travel expense for President to attend USBC Convention in Reno



**Southern Nevada USBC Association**

**Profit & Loss**

August 1, 2017 through July 27, 2018

07/27/18

	Aug 1, '17 - Jul 27, 18
Nevada State Bank Checking Acct	
Nevada State Bank Svc Charges	261.35
<b>Total Nevada State Bank Checking Acct</b>	<b>261.35</b>
Office Equip Repair & Maint	
Computer Software Updates	573.98
Office Equip Repair & Maint - Other	668.59
<b>Total Office Equip Repair &amp; Maint</b>	<b>1,242.57</b>
Operations	
Office Supplies	3,766.97
Postage & Mailing	1,299.76
<b>Total Operations</b>	<b>5,066.73</b>
Payroll Expenses	69,972.49
Reconciliation Discrepancies	57.00
Refunds (Overpayments)	648.00
State & Local	100.00
Tournament Expenses	
Championship Tourn Expenses	
Championship Tourn Prize Fund	25,327.63
Championship Tournament Lineage	8,046.00
Championship Tournament Refund	40.00
Championship Tourn Expenses - Other	1,059.42
<b>Total Championship Tourn Expenses</b>	<b>34,473.05</b>
Mixed Doubles Expenses	
Mixed Doubles Lineage	6,552.00
Mixed Doubles Prize Fund	10,427.50
Mixed Doubles Refunds	180.00
Mixed Doubles Expenses - Other	180.74
<b>Total Mixed Doubles Expenses</b>	<b>17,340.24</b>
Senior's Singles Tourn Expenses	
Senior's Tournament Lineage	3,008.00
Senior's Tournament Prize Fund	9,072.00
Senior Singles Tournament Refun	140.00
Senior's Singles Tourn Expenses - Other	1,750.27
<b>Total Senior's Singles Tourn Expenses</b>	<b>13,970.27</b>
Senior Doubles Expenses	
Senior Dbles Lineage	4,410.00
Senior Doubles Prize Fund	9,594.00
Senior Doubles Expenses - Other	298.05
<b>Total Senior Doubles Expenses</b>	<b>14,302.05</b>
Tournament Expense - Other	1,926.75
Tournament Expenses - Other	90.89
<b>Total Tournament Expenses</b>	<b>82,103.25</b>
USBC Membership Expense	169,906.00
Website	858.20

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Profit & Loss

07/27/18

August 1, 2017 through July 27, 2018

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	<u>Aug 1, '17 - Jul 27, 18</u>
Youth	
Above & Beyond	6,000.00
High School MVP Lineage	777.00
High School MVP Scholarships	646.00
New Years Tournament	246.34
Scholarships - Smart 9815	4,187.00
Tournament Supplies	279.56
Youth Masters	3,858.64
Youth - Other	1,727.79
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Total Youth	17,722.33
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Total Expense	424,255.99
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Net Income	<b>-15,426.54</b>
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Section A. Annual Meeting

Allows voting at the USBC Annual Meeting to be done offsite.

Amendment No. B 3 – **Accepted** (657 accept, 147 reject)

USBC Merged State Bylaws

Article V, Board of Directors - Management

Section A. Board Composition, Authority and Duties

Allows states to have up to two “at-large directors”.

After reviewing feedback from industry partners, the United States Bowling Congress Equipment and Specifications Committee has revised the implementation dates for the new bowling ball specifications announced earlier this year.

Starting Aug. 1, 2018, bowling balls weighing more than 10 pounds will be allowed to have up to three ounces of static side, thumb or finger weight and up to three ounces of top or bottom weight, provided the ball does not have a balance hole.

Bowlers still can have a bowling ball with a balance hole until Aug. 1, 2020, but any balls with a balance hole must stay within the current static weight specification of one ounce for finger, thumb or side weight, and three ounces for top or bottom weight. The specification eliminating the use of balance holes still will go into effect Aug. 1, 2020. Bowlers now have a two-year window to work with their pro shops to ensure their equipment will meet specifications on Aug. 1, 2020.

With the elimination of balance holes as of Aug. 1, 2020, bowlers may have up to five holes for gripping purposes and all gripping holes must be used on every delivery. A bowler who chooses not to use a thumb hole would need to mark by scribe, engraver or tool their intended center of palm with a plus (+) mark to indicate their grip orientation.

Bowlers who do not use their thumb for delivery and decide to use the higher static weight specification cannot have a thumb hole – it would be classified a balance hole – and immediately will be required to follow the specification requiring them to mark their intended center of palm.

The USBC Equipment and Specifications Committee did decide the gripping rules that become effective Aug. 1, 2020, will have an exception for house balls, for bowlers who use house balls and might not have the strength to use all gripping holes. House balls are defined as balls supplied by the center where the competition is taking place, have a polyester or basic urethane cover, a differential RG of less than 0.025 inches and the ball is not drilled to fit the bowler.

The dates for implementing the new specification for the oil absorption rate of bowling ball coverstocks do not change. The initial step on the oil absorption specification will begin Aug. 1, 2018, when bowling ball manufacturers are required to submit oil absorption data as part of the USBC bowling ball approval process. The specification requiring a bowling ball's oil absorption rate to be more than 2 minutes, 15 seconds (2:15) for the ball to be approved will take effect Aug. 1, 2020. However, because all current bowling balls will be grandfathered in regardless of oil absorption rate, the Equipment Specifications Committee determined the production of balls that do not meet the 2:15 oil absorption time limit must be stopped as of Jan. 31, 2022.



What does the 2018-2019 season look for the Southern Nevada Youth Committee and the youth bowlers?

As always, we have our four SNUSBCA Youth Tournaments

- 2018 SNUSBCA Youth Championships Tournament will be the 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> of November and the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> of December at the Sam's Town Bowling Center. Robert Buckles will be the tournament director, with Eric Catalan as the Assistant Tournament Director and Joani Emery as the Tournament Secretary. We will be having a shirt logo contest. The youth bowlers will submit their designs and the winner will receive a paid singles entry to the tournament.
- 2018 SNUSBCA Youth/Adult 9-Pin No Tap Tournament will be the morning of the 31<sup>st</sup> of December location to be announced. Eric Thoma will be the tournament director with Terri Robinson as the Assistant Tournament Director and Joani Emery as the Tournament Secretary.
- 2019 SNUSBCA Bobby McVey Memorial High School MVP Tournament, will be February 24<sup>th</sup> at the Orleans Bowling Center. Tournament Director will be Vern Vernazzaro with Assistant Tournament Director Eric Catalan and Tournament Secretary Joani Emery.
- 2019 SNUSBCA Youth Masters Tournament, will be March 24<sup>th</sup> with location to be determined. Tournament Director will be Eric Catalan with Assistant Tournament Director Dave Rowe and Tournament Secretary Joani Emery.

2019 NSUSBCA Youth Tournament and NSUSBCA Pepsi Youth Tournament will be April 12<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> in Reno, Nevada. Tournament Director will be Ronda Lethcoe.

All the SNUSBCA Youth Tournaments entry forms will be available online and we are looking into an option to pay online.

2019 SNUSBCA Above and Beyond will have a few changes.

- Coaches will no longer be required to nominate a youth bowler.
- The form will no longer have a year on it so that the form can be used year after year and they will be available on the website year-round.
- The top three finalists from each division will have face to face interviews with selected Youth Committee Members to select the winner.

Terri Robinson, Chairperson



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By enforcing the walk-in deadlines that are posted on the entry forms we are managing to get all our squads started on time. If we did not enforce this rule, we would be faced with the fact that we cannot enforce any deadline and that means that there is a fair chance that we will start late while we process late arrivals.

Just a reminder that we are continuing with our sub and bowler needed lists. While we have not seen wide use it was used and will probably get more use once our bowlers get used to it. This is a service we are also offering online.

### Tournament Committee:

Dave Rowe, Chairperson  
Dotty Corbett  
Michael Frazier  
Jerry Walker  
John Graham  
Daryl Vance  
Jim Clay  
Brenda Rowe  
Doug Valentine  
Jim Schneidewent