

2016 Hall of Fame Inductees



Kathy Prange
Meritorious Service

Kathy Prange has been involved in many different areas of bowling for nearly her whole life. She started bowling at the age of 6 in her hometown of Joliet, IL and quickly became one of the better female youth bowlers in the area. When she moved into the adult leagues, not only did she continue to improve her abilities, but she started to become more involved in the service side of bowling by volunteering to help with tournaments and charity events for the local bowling association.

After moving to Southern Nevada in 1992, she immediately got involved in the local bowling scene. She began bowling in several local leagues including the Caesars Palace league and the Grand Scratch at the Gold Coast. After a couple short years, she was elected Vice President of the Caesars Palace league, and a few years later became President of the Grand Scratch. When the USBC Open Championships came to town in 2009, she went to work for the tournament and formed the USBC Leftovers league, in which she acted as secretary. After that year, she became a regular employee for the Open Championships, and has been secretary of that league each year since in four different cities and associations.

Kathy joined the Southern Nevada USBC Board of Directors at the merge in 2005. She was a director for several years, and then in 2008, was elected as Executive Vice President. Kathy was very active in association activities and served on numerous committees including as the Hall of Fame Chairperson, the Tournament Committee, and as the first chairperson for the SNUSBC Susan G Komen Bowl for the Cure event, which raised almost \$12,000 the first year for breast cancer research. The event that she started still runs to this day and has raised a significant amount of money for this great cause. She also helped out at the association office on a regular basis, doing whatever work needed to be done to service the bowlers of Southern Nevada. It is our pleasure to welcome Kathy to the Southern Nevada USBC Hall of Fame for meritorious service.