

June 2012

ay Leon Guerrero continued delivering strong performances abroad while representing Guam in the Philippines last week during the 9th EuroMed- Storm Open. Leon Guerrero delivered his 3rd perfect game and 11th overall during the master's finals on lane 1 and 2 at the Pearl Bowling Center in Manila. Leon Guerrero's other 300 games came during the Malaysian Open in 2009 and last year in Singapore during the Asian Intercity Championships en route to a gold medal. The open division in the EuroMed Storm Open featured several Korean and American Professional bowlers and national

players from all over Asia and Australia. Amongst the notables playing in the tournament were future hall of fame professionals Parker Bohn and Mika Koivuniemi. Sean Rash, Tim Mack, Ryan Ciminelli, and Dino Castillo also qualified for the tournament which featured high scores on a 43 foot pattern.

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Leon Guerrero qualified as a masters finalists with two 3 game sets of 695 and 741 for a total of 1436 and an average of 239. During the stage 2 finals, Leon Guerrero bowled the 300 game to help him advance to stage 3. It was during stage 3 when Leon Guerrero found some trouble carrying the 10 pin and finished 22nd overall although he averaged 216 over 8 games on the last day. Also competing from Guam were Michael Gadia, Timothy Nauta, and Robert Baker Jr. who competed in the Bevida Challenge which is a graded division tournament. All 3 were able to qualify as master's finalists with Gadia leading the way during qualifying with a score of 1440 total with handicap over 6 games. Nauta finished 22nd overall in the finals with a score of 2167 with handicap over 10 games, averaging 205 scratch. Gadia and Baker finished 29th and 46th overall respectively.

## **BISHOP EARNS MAIDEN KING TITLE,** ERSANDO GRABS BACK TO BACK PRINCE TITLES

op seed Manny Tagle chopped a 5-9 combination in the 8th frame after a turkey that opened the door for second seed Tyler Bishop who took full advantage of the opportunity and cruised to a 250-189 victory earning his first monthly Budweiser King of the Lanes title. Bishop closed the match with eight strikes in a row to engrave his position into the yearend grand finals. Tagle ousted last month's King of the Lanes Champion Gavin Baker with a 223-198 outting. Baker encountered carrying difficulties leaving back to back pin tens which Tagle took full advantage of. On the adjacent pair, 2nd seed Tyler Bishop and 4th seed Duane Camacho battled to the last frame as a turkey by Bishop helped his cause holding off Camacho 215-202 to advance to the monthly continued...

finals match.

Manny Tagle destroyed the qualifiers in the six game set held earlier in the day trouncing the field by 110 pins with an 1311 total. Tyler Bishop jumped to second position with a 1201 total followed by Ray Manibusan 1166, Duane Camacho 1165, Gavin Baker 1158, Teliann San Nicolas 1136, Mike Gadia 1126, Jayson Viray 1120, Joey Miranda III 1099 and Joshua Madrid's 1083 rounded off the top ten.

Leody Ersando used his top seed post to duplicate his feat from last month earning back to back Prince of the Lanes titles. Ersando annihilated second seed Erwin Aguilar in the finals match on lanes 13-14 with a 225 to 155 victory. In the semi-final match top seed Leody Ersando managed to get past new comer and 6th seed Matt Guerrero 167+29 to 126+67 while 2nd seed Erwin Aguilar poured on the strikes to eliminate 8th seed Hye Yeon Chang 219+24 to 158+33. Leody Ersando topped the Prince division with a 1235 total followed by Erwin Aguilar 1224, Cherrylyn Catbagan 1223, Kim Arriola 1218, Nick Gutierrez 1172, Matt Guerrero 1158, Nelson Degala 1127, Hye Yeon Chang 1111, Von Cabral 1100, and Jhun Viray's 1081 capped the top ten who proceeded to the elimination round.

The next Budweiser King and Prince of the Lanes will be held on Sunday, June 17, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at Central Lanes.

# Torre Nips Ponce for May Senior Bowler Title

ifth seed Manny Torre took advantage of 2nd seed Roland Ponce's split in the 10th frame to eke out a 206 to 193 victory with handicap and become May Senior Bowler of the Month.

The short light oil pattern kept the scores down during the 6 game qualifier with Bal Perez taking the top seed again as he did in April going into the top ten roll-offs. 8th seed Buddy Saludo rolled past 9th seed Rudy Palaganas and 10th seed Kin Sablan. In the second bracket, Torre began his title run with a win over 6th seed Nestor Valencia and 7th seed Ray Manibusan.

3rd seed Terry Roberto stopped Saludo in round 2 while Torre was victorious over 4th seed Jhun Viray in the second bracket. In the semi-finals Torre upset top seed Perez 198 to 168 with handicap. Ponce kept the lone woman in the field Roberto out of the championship round 217 to 154 with handicap to set up the final match with Torre.



The next monthly tournament will be held 11AM Sunday, June 10th at Central Lanes. This event is open to all bowlers aged 50 or will be 50 by December 31st of this year.



Thursday, May 17, 2012 - Manila, Philippines

oey Miranda III completed the International Bowling Pro Shop and Instructors Association (IBPSIA) Hands On Training Seminar held from May 13-17, 2012 at the Pearl Bowling Center in Manila, Philippines. The ball drilling course was conducted by IBPSIA President Lou Marquez and Chairman William Supper and attended by Pro Shop operators and National Team members from Malaysia, Japan and the Philippines.

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IBPSIA was formed to assist pro shops and instruction professionals to become successful and more profitable by providing education, benefits and industry standardization. The course provided the attendees updated Fitting & Drilling Techniques including the physical analysis of the hand, measuring devices, and tool operation; Product Knowledge on bowling ball cover stock, core design, weight systems layout, scaling, bags, shoes, and accessories; Work Bench Activities including Plugging techniques, resurfacing, repairs, insert placement; Lane Work for Customer needs analysis, product delivery, use of video equipment and Customer Service.

# Summer Fun Under the Sun

### McDonald's® Restaurant of Guam and **Century Plaza present the Summer Indoor** Program "SIP"

#### Summer Bowling League (Monday & Wednesday) Divisions

**Elementary School** Middle School **High School** Collegiate

Age 5-10 Age 11-13 Age 14-18 Age 19-23

### Summer Billiards League (Monday, Wednesday &

Friday) Divisions Middle School **High School** Collegiate

Age 11-13 Age 14-18 Age 19-23

## Summer Table Tennis League (Tuesday &

Thursday) Divisions Middle School **High School** Collegiate

Age 11-13 Age 14-18 Age 19-23

All events are open to students and will be divided into four divisions. Events shall be held on June 11 through August 3, 2012, 1:30pm at the Century Plaza.

Signup sheets are provided at the following venues: \*signup sheets are from May 12 to June 3, 2012 only

 Bowling League: Bowling Counter Billiards League: Whimsy Counter Table Tennis League: Whimsy Counter

Schedule of the competition will be produced no later than June 8, 2012. Schedule will depend on the number of competitors.

The competition will last eight weeks and the championship will be held during the first week of August. Burgers will be given weekly and gift certificates for the grand prizes.

A fee of \$40.00 or \$5.00 per week will be charged to compete in this event.

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# Schedule of Events

24 Jun 2012 Asian Senior Bowling Championship 2013 Qualifier 10 Jun 2012 Guam Senior Bowler of the Month 02 Jun 2012 Guam Youth Bowler of the Month 2012

## 08 Jul 2012

Asian Senior Bowling Championship 2013 Qualifier 07 Jul 2012 Guam Youth Bowler of the Month 2012

17 Jun 2012

Budweiser King and Prince of the Lanes

15 Jul 2012 Budweiser King and Prince of the Lanes

22 Jul 2012 Guam Senior Bowler of the Month

All events start at 11:00 a.m.

**Bowling Central is a monthly newsletter provided to all Central Lanes patrons.** For additional information, visit our website at http://www.udcguam.com. Please forward all inquiries to Joey Miranda III at bowling@udcguam.com.