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# The Ten-Pin Tribune

**League Week 16- Bowling February 14, 2026**

## Parent Announcements

### New This Week

- This week is our Valentine's Day party. We will have the usual candy and ducks for strikes & spares!


### The Schedule Ahead

- March 7th - Beat Your Coach 9-pin no tap event
- March 14th - No bowling due to a previously scheduled event at the bowling alley



## Weekly League Highlights

### Junior Highlights February 7th:

 Turkey Towel - Micah, Wyatt

Pins Over Average -

50+ Pins (Game) - Elizabeth, Rowin

75+ Pins - (Game/Series) - Eli, Wyatt

100+ Pins -(Series) - Savannah, Ronan, Gloria

Week High Game:

Boy: Owen: 177 game                      Axel: 494 Series

Girl: Elizabeth: 179 game                Makenna: 443

Series

Team High Score - Big Brown Teddys -1418

(Handicap)

### Bumper Highlights:

Strike Towel - Callan (pre-bowled)

Week High Game Bumper - Alexander: 92



## Upcoming Tournaments

- Last weekend - February 7 & 8, 2026: [Greater Pittsburgh USBC Youth Championship at New Great Valley Lanes](#)
- Multiple dates - REGIONALS - February 15 -March 15 - [PA Youth Scratch Championship & Handicap Scholarship Singles](#)

[See the Junior Bowlers website for additional tournament opportunities](#)



## Coach's Corner

### Mindset:

It's easy to get frustrated when the pins aren't falling. One missed spare or one gutterball in a game doesn't doom you to a bad score. So for bowlers (and parents) remember:

- Each frame is a new frame; don't let a bad frame dictate the whole game.
- There are three (or more) games for a reason. One bad game doesn't mean that your whole series is cooked and one bad week isn't going to tank your series! Look to the next game or week and leave the bad in the past.
- Spares are just as important as strikes - you can still score high even without a single strike. It can be frustrating, but clean games are sometimes just as rewarding a high scores.
- When *everything* is going wrong, that's your cue to call it a wash and have fun! Use the day as practice. Pick one or two things that are going wrong and work on fixing them.

## Upcoming Bowling Events at AMF Mt. Lebanon for Spectators

### High School Bowling:

- WPIBL Boys Singles Championship - Wednesday 2/18 @ 1:15
- WPIBL Girls Singles Championships - Thursday 2/19 @ 1:15

### College Bowling (use this link for the full schedule)

- Intercollegiate Singles Championship - March 13
- Intercollegiate Team Sectionals (ITC) - March 14 & 15

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