## Striking Around New York State

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#### Annual Meeting Turning Stone Casino

Do you have an interest in serving the bowlers across New York State? As we get closer to our annual meeting, there are openings on the NYS USBC Board of Directors.

In order to be considered for a place on the Board of Directors, please get your resumes sent in to, Beth O'Brien of the Nominating Committee. Deadline for submitting resumes is January 15, 2023.

In addition, the State currently has open positions on the Board of Directors. For consideration, please forward your resume to, Roger Buckman, President NYSUSBC.

Be on the lookout for Delegate Credential information to be available to the local Association officers in December.

The NYS Annual Meeting is scheduled for June 3, 2023

# Pathways fundraising making large impacts across NYS!

During the 2021-22 bowling season, the NYS USBC raised about \$24,000 through our many fundraising efforts.

These efforts included 50/50, lottery trees, bowling ball raffles, July lottery ticket sales, and FundCrazr football sweepstakes ticket sales.

The money that was raised helped us make donations to Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center and Roswell Park Cancer Institute as well as our Youth Scholarships and Bowling to Veterans Link (BVL).

We thank our bowlers around the state for their help in supporting our Pathways activities.

THANK YOU!



### Ryan Shafer, Corning USBC Story by Nolan Hughes, PBA

Ryan Shafer, a 35-year PBA Tour veteran and five-time titleist, has been selected as the 2022 Tony Reyes Community Service Award winner.

Shafer's persistent work assisting the New York state mental health community over the past eight-plus years gained the attention of the PBA's selection committee.

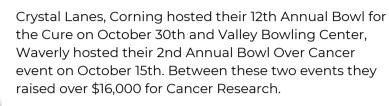
Shafer founded the Michelle Shafer Fund for Suicide Prevention and Awareness to honor his late wife, Michelle, who died by suicide in 2012. His largest fundraising event is an annual team tournament at Crystal Lanes in Corning, N.Y.

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#### October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month

Two Bowling Centers in the Southern Tier put Breast Cancer in the forefront of fundraising efforts last month.



Bobby Downing is the event administrator for the Bowl for the Cure event which averages over 300 people each year. The Bowl Over Cancer event, hosted by Greg Joseph in Waverly, is making a comeback in its current form hosting over 100 people each year.

### Jagodzinkski Wins NYS Senior Masters In a Roll-off!

Chuck Jagodzinski, Greater Buffalo USBC, needed two extra frames to capture his first NYS Senior Masters title at Allie Brandt Lanes in Lockport.

Michael Johnson, Tonawanda USBC, was the runner up in this years event that hosted 46 bowlers around New York State.

This is Jagodzinski's first NYS singles title. He has previously won the Tri-City Masters title.

Read the full report at bowlny.com



The Public Relations Committee is looking to spotlight all things bowling around the State. Do you have any newsworthy items that should and can be shared in a newsletter? Bowling accomplishments? Fundraisers? Bowling News? Reach out to us and we would love to publish it out for everyone to hear about!

VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR INFO ON UPCOMING TOURNAMENTS!

### **Tournament Schedule**

New York State Masters Herrill Lanes, New Hyde Park March 4, 2023

Women's Championship AMF Strike 'N Spare, Syracuse April 1 - May 21, 2023

Open Championships Bowl-A-Roll Lanes, Rochester April 1 - May 7, 2023

New York State Queens Flamingo Bowl, Liverpool April 22, 2023

Youth Pepsi Singles King Pin Lanes, Rome April 22, 2023

Adult/Junior Doubles AMF Strike 'N Spare, Syracuse April 28 - 30, 2023

Youth Team Championships AMF Strike ' N Spare, Syracuse April 29, 2023

Women's Senior Singles Kingpin's Alley Family Fun Center, South Glens Falls August 18 - 20, 2023 August 25 - 27, 2023



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