

700 INFORMER

2018-19 Calendar of Events

September 29, 2018 Doubles Invite Tournament 1:30*

September 29, 2018 Annual Meeting 1:00

January 6-12, 2019 Mail-In Tournament*

August 15, 2018 Deadline for reporting high game/series award for 2017-18*

2018 DOUBLES INVITE TOURNAMENT

The annual tournament will be doubles invite format held at **Ridgewood Lanes** in **Fort Dodge** on Saturday, **September 29, 2018** following the Annual Meeting. Invite a non-700 bowling friend to bowl doubles with you and join the fun. Please see entry form for full details and rules. **Save the date and let's fill the house!**

ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual meeting will be held on **September 29, 2018** at **Ridgewood Lanes** in **Fort Dodge, 1:00 pm**. Offices up for election are President, 2nd Vice President and Sergeant-At-Arms. The 2017-18 season high game and high series awards will be presented. Don't forget to send your last season high scores, from any sanctioned league or tournament play, by August 15, 2018. Bids for the 2019-20 season Annual tournament are welcome. If your center is interested in hosting this tournament, please be prepared to present invitation, including lineage rate.

MAIL-IN TOURNAMENT

The annual Mail-In Tournament will be held the week of **January 6-12, 2019** using your USBC certified league scores. Multiple participation is allowed, but you can cash only once. Please see entry form for full details. Entry fee is only \$6.00 per league.

*Tournament entry forms are included in this mailing. Membership and high game/high series forms are also included in this mailing. Membership dues remain at \$5.00. New members will be mailed a membership card upon payment of dues. All others wanting a membership card must make this request know on renewal.

2017-18 SEASON UPDATES

Lisa Pickart (Cedar Rapids) and her doubles partner, Melanie Sundstrom won the **Doubles Invite** held at Lancer Lanes in Cedar Rapids September 30, 2017. They had a handicapped score of 1434. High handicap game award went to **Lisa** with 288. High handicap series was won by **Jean Zook** (Cedar Rapids) with 734. There were only 11 doubles entries.

The **Mail-In Tournament** is held annually during a designated week in January using league scores. The 2018 crown went to **Petra Wilke** (Clinton). She rolled 671 plus 96 handicap for a 767 series. There was a tie for high scratch game of 233 rolled by **Petra** and **Jessica Palmer** (Clinton). **Petra** also won the high scratch series of 671. The 2018 mail-in fielded only 16 entries.

High Game & High Series Awards – **Tricia Nederhiser** (Cedar Rapids) won high series award for 2016-17 season with a 757. High scratch game went to **Karen Morris** (West Union) for her perfect 300 game. There is still time to send in your verified high game and series for the 2017-18 season, postmarked or emailed by August 15, 2018. You must have paid your 700 Club membership before the October 1, 2017 grace period to be eligible.

Welcome to new members: **Carianne McCormick, Petra Wilke, Jess Palmer, and Jordan Newman**

HELP! As you read above, our tournament participation is very sparse. I realize we are all busy and there are many opportunities for your tournament participation. To ensure the future of this sport we all love, I encourage you to support and participate at all levels. You all have friends that are inactive in our club. Your personal effort to invite them back is the best way to increase participation!

Hope you all enjoy great fun and big scores in the 2018-19 season!

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