

REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT

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Burlington, IA

TO THE OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, DELEGATES AND GUESTS ASSEMBLED AT THE 2nd ANNUAL MEETING OF THE IOWA STATE USBC BOWLING ASSOCIATION, INC.

Welcome to the second annual meeting of the Iowa State Bowling Association serving our men, women and youth bowlers.

My first thoughts for this report are to thank the dedicated group of men and women who are serving this association on the board and for the members who volunteered to be on committees for the state association. Volunteering is not on everyone's agenda and I really appreciate those who take the time to work for others.

Congratulations to our newly inducted Hall of Fame members; it was our pleasure to induct them at the Hall of Fame dinner; Steve Gonshorowski, Margene Grady, Don Meisner, Kay Burke, John Sires and Paul Roxlau. This is a well-deserved honor for all of them.

To the Muscatine, Burlington, Mt. Pleasant and Des Moines bowling associations, thank you for hosting our annual state tournaments this bowling season. The hours of service to our bowlers are numerous and we thank you!

As I'm typing this report, we are thinking of having our annual meeting in the Des Moines area yearly instead of the tournament sites. We are hoping having our annual meeting in a central location, easily accessible and in the same place will increase attendance. These meetings are for all associations to attend and have their voice heard and their vote to count. I'm hoping to speak about this at this meeting.

Charla Wilke and I will be attending the USBC annual meeting as the Iowa State delegates. I want to thank you for the opportunity to represent our Iowa bowlers.

If you would consider being on any of your state committees, please contact me. The nominating committee needs persons from the general membership, and we can use help with the registration table at the annual meeting.

Thank you for attending your annual meeting. You are volunteering your time to make sure our men, women and youth have the information needed to run and serve in your local associations.

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