

DALE J. DIAMOND

Date of birth -

Residence - 3308 Collingwood Drive, Springfield, Illinois 62707

Dale was selected for his bowling ability.

Dale was inducted into the Cedar Falls Bowling Hall of Fame in 1979.

He was a member of the Cedar Falls Bowling Association Board of Directors 1962-1978, serving as secretary from 1966-1978. He also was the ABC Director for the State of Iowa from 1976-79. He was the force behind organizing the Greater Iowa Bowling Association and served as its Director from 1971 to 1984. He was active with the Junior bowlers serving as president of the Cedar Falls Junior Bowling Association.

He has won 24 titles in the Cedar Falls city tournament and was selected as Bowler of the Year for Cedar Falls in 1962, 1967 and 1981.

Dale bowled in 20 ABC tournaments and 22 consecutive Iowa State tournaments and in 1972 was state All Events champion. That year he averaged 230 for the nine games and he and his partner finished 2nd in the doubles. He was a two time winner in the GIBA.

For over 20 years Dale averaged over 200 in league with a total of 55 series of 700 or better with a high of 794 plus two sanctioned 300 games and two 299 games to his credit.

He got involved with the sport a little further when in 1980 he purchased Valley Park Lanes in Cedar Falls and then keeping his interest in Valley Park he became proprietor of the Rose Bowl Lanes in Mason City.

Dale's commitment to our sport has served to promote, improve and encourage bowling in the city of Cedar Falls, the State of Iowa and on the National level.

Dale has since purchased a business and has relocated to Springfield, Illinois.

Inducted into the Iowa Bowling Hall of Fame in March 1990.

