

## **Iowa State USBC BA Hall Of Fame to Induct Bacon**

Arthur Bacon (Meritorious Service) of Ft Dodge, IA, will be inducted into the Iowa State USBC BA Hall Of Fame on June 25, 2022 along with 3 others; Rich Eighme (Performance) of Waterloo, IA, Shellie Kutsch (Performance/Meritorious) of Dubuque, IA and Sharon Parrish (Meritorious/Ambassador) of Burlington, IA.

Arthur's name is synonymous with the sport of bowling both in the Ft Dodge area as well as the throughout the state of Iowa. He started his career in 1973 in adult leagues while wearing many hats in 10 leagues as President or Secretary for over 10 years.

He coached youth leagues for 12 years and served on the youth board for 10 years with 3 of those as President. Bacon also served the Ft Dodge Area Bowling Association since 1985 as Director and Vice President and then in 1992, he was elected as the Association Manager for which he held for 14 years.

Bacon served the Association as a State Delegate for over 20 years, he was then elected to the State Association Board as a Director in 2006. He followed this up as Vice President and then as President in 2014-2015 season. During his tenure on the State board, Arthur had served on all the committee's as their Chairman.

He has participated in over 40 city tournaments, 36 state tournament and 15 national tournaments, he has 1 300 game with a high series of 752. Though he does not sit on the Ft Dodge Board, he still is active with the sport by hosting meetings at his local church.

Thank you for all you do Arthur Bacon!!

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