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IOWA STATE BOWLING ASSOCIATION, INC. - HALL OF FAME APPLICATION

Name of Candidate Lysle Musgrove Phone 515-233-1322
Address 105 Tangerine Ln Zip Code 50010-8174
City Ames State IA
Number of years a sanctioned bowler 40+ Date of Birth 8/28/1912
Candidate Must have bowled in 5 State Tournaments - CANDIDATE BOWLED IN TOURNAMENTS
Selection Category: Bowling Ability Meritorious Service Special Category Posthumous

CHARACTERISTICS OF CANDIDATE

(Personality, Dedication, Leadership)

ACHIEVEMENTS OF CANDIDATE

Local Association Tournaments

I.S.U.S.B.C.B.A. State Tournaments

National A.B.C./U.S.B.C. Tournaments

Area, Regional, or other Tournaments

AFFILIATION WITH BOWLING:

League Officer

Local Association Officer

State Association Officer

COMMENTS OF PROPOSER: Ames Area USBC - Ames Senior League

(Use additional sheets if necessary and attach to application).

LOCAL ASSOCIATION NAME: Ames Area USBC

Each association will be allowed to have only one (1) candidate nominated for the living category and only one (1) for the posthumous category and it must be signed by three; (3) (Association officer's, State Board members, or members of the local Association Hall of Fame committee).

Please use the nomination form provided by the state board when submitting nomination.

See Attached

Signature

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NOMINATION PAPERS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY AUGUST 15TH

CANDIDATES WILL BE CONSIDERED FOR THREE YEARS AND THEN MUST BE RENEWED.

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***IOWA STATE USBC ASSOCIATION
HALL OF FAME NOMINATION
FOR
LYSLE MUSGROVE***

There are times when numbers and scores don't tell the story of what some individuals mean to the game of bowling. Lysle Musgrove of Ames is one of those individuals.

Musgrove personifies the good will and relationships that are available because of the game, all the while, being a competitive yet good sport.

Musgrove, who celebrated his 102nd birthday on August 28, 2014, would easily win the "league's favorite bowler" award if there was one, as his good will and attitude have been unmatched during his 40+ years of league competition.

The Ames bowler began his bowling while living in Modesto/Turlock, California in 1974, and although his average has slipped some lately, his competitiveness hasn't burned out. He inspires all other bowlers in the Ames Seniors League each week.

Back in the mid 1980s, he carried his highest average, 183, and still carried a 175 average in 2000 when he was 88 years old. He had the high average in the Seniors league each year from 1991 through 1999 and again in 2001.

He hasn't won a bunch of championships, that's not important to him. His team did take first place in California in his first year of bowling, but then he went 39 years without a championship until his team won in Ames in 2013. Musgrove has won the silver medal twice and the bronze medal four times in Iowa Games competition, he's had an all spare game, he's had 10 strikes in a row (1996 at the age of 84).

Elected to the Ames Area USBC hall of fame in 2005, Musgrove now averages about 138, but his love of the game makes the numbers meaningless. His infectious smile and words of encouragement make him a joy to bowl with or against.

But if you walk into Perfect Games in Ames on a Wednesday afternoon, it won't be his scores that people will talk about, it will be his love of the game and fellow bowlers that will make Lysle Musgrove stand out.

The Ames Area USBC association proudly nominates Lysle for the state Hall of Fame in the "special" category for his unselfish, dedicated love of the game of bowling.

Thank you,
Ames Area USBC

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