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Iowa State USBC BA Hall of Fame committee

Darrell Fremont, Association Manager

The Dubuque Bowling Association would like to place the name of Steve "Fuzzy" Oneyear for nomination in the Bowling Ability category. Steve starting bowling junior league at the age of 8 years old. At 16, he started working at Imperial Lanes and practiced whenever he had the chance, bowling over 100 games a week. With his experience and knowledge, he had the opportunity to manage bowling centers in Cedar Rapids, Dodgeville, Cascade, and then he was named the manager of Creslanes Bowling center in Dubuque 26 years ago and is still employed there. As an added benefit to Creslanes, Steve, also manages their pro shop where he has been able to help many bowlers select the right equipment to help them become better bowlers.

Steve has competed in 12 National bowling tournaments and 31 Iowa State Bowling tournaments where he has 8 top 5 finishes. In 1986 first place open team event, in 1989 third place open team event, 1990 he was open singles champion with a state record 761. He and his partner Kurt Schmidt placed third in open doubles, his team was fifth place in open team event, and Steve was third in open all events and all scores were shot in the 1990 state tournament. In 1999 his team was 4th place and in 2001 the team finished in 2nd place.

Steve was a regular bowler in the Greater Iowa tournaments, winning on four different occasions. In 1978 at Davenport he averaged 229 and won by 186 pins, 1979 at Marshalltown he won by 194 pins with an average of 227, in 1980 at Des Moines Steve had an average of 233 beating the

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second place bowler by 362 pins. Also in 1980 at Waterloo, he averaged 232 and won by 60 pins. Steve held the qualifying record of 1495 an average of 249 bowled at Riverside Bowl in Dubuque, the eight game finals total of 1940 an average of 242 and the 14 game total of 3258 averaging 232 rolling at Air Lanes in Des Moines. He won the Air Lanes open tournament in 1980 that was bowled in Des Moines. He won 1st place in team, singles and all events in Dyersville, Iowa. He won the team, singles and all events titles in Platteville, Wisconsin. Steve has won 4 Southwest Wisconsin match game championships and, also in 1980, he placed 2nd in the Buck Rogers tournament. Steve was a member of the Professional Bowling Association for 4 years, with his best finish of 18th place at the Great Lakes tournament.

Steve was very involved with bowling in Dubuque. He served on Dubuque Bowling Association board, the Dubuque 700 Club board and Dubuque Junior Bowling Association board for over 20 years. Steve was very knowledgeable with the game of bowling and always willing to help bowlers who were struggling with their game. He coached and helped many of the young bowlers in the Junior program. In bowling leagues for many years, Steve was on the championship team and he held the high average between 200 and 210. He was back-to-back champion in Dubuque's Big Ten scratch tournament in 1992 and 1993. He has bowled five 300 games, two 299 games, one 298 game and five 11 in a row games. He has rolled 799, 797, 794 and 791 and many more 700 series. He was installed into the Dubuque Bowling Hall of Fame in 2000.

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For his dedication and love of the game of bowling, the Dubuque Bowling Association would like to submit the name of "Steve "Fuzzy" Oneyear for consideration for nomination into the Iowa State Bowling Association Hall of Fame in the Bowling Ability category.

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