

Sunday Night Bowlaways
sponsored by
GUERNE HEIGHTS
Triway Lanes
2016-2017 League Rules

ALL NEW ITEMS FOR THIS SEASON IN BOLD

1. The Guerne Heights Bowl-a-ways League is a 4-member mixed league (2-Men 2-Women)
 - a. The league will bowl every other Sunday night beginning **September 10, 2017** and continue for **16 weeks** ending **April 22, 2018. Roll Off April 29, 2018**
 - b. This league will begin the Sunday after the completion of the Wayne County Fair every year.
 - c. **Dates skipped this year will be –New Years Eve**
2. League Officers:
 - a. President Rick Hoff
 - b. Vice-President Verton Yoder
 - c. Secretary/Treasure Triway Lanes
3. Shadow balls will begin at 6:00pm and the league will begin at 6:10pm
4. League Costs:
 - a. Nightly league fees \$11.00 (\$9.75 for lineage, \$1.25 for the prize fund).
 - i. Team captains are to have the full amount of money in the envelope each week.
 - b. Sanction fees are \$18 for men and \$21.00 for women.
 - c. Team sponsor fee will be \$20.00 due by the 3rd week of bowling.
5. Scoring/Handicap/Season Format
 - a. Last year's league ending average, or high house average (if no league average) will be used for the first week. New bowlers will establish an average the first night.
 - b. This league WILL bowl a split season.**
 - c. Scoring will operate on a 9 point system
 - i. Two (2) points will be awarded to the winner of each team game
 - ii. Three (3) points will be awarded to the winner of the team series
 - d. Handicap will be figured by taking 90 % of the difference in team averages.
 - e. Vacancy score will be 140 for both men and women
 - f. When bowling unopposed or a known forfeit situation (against a blind team) you must bowl within 40 pins of the team's average to win game points and 120 of the team's series average to win series points.
 - g. When a bowler is absent, the blind score is figured by taking the absent bowlers average and subtracting 10 pins.
 - h. There will be a ten minute grace period for late bowlers to begin bowling or no later than the third frame
 - i. A bowler who has to leave before finishing the third game may bowl out ahead of their teammates and opponents.
 - j. Individual pre-bowls are allowed. Individuals must notify the front desk of their intentions to pre-bowl prior to beginning to bowl. Once a pre-bowl is completed the bowler is ineligible to bowl for the night the pre-bowl was intended for. Payment is due at the time of the pre-bowl unless other arrangements have been made. **No pre-bowls on Sundays between 9am-3pm (BEST THING IS CALL FOR AVAILABILITY)**
 - k. Legal lineup will be two bowlers. Substitutes and pre-bowls can make up a legal lineup.
6. Awards & Prizes
 - a. Monies will be determined at a later date. Prize money will be distributed based on a total of points won for the season.
 - b. Bonus money will be given out to the winner of the league.
 - c. Individuals will receive awards or cash based on the following categories

- i. High Average (men and women)
- ii. High Game (men and women) (also will look into handicap game)
- iii. High Series (men and women) (also will look into handicap series)
- iv. Most Improved Average (men and women) based on average after 12 games

7. Miscellaneous

- a. Will we sell 50/50 tickets and a Strike ticket every night.
- b. Tickets will be sold for \$1 each, no max.
- c. Banquet tickets will be purchased from Triway Lanes using the league prize fund. As always, the tickets can be redeemed for purchase price. **(April 22, 2018 is the last day to turn tickets in)**

City Tournaments:

Men: March 3-March 11

Women: March 6-8

In the event of inclement weather please check our website, www.triwaylanes.com, Facebook & listen to Wooster radio WQKT 104.5FM to see if the league is still bowling that night. All team captains will be contacted as well.