

SASBA

Out on The Twig



Pete Thomas Wins 6th SASBA Title!

Pete Thomas qualified 3rd and stayed close all during the finals. Entering the final match, he trailed Paul McCordic by six pins. Whoever won the match would win the title. Pete grabbed the lead early while Paul struggled with carry. Paul bounced back with a four bagger and entering the 9th, could've made it tough for Pete to win. A swishing 10 pin stopped his run and gave Pete room to

clinch it. Pete struck in the 9th and 10th and the title was sewn up 247-237. Cliff Barnes finished 3rd (his 8th straight finals), Cordell Wilder ran off several big games to rise to 4th and Mark Busscher rounded out the top five.

Thanks to Jamie Brooks, Scott Craddock and company for being great hosts!

300s in qualifying were shot by Robert Dunaway,

Mike Warren and Jack Soria.

Our next tournament is a member/guest doubles at Tangi Lanes in Hammond, LA. We have room for 20 more teams. Don't get shut out! The following week, we're back at Plano for a member/ladies M/G Doubles. Help us STRIKEoutDiabetes by bowling in this tournament or in the ProAm scheduled for Saturday Oct 19th.

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Jim's Notes

We had six first-time bowlers in this event. One (David Anthony) made the finals. All are good players and will be back.

Jims Tip: Some mutterings heard this week: "I always use this ball here". "They never break down like this." "This right lane

always hooks more than the left." "This ball never hooks. Today, it's hooking." While all of these statements might have been true, they all have the potential for getting you in trouble. I feel it's much safer to "assume" that they will be different, then be pleasantly surprised when they aren't.



Friday Sweeper Results

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| 1. | John Denton | 555 |
| 2. | Willie Wells | 547 |
| 3. | Mark Estes | 537 |
| 4. | Pete Thomas | 535 |
| 5. | Pat Henderson | 526 |