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M.I.S.T. #4, 2013 – 2014 SEASON: SPARETIME RECREATION, WATERVILLE, ME.

This is the recap for the M.I.S.T. tournament held on December 1st, 2013 at SparetimeRecreationCenter in Waterville, ME. I would like to thank each and every one of you bowlers who continue to come out to compete in the M.I.S.T., it's because of you that scratch bowling is alive and well in Maine. Thank you to Nate Fowler and his entire staff at Sparetime Recreation, they make us feel welcome every time we come. I would also like to thank Brunswick Bowling for once again sponsoring the M.I.S.T. Our raffle ball this month was the Brunswick Melee, which was won by Bob Violette. Congrats Bob! Thank you to everyone who took a chance on this high end bowling ball from Brunswick. Thank you also to John Bovoy of Bowl Pro Sales for donating a bottle of Knockout premium bowling ball cleaner. This month's winner of the Knockout cleaner was Kerry Robillard. Congrats Kerry! This month, we bowled on the Kegel Challenge Series – "Route 66" oil pattern. There was a new M.I.S.T. record of (48) entries for this tournament, which meant a position round game and (12) cash qualifiers. Here are the results from the (4) games of scratch qualifying, with the cash line denoted by a "———–":

Randy Plummer – 897

Joe Ramsdell III – 889

Joe Colcord – 877

James Goulding III – 871

Aaron Thiboutot – 846

Chris Ogden – 842

James Ward – 826

Jimmy Clark – 825

Bob Nile – 805

John Archer -786

Sarah Pelletier – 784

Kerry Robillard – 783

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Steve Closuit – 780

Dan Kenney – 779

Steve Babb – 778

Justin Brawn – 770

Loring Deagazio – 769

Corey Ridley – 768

Andrew Hinkley – 766

Mallory Nutting – 763

Cory Lagner – 762

Adam Jordan – 755

Audra Mercier – 752

Tim Grasse – 733

Nate Harzewski – 729

Roland Thiboutot – 726

Miles Coplan – 723

Jim Goulding Jr – 723

Robert Rowe – 719

Dylan Davis – 719

Dave Perry – 716

Josh Greenlaw – 716

Jason Spaulding – 713

Charlie Mitchell – 711

Mike Dumais – 711

Brandon Dubuc – 709

Nick Furrow – 708

Shawn Grasse – 698

Ben Hebert – 686

Cathy Bickford – 678

Jay Joslyn – 673

Bob Violette – 666

Josh Furrow – 666

Allan Snyder – 662

Walt Mathes – 628

Ryan Saucier – 625

Zachary Kay – 606

Jason Ward – 566

The (12) cash qualifiers then bowled a position round game to determine final placement, and to find out who our top (4) would be to advance to the roll offs. Here are the (5) game totals after the position round game. Positions 5 – 12 show final placement, total pin fall, money earned, and Bowler of the Year points earned in that order:

Aaron Thiboutot – 1087

Joe Ramsdell III – 1084

Randy Plummer – 1077

Joe Colcord – 1062

5) James Goulding III – 1050 / $135 / 125

6) Jimmy Clark – 1021 / $100 / 120

7) Bob Nile – 1018 / $85 / 115

8) Chris Ogden – 1011 / $75 / 110

9) James Ward – 1001 / $70 / 105

10) John Archer – 954 / $65 / 100

11) Sarah Pelletier – 952 / $60 / 90

12) Kerry Robillard – 933 / $55 / 85

Our first match would feature M.I.S.T. finals new comer Randy Plummer squaring off against two time M.I.S.T. Bowler of the Year Joe Colcord. Here is the result of their match:

Joe Colcord – 241

Randy Plummer – 220

Joe did a great job staying clean and stringing strikes together on this tough oil condition, and Randy performed great in his first ever M.I.S.T. finals, but it just wasn't enough to get by a red hot Joe Colcord. Randy did a great job, though, picking up a 4th place finish, netting $170 and picking up 150 BOY points. Nice bowling Randy and congrats on your first M.I.S.T. finals appearance, I'm sure it won't be your last! Our next match would feature our defending Bowler of the Year, Joe Ramsdell III, squaring off against the man for whom he ripped that Bowler of the Year title away from, Joe Colcord. Here is the result of their heavy weight match:

Joe Ramsdell III – 246

Joe Colcord – 215

Joe Ramsdell III showed mental toughness, and a very good ball reaction, in pulling away to a victory in the semi-final match against Joe Colcord. It was higher scoring once again and full of excitement. Joe Colcord can't hang his head though, as he did a great job this month, winning his first match, and ending with a 3rd place finish. Joe Colcord made $210, and picked up 200 BOY points on the day. Nice bowling Joe. Our final match would feature a first time M.I.S.T. finalist and top seed Aaron Thiboutot, taking on finals veteran Joe Ramsdell III. Aaron moved from 5th all the way to the #1 seed in the position round game, a feat never accomplished in the M.I.S.T. before. That was some very impressive bowling by Aaron. Let's see who would come away with the M.I.S.T. title this month, the veteran or the new comer:

Joe Ramsdell III – 193

Aaron Thiboutot – 137

Joe showed why he is the reigning Bowler of the Year, throwing great shots when he needed them, and minimizing his mistakes. Aaron struggled in the final match, but he has nothing to be ashamed of, as he bowled fantastic all day long, and will surely be back in the finals again very soon. Aaron did a stellar job all day, picking up a 2nd place finish, $280, and 250 BOY points. The story today, though, was Joe Ramsdell III, who was able to control his ball reaction on this tough oil pattern, keep his emotions in check, and pick up yet another M.I.S.T. title. Joe earned $365 for the victory and took home 300 BOY points. Great bowling Joe and he puts himself in a great position in this years Bowler of the Year points race. Don't forget, the bowler who wins our

Bowler of the Year competition gets their choice of bowling ball, professionally drilled, by Moore's Pro Shop. Moore's Pro Shop is located inside SparetimeRecreationCenter in Lewiston, ME. Thank you to Scott Moore, owner of Moore's Pro Shop, for once again sponsoring the M.I.S.T. Set up your next appointment today, you'll be glad you did. Here are the final standings and Bowler of the Year points earned from the M.I.S.T. at Sparetime Recreation in Waterville, ME. on December 1, 2013:

1) Joe Ramsdell III – 300

2) Aaron Thiboutot – 250

3) Joe Colcord – 225

4) Randy Plummer – 200

5) James Goulding III – 125

6) Jimmy Clark – 120

7) Bob Nile – 115

8) Chris Ogden – 110

9) James Ward – 105

10) John Archer – 100

11) Sarah Pelletier – 90

12) Kerry Robillard – 85

13) Steve Closuit – 5

14) Dan Kenney – 5

15) Steve Babb – 5

16) Justin Brawn – 5

17) Loring Deagazio – 5

18) Corey Ridley – 5

19) Andrew Hinkley – 5

20) Mallory Nutting – 5

21) Cory Lagner – 5

22) Adam Jordan – 5

23) Audra Mercier – 5

24) Tim Grasse – 5

25) Nate Harzewski – 5

26) Roland Thiboutot – 5

T-27) Miles Coplan – 5

T-27) Jim Goulding Jr – 5

T-29) Robert Rowe – 5

T-29) Dylan Davis – 5

T-31) Dave Perry – 5

T-31) Josh Greenlaw – 5

33) Jason Spaulding – 5

34) Charlie Mitchell – 5

35) Mike Dumais – 5

36) Brandon Dubuc – 5

37) Nick Furrow – 5

38) Shawn Grasse – 5

39) Ben Hebert – 5

40) Cathy Bickford – 5

41) Jay Joslyn – 5

T-42) Bob Violette – 5

T-42) Josh Furrow – 5

44) Allan Snyder – 5

45) Walt Mathes – 5

46) Ryan Saucier – 5

47) Zachary Kay – 5

48) Jason Ward – 5

Please join us for the next M.I.S.T. tournament being held on January 5th, 2014 at Sparetime Family Bowling Center in Portland, ME. Cost is $50, and there will be plenty of $5 brackets as well as a $10 high game

pot that pays all (4) games. We will also be raffling off a brand new, high end Brunswick bowling ball. Chances for the ball are $5 each, and the proceeds go directly into the prize fund each month. Check in time is 9:00 AM, with bowling commencing at 10:00 AM sharp. Thank you everyone for supporting the M.I.S.T., I will have an updated season long Bowler of the Year points list on a separate report. See you on January 5th in Portland, have a Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year!