O'Neill Wins Scratch Bash Shootout at Burke

arry O'Neill stormed past three other top-ranked bowlers, overcame a 54-pin lead and captured \$500 the first-place check in the first annual Summer Scratch Bash Shootout held at Bowl America Burke on July 31. O'Neill defeated Willie Coleman of Seat Pleasant 287-224 in the final position round game and jumped from fourth to first when Greg Frazier of Manassas defeated tournament leader Ray Shackelford of Hartwood, Va., 227-179.

O'Neill's 13-pin victory (4,069-4,056) over runner-up Frazier (\$300) came on the heels of his cashing in the Bud Light Open at Crofton. Coleman (4,014) finished third and collected \$200. Shackelford (3,985) fell into a fourth-place tie with 1987 PBA Eastern Regional Bowler of the Year Magic Gray from Suitland.

Shackelford looked as through he would run away with the tournament during the first four match-play games. He averaged 254.7 and led second place Gray at that point by a whopping 170 pins. O'Neill turned up the heat in game 5, defeating Coleman in the tournament's most exciting match, 279-277.

Tournament organizers were able to raise \$293 in donations for the Children's Hospital Ronald McDonald House. In an outstanding display of sportsmanship and graciousness, Ray Shackelford donated his entire fourth place check of \$137.50 to the hospital.

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6.	Ken Shaw	3954	\$120
7.	Mike Whittington	3885	115
8.	Jay Gruendl	3822	110
9.	Graham Aylor	3818	100
10.	Shannon Reasor	3761	95
11.	Lou Capolupo	3748	90
12.	Willie Jelks	3641	85
13.	Kip Roberts	3636	80
14.	Roger Rowley	3592	75
15.	Chris Lowrance	3529	70
16.	Allen Van Cise	3219	65
17.	Dale Krimm	1886	60
18.	James Harding	1877	55
19.	Jon Wong	1871	50
20.	Michael Campbell	1861	45
21.	Derrick Brown	1835	45
22.	Chris Miller	1822	40
23.	Todd Klinko	1821	40
24.	Paul Patrick	1773	40