

WALLACE CAPTURES MAASBA EVENT AT TEN PIN COLISEUM

Larry Wallace, an Airman stationed at Bolling Air Force Base in Washington DC, averaged over 228 in the match play finals to win six out of eight matches and capture the Ten Pin Coliseum Middle Atlantic All Star Bowling Association (MAASBA) event on November 29th.

After qualifying fifth in the final field of eight bowlers, Wallace took the lead for good after the fourth game when he trounced eventual second place finisher, Billy Davis 279-221. Although the outcome was all but over as Wallace had built a 173 pin margin going into the final match, Davis did gain a little retribution as he beat Wallace 256-246 to wrap up the runner-up position. A loss would have dropped him to third as Steve Sipe finished the 14 game grind only 11 pins behind Davis, on the strength of a 275 final game.

Davis, from Temple Hills, MD was the high qualifier of the 54 entry field with 1367, followed by Larry O'Neill with 1344, Bob Bean, Vienna, VA at 1313, William Gray of Washington, DC with 1309 and Wallace at 1303. Other match play finalists included Don Edens (1270) and Jim Wolfe (1257), both from Alexandria, and Falls Church's Steve Sipe, 1242. Other cashers included Chuck Gannon, Clinton, MD, Wayne Miller, Quantico, VA and Ray Shackelford, Hartwood, VA.

Five qualifying events remain prior to the final invitational event to be held at Brunswick Normandy Lanes in Ellicott City, MD in June. After three events, the added money for that final event has grown to \$504.00 To be eligible to bowl in the

final event, a bowler must have competed in three qualifying events. Remaining events include Fair Lanes Dundalk, Baltimore on Feb. 7th, Princess Lanes in Norfolk, VA on Mar. 7th, then Seminary Lanes in Alexandria, VA on April 4th and Northside Lanes in Winchester, VA on Apr. 25.

Name	Qualifying Block	Match Games	Bonus Pins	Total Pinfall	Prize Money	Avg
1. Larry Wallace, Washington DC	1303	1824	180	3307	500	223
2. Bill Davis, Temple Hills, MD	1367	1717	90	3174	300	220
3. Steve Sipe, Falls Church, VA	1242	1771	150	3163	200	215
4. Bob Bean, Vienna, VA	1313	1691	90	3094	150	214
5. Don Edens, Alexandria, VA	1270	1657	150	3077	120	209
6. William Gray, Washington, DC	1309	1484	120	2913	100	199
7. Larry O'Neill, Alexandria, VA	1344	1486	75	2905	80	202
8. Jim Wolfe, Alexandria, VA	1257	1403	105	2765	65	190
9. Chuck Gannon, Clinton, MD	1232				60	205
10. Wayne Miller, Quantico, VA	1224				55	204
11. Ray Shackelford, Hartwood, VA	1221				50	203

Chuck Gannon, 35, owner of the Pocket Pro Shop and a columnist for this magazine, is recovering from two heart attacks suffered in early December. We will be glad to forward any cards or letters that you may have for him.