

NCAUSBCA 2015 Youth Invitational Scratch Singles Tournament finalists mini-bios



**DONALD
BOCK**

A Division

**MATTHEW
BORELLI**

B Division

**KYREE
WALTERS**

C Division

CHAMPIONS

A DIVISION (185+ average)



1. DONALD BOCK, 18, Jeffersonton, Va. ... 216 entering average ... high game: 300 / high series: 837 ... Bowl America Bull Run is home center ... competes in Saturday Morning Youth league ... senior at Culpeper County High ... hobbies & other interests include golf ... future plans include bowling in college ... bowling rates a “10” in importance ... first bowled at age 4 ... “my release” is strongest part of my bowling game ... needs to improve mental game ... next bowling goal: (1) good finish at Junior Gold; (2) go adult ... first ball out of my bag: 16-pound Brunswick Mastermind ... wears Dexter bowling shoes ... common (non-split) spare break I miss too often: 2-4-7 ... what bowling means to me: “Bowl is life”



2. JARRETT DeFALCO, 18, Leesburg, Va. ... 224 average ... eight 300 games / 803 series ... Bowl America Manassas ... Saturday Morning Youth ... senior at Heritage High ... enjoys football ... future plans include college ... bowling rates a “10” ... first bowled at age 2 ... consistency is strongest part of game ... drifting is part I must improve ... next goal is winning the Tournament of Champions again ... first ball out of bag: 15-pound Storm Crux ... wears Dexters ... spare combination I miss too often: 3-6-9-10 ... bowling “means everything to me”



3. SAMUEL ANDERSON, 16, Woodbridge, Va. ... 219 average ... 300 / 822 ... Bowl America Woodbridge ... competes in high school league and Saturday Youth Strike Force ... junior at Potomac Senior High School ... other interests includes shoes ... future plans: “go to college” ... bowling rates an “11” ... first bowled at age 3 ... adjusting is strongest part of game ... must improve shot making ... next bowling goal is to win Junior Gold ... rolled perfect game in Round 3 and also in Round 2 of 2014 Invitational ... 15-pound Motiv Venom Shock ... Dexter shoes ... 2-4-7-8 is missed too often ... #BowlisLife



4. DANIEL EDWARDS, 19, Lorton, Va. ... 225 average ... 300 / 775 ... Bowl America Woodbridge ... Family Fun league ... NOVA sophomore ... enjoys working ... future plans: "Bowl as much as I can and finish college" ... bowling rates a "9" ... first bowled at age 12 ... strongest part of my bowling game: "spare / mental same" ... needs to work on a better first ball ... 16-pound DV8 Rude Dude ... Dexters ... 2-4-7 leave is too often missed ... "Bowling is the way to go"



5. ANTHONY SIMPSON, 14, Dale City, Va. ... 201 average ... 275 / 714 ... Bowl America Woodbridge ... Saturday Morning league ... eighth-grader at Beville Middle School ... other interests include sleep, football, basketball ... plans to "graduate college" ... bowling rates a "9" ... first bowled at age 10 ... strongest aspect of game: "Not Fouling" ... must improve mental game ... next bowling goal is to win Junior Gold ... 14-15 pound Track 811A ... wears Brunswick bowling shoes ... 3-6-10 spare break causes problems ... bowling means "a lot" to me



6. CONNER KOLESIDES, 18, Great Falls, Va. ... 226 average ... five 300s / 795 ... Bowl America Bull Run ... Bull Run Youth league ... freshman at NVCC ... enjoys basketball and hanging with friends like Daniel Edwards, Nick Dean, and Samuel Anderson ... future plans: "transfer to VA Tech and major in Bio" ... bowling rates an "11" ... first bowled at age 2 ... strongest part of game: "grinding scores in tough situations" ... must work on "staying ahead of transition" ... next bowling goal is Junior Team USA and winning PJBTs ... has qualified for Invitational final round each year since 2011 and was A Division champion in 2013 and 2014 ... 15-pound Roto Grip Defiant Soul ... Dexter shoes ... too often misses 3-6-10 spare break ... bowling: "it's a piece of who I am, and it means everything to me"



7. GENE BLAIR, 17, Waldorf, Md. ... 206 average ... 290 / 731 ... AMF Waldorf ... Saturday Morning Youth, Waldorf Majors ... junior at St. Mary's Ryken High School ... enjoys football, soccer, basketball ... future plans: "business owner, go to college" ... bowling rates a "9" ... first bowled at age 4 ... strongest part of my game: "consistent release, power" ... must improve: "spares, spares, spares" ... bowling goals: to bowl a sanctioned 300, win

Tournament of Champions ... 2014 B Division Invitational champion ... 15-pound Track MX16 ... Dexters ... 3-6-10 is spare combo I miss the most ... bowling: "it means a lot and plays an important role in my life"



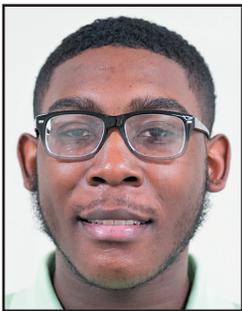
8. DENARD BANKSTON, 16, Woodbridge, Va. ... 216 average ... 300 / 762 ... Bowl America Woodbridge ... Saturday Youth league ... junior at Woodbridge Senior High School ... enjoys basketball and watching TV ... future plans include the PBA ... bowling rates a "9" ... first bowled at age 7 ... strong part of game is making adjustments ... must improve mental game ... C Division winner in 2011, would like to win another Invitational title ... uses

various bowling balls weighing 15 to 16 pounds ... wears Dexters ... misses too many 3-6-9-10 spare leaves ... bowling means "everything" to me

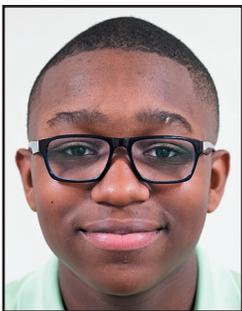
B DIVISION (166 to 184 average)



1. MATTHEW BORELLI, 17, Bolling AFB, D.C. ... 178 average ... 279 / 681 ... Potomac Lanes ... Potomac Youth league ... home-schooled senior ... enjoys video games and math ... future plans: mathematician ... bowling rates a “9” ... first bowled at age 4 ... strongest parts of game: “down and in” shot, mental game ... must improve power and consistency ... bowling goal: bowl a 300 ... 15-pound Roto Grip Asylum ... wears Dexter shoes ... 3-6-10 spare is missed too often ... “Bowling is my life. It creates a great community and is the best sport in the world.”



2. DIAMANTE WINTERS, 17, Waldorf, Md. ... 182 average ... 300 / 739 ... AMF Waldorf ... Saturday Morning Youth Majors ... junior at Westlake High School ... enjoys basketball and playing PS4 ... future plans include college ... bowling rates an “8” ... first bowled at age 12 ... strongest part of game: the ability to focus ... must improve converting spares ... bowling goal: “shoot 800 series” ... 15-pound DV8 Dude ... Dexters ... misses the 4-7 spare too often ... “Bowling means a lot to me. I’m a 3rd generation bowler.”



3. QUINCY JOHNSON, 14, Upper Marlboro, Md. ... 179 average ... 299 / 777 ... AMF Capital Plaza ... Teenpinners league ... ninth-grader at Dr. Henry A. Wise Jr., High School ... enjoys basketball, watching Scorpion ... future plans include becoming a PBA bowler ... bowling rates a “10” ... first bowled at age 4 ... strongest part of game: repeating shots ... part of game I must improve: “Making a 10-pin!!” ... bowling goal: go to Junior Gold ... 14-pound Storm Hy-Road ... Dexters ... misses too many 2-4-5 spare leaves ... bowling: “It means an extreme amount because it’s my passion.”



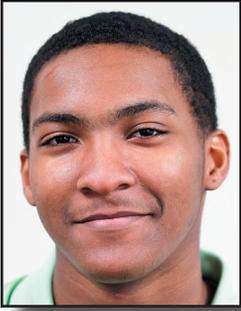
4. AVANTIS BONNER-BOWMAN, 16, White Plains, Md. ... 182 average ... 278 / 876 (four games) ... AMF Marlow Heights ... Silver Hill Strikers league ... junior at Frederick Douglas High School ... enjoys baseball ... future plans include college ... bowling rates a “10” ... first bowled at age 4 ... strongest part of game ... “making my 10-pins and holding up my team” ... I must improve “staying down at the line” ... bowling goal: bowl in Junior Gold ... 15-16 pounds Storm Frantic ... wears Etonic bowling shoes ... misses too many 6-10 spare leaves ... bowling “is a stress reliever to me, and it helps me maintain good grades because it teaches me to stay focused.”



5. QUINTON JOHNSON, 14, Upper Marlboro, Md. ... 183 average ... 279 / 716 ... AMF Capital Plaza ... Teenpinners league ... ninth-grader at Dr. Henry A. Wise Jr., High School ... enjoys football, basketball, drawing ... future plans: “to play in NFL” ... bowling rates a “7” ... first bowled at age 4 ... strongest part of game: “to play inside part of the lane” ... must improve mental game ... bowling goal: go to Junior Gold ... 14-pound Storm Victory Road Solid ... Dexter shoes ... miss 6-10 spare too often ... “To get better and be able to average 200 or better.”



6. NATHAN OAKLEY, 17, Purcellville, Va. ... 178 average ... 279 / 762 ... Village Lanes ... also competes at Bowl America Manassas ... junior at Loudon Valley High School ... hobbies & other interests: gym, karate, RC cars, gaming, auto mechanic ... future plans: “automotive technician & professional bowler” ... bowling rates a ‘9.5’ ... first bowled at age 10 ... spare game is strongest part of game ... must improve mental game and confidence ... bowling goal: qualify for Junior Gold 2015 in Chicago ... 15-pound Roto Grip Wrecker ... Dexter shoes ... too often miss 2-8 sleeper spare ... “Bowling means a lot to me. I have a lot of fun, and I’ve met some amazing people along the way. I will continue to work harder as a bowler and improve upon myself.”



7. TERRENCE BARTON JR., 16, District Heights, Md. ... 279 / 663 ... AMF Capital Plaza ... Teenpinners league ... sophomore at Central High School ... enjoys customizing tennis shoes, serving as a DJ ... future plans include the Army ... bowling rates an “8” ... first bowled at age 5 ... spare shooting is strongest part of game ... must improve mental game and being consistent ... bowling goal: bowl a 300 ... 15-pound Hammer Jigsaw Corner ... Dexters ...

misses too may 6-10 spare leaves ... bowling means having fun competing against good bowlers



8. MALIK MYERS, 14, Camp Springs, Md. ... 279 high game ... AMF Marlow Heights ... Silver Hill Strikers league ... junior at Dr. Henry A. Wise Jr., High School ... future plans include the PBA ... bowling rates a “10” ... first bowled at age 4 ... strongest part of game: “first ball – pocket shot” ... need to “stay down in my shot” ... bowling goal: Junior Gold Championship ... 14-pound Motiv Venom Shock ... Brunswick bowling shoes ... miss the 3-6-9-10

spare leave too often ... bowling means “everything” to me

C DIVISION (150 to 164 average)



1. KYREE WALTERS, 18, Clinton, Md. ... 162 average ... 277 / 732 ... AMF Marlow Heights ... Silver Hill Strikers league ... senior at Gwynn Park High School ... interests include taekwondo ... future plans include college and becoming an architect ... bowling rates a “10” ... first bowled at age 14 ... strongest parts of game: “focus and staying down in shot” ... needs to avoid getting frustrated ... bowling goal: go to Junior Gold ... 15-pound Storm

Invasion ... Dexters ... misses the 4-7 spare break too often ... what bowling means to me: “everything”



2. RANDALL STEWART, 14, Temple Hills, Md. ... 156 average ... 245 / 618 ... Potomac Lanes ... Potomac Youth league ... eighth-grader at Accokeek Academy ... enjoys playing football and basketball ... future plans: “to become an architect or professional athlete” ... bowling rates an “8” ... first bowled at age 4 ... strongest part of game: “my ability to put revs on the ball” ... must improve “playing straighter up the boards” ... bowling goal: shoot a 700 ...

15-pound Storm Marvel Pearl ... Dexter shoes ... misses the 6-10 spare leave too often ... “Bowling is a way to have fun and be with friends.”



3. AIDAN KAZ, 13, Great Falls, Va. ... 150 average ... 259 high game ... Bowl America Dranesville ... Dranesville Youth and Youth Travel leagues ... seventh-grader at Cooper Middle School ... enjoys baseball, bass clarinet ... future plan: attend more bowling tournaments ... bowling rates a “10” ... first bowled at age 11 ... strongest part of game: “high revolutions with knockdown power” ... I must improve “knocking down the dreaded 10-pin spares”

... bowling goal: join the 600 Club ... 14-pound Storm Optimus ... Brunswick bowling shoes ... misses the 6-10 spare break too often ... “Bowling has shown me that I can set goals and accomplish those goals.”



4. JAYLA WEBSTER, 14, Woodbridge, Va. ... 161 average ... 216/617 ... Bowl America Woodbridge ... Saturday Youth: Strike Force ... ninth-grader at Hylton High School ... enjoys reading, dancing ... future plans: “succeed in college and become a veterinarian” ... bowling rates a “9” ... first bowled at age 4 ... strongest parts of game: consistency and spare shooting ... must improve ball release and rotation ... bowling goal: have a higher average ... 14-pound Storm Virtual Energy ... Brunswick bowling shoes ... 6-10 spare leave often is a problem ... “Bowling teaches me discipline and allows me to have fun and be competitive at once.”



5. MAKAYLA “COCO” JOYNES, 17, District Heights, Md. ... 159 average ... 258 / 612 ... AMF Capital Plaza ... Teenpinners ... junior at Dr. Henry A. Wise Jr., High School ... enjoys swimming, drawing, and video games ... future plans: veterinarian ... bowling rates a “10” ... first bowled at age 12 ... strongest parts of game: “mental game and being relaxed” ... must improve consistency ... bowling goal: to get into more tournaments. ... 14-pound Storm IQ Tour ... wears Dexter shoes ... too often miss the 6-10 spare leave ... what bowling means to me: “is that you have to work hard to achieve your goals”



6. KENETH CLARK II, 17, Temple Hills, Md. ... 163 average ... 244 / 911 (four games) ... AMF Marlow Heights ... Silver Hill Strikers ... senior at Potomac High School ... interests include wrestling, skateboarding, soccer, tennis, preaching, motivational speaking ... future plans: “to get a degree in communications and to work for a radio station or Fortune 500 company” ... bowling rates a “9” ... first bowled at age 5 ... strongest part of game: “my swing” ... must improve “my walk (stride to the lane)” ... Track 503C ... 13-pound Track 503C ... too often misses the 2-4-5 ... “Bowling takes me away from the stress of my week and gives me another opportunity to be a student, role model.”



7. LEONARD W. FARLOW JR., 13, Columbia, Md. ... 159 average ... 268 high game ... The Lanes Fort Meade ... Maryland Travel league ... eighth-grader at Harpers Choice Middle School ... enjoys basketball, football, video games ... future plans: college, major in engineering ... bowling rates a “10” ... first bowled at age 5 ... confidence is strongest part of my bowling game ... must improve picking up spares ... 14-pound Cell ... Spaulding bowling shoes ... misses 4-7 spare break too often ... bowling “means a lot to me – a talent that I want to continue to improve throughout my life”



8. ERIC WILLIAMS II, 15, Waldorf, Md. ... 151 average ... 247 / 783 (four games) ... AMF Waldorf ... Saturday Morning Youth ... sophomore at Grace Christian Academy ... enjoys baseball, robotics, golf, video game design ... future plans: engineering and college bowling ... bowling rates a “10” ... first bowled at age 9 ... strongest part of game: consistent release ... must improve reading lane conditions ... bowling goal: “Pepsi Tournament” ... 12-pound Storm Reign On ... Brunswick bowling shoes ... 1-2-8 spare combination is too often missed ... “I have a passion for the game; it’s friendly competition with a team and/or and individual effort.”