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Cast your vote in the Team USA Fantasy Camp contest

The fourth set of finalists has been selected in the Team USA Fantasy Camp contest and now you can go to BOWL.com/vote to decide who will receive an expenses-paid trip to the International Training and Research Center in Arlington, Texas, to train with the top coaches in the sport.

One of the finalists will be selected to become the fourth of six winners in the contest. The finalists for this voting period are: Richard Banker of Janesville, Wis.; Aaron Halash of Chandler, Ariz.; Kevin Prior of Allen, Texas; and Nathen Rush of Mesa, Ariz.

Do you want to attend the Fantasy Camp?

Two spots still are available in the Team USA Fantasy Camp contest. The contest is open to any USBC Sport Bowling member who bowls a 200 game or higher in their USBC Sport Bowling certified league. Once you shoot a qualifying score, go to BOWL.com/sportbowling to enter your score and be eligible for the contest.

Tip of the Month – Getting back to bowling

Many of us take off the summer months from bowling to get out and enjoy the warm weather and, possibly, a round of golf or two. But the bowling season is back! Here are a few quick tips to ease you back into the bowling.

Start slow – After a summer off, it's in your best interest to get a few games in before your leagues actually start up. Just spend these few games getting familiar with throwing a bowling ball again, and try to slowly get yourself back up to full speed. Don't rush it – focus on your timing and feel.

Equipment checkup – The beginning of the season is a great time to give your bowling equipment a good tune-up. Check to make sure your grips and tape are still O.K., or replace if needed. Also check to make sure your bowling ball surfaces are still where you need them to be. The surfaces of your bowling balls will change throughout the season, so you might want to stop into your local pro shop to have them cleaned up and back to working like new. The major manufacturers have several new bowling balls on the market this time of year, so this would be an excellent time to use one of your Industry Partner coupons and add a new ball to your arsenal.

Sport Bowling Honor Roll

Congratulations to the following bowlers who recently achieved 300 games and 800 series in certified USBC Sport Bowling competition:

300 game

Matthew Duckett
Brian Fredrickson
Benjamin Hines
Jerry Lau
Deltoine Mack
Joe Mazuryk
Antonio Medina
Rick Meneley
Chad Robertson
Eric Traylor
Roger Vasquez

800 series

Sam Figarino
Adam Jablonski

2011-2012 Sport Bowling industry partners

We are pleased to announce the following companies will be part of the Sport Bowling industry partner program for the 2011-12 season:

Brunswick	Etonic	Storm
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Bowling This Month Magazine	Bowling Ball Info	Columbia 300
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To see the special offers from our industry partners, click [here](#) and log into the Sport Bowling members section of BOWL.com.

We will be adding and updating these offers as the year goes on, so please stop back often to get the most current offers!

Team USA dominates World Championships

By taking the Master match-play title on the final day of competition, Team USA's Shannon Pluhowsky became the first woman to earn four gold medals in one tournament at the World Tenpin Bowling Association World Women's Championships.

Pluhowsky's victory capped a dominating week for Team USA, which claimed four gold medals and three bronze medals. The victories in the doubles, trios and team events were the first since the 1987 World Championships in Helsinki, Finland.

The tournament was contested on the Paris and Seoul patterns, the same patterns used in Team USA Experience leagues. Go to BOWL.com/sportbowling to learn about Team USA Experience leagues.

Click [here](#) for video highlights from the World Women's Championships.

Tools to help you start a Sport Bowling league

With the bowling season about to get underway, now is the perfect time to start a new Sport Bowling league in your area – and we can help.

Our Team USA Experience League promotional kit can help you advertise and generate interest about a new league. This free kit contains posters and brochures about the new Team USA Experience program. Call 800-514-2695 or email us at sportbowling@bowl.com and let us know you would like the kit.

As an added bonus for you, if you start a new Sport Bowling league before Sept. 30 and the league has at least 24 bowlers, we'll send you an autographed Team USA bowling pin. To receive the Team USA pin, you will need to fill out the form [here](#).

Save 10 percent at this month's featured IBPSIA pro shops

As a USBC Sport Bowling member, you can save 10 percent on purchases at participating International Bowling Pro Shop and Instructors Association (IBPSIA) pro shops. Details vary by provider. This month's featured IBPSIA pro shops include:

<p>Al-Mar Pro Shop Al-Mar Lanes 1010 N. Main St. Bowling Green, Ohio 43402 Bill Wammes 419-352-4637</p>	<p>Charlie Peoples' Bowling Supply AMF Humble 19214 Eastex Freeway Humble, Texas 77338 Evelyn or Charlie Peoples 281-961-8881</p>
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