

**Monday, Sept.14, 2009**

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### Our Mission Statement

To provide a safe, structured environment where the GLBTQ community and their friends, regardless of skill level, can enjoy the sport of candlepin bowling

### **President's Corner:**

On behalf of the Officers of the MNBL, I would like to welcome back all our returning bowlers (some returning after being away for a year or two), as well as our new bowlers that we have joining us tonight. Over the summer, I worked with all the teams (through email) to try and determine who would and would not be returning. Some teams found bowlers to replace their teammates on their own. In other cases, I have placed folks. For new bowlers, we will place them with a couple different teams over the first two weeks, and try to decide which team is the best fit.

I also tried to find out how many returning bowlers would not be here for the first night of bowling. That way, I had a pretty good idea how many new bowlers we could accommodate on the first night. I have tried my best to make sure we do not have to bowl with 7 bowlers on any team. But please understand that if bowlers show up that I did not know about, we may have to do just that. We do not want to turn anyone away. ☺

I encourage everyone to visit our website, [www.mnbl.net](http://www.mnbl.net). I have included a printout from the site on the back of this newsletter. Glen Silva, our webmaster, has been working hard all summer to make the website more FABULOUS than before. He has succeeded! There is a lot of information on the site – including our calendar for the year, as well as the schedule of teams and lanes. There are also the rules of the League. Eventually, there will be standings as well as the newsletters.

### **BIRTHDAYS!!**



#### **Summer birthdays:**

Chris Beale & Gary Seis 5/14  
Bob Veneziano 5/25 Michael Galligan 5/26  
Steve Burt 6/6 John Enos 6/15 Dan Enright 6/25  
Ken Ewen 6/27 Tony Pericolosi 7/1  
Ed Suplee 7/2 Brian Cormier 7/4  
Andrew Spileos 7/12 Chris McDonough 7/18  
Mark Bastian 7/22 Jim Vafides 7/25  
David Neilson 8/1 Joey Peltier 8/6  
Daryn Bower 8/7 Ken Nimblett 8/14  
Brian Boyle & Paul Nelson 8/15  
Larry Miller & Mark MacCallum 8/20  
Rick Coco 8/22 Mike Francis 8/23  
Brian Murphy 8/28 Don Wolff 8/29

#### **September birthdays**

Rudy Corvo 9/1 Tony DeOliveira 9/5  
John Polito & Mark Roy 9/7  
Michael Albert 9/18 Larry Baumeister 9/19

**Please make sure we have your birthday on file if you would like to be included in the newsletter.**

### **WEEKLY RAFFLE**

*We encourage everyone to buy raffle tickets each week. Not only is it a great chance to win some cash!! But it helps with all the fabulous events that come to you throughout the year. ☺*