

**HEAVY IMPACT 2 - THE RAGGED EDGE 1**  
The "Heavies" jumped into top-spot by virtue of this win and a one and half point bonus against the "Raggies" who keep ticking over in the bonus stakes by putting another two points in the kitty.

**DEADLY DOUGHNUTS 1 - RATNERS 2**  
The "Rats" just got the better of the "Doughnuts" but taken all in they only gained 10 pins as the "Doughnuts" made good bonus to compensate for the dropped point.

**CAPOS 2 - KAMIKAZI TRIO 1**  
"Capos" took the last two games with ease after narrowly losing the first. The "Trio" slipped from 7th place down to 10th in the process.

#### **WEEK 11**

**DEMOLITION 3 - GENTLE TOUCH 0**  
Living up to their name "Demolition" put together their best series of the season giving the "Gentle Touch" very little opportunity to cause an upset. With a bonus score of over three points "Demolition" move up two places amongst the chasing pack. The "Gentle Touch" did not go away empty handed as they picked up almost 2 bonus points.

**BOWLMASTERS 2 - S & S MOTORS 1**  
League leaders "Bowlmasters" just came out on top after taking the first point with ease. Off to their usual start "S & S Motors" pulled back to take the second game before a ding-dong battle in the third game with the "Masters" squeezing home by just one pin. Good bonus was made by both teams and "Masters" have Mr. Perfect to tank for his 683 series.

**KAMIKAZI TRIO 2 - RATNERS 1**  
Another exciting match that could have gone either way but in the end swayed in favour of the "Trio" who wiped out last weeks disastrous bonus loss and gained a point. The "Rats" also kept up their bonus average and stay in 4th place.

**DEADLY DOUGHNUTS 1 - HEAVY IMPACT 2**  
The "Doughnuts" off to a good start in the first game were pegged back in the 2nd and 3rd as the "Heavies" just had the edge in the average stakes.

**MANHATTANS 2 - STRIKEFORCE 1**  
Both sides were below par in this match where "Manhattans" had a little bit more in the engine room to take the major share of the points.

**CAPOS 1 - THE RAGGED EDGE 2**  
The "Raggies" picked up another 2 points plus a bonus point and continue their climb up the ladder - still on the bottom rung they are gradually catching up the stragglers and with a position night next week it's becoming very tight.

#### **1ST POSITION NIGHT**

**DEADLY DOUGHNUTS 1 - CAPOS 2**  
"Capos" just edged out the "Doughnuts" in this encounter by the odd game to move 2 places up the table.

**DEMOLITION 0 - KAMIKAZI TRIO 3**  
The "Trio" are on song at the moment following last weeks 4 point haul with a further four points to lift them a further two places up on the table.

**S & S MOTORS 1.5 - STRIKEFORCE 1.5**  
One a piece in the first two games left it all to play for in the last. Down to the last frame and after handicap adjustments it was all square. Both teams just made bonus but have fallen behind the top three.

**GENTLE TOUCH 1 - THE RAGGED EDGE 2**  
The "Raggies" continues their improvement with a 2-1 win over the "Gentle Touch". With the help of this win plus nearly 3 points bonus they have overhauled the "Gentle Touch" leaving them in the basement.

**BOWLMASTERS 0 - HEAVY IMPACT 3**

The top of the table clash resulted in a win for the "Heavies" although the games were decided by only 10 pins and 1 pin. The "Masters" did not bowl to capability and duly lost identical bonus that they won last week. The "Heavies" take over at the top of the tree with a 4 point cushion over the "Masters" in second spot.

**MANHATTANS 0 - RATNERS 3**  
Both sides were below par, but "Ratners" made the most of it by nipping in for 3 points to hoist them into 3rd place.

#### **WEEK 13**

**CAPOS 0 - BOWLMASTERS 3**  
After a setback last week the "Masters" got back on track with this victory over "Capos". It keeps them in touch with the leaders but three points behind "Capos" remain in 8th place but are slipping behind the pack.

**KAMIKAZI TRIO 2 - MANHATTANS 1**

The "Trio" have forced their way into 4th spot by of this victory plus almost a point bonus. "Manhattans" were unable to overcome the handicap difference although scoring over 100 pins more and remain in 5th place.

**S & S MOTORS 0 - RATNERS 3**  
A disaster for the "Motors" as the "Rats" pinched all 3 points and made a point bonus that puts them into second spot. The "Motors" just couldn't fire and apart from narrowly losing the first game by 3 pins were well beaten.

**HEAVY IMPACT 3 - GENTLE TOUCH 0**  
The "Heavies" were let of the hook by the "Gentle Touch" who were well up at certain times during the games but were unable to provide that killer touch. The "Heavies" have now opened up a healthy lead at the top but they have 3 very tricky matches ahead.

**DEADLY DOUGHNUTS 2 - DEMOLITION 1**  
"Demolition" were out of the blocks first to easily take the first game but slipped badly thereafter giving the "Doughnuts" an opportunity to grab the last two games which they duly did lifting them above "Demolition" in the table.

**STRIKEFORCE 1 - THE RAGGED EDGE 2**  
The "Raggies" continue the revival trimming a sadly off colour "Strikeforce" by the odd point. The "Raggies" have now scored over 12 points in the last four weeks and are going great guns.

#### **WEEK 14**

**MANHATTANS 0 - HEAVY IMPACT 3**  
League leaders "Heavies" left "Manhattans" for dead as they powered to a massive 2008 series [including handicap] the highest series ever bowled in this league. With a three and a half point bonus haul, they now have an 8 points lead over their nearest rivals.

**DEMOLITION 3 - RAGGED EDGE 0**  
"Demolition" cruised to a welcome victory to pull them ever closer to the mid-table positions. "Demolition's" win plus 2 bonus points hoisted them three places up the table.

**STRIKEFORCE 2 - KAMIKAZI TRIO 1**  
The "Trio", after making fourth place last week, slipped back at the hands of "Strikeforce" to fifth spot. "Strikeforce", after a couple of barren weeks, returned to form picking up a point and a half bonus.

#### GENTLE TOUCH 1 - CAPOS 2

Despite having to use a blind score, "Gentle Touch" managed to take a point and made their target for bonus. "Capos" putting out the "religious mob" from the "holy city", after a bright start slipped badly in the second game but pulled up their "Cassocks" to take the third. (No room for typing error here!)

#### DEADLY DOUGHNUTS 1 - S & S MOTORS 2

A disjointed match swinging one way then the other. "Motors" just had the best of the swing with the "Doughnuts" taking the middle game.

#### BOWLMASTERS 1 - RATNERS 2

A very even match with the "Rats" just getting the better of them "Masters" in the middle game to secure the extra point.

#### WEEK 15

#### HEAVY IMPACT 3 - BOWLMASTERS 0

The "Heavies" consolidated their lead at the top of the table with this defeat of second place "Bowlmasters". the "Heavies" were well worth the points in this top of the table clash.

#### GENTLE TOUCH 1 - RATNERS 2

"Ratners" move into second place with this win over the "Gentle Touch". Both teams made good bonus as the "Gentle Touch" never gave up and to their credit took the last point.

#### DEMOLITION 2 - KAMIKAZI TRIO 1

"Demolition" put recent poor results behind them to put the skids under the "Trio", who have clocked up some useful scores of late, and join a huddle of teams between 3rd and 7th place separated by only two points!

#### STRIKEFORCE 3 - DEADLY DOUGHNUTS 0

After just scraping the first game by 5 pins and the second game by 7 pins "Strikeforce" must have known that their luck was in with the poor old "Doughnuts" having their oil temperature turned down for the evening by persons unknown.

#### CAPOS 0 - MANHATTANS 3

A sudden rush of blood to the head as "Manhattans" streaked to a welcome victory after a few weeks in the doldrums. Spare a thought for the poor old "Capos", a certain member turns up in his shirt and see what happens! It's a pity George is so busy next week as his steadying influence may have been

helpful!!

#### S & S MOTORS 2 - THE RAGGED EDGE 1

The "Raggies" started off at a furious pace taking the first game, not expected against the "Motors", but could not maintain the pressure allowing the "Motors" to salvage a little pride whilst taking the remaining points.

#### WEEK 16

#### STRIKEFORCE 0 - RATNERS 3

This victory closes the gap between "Ratners" and leaders "Heavy Impact" to just 5 points. There was precious little Christmas spirit here as the "Rats" steam rolled "Strikeforce" into submission.

#### HEAVY IMPACT 2 - S & S MOTORS 1

A turn up for the books as "Motors" won the first game but the "Heavies" came back well to take the second and third. Both teams made bonus all credit to the "Heavies" as they had one of the highest bonus scores to make this season with 1620.

#### DEADLY DOUGHNUTS 1 - MANHATTANS 2

A valuable win for the "Manhattans" to keep them in touch with the mid-table pack. The "Doughnuts" started well but could not maintain the pressure allowing the "Manhattans" the bulk of the points.

#### KAMIKAZE TRIO 1 - BOWLMASTERS 2

After easily taking the first two games "Bowlmasters" faltered and the "Trio" nipped in for the point "Bowlmasters" did have the highest ever bonus score to make and finished 25 pins over their target of 1643.

#### CAPOS 0 - DEMOLITION 3

The improving "Demolition" hoisted themselves into fourth place as a result of this victory. They have made a steady climb over the last three weeks and are well up with the chasing pack. What can we say about "Capos"? Two of them were obviously not on this planet or over come by the festive spirit of the wet variety.

#### GENTLE TOUCH 1 - RAGGED EDGE 2

The "Raggies" kept up their recent string of good results with this narrow victory over the ladies of "Gentle Touch". Both teams made good bonus in a very even contest.

#### WEEK 17

#### DEADLY DOUGHNUTS 0 - BOWLMASTERS 3

The "Doughnuts" were well and truly "dipped" by the "Deadly Droid" who put together a fine 686 series to put the game scores well out of their reach.

#### HEAVY IMPACT 1 - STRIKEFORCE 2

League leaders "Heavies" were given a shock by "Strikeforce" who caused an upset taking the first and last game adding nearly 2 points bonus in the process. The "Heavies" bowled to form in the second but could not make their bonus target over the series.

#### MANHATTANS 1 - THE RAGGED EDGE 2

The "Raggies" continued on their way with a good win over "Manhattans", collecting an extra 2 point bonus pushing them up to seventh place, the highest they have ever reached since joining the league.

#### DEMOLITION 1 - RATNERS 2

Despite using a blind score "Demolition" took the first game before the "Steve Milham Road Show" started to roll. After a mediocre first game, he hit a purple patch notching up 15 strikes in a row at on stage but was unfortunate not to be able to put 12 together in the same game. His last game of 275 had nine of them after finishing the second with 6. He however was compensated with an excellent 678 series.

#### WEEK 18

#### MANHATTANS 3 - RATNERS 0

Three consistent series by the players of "Manhattans" laid the foundations for this emphatic victory over second-place "Ratners". The Rats had a fighting chance in the second game, but were unable to overcome the haunting call of the "Pied Piper" who must have been playing away this week.

#### BOWLMASTERS 3 - THE RAGGED EDGE 0

"Bowlmasters" stepped up their challenge to the league leaders with this solid win and banked 4.5 points with bonus. The "Raggies" failed to keep up their recent form but still managed a little bonus.

#### CAPOS 3 - STRIKEFORCE 0

The praying over Christmas has obviously paid dividends for "Capos" as they have now taken 5 out of 6 points this year. Although the first two games were close "Strikeforce" were well beaten in the end by the "Crook and Mitre" brigade.

#### GENTLE TOUCH 2 - DEADLY DOUGHNUTS 1

The "Gentle Touch" with 3.5 points including bonus outpointed the "Doughnuts" who suffered yet another blow in losing 1.5 points bonus in the process.

**DEMOLITION 2 - HEAVY IMPACT 1**  
After a bright start the "Heavies" were stunned as "Demolition" fought back to take the second and third games off the league leaders.

**KAMIKAZI TRIO 2 - S & S MOTORS 1**  
"K3's" took the majority of the points off the "Motors" with three consistent games to consolidate their positions in mid-table. Alas poor "Motors" we knew them well - things are just not happening they even lost their one point to a minus bonus.

#### WEEK 19

**CAPOS 2 - HEAVY IMPACT 1**  
League leaders "Heavy Impact" were given a bit of a shock by the "Holy Terrors". "Capos", always neatly turned out by George, took the first and last games and a bonus point as all three players bowled above average. The "Heavies" had to settle for the odd point but had the compensation of a point and a half bonus.

**BOWLMASTERS 2 - GENTLE TOUCH 1**  
"Bowlmasters" edged a little closer to the leaders as a result of this match and a point bonus. The "Gentle Touch" stuck well to their task and were rewarded with the last point and a half point bonus.

**DEADLY DOUGHNUTS 1 - KAMIKAZI TRIO 2**  
The "Trio" improved one place with this win over the "Doughnuts" and move into fifth place. The luckless "Doughnuts" are not having a happy season compared to last seasons' position.

**DEMOLITION 0 - MANHATTANS 3**  
"Manhattans" secured all three points with considerable ease even though not setting the lanes alight. "Demolition" were sadly blow par and forfeited one place in the table.

**RATNERS 2 - THE RAGGED EDGE 1**  
"Ratners" slipped a little in their chase of the leaders and had to be thankful for two points in a low scoring match. The "Raggies" also found scoring difficult and lost a massive 89 pins bonus.

**S & S MOTORS 2 - STRIKEFORCE 1**  
Both teams had difficulty in securing any advantage during the match and in the end only 20 pins separated them.

#### WEEK 20

**BOWLMASTERS 3 - DEMOLITION 0**  
The "Masters" are on the move having taken over second place as a result of the 3 points plus 2 further bonus points gained against "Demolition" who found it hard going to make any progress.

**RATNERS 0 - CAPOS 3**  
"Ratners" were well beaten by "Capos" and as a result relinquished second place to "Bowlmasters". "Capos" were given a great start by Mike Sequenza who recorded his maiden 600 series with a creditable 631. Their 5.5 points with bonus, hoisted them three places up the table.

**MANHATTANS 0 - S & S MOTORS 3**  
A welcome result for the "Motors" who have been going through a rough patch of late. A 670 series from the "miser" put paid to any hopes of "Manhattans" salvaging a point and eventually finished up losing nearly 2 points bonus.

**KAMIKAZI TRIO 2 - HEAVY IMPACT 1**  
The "Heavies" found the "Trio" a tough nut to crack and had to settle for just one point and a small minus bonus that enabled them to retain top spot but it's getting close.

**GENTLE TOUCH 1 - STRIKEFORCE 2**  
Although taking 2 points "Strikeforce" lost bonus overall which did not help to improve their position. the "Gentle Touch" took their customary point with "Hammy" adding a bonus point by herself.

**THE RAGGED EDGE 1 - DEADLY DOUGHNUTS 2**  
In this very low scoring match the "Doughnuts" just came out on top but both sides lost loadza bonus in the process.

#### WEEK 21

**RATNERS 1 - HEAVY IMPACT 2**  
League leaders "Heavy Impact" took the majority of the points from the "Rats" after a see-saw struggle and one game apiece after two games. The "Heavies" put in a late burst in the third game to retain their position but they are slowly being overhauled.

**BOWLMASTERS 3 - STRIKEFORCE 0**  
The "Masters" pulled back another half point on the leaders and with position

round coming up soon there could be some changes afoot! The "Masters" again had the Droid in fine form contributing a fine 675 series and also a guest appearance of the "Baron of Beachy Head" who weighed in with a 570 series. "Strikeforce" can think themselves unlucky in the first and last games where the odd spare made all the difference.

**S & S MOTORS 2 - DEMOLITION 1**  
The "Motors" continued their recent spell of good results with this win over "Demolition" to lift themselves up into 5th place but were caught napping in the third game and lost by 7 pins.

**THE RAGGED EDGE 1 - KAMIKAZI TRIO 2**  
The "Trio" were given a fright in the first game losing by one pin and against a blind score. They didn't let it happen again and retained their 4th place with ease, the "Raggies" may well have had other ideas had they fielded a full line-up.

**MANHATTANS 1 - GENTLE TOUCH 2**  
In this low scoring match the ladies of "Gentle Touch" nicked the first and last games by the odd spare but were well beaten in the second as "Manhattans" bowled nearer their average.

**CAPOS 1 - DEADLY DOUGHNUTS 2**  
After last weeks heroics this was a bit of a letdown for "Capos" who could only manage to take the second game from the "Doughnuts" and were well beaten in the first and third

#### WEEK 22

**BOWLMASTERS 3 - MANHATTANS 0**  
"Bowlmasters" crept menacingly close to league leaders "Heavy Impact" with only 43 pins now being the difference. The "Masters" swept aside the challenge of "Manhattans" although the second game was close. "Masters" captain, Gary Steventon, was the Architect of this victory with a fine 667 series that included a 264 game.

**DEMOLITION 2 - STRIKEFORCE 1**  
"Demolition" took a giant stride up the table as a result of this win and now occupy 5th place. Solid scoring from all three players laid the foundation for this win over "Strikeforce" with two bonus points rounding off the night.

**THE RAGGED EDGE 0 - HEAVY IMPACT 3**  
League leaders "Heavy Impact" found the first game a bit tough but thereafter the "Raggies" did not present any great

difficulties. The "Heavies" made half a point bonus but no doubt would have liked more.

**RATNERS 1 - DEADLY DOUGHNUTS 2**  
The "Rats" seemed to have settled for third place - but whose that creeping up behind them? This result was not helpful to them but a tonic for the "Doughnuts" who have been going through a rough patch recently.

#### **KAMIKAZI TRIO 1 - CAPOS 2**

Just when they needed a boost the "Trio" came up against "Capos" the most improved team in the league during recent weeks. Although the scoring was on the low side both teams just about made their target - but a bonus point here or there would have been handy.

#### **S & S MOTORS 1 - GENTLE TOUCH 2**

Another low scoring match with the ladies of "Gentle Touch" picking up two valuable points by margins of 2 and 4 pins to keep them in touch with the mid table chasers.

#### **WEEK 23**

#### **S & S MOTORS 3 - BOWLMASTERS 0**

A nasty shock for the "Masters" as they were edged out of each game by the "Motors" who at last found a bit of that elusive sparkle to pick up nearly 5 points with bonus. The "Masters", who would have won all three games against any other team on the night, had to be content with a 42 pin bonus - losing a little ground in their chase for the title.

#### **GENTLE TOUCH 3 - DEMOLITION 0**

A fine win for the "Gentle Touch" lifting then from 10th to 7th place with 4.5 points including bonus and with position night next week there could be another scalp for them. "Demolition" made the "Bungy Jump" of the night dropping from 5th to 10th place.

#### **THE RAGGED EDGE 1 - CAPOS 2**

Both teams fielded only two players with "Capos" coming out on top courtesy of a 616 series from Bob Avery. Both teams surprisingly made bonus - 2 points for "Capos" and 1.5 points for the "Raggies".

#### **STRIKEFORCE 2 - MANHATTANS 1**

Another blind score used by "Manhattans" did not help their cause as "Strikeforce" had the handicap advantage to take the majority of points. "Manhattans" however made a bonus point to give them 2.5 points overall

more than "Strikeforce" who suffered a minus bonus!

**HEAVY IMPACT 2 - DEADLY DOUGHNUTS 1**  
League leaders "Heavy Impact" were relieved to see the "Bowlmasters" result as it helped them hang onto top spot by just over one point. They scraped home in the second and third games but lost almost a point bonus. Next weeks position round match against the "Masters" should prove very interesting.

#### **RATNERS 1 - KAMIKAZI TRIO 2**

Third placed "Ratners" again fell away badly after a good start and have now gone 6 weeks without making bonus. The "Trio" have cruised into 4th place a mere 3.5 points behind the "Rats" with the two teams set to play each other next week in the position round - could the tables be turned?

#### **WEEK 24**

#### **HEAVY IMPACT 3 - BOWLMASTERS 0**

"Bowlmasters", despite another good 600 plus series from Gary Steventon suffered their second whitewash in as many weeks as the "Heavies", taking advantage of the handicap difference, secured all three points. This now gives the "Heavies" a near 6 point lead at the top of the table with eleven weeks to go - still all to play for.

#### **S & S MOTORS 3 - CAPOS 0**

"S & S Motors" pushed themselves to within sight of the top three as a result of this win over a stubborn "Capos" team, unfortunately reduced to two players. Both teams made over a point bonus helping "Capos" to keep in touch with the front runners.

#### **MANHATTANS 1 - DEMOLITION 2**

"Manhattans" who did all their scoring in one game lost out in the first and last games and had to settle for one point plus a point bonus. "Demolition" just made bonus, but do move two places up the table.

#### **THE RAGGED EDGE 1 - DEADLY DOUGHNUTS 2**

Despite a 634 series from Andy Cook, that included a 257 game, the "Raggies" were beaten by the "Doughnuts" who are gradually pulling back pins lost.

#### **GENTLE TOUCH 1 - STRIKE FORCE 2**

In this low scoring match "Strikeforce" just managed to get the better of "Gentle Touch" but both teams had to settle for a minus bonus.

#### **RATNERS 1 - KAMIKAZI TRIO 2**

"Ratners" are hanging onto 3rd place by the slender margin of 22 pins after another off night. Although taking one game, a minus bonus took that away and more. The "Trio" did not fair much better, they had a minus bonus and failed to hold on to 4th place.

#### **WEEK 25**

#### **BOWLMASTERS 0 - CAPOS 3**

"Bowlmasters" suffered yet another whitewash to put a severe dent in their title hopes. "Capos", who have been scoring well of late, secured all three points and over two points bonus, and move into the pack chasing third place.

#### **MANHATTANS 1 - KAMIKAZI TRIO 2**

The "Trio" continue their move up the table this time into 4th spot as a result of this win plus two bonus points. "Manhattans" started well in the first game but fell off the pace in the next two but still move two places up the table.

#### **RATNERS 1 - S & S MOTORS 2**

"Motors" squeezed above the "Rats" and "Trio" by virtue of this win and a bonus point. The "Rats" drop to 5th place but it's still very close in mid-table.

#### **THE RAGGED EDGE 0 - STRIKEFORCE 3**

The "raggies", with only two players again, were totally overpowered by "Strikeforce" and paid the price by being relegated to the strongest position in the league. Three very steady games for "Strikeforce" amounted to over four points with bonus and keeps them well in touch with the chasing pack.

#### **GENTLE TOUCH 1 - HEAVY IMPACT 2**

"Heavy Impact" increased their lead at the top of the table with nearly three points including bonus and taking into account the "Bowlmasters" result, now have a commanding 8 point lead. The "Gentle Touch" had to settle for 1.5 points with bonus and one place drop.

#### **DEMOLITION 1 - DEADLY DOUGHNUTS 3**

A very close match here, one point apiece after two games the "Doughnuts" squeaked the last game by five pins. The result lifts them off the bottom by just two pins! "Demolition" drop one place and are becoming the see-saw team of the season.

#### **WEEK 26**

#### **KAMIKAZI TRIO 3 - STRIKEFORCE 0**

The performance of the night from the "Trio" as they cruised to an emphatic

win over "Strikeforce" clocking up a massive six points bonus. This result puts them into third place with an outside chance of catching the leader's if they can maintain this kind of form.

**HEAVY IMPACT 1 - MANHATTANS 2**  
"Manhattans" caught the "Heavies" on an off night to swoop in for 2 points and a 40 pin bonus. The "Heavies" lost their one point and more to a minus bonus but still have a 5 point cushion at the top of the league.

**RATNERS 1 - BOWLMASTERS 2**  
"Bowlmasters", despite losing the last game, pulled back two points on the leaders but could have done with a bit more bonus. "Ratners" retain 5th place even after a minus bonus.

**S & S MOTORS 0 - DEADLY DOUGHNUTS 3**  
The "Doughnuts" took all three points with comparative ease as the "Motors" struggled to even make their target. They finished well short and lost nearly two points bonus compared to the "Doughnuts" who made 1.5 points bonus.

**CAPOS 1 - GENTLE TOUCH 2**  
Another good result for the ladies of "Gentle Touch" against the very courteous "Capos" who move up 2 places despite this result. The "Gentle Touch" move smartly into 8th place well in sight of 6th and 7th places.

**THE RAGGED EDGE 1 - DEMOLITION 2**  
Rounding off the matches on this low scoring evening "Demolition" overcame "Raggies" bowling their exact target figure but even so they still drop one place in the table. The "Raggies" are now firmly entrenched as the strongest team in the league.

## WEEK 27

**KAMIKAZI TRIO 2 - DEMOLITION 1**  
The "Trio", highest scorers for the second week have certainly stepped up a gear to stand only eight and a bit points off the lead!! Good bonus on top of the game points has been the secret with this weeks' 2 points being the prime example. "Demolition" weren't too far behind with 1.46 points and move yet again, two places "UP" this week.

**BOWLMASTERS 3 - HEAVY IMPACT 0**  
After a barren couple of weeks "Bowlmasters" came back strong against league leaders "Heavy Impact". With 600+ series from the "Droid" and the

"Baron" they ran out easy winners, on paper, as the pendulum swung their way. They are now only a point behind the "Heavies" but there are still 8 weeks to go, and all on resurfaced lanes.

**MANHATTANS 2 - CAPOS 1**  
A good start by "Manhattans" saw them pocket over 3.5 points with bonus despite a lapse in the last game as "Capos" got their "crooks" out to demolish a few more pins and salvage a point to offset their minus bonus.

**THE RAGGED EDGE 2 - S & S MOTORS 1**  
A good performance by the "Raggies", bowling well above target they gained a further 2.5 points bonus to bring them within one point of relinquishing the strongest place in the league. "Motors" found a bit of form to take the second game but were unable to keep up with a team rolling 160 above target.

**RATNERS 2 - GENTLE TOUCH 1**  
The "Rats" returned to better results with their win over "Gentle Touch", but without any major contributor had to be content with a modest bonus - after the last three weeks they'd settle for anything rather than a minus! "Gentle Touch" were much the same although only just made their target.

**DEADLY DOUGHNUTS 1 - STRIKEFORCE 2**  
With only one pin between the teams after bonus calculations it was not surprisingly a particularly close match game-wise apart from the first. Both teams eventually made bonus and retain the same positions as last week.

## CLIFTONVILLE YBC

We are now fourteen weeks into the season and quite a busy season it is, so far we have been away to NAYBC club (south), Inter Counties (Liverpool), The Kid of the Hill Dagenham and six teams at the ever popular Coach and Four Tournament at Bexleyheath, and our last tournament for 1993 was the Kent Inter Centre at Cliftonville.

1994 looks to be a busy year as well if not more so with the Kent Junior Roll-Offs, Junior Duo Plus 1, and the N & P Roll Offs in the first few months of the year.

In April we have Bowler of the Year tournament at Cliftonville and the KTBA

Junior Areas Championships at Bexleyheath.

The Nationals at Nottingham in May for those who want to have a week-end away and in June our own Junior Coast to Coast tournament and finally the N & P Grand Prix at Nottingham also in June.

Enough of tournaments lets see how our bowlers and their teams are doing.

## BREAST STROKE

Teamwise Breast Stroke are still top of the league with 48 points and so far only dropping 8 points with team captain Dominic Steventon who has won the bowler of the week trophy three times so far this season, as has team-mate Steve Hatt and finally third team member David Milham all three are bowling well and are determined to keep their first place spot.

## DREAM TEAM

In second place and only 1 point behind the leaders are the Dream Team, under the captaincy of Nigel Cruttenden along with team mates Jamie Cuthill and Colin Milham, these three lads look set to keep the pressure on the leaders.

## PHOTO FINISH

In third place on 43 points are Photo Finish the boss of this team, Ian Mackinnon, is having a very good season holding a 149 average compared with a 136 last season, along with team mates Chris Harman and Michael Chang the aim to keep up on top.

## 5 RINGERS

4th place goes to the 5 Ringers on 38 points, under the watchful eye of team captain and our most experienced bowler Mark Icke who is in his last season as a junior bowler also another winner of our weekly bowler of the week, 3 times this season. Team mate Kevin Milham (leftie) showing great promise for the future, in the past year his average has gone from 137 to a steady 165 and finale team member Lindsay Allerton who has recently bowled her personal best of 169.

## SHOT AWAY

In 5th place we have Shot Away (and sometimes I think they are) 36 points to their credit, team-mates Martin Mackinnon and Simon Hooper are only in their second year of bowling and at ages 10 and 11 they are doing BRILL!!! eh Charlie!! looking after their team