



# HALL OF FAME



**HENRY J. LAPINSKI**

**YEAR INDUCTED: 1988**

**CATEGORY: MERITORIOUS SERVICE**

**SOUTHAMPTON, PENNSYLVANIA**

Mr. Henry J. Lapinski entered into the Pennsylvania State USBC Hall of Fame for his outstanding contributions to the game of bowling.

Hank's service to the bowlers spans all levels of organized bowling, local, state and national. On the local level, he has served the Greater Philadelphia Bowling Association from 1957 until his death in 1999, starting as a director and becoming President in 1985. He also served as secretary of many leagues in the Philadelphia area. On the state level, he was elected 4th Vice President in 1977 and proceeded through the chairs to become President for the 1981-1982 season. He served on nearly every standing committee of the PSBA and has chaired many of them. He regularly attended all State meetings and conventions and his input at all PSBA meetings was most productive. In 1971, Hank became an American Bowling Congress Director and in 1981 was elected as 10th Vice President. In 1991 he became only the second Pennsylvanian to hold the office of President to the American Bowling Congress. Hank has served on many important committees of the A.B.C. and chaired such committees as the Education Committee, Legal Committee and the High Score & Awards Committee.