



HALL OF FAME



JOHN MATUS

YEAR INDUCTED: 2018

CATEGORY: BOWLING ABILITY

ALLENTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA

It is with pleasure that we welcome John Matus into the Pennsylvania State USBC Bowling Association Hall of Fame this evening. John Matus enters the Pennsylvania State Bowling Association, for his outstanding bowling ability.

John has been involved in organized bowling for 55 years. He served as League President or Secretary for over 20 years. He was a member of the Lehigh Valley Masters Tournament Committee for 20 years and was a member of the Bethlehem Hall of Fame Selection Committee. He did color commentary for Twin County TV4, Service Electric TV2, and WFMZ channel 69. John was named to the Lehigh Valley All-Star Team three times. He is a Hall of Fame member of both Allentown and Bethlehem bowling associations.

John has bowled in 17 PSBA Championship Tournaments and 41 ABC/USBC Tournaments. He has thirty-three 300 games, seven 800 series, and over three hundred 700 series. His highest league average was 228 and his highest series is 836. He was a member of the 1980 PSBA Scratch Team Champions. John and his partner won the 2006 PSBA Seniors Scratch Doubles event and finished 2nd in that event in 2013.

He has many tournament titles in the Allentown District and Bethlehem Bowling Associations. John won the 1982 Lehigh Valley Masters Championship and is a 12 time ESTA Champion. He has four Dutchman Tournament titles, and six Buddy Tierno Tournament titles. He won the Tune-up Classic in Las Vegas at the High Roller Senior Classic.