

The Write Angle



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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

TOGETHER=SUCCESS

Alone we can do so little;
Together we can do so much!

The theme of the 2024 Delegate Welcome Party and Exchange Mart is:

TOGETHER=SUCCESS and we are anticipating many unique depictions of those words as the local associations present their ideas on:

Coming together is a beginning.
Keeping together is progress but
Working together is success!

The Poster Contest is always one of the high points as the competition seems to get stronger each year. We have so many creative people in Ohio. Time now to start those ideas brewing for a winning poster. Will it be yours?

The 2024 Convention will have a different look as all the delegate events will be hosted on Saturday. Delegates can leave home in the morning and at 10:00 AM attend the Welcome Party and Exchange Mart, where you will be greeted with a cup of coffee and a donut as you visit the association displays. The Combined Clubs this year will host an Awards Luncheon where all the various awards will be presented. The Ohio State USBC Annual Meeting will begin at 2:00 PM and those not staying for the Hall of Fame Gala in the evening can be on their way home before dark.

Do not forget that the deadline for submitting applications for our Mary Jannetto Award, our Garrett Swartz Award and our Ruth Heath-Trott Award is February 1st. Ohio has so many dedicated volunteers and we are sure your association has at least one. Start now gathering information and get the application submitted. We want to

help you celebrate your outstanding members! All the application forms can be found on our website www.buckeyebowlingwriters.com

The Writing and Photography Contest entries also have a February 1st deadline. Keep in mind that if you only publish an electronic newsletter, it is still eligible for our Rilla Yeater Publication Award. Also, any “on-line” articles may be used for the Sam Levine Best News Story Award. We see some great actions shots on Facebook. Submit those photos for our Leigh Betts Memorial Photography Contest.

The 2023-24 Nominating Committee is seeking candidates for the offices of: Secretary/Treasurer and 4 Director positions. Alicia Elam, 763 Cascade Rd. Cincinnati, OH 45240 is our Nominating Committee Chair for 2024 and a copy of the Candidate Application is available on our website www.buckeyebowlingwriters.com. Deadline for submitting applications is February 15th, 2024. Consider becoming a board member of this hardworking and enthusiastic group. We support and promote OHIO BOWLING!

Poster Information



Requirements:

- Posters must be in place at the Exchange Mart by 10:00 a.m. on Saturday. Only one poster association/organization.
- Posters must be “homemade”.

Posters will be judged on:

- General Appearance
 - P Is it attention-getting?
 - P Is it done neatly?
 - P Does it catch the eye of the passerby?
 - P Does it retain your interest enough to read the entire content?
- Originality—How do you present your subject matter?
- Clarity/Identity
 - P How easy is it to tell who submitted the entry?
 - P Does it meet size requirements of 30”x 40”?
 - P How well do you express the theme? **TOGETHER=SUCCESS**

NEW DAY! NEW TIME!



Reserve your table for the Exchange Mart! “Together = Success”

Contact: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: ____ Zip: _____

Phone#: _____ - _____ - _____

Association/Club: _____

Email: _____



You must have a poster to have a table.

Deadline to reserve is April 29, 2024. Number requested _____ @ \$5.00 per table. Poster board must be 40 x 30.

Hope to see you there.

Make checks payable to: Buckeye Bowling Writers.

Send your table request/s to: Joy Kellenbarger, 2026 Lake Rd. SE., Lancaster, OH 43130 Email seohusbc@aol.com Phone 740-653-1598 office.

You must have a poster to have a table. Remember the theme this year is: “Together = Success” Poster board must be 40 x 30. Call or email me if you have any questions.

Hope to see you there.

Joy

The Buckeye Bowling Writers is your key to learning and improving your writing skills!

Our mission is to bring together in an atmosphere of friendliness and cooperation those who promote bowling in the State of Ohio and who are members of any Ohio bowling association. Our services and activities include:

- ☐ Newsletter - The Write Angle
- ☐ Writing Contest
- ☐ Publication Contest
- ☐ Poster Contest
- ☐ Annual Meeting and Awards Presentations
- ☐ Workshops
- ☐ Website - www.buckeyebowlingwriters.com
- ☐ Administers the Mary Jannetto Award for Local Bowling Promotion
- ☐ Administers the Ruth Heath-Trott Award for Excellence in Bowling Involvement
- ☐ Exchange Mart for members and guests
- ☐ Delegate Welcome Party for delegates and guests attending the Ohio State USBC Annual Meeting (Shared responsibility rotated among the members of the Buckeye Bowling Boosters Club)
- ☐ Supports the International Bowling Museum and Hall of Fame and the Bowlers to Veterans Link
- ☐ Offers promotion and publicity assistance to Ohio local associations
- ☐ Promotes Ohio State USBC activities
- ☐ Promotes International Bowling Media Association of America membership

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

I hereby apply for membership in the BUCKEYE BOWLING WRITERS and confirm all information below is correct:

Name: _____ Phone: () _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

E-Mail: _____

Local Association: _____ Position: _____

Publication for which I write: _____

Dues Enclosed: \$7.00 New _____ Renewal _____

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