

Mark H. Talmadge: Hall of Fame Nomination for Meritorious Achievement

Category I

Membership and Conduct:

- **MTCBA Membership:** 25 years.
- **Suspension History:** Never been suspended.

Section C: Part I

Championships:

- **MTCBA Team Championships:** 3 times (1998, 1977, 1994, 1995, 1996).
- **MTCBA Doubles Championships:** 4 times.
- **MTCBA Singles Championships:** No championships.
- **MTCBA All Events Championships:** 1 time.
- **State Team Championships:** No championships.
- **State Doubles Championships:** No championships.
- **State Singles Championships:** No championships.
- **State All Events Championships:** No championships.
- **National Team Championships:** No championships.
- **National Doubles Championships:** No championships.
- **National Singles Championships:** No championships.
- **National All Events Championships:** No championships.

Note: Although Mark has no championships at the State or National level, he has achieved top 10 finishes in both.

Section C: Part 2

League Achievements:

- **800 Series:** 3 occurrences (1993, 1997, 1998).
- **700 Series:** Over 100 occurrences.
- **300 Games:** 7 occurrences.
- **299 Games:** 1 occurrence.
- **298 Games:** No occurrences.
- **11 in a Row Club:** 7 occurrences (1990, 1996, 1997, 1998).
- **220 Average:** No occurrences.
- **210-219 Average:** 6 years (1992, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998).
- **200-209 Average:** 4 years (1989, 1990, 1991, 1993).

Note: Mark has numerous achievements in these categories demonstrating his excellence in bowling.

Section C: Part 3

Other Tournaments:

- **MTCBA Masters:** 1998, 1993.
- **NEBA Tournament:** 1994 – singles, doubles.
- **Canada Dry Tournament:** Mid-70s.
- **Cash Winning Doubles:** 1993.
- **Rotary Club - Cove Lanes Mixed Team Tournament:** 1998.

Section C: Part 4

National Tournaments Bowled In:

- **Participation Years:** 1976, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997.

Character and Contributions:

Mark Talmadge is known for his impeccable composure and character on and off the lanes. He is a competitive bowler with a confident, easy-going attitude, earning him respect from peers and admiration in the bowling community. His consistency and positive image make him an exemplary candidate for the Hall of Fame.

Summary:

- **Name:** Mark H. Talmadge
- **Hall of Fame Category:** Meritorious Achievement
- **Date of Recognition:** March 28, 1999
- **Achievements:**
 - **Team Champion:** 1998
 - **Singles Champion:** 1977, 1994, 1995, 1996
 - **All Events Champion:** 1994
 - **Masters Tournament Champion:** 1993, 1998
 - **Top Ten Finisher (State and National):** Teams – 3 years, Doubles – 6 years, Singles – 8 years, All Events – 10 years.

Mark has maintained a 210 average since 1989, achieved over 100 - 700 series, 7 - 300 games, 1 - 299 game, and 7 - 11 in a row occurrences. His excellence, dedication, and positive attitude make him a deserving inductee into the Hall of Fame.