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Date: August 12&13, 2017 Squad Times: 9:00 AM 1:00 PM & 5:00 PM

Place: Cherry Lanes – 11thFrame.com Open Field Limited to the first 156 Paid Entries

301 Bell Street Practice sessions will begin at 9:00 AM 1:00 PM & 5:00 PM

Dubuque, IA 52001 563-690-2100

Date: September 16 & 17, 2017 Squad Times: 9:00 AM 1:45 PM & 6:30 PM

Place: Maple Lanes – Fusion Realtors Open Field Limited to the first 180 Paid Entries

608 University Ave Practice sessions will begin at 9:00 AM 1:45 PM & 6:30 PM

Waterloo, IA 50701 319-234-1414

Date: October 1, 2017 Squad Time: 10:00 AM

Place: Bowlerama Lanes

All entries are to be received by 10:00 AM

1313 E. Diehl Avenue Practice session will begin at 10:00 AM

Des Moines, IA 50315 515-285-2811

Date: October 28, 2017 (Saturday 10 gamer) Squad Time: 3:00 PM (Saturday Afternoon)

Place: Totem BowlAll entries are to be received by 3:00 PM1101 S. 6th StreetPractice session will begin at 3:00 PM

Marshalltown, IA 50158 641-752-4269

Date: November 19, 2017 (Iowa Open) Squad Time: 9:00 AM

Place: May City Bowl All entries are to be received by 9:00 AM

1648 Trent St. SW Practice session will begin at 9:00 AM Double Points

Cedar Rapids, IA 52404 319-362-0136

Date: December 2, 2017 (50/50 4 Person) Squad Time: 12:30 PM

Place: Cadillac Lanes All entries are to be received by 12:30 PM

650 LaPorte Rd Practice session will begin at 12:30 PM

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Date: December 3, 2017 (50/50 Doubles) Squad Time: **10:00 AM**

Place: Cadillac Lanes
All entries are to be received by 10:00 AM
650 LaPorte Rd
Practice session will begin at 10:00 AM

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Date: January 13, 2018 (Ft. Dodge Ford/Calisesi Chiropractic Open) Squad Times: 9:30 AM & 2:30 PM

Place: Ridgewood LanesAll entries to be received by squad starting timesCrossroads CentrePractice sessions begin at 9:30 AM & 2:30 PM

Ft. Dodge, IA 50501 515-576-7214

Date: February 3, 2018 (GIBA Doubles) Squad Time: 10:00 AM

Place: Leisure Lanes All entries to be received by squad starting time

2802 West 73rd Street Practice session will begin at 10:00 AM

Davenport, IA 52806 563-386-3537

Date: February 4, 2018 (Triple Elimination) Squad Time: 9:00 AM

Leisure LanesAll entries to be received by squad starting time

2802 West 73rd Street Practice session will begin at 9:00 AM

Davenport, IA 52806 563-386-3537

Date: February 10&11, 2018 Squad Times: 9:00 AM, 1:45 PM & 6:30 PM Final Point Event

Place: Cadillac Lanes – Fusion Realtors Open Field Limited to the first 204 Paid Entries

650 LaPorte Road Practice sessions will begin at 9:00 AM 1:45 PM & 6:30 PM

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The GIBA charges a \$10.00 annual membership fee.

We have made a change to the eligibility for the final points event. All bowlers will be allowed to enter this tournament. Only members who have bowled at least 4 of our previous events will be eligible for a special supplemental prize fund from left over membership fees, bracket proceeds from prior tournaments, and sponsor dollars. The entry fee to participate in the special prize fund will be \$20.00. Members who have bowled in 3 of our prior tournaments may pay an entry fee of \$75.00 to participate and bowl for the supplemental prize fund. The supplemental prize fund will pay back at a ratio of at least 1:3 based on the standings from the final points tournament.

This change is being made to reward those members who have supported our tournaments throughout the season. The supplemental prize fund should be at least \$2000.00 based on prior years money added to the prize fund for the final point tournament. If you have any questions regarding this arrangement, please feel free to ask and I will do my best to explain in further detail.

We also made another change to our points calculation. The final two tournaments from the 2016-17 season, The GIBA Doubles and the Triple Elimination held in Muscatine will count as point events for the 2017-18 season.

The location for our second Fusion Realtors/Community 1st National Bank Open is currently listed as Cadillac Lanes. The final decision on location has not been determined pending further discussion. The ownership group from Maple Lanes, Fran & Rich Eighme, and Zach Beschorner have purchased Cadillac Lanes as well, and remodeling work is being done at Cadillac. They will end up with 36 lanes, and updates to the facility are in the works.

Please note, a change is being implemented in the Saturday qualifying for both Fusion Realtors/Community 1st National Bank Open tournaments. The qualifying block on Saturday will now be 6 games. This change is being made to help ensure that qualifying squads can be started on time. The Sunday cashers round will remain a 6 game block.