



HALL OF FAME

2019 - REBECCA DIAZ (WIZE) - GLENOAK (ATHLETE)

2019 - MICHAEL THEWES - PERRY (ATHLETE)

2019 - ROBYN M. KING - LAKE (ATHLETE)

2019 - RUSSELL L. WARRINGTON - PERRY (COACH)

**2019 - JULIE ANN "ANNIE" CASE - PROPRIETOR, PRESIDENT
SPONSOR, GRANDMOTHER OF HS BOWLING**

2020/23 - KARA KUTZ (THOMAS) - MINERVA (ATHLETE)

2020/23 - MATT MOECIA - MASSILLON (ATHLETE)

2020/23 - TAYLOR DEVAUL (STURM) - JACKSON (ATHLETE)

2024 - NICK HARRISON - HOOVER - (ATHLETE)

2024 - ADAM KUTZ - PERRY (ATHLETE)

2024 - ROGER WEBB - PERRY (COACH)

**2024 - JIM HEIGHWAY - HOOVER - COACH, AAF OFFICER,
BOARD MEMBER, SPONSOR, FOUNDING MEMBER**



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Rebecca Diaz (Wise)

A 2007 Graduate of GlenOak High School. She was a 4 year letter-winner. 4 tim GHS bowler of the year. 3 time state qualifier; 2 with the team and 1 as an individual. She had 2 300 games in here high school career. She was a 4 year 1st team all conference award winner. She was voted Canton Repository Bowler of the Week. Since High School she has had 4 300's and multiple 700 series. Averaging over 200 every year since high school. She went on to graduate in 2016 with a Bachelor of Arts from the University of Akron. She is a mother to two young boys. Both of which are following in mom's footsteps!



Michael "Mike" Thewes

A 2008 Graduate of Perry High School. He was a 3 year letter winner for the Panthers. In 2008 he had the record high average in the history of Perry with a 215 composite and a 219 conference. 2007 2nd team all county, a Keystone Jr. Tour, Cleveland Regional Champion, 3 time Pepsi State Qualifier. 2008 1st team all conference, All Star member. 2008 Keystone Jr. Tour, Cleveland Region Champion. He has carried over a 210 average every year since graduation. He was the MVP in the Stark County Travel League in 2008-09 and just set the house record with a 868 series at Stow Kent Family Entertainment Centre with games of 300-289-279. He has to date (March 2019) 11 300's and 6 800's.



Robyn M. King

A 2014 Graduate of Lake High School. She was a 4 year 1st team all conference member in the SCHSBC. She earned 4 1st team All Federal League Honors. Was voted 2012 Federal League Girls Bowler of the Year. Career high game of 290, 2 game series of 481 and 3 game tournament series of 601. Career Averages 9th=183.9 10th=198.2, 11th= 191.7, 12th=202.1. Holds school records for the high game, high season average of 202.10, high career average 193.9 She was the recipient of the Greater Canton USBC scholarship in 2014. Robyn graduated from the University of Akron in 2018.



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Russell L Warrington



A key figure in the SCHSBC since it began in 2001. Russ was the first head coach at Perry High School going 9-0 the first season. He followed that up with a 7-5 record and in 2003-04 he went 9-3 giving him a 25-8 overall record. He took one team to the state finals and had an individual state champion. Only stepping down from the head coach position after his second heart attack. He began his coaching career at Country Fair Lanes and then coached for over 30 years at Hall of Fame Lanes in Canton. He was named Stark Young American Bowling Alliance Coach of the Year in 2002. Russ started his own bowling career in 1959. Russ had 6 300 games and 2 800's. He even had two 300 games on the same day two different leagues. Russ passed in 2016 but he will never be forgotten by those who knew him.

Bowling and coaching went together for Russ.



Julia Ann "Annie" Case

The Godmother of high school bowling. Annie would not take "no" for an answer. Which is one of the main reasons we have been able to do what we do for over 18 years now. When she was told no, she pushed harder and got this whole thing started for all of us. I don't know who would want to get in her way. She has been coaching for 50+ years and, now she is a special honorary member this year for all her hard work, determination and selfless acts for all current and former bowlers. It is only right to have her in the inaugural SCHSBC Hall of Fame. We love you Annie!!



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CLASS OF 2020
INDUCTED IN 2023**

No Classes between 2020-2022 due to Covid Restrictions



Kara Kutz (Thomas)

Is a 2013 graduate of Minerva High School. She was a multi sport athlete in high school, Thomas was a Team state qualifier her freshman year, as well as a 4 year 1st team award winner in the American Division as well as the 2013 Bowler of year her senior season.

Since high school, Kara can still be found on the lanes, having had 1 300 game in the city tournament along with numerous 700 series. Her best series to date is a impressive 794.



She has been to the USBC Open Championship to date, 6 times. She is averaging 171 for her career at the Open. Her team placed 22nd in 2021 and 55th in 2022. Kara and fellow HOF inductee were a part of the Nation's highest score for 2 woman, 1 man team with their high series in 2021-2022 season. Kara has worked in medical billing for the past 3.5 years and am currently attending college for medical coding. Kara married fellow SCHSBC alum Adam Kutz in August of 2022. Where she continues to this day loving to spend time with her family and bowling with her husband.



Matthew Moecia

Is a 2003 graduate from Massillon Washington High School. High school bowling was officially formed during his junior year in 2001-2002, for Stark County. Matts memories of his time include, going door to door with his coach and mentor Dick Moecia, coach (and fellow HOF Member) Russ Warrington, his father Richard Moecia and all the surrounding coaches hoping and wanting this to snowball together to form this conference of high school bowling. Matt was a two-time state qualifier, being apart of the first Massillon team to travel to the state championships, finishing 5th his senior season. He was able to anchor the team that won the Stark County high school bowling conference championship in 2003. He also received high school bowler of the year and anchor award in 2003. His best set in high school was in match play at AMF hall of fame lanes where he had 17 consecutive strikes in a row for games of 279 and 278. Matt is now a father of two wonderful children Dominic and Natalie Moecia and owns a landscape business called Mow King Property Solutions.



Class of 2020 (2023)



Taylor Devaul (Sturm)

A 2014 Graduate of Jackson High School. She was a 4-year letter winner and 2-time JHS bowler of the year. She was a 3-year 1st team all-conference award winner and 2-time Stark County bowler of the year.

She is a Sectional individual champion and 4-time State Qualifier; reaching all 4 years with the team. She was voted Canton Repository Bowler of the Week during here illustrious career. She had a 298 game and three 500+ 2-game series in her high school career. After high school she went on to attend school and bowl for Notre Dame College of Ohio. The team was 3-time nationals' qualifiers. She finished with the 22nd best average in the nation her senior year of college. She has 2 300's since high school and multiple 700 series. She recorded a career high average of 223 during the 2021-22 season, which earned her the Eagles 190 league bowler of the year. Her Travel League team, which included fellow HOF member (Kara), was recently awarded with 2-women, 1-man team high series in the nation for the 2021-2022 season. She has been working in marketing for an animal health corporation for 5 years, has been the Boys Varsity bowling coach for Canton Central Catholic for 3 years, head of the Stark County Bowling Youth Committee for 3 years and married less than a year ago. Taylor is passionate about the sport and plans to stay heavily involved in the bowling community for years to come!



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CLASS OF 2024**

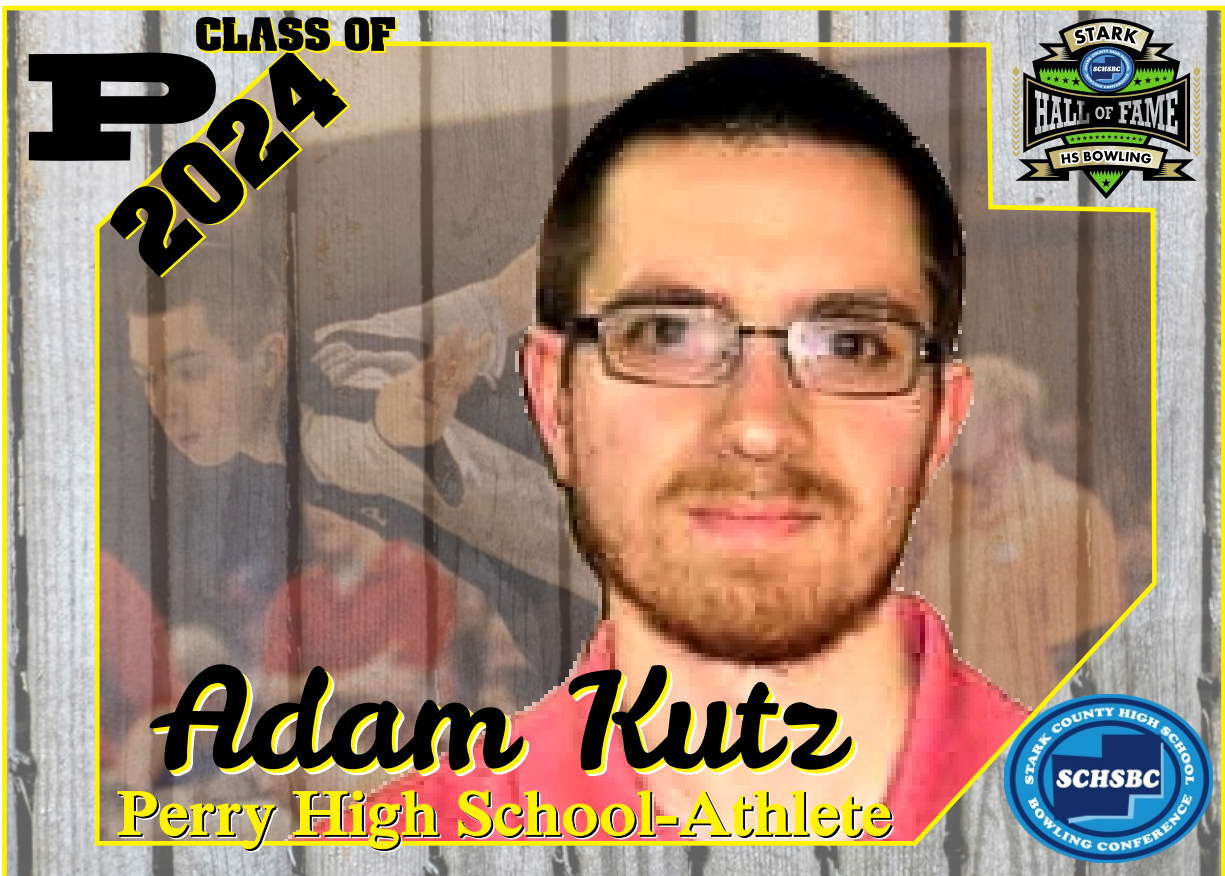


Sunday April 7, 2024



Nick Harrison Bio

A 2011 North Canton Hoover High School graduate, Nick set school scores that still stand. As a freshman, Nick earned first-team, all-conference honors with a 213 average. He also led his team to the district tournament, just missing the states. His sophomore season, he averaged 225.3 with a high game of 279 and the conference high series with 521. Junior year he averaged 219, with a 300 game in his match versus Austintown Fitch at Park Centre Lanes. Also, Leading his team to Districts that season. His Senior season, he took his game to a new level, helping the Vikings set a school record with a 3,240 pinfall. He finished that year with a 234 average, finishing less than a pin from setting the conference record. He also had the conference high series of 534 that season. He was a four-time district qualifier. He earned first-team all-conference honors all four of his seasons, with the Vikings compiling a 41-13 record during his high school career. Today Nick and his wife Emily have been married for 7 years and live in Cuyahoga Falls. They have two kids, Theo (3) and Lucy (1). Nick, graduated from Stark State with a degree in Petroleum Engineering Technology. He works in Engineering at Edinbridge (formerly Dominion). He owns and operates his own lawn care business on the side. Enjoys bowling with his brother on weekday evenings, carpentry, renovating his home, board games, skeet shooting, golfing, skiing, going on dates with his wife, having the greenest lawn in the neighborhood, hosting friends and family for barbecues, singing and playing various instruments, and passing the love of trying new things onto his kids.

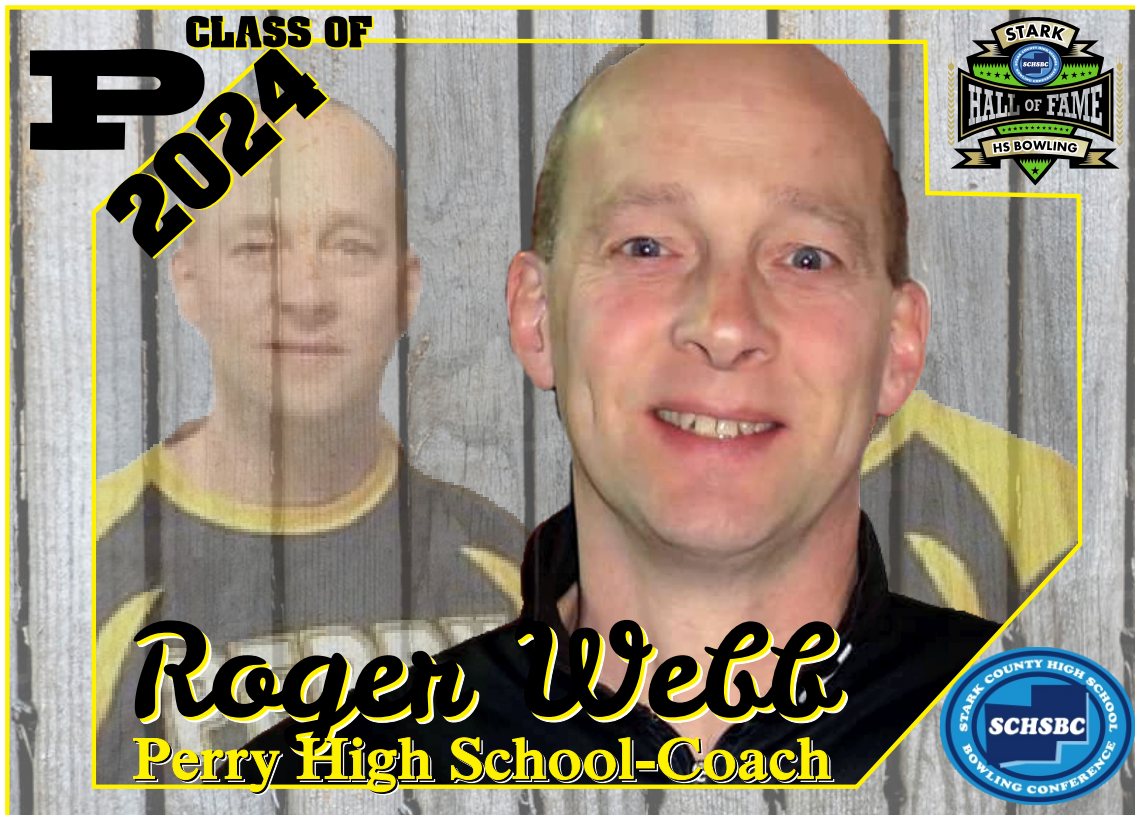


Adam Kutz
Perry High School-Athlete

Adam Kutz Bio

A 2009 Perry High School graduate, Kutz was the first four-year letter winner for the Panthers. He was a key contributor on four teams that qualified for the state tournament. In 2007, he finished 25th at state as the Panthers finished eighth overall and also 15th in 2008. He was first team all-conference in 2009 with a 214 average and second team in 2008 with a 200 average. Adam rolled the first 800 series in conference history which included a 300 game. He also posted the high series at the 2008 Northeast District tournament, finishing 25th overall at state as an individual. Adam was on three teams that finished among the top 10 at state (fourth in 2006, eighth in 2007 and 10th in 2008). Adam received a scholarship following his graduation from the Greater Canton Bowling Association and returned as a junior varsity coach to Perry in 2010. He also was named the Dick Moecia Rookie of the Year by the GCBA that year. He attended Kent State University and graduated in 2017 with a bachelor's degree in business. During his adult career, he has 16 300 games and 11 800 series, while bowling in the Northeast Ohio Travel League for the past 10 years. He is married to fellow SCHSBC Hall of Fame member Kara (Thomas) Kutz.





Roger Webb Bio

Also being inducted is Webb, who began his coaching career during the 2004-05 season, going 9-4 that first year and winning SCHSBC coach of the year honors. An honor that Roger would go on to win seven times during his career. He also won in '06-'07, '09-'10, '10-'11, '11-'12, '12-'13 and '14-'15. He led the Panthers to four Federal League boys championships, in '09-'10, '10-'11, '11-'12 and '13-'14. He also finished second during the '14-'15 and '15-'16 seasons. His total team awards include three sectional titles, two district titles, five state appearances, five conference titles, four Federal division titles, seven coach of the year honors and four Federal League championships. His teams finished fifth in the state in 2004-05, fourth in 2005-06, eighth in 2006-07, 10th in 2007-08 and seventh in 2010-11. He also coached five athletes who rolled 300 games and a team Baker System 300 during the 2013-14 season. He had three SCHSBC players of the year, and coached four Federal League bowlers of the year. At the time of his retirement, Roger had 150 wins and 48 losses — the highest total wins in conference history for a boys coach.



Jim Heighway Bio

A fixture in high school bowling since the first frame in 2001, Jim has been with the conference as either a coach, administrator or sponsor during the SCHSBC's 23 years. He was involved in the creation and founding of the conference in 2001, when he was able to convince North Canton Athletic Director Joe Eaton to take a chance on our sport. After several years of nos and "that will never take off," he talked Eaton into trying the sport and, as they say, the rest is history. Jim was the founding coach of the Hoover High School bowling program, starting the team from scratch and raising money to fund the program for the first seven years. He wanted to see kids bowl and have success at the same time. He served as both boys and girls coach his entire career, begging girls to come out and join the team for its first three years. After the inaugural season for the boys in 2001, compiling a 4-5 record, he never had a season under .500 again. His boys teams were two-time conference champions in 2005-06 and 2008-09. He coached 26 first-team all-conference award winners and 21 second-team honoree, with three bowlers of the year. He also coached three individual state qualifiers. He was coach of the year three times (2005-06 for boys and 2008-09 for boys and girls). He also had three bowlers roll 300 games and one with 299, plus several bowlers with conference high games and high series honors. His boys and girls qualified for district five times (2006-07, 2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11), and two of his teams rank among the top four match total pinfall records: 3,240 in 2009-10 and 3,208 in 2007-08 — along with several listed among the two-game series records. He compiled a coaching record of 157-104 at North Canton Hoover. All three of his children bowled for him at Hoover and were all-conference selections. Following his high school coaching career, he coached at Walsh University for six seasons and currently serves as the conference's Awards, Affairs and Functions board member while also donating awards on behalf of his business, Heighway Awards and Apparel each season.