



## GOOF FOOLS 'EM AT AMF CHICOPEE FOR FIRST TITLE

**CHRIS GAUVIN** from South Grafton, MA earned his first NEBA title with a 267-236 win over champion Chris Hall in the final match at Chicopee Lanes. This adds to the best year Gauvin has had since he started competing in NEBA in 2001. This season he is one of only three bowlers who have made the cut in all seven tournaments and is currently fourth on the point list. In Chicopee, Goof shot 1122 with games of 232, 223, 235, 211 and 221 on the 9AM squad. His score was towards the bottom of the at-large list so he reentered. Even though his first score was enough to make the cut, he made a wise choice to reenter as he put together games of 259, 203, 246, 258 and 267 for 1233 to led the squad and grab the #2 seed in match play. Gauvin started off slow in matches against Geoff Wetzler (Coventry, CT) 199-198 and new member Bryan Easterbrooks (Lyndonville, VT) 189-165 then came on strong with victories over champions Dave Real (Cranston, RI) 234-213 and Rich Valenti (East Haven, CT) 265-169. Goof made impressive shots in his second career championship match; starting the match with the front five, going a little high in the sixth for a 4-7, then adding a triple to finish the match first and guarantee him the title. The 31 year old righty won \$1,500 and a \$100 entry into the Tournament of Champions plus a championship trophy and white shirt. Gauvin averaged 241.3 for his fifteen games. His other championship match appearance was at the doubles in 2002 with partner Bruce Hall.

**CHRIS GAUVIN:** X X X X X X 8/ X X X9/ = 267      **CHRIS HALL:** 9/ 9/ 9/ X X X X 9/ X X9/ = 236

**CHRIS HALL** from Waterford, CT doesn't mind coming to Chicopee. His first title was there in June 2004 and nearly his second. This year, Hall started his day at the AMF center with games of 232, 230, 256, 215 and 262 for 1195 and a guaranteed spot off the last qualifying squad. In matches, the 28 year old lefty averaged 216.4 as he defeated champion Ollie Ellard (Chicopee, MA) 184-152, current point leader William Tessier (Woonsocket, RI) 214-189, champion Barry Warshafsky (Peabody, MA) 235-189 and 6-time Bowler of the Year Bill Webb (Enfield) 213-208. Hall bowled great in the championship match, leaving only five pins standing (four 7-pins & one 8-pin), but Gauvin stayed ahead with a couple extra strikes. He won \$900 for his runner-up finish and moved up to fifth in points.

There were 145 entries at AMF Chicopee Lanes which advanced forty-eight bowlers into match play. The at-large cut was 1110. Squad cuts were 1146 on Saturday night (squad leader **Chris Monroy** with 1211), 1171 at 9 a.m. (squad leader **RJ Broege** with 1266) and 1133 at 12:30 p.m. (squad leader **Chris Gauvin** with 1233). There were no byes. The senior cut was 1091. **John Campo** won the extra \$50 senior prize with 1078. **RJ Broege** was the tournament high qualifier with 1266 on the 9:00 squad with games of 237, 268, 248, 234, and 279. **Steve Engel & Neil Binder** shared the \$50 high game out of the money prize with games of 279. Ebonite balls were won by **Bob Miles** (Raffle) and **Todd Lathrop** (1107). The field averaged 205 in qualifying and 213 for matches. **Honor Scores: 300- Chad Autore**

### AUGUST 16-17 AMF SILVER LANES

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### Next Tournament: July 26-27, 2008 ~ AMF Lang's Lanes in Cranston, RI

**\$80 ENTRY FEE ~ \$50 ADDED BY GRIPLOC GLUE ~ 2 BALLS FROM EBONITE**

**Squad Times:** Saturday 6 p.m., Sunday 9 a.m. and Sunday 12:30 p.m.

**Entry Fee:** \$80

All members residing within a 35-mile radius of the center should bowl Saturday 6 p.m. or Sunday 9 a.m.

**Reservations:** Reserve at [BowlNEBA.com](http://BowlNEBA.com) -or- call -or- text your reservation at (203) 377-0161 before 10:00 p.m. Friday

Leave a message with your squad and name. You will be contacted if there is a problem.

**Those who make a reservation will be entered into a raffle for an Ebonite Complete IV!**

**Directions:** AMF Lang's Lanes is located at 225 Niantic Avenue, Cranston, RI 02907 ~ Telephone (401) 944-0500

\* There are alternative routes so it is best to check a map or on-line directions from your address \*

**From Hartford, CT:** Follow I-84/US-6 to exit 55 (Route 2 East for 36 miles) to exit 28N (I-395 North/Governor John Davis Lodge Turnpike for 21 miles). Keep right to take Governor John Davis Lodge Turnpike via exit 90 which becomes Route 6 East. Stay on route 6 East for about 20 miles. Merge onto Route 10 South. \*\*\* Take the Union Avenue exit toward Huntington Avenue then slight right onto Cranston Street. Take quick left onto Niantic Avenue. Center is in 0.4 miles.

**From Boston, MA, ME & NH:** Take best route to I-95 South into RI. \* Take exit 22B (Route 10 South/Huntington Expy.) After 1.7 miles, follow \*\*\* above

**From Springfield & Worcester, MA & VT:** Take best route towards Providence, RI to I-95 South (I-91, I-90E/Mass Pike, Route 146) and follow \*above.

**From New Haven, CT & NYC:** Take I-95 North to exit 16 (Route 10 North to Route 2/Cranston). Follow Route 10 North for 1.9 miles to the Cranston Street/Industrial Park exit (you will pass center). Take a right off exit onto Niantic Avenue. Center is on the right in 0.2 miles.

Pos	Name	Qual. Score	BOY Pts.	\$ Won	Pos	Name	Qual. Score	BOY Pts.	\$ Won
1.	<b>Chris Gauvin</b>	1233	60	\$ 1,500 + ToC entry	17.	Mark Zabowski	1215	15	\$ 165
2.	<b>Chris Hall</b>	1195	49	\$ 900	18.	Bill Green	1261	15	\$ 165
3.	Bill Webb	1178	39	\$ 500	19.	DJ Jones	1154	15	\$ 165
4.	Rich Valenti	1133	39	\$ 450	20.	Willie Willis	1194	15	\$ 165
5.	David Reali	1140	30	\$ 300	21.	Matt Wilson	1224	15	\$ 165
6.	Matthew Brockett	1117	30	\$ 300	22.	R.J. Broege	1266	15	\$ 165
7.	Mike Lichstein	1178	30	\$ 280	23.	Chris Monroy	1211	15	\$ 165
8.	Barry Warshafsky	1091	30	\$ 280	24.	Brian Boghosian	1130	15	\$ 165
9.	Eric Copping	1230	22	\$ 210	25.	Dan White	1147	15	\$ 160
10.	Steve Blanchet	1128	22	\$ 210	26.	Geoff Wetzler	1110	15	\$ 160
11.	Phil Karwoski Sr.	1146	22	\$ 210	27.	Cliff Wheelock	1140	15	\$ 160
12.	Dave Forcier	1176	22	\$ 210	28.	Chris Forry	1171	15	\$ 160
13.	William Tessier II	1195	22	\$ 200	29.	Chad Autore	1151	15	\$ 160
14.	Tim Gillick	1137	22	\$ 200	30.	Jon Van Hees	1179	15	\$ 160
15.	Chris Sole	1171	22	\$ 200	31.	Matt Janas	1174	15	\$ 160
16.	Bryan Easterbrooks	1170	22	\$ 200	32.	Ollie Ellard	1138	15	\$ 160
High Qualifier - 1266 - RJ Broege				5 pts. \$ 75	High Game Out of \$ - 279 - S. Engel & N. Binder				\$ 50

### Optional Jackpot Update

Game 4 - X or 9 - No Winners - Jackpot starts at \$216 in July

Game 5 - 8X - RJ Broege won \$200 (9:00), Chris Gauvin won \$48 (12:30) - No Carryover

Champion's Message – To the entire NEBA staff; thank you for all of your tireless efforts in making NEBA a continued success. Thanks to everyone that cheered me on throughout match play and for all of the kind words of congratulations. Special thanks to Chris Monroy (gwavyy) and John Zawalick (DJ's Pro Shop) for their tutelage, support and friendship over the years...I appreciate everything that both of you have done for me. On the lanes, I would like to thank Walshy, Buzz, Bruiser, Hampster, Darrell, Hebert, Bruce Hall, LJ, Soup, Litch, the Wang Chung boys, the gang at Auburn and everyone else that have made bowling fun over the years and have been there to support / cheer me on at different point and times. Off the lanes, I'd like to thank my parents for getting me started in bowling as a kid and sustaining my devotion to the game growing up. To my wife Karen, thank you for always being there and supporting my love of bowling...(143). Thank you all for helping make this possible. – Chris Gauvin...a.k.a. Goof

### ~ Match Play ~

#### ROUND 1 (LOSERS FINISH 17<sup>TH</sup> – 32<sup>ND</sup>)

RJ BROEGE	218	ERIC COPPING	204	CHRIS GAUVIN	199	MATT WILSON	211
BARRY WARSHAFSKY	246	BRIAN BOGHOSIAN	202	GEOFF WETZLER	198	RICH VALENTI	224
CHRIS SOLE	247	BILL WEBB	209	MATT JANAS	154	JON VAN HEES	187
CHRIS FORRY	195	DAN WHITE	202	B. EASTERBROOKS	161	PHIL KARWOSKI SR	194
CHRIS HALL	184	BILL GREEN	225	MARK ZABOWSKI	243	CHRIS MONROY	203
OLLIE ELLARD	152	STEVE BLANCHET	226	TIM GILICK	247	MATT BROCKETT	220
WILLIAM TESSIER	264	<b>MIKE LICHSTEIN</b>	<b>267</b>	WILLIE WILLIS	223	DAVE FORCIER	228
CLIFF WHELOCK	198	CHAD AUTORE	194	DAVE REALI	223	DJ JONES	225

#### ROUND 2 (LOSERS FINISH 9<sup>TH</sup> - 16<sup>TH</sup>)

MATT BROCKETT	235	RICH VALENTI	227	CHRIS GAUVIN	189	BARRY WARSHAFSKY	203
DAVE FORCIER	191	PHIL KARWOSKI SR	214	B. EASTERBROOKS	165	CHRIS SOLE	181
TIM GILICK	187	CHRIS HALL	214	ERIC COPPING	233	STEVE BLANCHET	217
<b>DAVE REALI</b>	<b>279</b>	WILLIAM TESSIER	189	BILL WEBB	247	MIKE LICHSTEIN	224

#### QUARTER FINALS (LOSERS FINISH 5<sup>TH</sup> - 8<sup>TH</sup>)

DAVE REALI	213	B WARSHAFSKY	189
CHRIS GAUVIN	234	CHRIS HALL	235
MATT BROCKETT	201	MIKE LICHSTEIN	191
RICH VALENTI	213	<b>BILL WEBB</b>	<b>243</b>

#### SEMI-FINALS

CHRIS HALL	213
BILL WEBB	208
RICH VALENTI	169
<b>CHRIS GAUVIN</b>	<b>265</b>

#### CHAMPIONSHIP MATCH

<b>CHRIS GAUVIN</b>	<b>267</b>
CHRIS HALL	236

## History of Bowler of the Year

6 time – Bill Webb    5 time – Mike Lichstein    4 time – Brian Boghosian    3 time – George LeCain & Chris Rebstock

1963 - Don Baker	1974 - Paul Moser	1985 - Tony Reynaud	1996 - Chris Rebstock
1964 - George Hargraves	1975 - Pete Couture	1986 - Tim Cornelio	1997 - Brian Boghosian
1965 - Butch Bastura	1976 - Jim Harger	1987 - Tony Reynaud	1998 - Bill Webb
1966 - Mike Collins	1977 - Orv Gordon	1988 - Mike Lichstein	1999 - Bill Webb
1967 - John Federici	1978 - Jeff Adams	1989 - Mike Lichstein	2000 - Brian Boghosian
1968 - Larry Lichstein	1979 - Terry Yorker	1990 - Brian Boghosian	2001 - Bill Webb
1969 - Joe Cawlina	1980 - Orv Gordon	1991 - Brian Boghosian	2002 - Bill Webb
1970 - George LeCain	1981 - Ed Koziol	1992 - Mike Lichstein	2003 - Chris Rebstock
1971 - George LeCain	1982 - Gary Grant	1993 - Charlie McConnell	2004 - Mike Lichstein
1972 - George LeCain	1983 - Brian Mackstutis	1994 - Mike Lichstein	2005 - Bill Webb
1973 - Paul Moser	1984 - Larry Dube	1995 - Chris Rebstock	2006 - Bill Webb
			2007 - Russ Michaud

## Annual Awards for Last 10 Years

### Rookie of the Year

1998 - Keith Laing  
1999 - Sean Sanchioni  
2000 - Andy Lomanto  
2001 - Jonathon Van Hees  
2002 - Jay Johnson  
2003 - Jesse Cote  
2004 - Tom Hansen  
2005 - Greg Brown  
2006 - Eric Copping  
2007 - Frankie Calca

### Senior of the Year

2003 - Joel Leider  
2004 - Barry Warshafsky  
2005 - Barry Warshafsky  
2006 - Tom Andrelli  
2007 - Russ Michaud

### High Average

1998 - Steve Tripp	223.31 for 85 games
1999 - Mike Lichstein	226.29 for 112 games
2000 - Mike Lichstein	227.93 for 107 games
2001 - Bill Webb	233.83 for 103 games
2002 - Mike Lichstein	230.48 for 67 games
2003 - Russ Michaud	229.75 for 52 games
2004 - Mike Lichstein	234.38 for 130 games
2005 - Mike Lichstein	225.77 for 106 games
2006 - Mike Lichstein	228.05 for 100 games
2007 - Bill Webb	226.98 for 142 games

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## Accounting June 2008

### Receipts

ENTRIES	116 @ \$ 80 =	9,280.00
RE-ENTRIES	29 @ \$ 80 =	2,320.00
MEMBERSHIP (RENEWAL)	4 @ \$ 25 =	100.00
MEMBERSHIP (NEW)	9 @ \$ 25 =	225.00
MEMBERSHIP (NON)	0 @ \$ 15 =	0.00
CENTER DONATION FOR TROPHY	=	50.00
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>11,975.00</b>

### Disbursements

PRIZE FUND (BREAKDOWN BELOW)	\$	9,025.00
\$ 8,576 ENTRIES + \$399 NEBA		
\$ 50 GRIPLOC SUPER GLUE		
LINEAGE	\$	1,574.00
EXPENSES	\$	1,450.00
\$437.75 PRINTING, \$1062.60 SALARIES		
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>12,049.00</b>

## Champions with Most Titles

26 - Mike Lichstein	9 - Brian Boghosian	7 - Scott Santos	5 - Mike Klapik	4 - Bob Glenn
	9 - George LeCain		5 - Tony Reynaud	4 - Gary Grant
	9 - Russ Michaud	6 - Patrick Allen	5 - Bill Spigner	4 - Steve Hardy
14 - Barry Warshafsky		6 - Tim Cornelio		4 - Ernie Hoesterey
14 - Chris Rebstock	8 - Ron McCaull	6 - Ed Roberts	4 - Alex Aguiar	4 - Ed Koziol
	8 - Dick Millward	6 - Chris Sole	4 - Frank Anton	4 - Mike Lettick
			4 - Tony Attardo	4 - Larry Lichstein
11 - Dave Forcier	7 - Stephen Dale Jr.	5 - John Campo	4 - John Bekish	4 - George Tignor
11 - Paul Moser	7 - Hans Fecho	5 - Mike Dupuis	4 - Joe Campbell	4 - Steve Travers
11 - Bill Webb	7 - Mike Lothrop	5 - John Ellis	4 - Mike Colby	4 - Terry Yorker

