

## **BRADLEY GRAY WINS \$2,500 FIRST PRIZE IN MDUSBC SENIOR MASTERS AT REGAL LANES**

Bradley Gray of Farmington Hills beat Joseph Buffa of Macomb 431-383 in the two-game title match to win the MDUSBC Senior Masters title at Regal Lanes in Warren and take home the top prize of \$2,500. Buffa settled for the runner-up check of \$1,200.

Gray qualified 28<sup>th</sup> with a six-game total of 1,314. In match play he remained undefeated with triumphs over Mitchell Jabczenski Sr. of Novi 456-422, George Forsey Jr. of Milford 567-439, Larry Walker of Garden City 554-408, Buffa the first time 526-400 and Michael Chapman of Garden City 483-453 to advance to the title match. He averaged 240.6 for 18 games of competition.

Buffa was the top qualifier with 1,415. He stayed in the winner's bracket with victories over Michael Mahrle of Warren 441-369, William Froberg of St. Joseph 523-467, Michael McCleskey of Southfield 416-395 before losing to Gray the first time 526-400. Once in the loser's bracket he beat Jimmie Garner of Taylor 492-406 and Michael Chapman 452-430 for the opportunity to avenge the earlier loss to Gray. Buffa averaged 226.3 for 22 games.

Chapman qualified sixth with 1,382. He stayed in the winner's bracket with wins over Troy Stus of South Lyon 504-439, Gerald Johnson of Taylor 511-442, Mike Lee of Dearborn Heights 462-391 and Richard Wayne of Westland 502-424 before losing to Gray 483-453. In the loser's bracket he lost to Buffa 452-430 to end his run. He took home \$800 and averaged 235.8.

After qualifying seventh with 1,377, Jimmie Garner lost to Michael Matteini of Commerce Township 427-380 to fall into the loser's bracket. Once there he ran off an impressive string of six wins over Michael Litz of Clarkston 440-401, Gerald Johnson 429-379, Joseph Glaser Jr. of Macomb 425-375, Michael McCleskey 433-405, Larry Walker 504-478 and Richard Wayne 461-411 before finishing his day with a loss to Buffa 492-406. He settled for \$500 after averaging 220.7 for 22 games.

Forsey finished fifth for \$450 and averaged 228.7. Wayne finished sixth for \$450 and averaged 228.6. Walker ended up seventh for \$400, averaging 230.8 and Lee took home \$400 for his eighth place finish, averaging 217.2.

Defending champion Terry Bialkowski of Windsor won his first match, then lost his next two to finish 19<sup>th</sup> for \$325.

Robert Edwards of Lima, Ohio won the Super Senior competition for non-qualifiers 60 years of age and older. He defeated Leonard Kersten of Clarkston 189-186 for the title. Edwards won \$225 for his efforts and Kersten walked away with a check for \$200.

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<b><u>PL</u></b>	<b><u>NAME</u></b>	<b><u>CITY</u></b>	<b><u>AVERAGE</u></b>	<b><u>WINNINGS</u></b>
1	Bradley Gray	Farmington Hills	240.6	\$ 2,500
2	Joseph Buffa	Macomb	226.3	\$ 1,200
3	Michael Chapman	Garden City	235.8	\$ 800
4	Jimmie Garner	Taylor	220.7	\$ 500
5	George Forsey Jr	Milford	228.7	\$ 450
6	Richard Wayne	Westland	228.6	\$ 450
7	Larry Walker	Garden City	230.8	\$ 400
8	George Lee	Dearborn Heights	217.2	\$ 400
9	David Eatmon	Ferndale	227.3	\$ 375
10	Michael McCleskey	Southfield	215.2	\$ 375
11	Frederick Bauss III	Eastpointe	214.9	\$ 375
12	Michael Mahrle	Warren	210.0	\$ 375
13	William Froberg	St Joseph	233.9	\$ 350
14	Lawrence Ryckaert	Sterling Heights	223.5	\$ 350
15	Troy Stus	South Lyon	218.6	\$ 350
16	Joseph Glaser Jr	Macomb	203.4	\$ 350
17	Robert Schulz	Macomb	221.7	\$ 325
18	Gerald Johnson	Taylor	219.9	\$ 325
19	Terry Bialkowski	Windsor	218.1	\$ 325
20	James Deplanche	Taylor	217.1	\$ 325
21	Jeffrey Suma Sr	Auburn Hills	214.3	\$ 325
22	Floyd Speer	Waterford	213.9	\$ 325
23	Michael Matteini	Commerce Twp	209.8	\$ 325
24	James Bo Goergen	Sanford	208.6	\$ 325
25	Mitchell Jabczenski Sr	Novi	228.9	\$ 300
26	Ronald Burgess	Plymouth	219.8	\$ 300
27	Timothy Baker	Shelby Twp	219.2	\$ 300
28	Michael Litz	Clarkston	216.7	\$ 300
29	Joseph Krajenke	Clinton Twp	216.7	\$ 300
30	Charles Richardson Jr	Southfield	208.6	\$ 300
31	David Schumacher	Bloomfield Hills	205.6	\$ 300
32	Darin Russ	Fraser	201.8	\$ 300

**MDUSBC Super Seniors - Regal Lanes - Feb. 12, 2017**

**10:45 a.m.**

<b>Round 1</b>			<b>Round 2</b>			<b>Round 3</b>			<b>Round 4</b>		
1	Carl Harden	225	Robert Edwards	258	Leonard Kersten	222	Robert Edwards	189			
2	William Neiman	223	Alphonso Clark	224	Robert Edwards	207	Leonard Kersten	186			
3	Leonard Kersten	221	Carl Harden	224	Alphonso Clark	169					
4	Nick Beelaard	212	Leonard Kersten	195	Carl Harden	163					
5	Edwin Austreng	206	Nick Beelaard	193							
6	James Millen Jr	186	Michael Lucente	187							
7	Robert Michaux Jr	180	William Neiman	183							
8	Jack Daniels	176	Jimmy Magolan	173							

**Prize List**

1	Robert Edwards	\$225
2	Leonard Kersten	\$200
3	Alphonso Clark	\$180
4	Carl Harden	\$180
5	Nick Beelaard	\$160
6	Michael Lucente	\$160
7	William Neiman	\$160
8	Jimmy Magolan	\$160
9	Edwin Austreng	\$150
10	James Millen Jr	\$150
11	Robert Michaux Jr	\$150
12	Jack Daniels	\$150

**NOTE: A total of \$16,625 of the \$16,520 (100.64%) collected in entry fees was paid out in prizes thanks to Regal Lanes and our sponsors. 44 of 118 entrants cashed for at least their entry fee back.**

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