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MDUSBC Senior Queens champion Deborah Murrell (c) is congratulated by her fellow competitors

DEBORAH MURRELL CAPTURES MDUSBC SENIOR QUEENS AT SUPER BOWL

Deborah Murrell of Shelby Township won the Metro Detroit USBC Senior Queens on Saturday with a 213-212 triumph over Dabrita Darden of Farmington Hills at Super Bowl in Canton.

Murrell was the top qualifier for the stepladder finals with a four-game total of 954 on games of 246, 260, 247 and 201. As the top seed, she had to wait for the challenger to emerge. She took home the top prize of \$200.

Darden qualified third with 908. She defeated defending champion Toary Taylor of Redford 234-205 and Jeanne Gebbia of Dearborn 277-202 to advance to the championship match. Darden cashed for \$150.

Gebbia qualified second with 923 and took home \$125.

Taylor defeated former champion Teresa Catchpole of Macomb 207-181 in a one-game roll-off to make the stepladder finals. Taylor took home \$100.

This was the 14th year of the MDUSBC Senior Queens. Initial qualifying was done by senior women 50 years of age and older with their actual all-events of the recently completed MDUSBC Women's Championship. The top bowlers advanced to the qualifying finals.

Other cashers for \$75 each were Catchpole, Sandra Schultz of Macomb, Denise Mintz of Canton and Pamela Stogdill of Royal Oak.

The MDUSBC Senior Queens Tournament is operated by the Metro Detroit USBC the largest local association of the United States Bowling Congress.