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RE: Tom McMann

- A. Member Tri-County Bowling Association - 41 years.  
Member American Bowling Congress - 41 years.
- B. Instrumental in Local and State-Wide promotion of bowling.  
Throughout his 35 years involvement in the game, created  
the Canada Dry Tournament, travel leagues in the 1960's,  
Connecticut and Western Mass. Proprietors' Tournament,  
Valley Majors Tournament, City Association Tournament 1966.
- C. 1959 Tri-Count Bowling Association President - 10 points.  
Two years President, Conn. Proprieter's Assoc. - 40 points.  
President.  
Tournament Service - Hosted First State Tour in 1960 4 points.  
in Agawam.  
Hosted City Tournament Q Wilbraham  
1960, 66, 73, 78, 91 - 10 points.  
Coach - coached in bowling for 30 years - 30 points.  
WNEC Coach of Student Program  
League President from 1957 to 1980's  
30+ different leagues - 30 points  
League Treasurer 15+ different leagues - 15 points.  
Volunteer for coaching duties 15+ years - 15 points.  
Special Projects: Promotion of the Game of Bowling 2 points.  
(Life Time Project)  
Travel League 1960's 2 points.  
Conn. & Western MA Proprietors' Tour 2 points.  
Valley Majors Tournament 2 points.  
City Assoc. Tournament 1966 2 points.  
Owner of Wilbraham Ten-Pin 1965 - 2000



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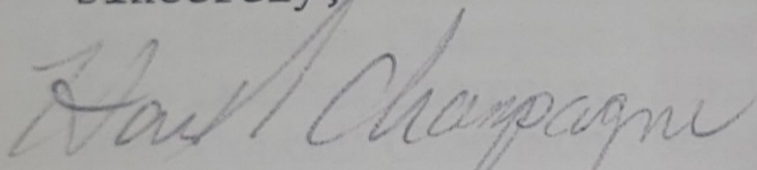
TO: Board of Governors of the MTCBA Hall of Fame Committee

RE: Nomination Letter for Meritorious Achievement - Thomas McMann

Championing the nomination of Tom McMann's induction into the MTCBA Hall of Fame has not been an easy task. Tom's bowling career began in 1943 and has encompassed all aspects of the game from owner of the Wilbraham Ten Pin (1965 - present) to bowler, coach, promotional manager, your name it' he's done it. In the game of bowling life all great people in their profession (he's probably forgotten more than most of us will know), Tom has always strived for excellence on and off the lanes. His conduct, ability and his willingness to help others has been exemplary.

It is without any reservation that I champion this nomination. I've known Tom for over 30 years personally and in business associations and feel that he truly embodies the spirit of this award.

Sincerely,



Hank Champagne Jr.,

Member

MTCBA Hall of Fame

MA. State Hall of Fame