



Capital District  
Youth Scholarship Tour

## **2015 CDYST Masters Wrap-up**

Billy McGaffin of Amsterdam won five consecutive matches, including a 194 – 176 victory over Jonathan Bowman of Peru to win the CDYST Masters tournament held on Saturday, May 9th at Town 'n Country Lanes.

Following a six-game qualifying round, the top 16 bowlers competed in single-game matches within a double-elimination format. In Round 4, McGaffin defeated Patrick Hoey of Latham 205 – 155 to qualify for the Championship Round as the sole remaining undefeated bowler. In Round 5, Natalya Porcello of Albany edged Hoey 192 – 189; and Bowman defeated Morgan Ruggeri of Johnstown 200 – 158. Hoey and Ruggeri earned \$175 scholarships for finishing fourth and fifth, respectively. Bowman then defeated Porcello 190 – 182 to set up the Championship Round. Porcello earned a \$300 scholarship for her third place finish.

Being undefeated, McGaffin had to win one match in the Championship Round to earn the title; Bowman had to win two. Bowman began with three consecutive strikes to take a 20-pin lead. McGaffin responded with strikes in the fifth through seventh frames to erase the deficit and take a 28-pin lead. Bowman closed the gap to 15 pins; but McGaffin rolled two more strikes in the tenth frame to clinch his first CDYST title and a \$1,000 scholarship. Bowman won a \$550 scholarship for his second consecutive runner-up finish in this event.

During the qualifying round, the top four boys and top four girls earned respective scholarship prizes of \$150, 100, \$75, and \$50. Those prizes were won by Tiera Gulum of Schenectady, Jessica Shufelt of Watervliet, Katie Lynch of Troy, and Ruggeri in the Girls division; and Justin Carl of Albany, Zack Terry of Schenectady, Hoey, and Christian Baitinger of Greenfield Center in the Boys division. Gulum also earned an entry into the 2015 USBC Junior Gold Championships to be held in Chicago.

The 2015 CDYST Masters was the final event of our fifth season. 39 bowlers competed for a scholarship fund of \$4,315. The top 20 bowlers earned scholarship prizes of at least \$40. Throughout the season, our talented youth bowlers earned a record \$21,730 in scholarships. We have now awarded nearly \$75,000 in the five years since our first event in May 2010.

Bowman's second place finish capped off a record-setting season in route to his second consecutive Bowler of the Year title. During the season, he won six titles; finished second twice; and had the highest average (204.30); while setting records for games bowled (127) and match play victories (34).

The top eight bowlers in the final Bowler of the Year standings will represent the CDYST in the 2015 USBC Youth Open Championships, being held in Chicago in July. The bowlers will form two four-bowler teams, as well as four doubles teams, prior to competing in singles and all-events competitions.

The 2014 – 2015 CDYST season is officially complete; the sixth season will begin in early fall. For more information about these events and the CDYST, please visit their website at [www.cdystbowling.com](http://www.cdystbowling.com), e-mail tournament directors Mark Taylor and Steve Fawcett at [CDYSTinfo@aol.com](mailto:CDYSTinfo@aol.com), or call 518-765-0267. The CDYST can also be found on Facebook.

# Statistical Summary

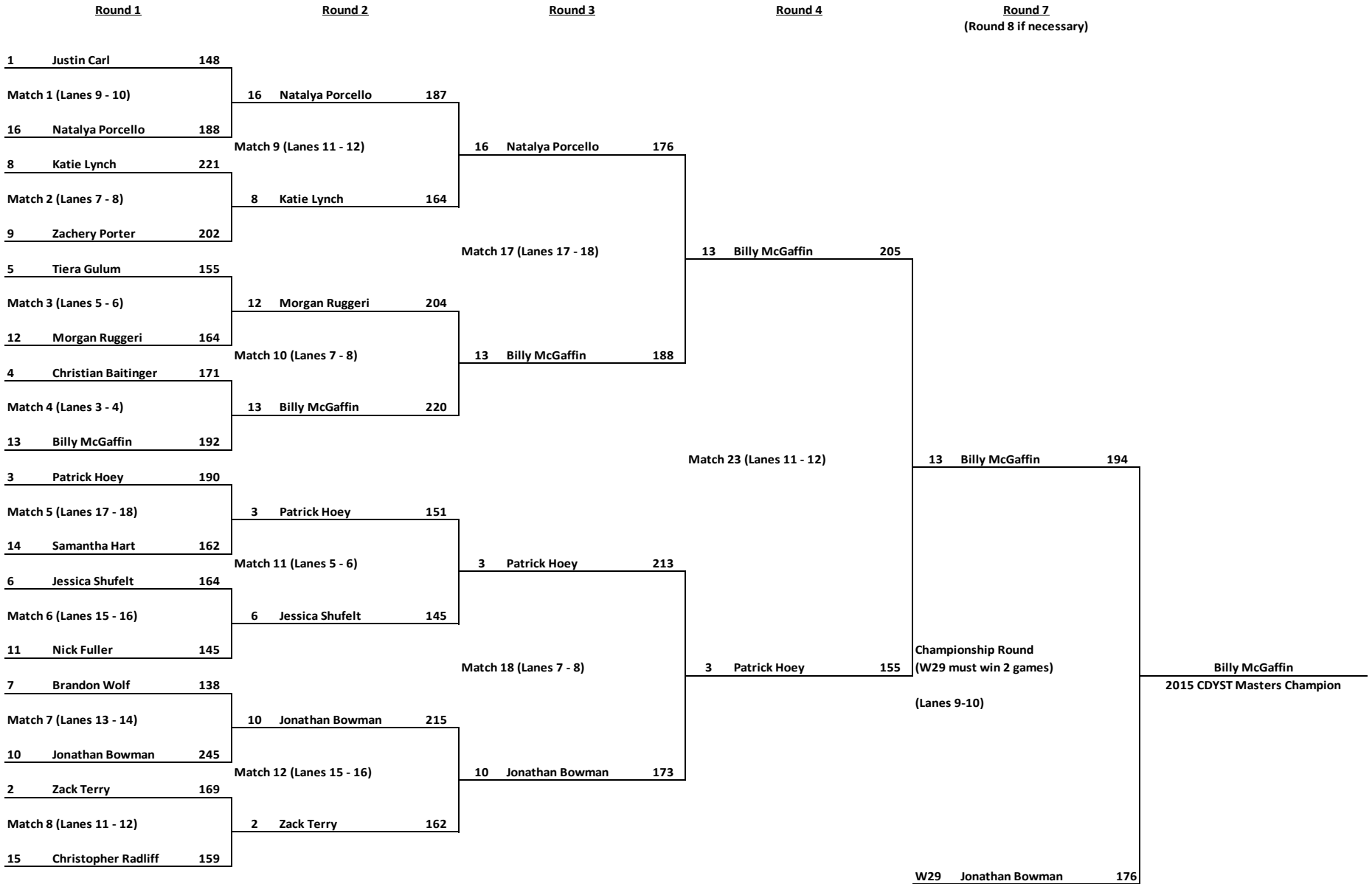
## Qualifying Round

Position	Name	City	Gender	Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Game 4	Game 5	Game 6	Qualifying		Scholarship
										Total	+/-	
1	Justin Carl	Albany	Male	171	183	190	226	196	265	1231	+31	Finalist \$150
2	Zack Terry	Schenectady	Male	255	204	158	158	225	227	1227	+27	Finalist \$100
3	Patrick Hoey	Latham	Male	270	212	175	231	163	168	1219	+19	Finalist \$75
4	Christian Baitinger	Greenfield Center	Male	225	168	167	221	225	212	1218	+18	Finalist \$50
5	Tiera Gulum	Schenectady	Female	180	201	237	181	222	180	1201	+1	Finalist \$150
6	Jessica Shufelt	Watervliet	Female	242	160	233	217	182	161	1195	-5	Finalist \$100
7	Brandon Wolf	Schenectady	Male	179	216	201	255	193	144	1188	-12	Finalist
8	Katie Lynch	Troy	Female	178	181	209	181	234	191	1174	-26	Finalist \$75
9	Zachery Porter	Schenectady	Male	216	171	177	218	200	176	1158	-42	Finalist
10	Jonathan Bowman	Peru	Male	170	172	179	177	236	220	1154	-46	Finalist
11	Nick Fuller	South Glens Falls	Male	170	205	182	217	192	187	1153	-47	Finalist
12	Morgan Ruggeri	Johnstown	Female	222	205	200	194	165	161	1147	-53	Finalist \$50
13	Billy McGaffin	Amsterdam	Male	154	153	234	194	187	224	1146	-54	Finalist
14	Samantha Hart	Troy	Female	212	188	219	125	190	198	1132	-68	Finalist
15	Christopher Radliff	Schenectady	Male	162	190	205	171	221	173	1122	-78	Finalist
16	Natalya Porcello	Albany	Female	136	185	203	217	200	180	1121	-79	Finalist
17	Mariah Williams	Bloomington	Female	172	235	169	200	152	190	1118	-82	\$40
18	Janelle Irwin	Schenectady	Female	199	192	190	145	206	183	1115	-85	\$40
19	Christopher Kokes	Mooers	Male	217	200	192	169	154	182	1114	-86	\$40
20	Andrew Marotta	Ballston Spa	Male	177	185	169	216	191	174	1112	-88	\$40
21	Hunter Kempton	Buzzards Bay, MA	Male	168	171	214	220	169	168	1110	-90	
22	Christopher Rapp	Gansevoort	Male	184	143	165	224	223	167	1106	-94	
23	Lauren Piotrowski	Schenectady	Female	224	170	170	159	212	168	1103	-97	
24	Britaney Myers	Mechanicville	Female	181	163	202	204	188	157	1095	-105	
25	Kenny Livengood	Ravena	Male	148	225	132	168	233	179	1085	-115	
26	Anthony Ranere	Ballston Spa	Male	147	208	167	154	187	204	1067	-133	
27	Logan Brandt	Johnstown	Male	158	182	160	219	168	179	1066	-134	
28	Kasey Kosier	East Greenbush	Female	168	206	192	169	181	148	1064	-136	
29	Jordan Byrnes	Kinderhook	Female	155	160	181	211	169	183	1059	-141	
30	Haley Groat	Mechanicville	Female	176	192	163	177	205	145	1058	-142	
31	Amanda Chrzanowski	Schenectady	Female	185	175	152	210	158	172	1052	-148	
32	Chad Sutliff	Valatie	Male	162	179	194	203	180	130	1048	-152	
33	Miranda Hartmann	Earlton	Female	148	157	201	169	174	182	1031	-169	
34	Michael Boyce	Gansevoort	Male	181	175	174	177	167	156	1030	-170	
35	Natasha Bidwell	Schenectady	Female	133	174	171	206	192	153	1029	-171	
36	Kevin Benedetto	Albany	Male	178	185	147	175	190	121	996	-204	
37	Autumn Rivet	Cohoes	Female	153	132	196	173	131	192	977	-223	
38	Jahlil Young	Albany	Male	154	128	147	167	161	146	903	-297	
39	Garrett Wolf	Clifton Park	Male	161	186	117	140	131	154	889	-311	

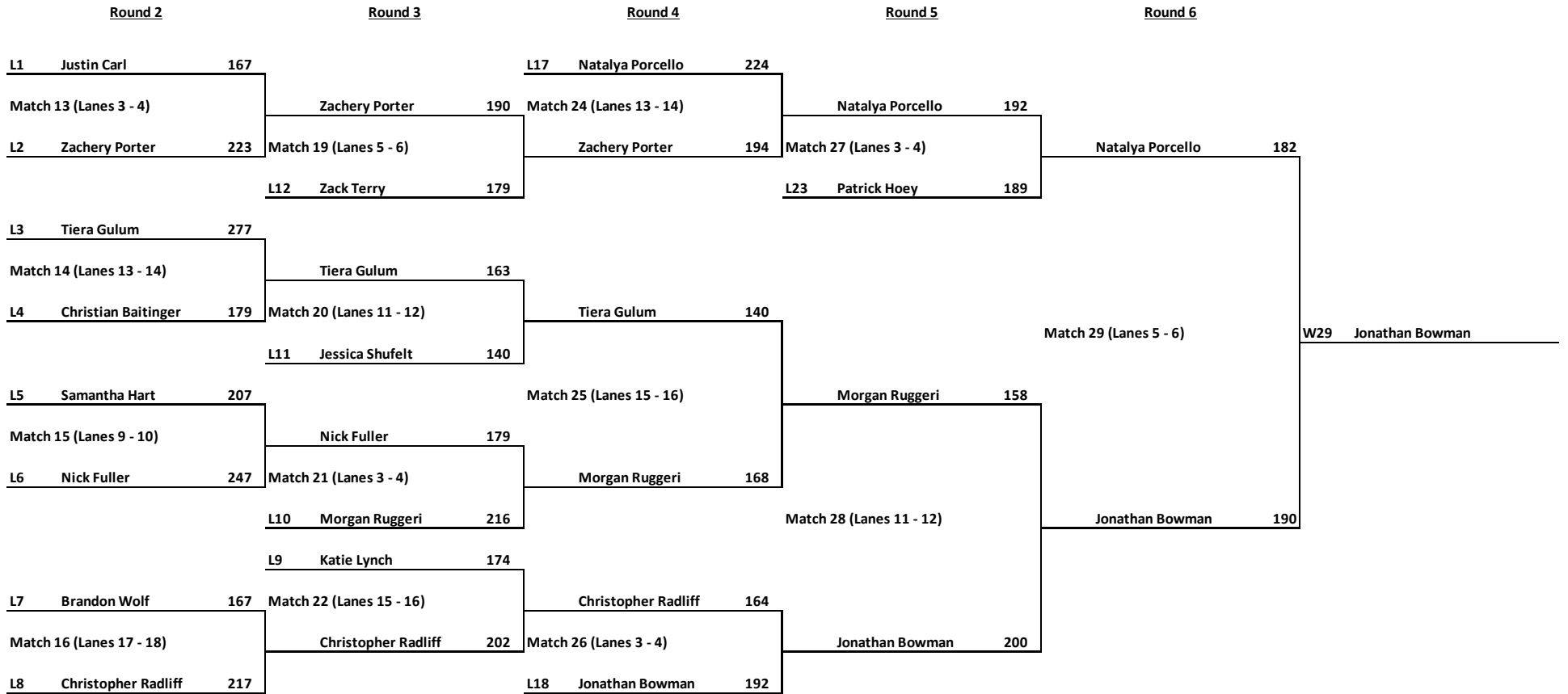
## Double-Elimination Match Play Finals (Bowlers Eliminated After Second Loss)

Position	Name	City	Gender	Qualifying							Pinfall	W - L	Scholarship		
				Total	Round 1	Round 2	Round 3	Round 4	Round 5	Round 6				Round 7	
1	Billy McGaffin	Amsterdam	Male	1146	192	220	188	205				194	2145	5 - 0	\$1,000
2	Jonathan Bowman	Peru	Male	1154	245	215	173	192	200	190	176	2545	5 - 2	\$550	
3	Natalya Porcello	Albany	Female	1121	188	187	176	224	192	182		2270	4 - 2	\$300	
4	Patrick Hoey	Latham	Male	1219	190	151	213	155	189			2117	3 - 2	\$175	
5	Morgan Ruggeri	Johnstown	Female	1147	164	204	216	168	158			2057	3 - 2	\$175	
6	Zachery Porter	Schenectady	Male	1158	202	223	190	194				1967	2 - 2	\$125	
7	Tiera Gulum	Schenectady	Female	1201	155	277	163	140				1936	2 - 2	\$125	
8	Christopher Radliff	Schenectady	Male	1122	159	217	202	164				1864	2 - 2	\$125	
9	Zack Terry	Schenectady	Male	1227	169	162	179					1737	1 - 2	\$100	
10	Katie Lynch	Troy	Female	1174	221	164	174					1733	1 - 2	\$100	
11	Nick Fuller	South Glens Falls	Male	1153	145	247	179					1724	1 - 2	\$100	
12	Jessica Shufelt	Watervliet	Female	1195	164	145	140					1644	1 - 2	\$100	
13	Christian Baitinger	Greenfield Center	Male	1218	171	179						1568	0 - 2	\$75	
14	Justin Carl	Albany	Male	1231	148	167						1546	0 - 2	\$75	
15	Samantha Hart	Troy	Female	1132	162	207						1501	0 - 2	\$75	
16	Brandon Wolf	Schenectady	Male	1188	138	167						1493	0 - 2	\$75	

# 2015 CDYST Masters - Championship Bracket



## 2015 CDYST Masters - Contenders Bracket



## 2014 - 2015 Final CDYST Statistics - After 14 Tournaments

### Bowler of the Year Points

Rank	Bowler	Points
1	Jonathan Bowman	640
2	Zachery Porter	327
3	Billy McGaffin	310
4	Christopher Radliff	299
5	Casey Schoonmaker*	275
6	Patrick Hoey	229
7	Brandon Wolf	226
8	Christopher Hanson	215
9	Justin Carl	205
10	Andrew Marotta	200

### Average Leaders (Minimum 50 Games)

Rank	Bowler	Average	Games
1	Jonathan Bowman	204.30	127
2	Zachery Porter	199.53	66
3	Christopher Hanson	191.05	58
4	Justin Carl	189.86	59
5	Patrick Hoey	189.34	59
6	Andrew Marotta	188.24	63
7	Christopher Radliff	187.66	103
8	Hunter Kempton	186.49	57
9	Billy McGaffin	183.99	98
10	Chad Sutliff	183.67	51

\* Bowler ineligible for youth awards because now bowling in adult leagues.

### Highest Games

Rank	Bowler	Score
1	Christopher Radliff	297
2	Avery McKay	279
3	Jonathan Bowman (2)	278
3	Zachary Porter	278
5	Jonathan Bowman	277
5	Tiera Gulum	277
5	Zack Terry	277

### Match Play Record (Minimum 14 Matches)

Rank	Bowler	Wins	Losses	Ties	Pct.
1	Andrew Marotta	15	5	0	.750
2	Jonathan Bowman	34	12	0	.739
3	Christopher Hanson	11	5	0	.688
4	Justin Carl	13	6	0	.684
5	Billy McGaffin	17	8	0	.680