



Capital District  
Youth Scholarship Tour

## 2012 Hometown Lanes Tournament Wrap-up

Vernon Billington II of Hartford, CT outscored tournament leader Corey Buckley of Albany 279 – 258 to win the Capital District Youth Scholarship Tour tournament held at Hometown Lanes on Saturday, November 10th.

The stepladder finals began with the fourth-seeded Casey Schoonmaker of Albany defeating third-seeded Justin Carl of Albany 258 - 214. Carl earned an \$85 scholarship for finishing fourth. The second-seeded Billington II defeated Schoonmaker 258 - 207 to set up the title match. Schoonmaker earned a \$130 scholarship for finishing third.

In an exciting championship match, both bowlers rolled eight strikes in the first nine frames, with solid 10-pins spoiling their bids for perfection. Buckley had begun with the first four strikes, while Billington II started with the first seven. Billington II finished with three strikes in the tenth frame to force Buckley to match him in order to tie. Buckley left a 9-pin on the first ball in the tenth frame, enabling Billington II to win his first CDYST title and a \$300 scholarship. Buckley earned a \$185 scholarship for his runner-up finish.

In a highly competitive tournament, Billington II led a tightly-packed field after the four-game qualifying round. The top six bowlers were separated by 16 pins and there was a spread of only 96 pins between the 14 semifinalists, with a potential 90 bonus pins available for match game wins. Buckley rolled a 706 3-game series and won two matches to earn the top seed for the finals; Billington II won all three of his matches to claim the second seed; Carl won two matches to qualify third. In the seventh game, Gazmine Mason of Cranston, RI rolled a 279 game to vault from seventh place into a tie for fourth with Schoonmaker. Schoonmaker defeated her 49 – 28 in a two-frame rolloff to earn the fourth seed.

A record 41 bowlers competed in the third of ten 2012 – 2013 regular season tournaments. Mason earned a \$55 scholarship for finishing fifth; Zachary Doty of Nassau won a \$45 scholarship for finishing sixth; Christopher Hanson of Ballston Lake won a \$40 scholarship for finishing seventh; Ricky Rovelli of Albany earned a \$35 scholarship for finishing eighth; Jacob Rivers Jr. of Albany and Qwadarus Rembert of Providence, RI each won a \$30 scholarships for finishing ninth and tenth, respectively. A regular season tournament record \$1,085 in scholarships was awarded to our talented youth bowlers, bringing the season total to \$2,980.

The next tournament will be held at 1:00 pm on Saturday, December 1st at Del Lanes. For more information about the CDYST, please visit their website at [www.cdystbowling.com](http://www.cdystbowling.com), e-mail tournament directors Steve Fawcett and Mark Taylor at [CDYSTinfo@aol.com](mailto:CDYSTinfo@aol.com), or call 518-393-8296. The CDYST can also be found on Facebook.



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## Statistical Summary

### Qualifying Round

Position	Name	City	Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Game 4	Qualifying	Total	
							Total	+/-	
1	Vernon Billington II	Hartford, CT	194	254	223	195	866	+66	Semifinalist
2	Casey Schoonmaker	Albany	223	214	216	212	865	+65	Semifinalist
3	Qwadaris Rembert	Providence, RI	237	232	175	212	856	+56	Semifinalist
4	Justin Carl	Albany	209	202	203	239	853	+53	Semifinalist
5	Corey Buckley	Albany	202	211	236	203	852	+52	Semifinalist
6	Gazmine Mason	Cranston, RI	237	174	253	186	850	+50	Semifinalist
7	Ricky Rovelli	Albany	211	201	208	211	831	+31	Semifinalist
8	Zachary Doty	Nassau	175	218	223	201	817	+17	Semifinalist
9	Bryan Admire	Schenectady	213	150	232	212	807	+7	Semifinalist
10	Jacob Rivers Jr.	Albany	211	204	174	213	802	+2	Semifinalist
11	Christopher Hanson	Ballston Lake	183	196	214	194	787	-13	Semifinalist
12	Amber Dominic	Latham	172	221	216	176	785	-15	Semifinalist
13	Morgan Ruggeri	Johnstown	214	187	213	159	773	-27	Semifinalist
14	Shane Bartnicki	Niskayuna	209	183	212	166	770	-30	Semifinalist
15	Evan Caulfield	Waterriet	203	181	201	179	764	-36	
16	Stephen LaMalfa	Scotia	232	191	144	196	763	-37	
17	Jonathan Bowman	Peru	256	169	151	174	750	-50	
18	Mason Gowie	Troy	179	168	186	214	747	-53	
19	Michael Hartmann	Earlton	183	184	190	187	744	-56	
20	Chad Sutliff	Valatie	222	199	154	167	742	-58	
21	Joseph Duncan	Valley Falls	157	185	136	254	732	-68	
22	Austin Van Buren	Altamont	140	233	175	171	719	-81	
23	William Lindemann	Castleton	181	199	164	164	708	-92	
24	Joshua Desnoyers	Troy	210	168	173	156	707	-93	
25	Katy Barnes	East Greenwich, RI	203	162	167	170	702	-98	
26	Noah Burke	Albany	212	153	168	163	696	-104	
27	Isaiah Brooks	East Hartford, CT	174	166	193	155	688	-112	
28	Ismael Rodriguez	Providence, RI	155	178	191	157	681	-119	
29	Drew McHale	Mechanicville	130	187	169	193	679	-121	
30	Nick Pondillo	Troy	193	179	145	160	677	-123	
30	Allison Carola	Mechanicville	197	154	157	169	677	-123	
32	Anthony Ranere	Ballston Spa	161	179	188	147	675	-125	
33	Jadee Scott-Jones	East Providence	167	179	171	157	674	-126	
34	Lindsey Rosen	Troy	161	162	174	172	669	-131	
35	Thomas Marr	Schenectady	169	143	200	149	661	-139	
36	Zachery Porter	Schenectady	141	151	179	181	652	-148	
37	Anthony Vilardi	Clifton Park	170	159	164	149	642	-158	
38	Charles Dyer	Mechanicville	173	176	145	132	626	-174	
39	Katie Lynch	Troy	173	146	175	125	619	-181	
40	Joshua Heller	Mechanicville	145	163	141	151	600	-200	
41	Matthew Kos	Albany	144	167	125	160	596	-204	



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**Semifinal Round (All pins carryover from qualifying; 30-pin bonus for match win, 15-pin bonus for tie match)**

Position	Name	City	Carryover	Game 5	Bonus	Game 6	Bonus	Game 7	Bonus	Total Pinfall	Total Plus Bonus	Total +/-	
1	Corey Buckley	Albany	852	245	30	263	30	199	0	1559	1619	+219	Finalist
2	Vernon Billington II	Hartford, CT	866	212	30	205	30	242	30	1525	1615	+215	Finalist
3	Justin Carl	Albany	853	223	30	207	30	214	0	1497	1557	+157	Finalist
4	Casey Schoonmaker	Albany	865	208	0	253	30	191	0	1517	1547	+147	Finalist*
5	Gazmine Mason	Cranston, RI	850	172	0	216	0	279	30	1517	1547	+147	
6	Zachary Doty	Nassau	817	207	30	183	0	269	30	1476	1536	+136	
7	Christopher Hanson	Ballston Lake	787	207	30	242	0	223	30	1459	1519	+119	
8	Ricky Rovelli	Albany	831	166	0	224	30	222	30	1443	1503	+103	
9	Jacob Rivers Jr.	Albany	802	176	0	224	30	202	0	1404	1434	+34	
10	Qwadaris Rembert	Providence, RI	856	194	0	150	0	195	30	1395	1425	+25	
11	Shane Bartnicki	Niskayuna	770	211	30	192	30	146	0	1319	1379	-21	
12	Amber Dominic	Latham	785	184	0	201	0	191	0	1361	1361	-39	
13	Morgan Ruggeri	Johnstown	773	176	0	164	0	206	30	1319	1349	-51	
14	Bryan Admire	Schenectady	807	200	30	130	0	163	0	1300	1330	-70	

\* Casey Schoonmaker defeated Gazmine Mason 49 - 28 in a two-frame rolloff to determine the fourth qualifier into the stepladder finals.

**Stepladder Finals**

4 Casey Schoonmaker	258	4 Casey Schoonmaker	207	2 Vernon Billington II	279	<b>Vernon Billington II Champion</b>
3 Justin Carl	214	2 Vernon Billington II	258	1 Corey Buckley	258	

Position	Name	City	Scholarship Prize
1	Vernon Billington II	Hartford, CT	\$300
2	Corey Buckley	Albany	\$185
3	Casey Schoonmaker	Albany	\$130
4	Justin Carl	Albany	\$85
5	Gazmine Mason	Cranston, RI	\$55
6	Zachary Doty	Nassau	\$45
7	Christopher Hanson	Ballston Lake	\$40
8	Ricky Rovelli	Albany	\$35
9	Jacob Rivers Jr.	Albany	\$30
10	Qwadaris Rembert	Providence, RI	\$30