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Welcome to the last edition of "The 13th Frame" for 2012. I'd like to take this opportunity to sincerely thank you for your support in 2012. Your membership ensures our great sport of tenpin bowling has a bright future.

In our recent league bowler survey, many of you indicated that you haven't seen the video presentation "[I Love My Sport](#)" so it's included in this Christmas edition. It only takes a few minutes to watch and it provides some background on TBA and some of your membership benefits.

Recently you would have received a membership renewal notice for 2013. Signing up online is simple and quick, especially when you are a renewing member. The renewal notice also contains your username and password towards the bottom of the email to make the process even simpler.

Signing up online also saves money and you will receive your membership card within 14 working days, so you can start enjoying your membership benefits immediately. Plus there's another bonus!

We are running an exciting promotion for our members that opt to sign up online. For the next couple of months members who join or renew their membership online will be automatically entered into a draw for the chance to receive a prize pack of bowling ball, bag and other accessories. Sign up this month and double your chances to win! [More details here.](#)

We hope that you enjoy this month's selection of interesting stories, including:

- Jason Belmonte and Diandra Asbaty are crowned [AMF Australian Masters Champions](#) for 2012
- John Coxon and Sue Cassell inducted into [TBA Hall of Fame](#)
- 2012 National Rankings [winners decided](#)
- Western Australia claim first victory in [50th Rachuig Trophy Tournament](#)
- Wrap up of the [TBA Adult National Championship](#)
- Results of the [QubicaAMF Bowling World Cup](#) in Poland
- Australia's junior medal haul at inaugural [World Teen Masters](#) in Las Vegas
- All the local news from your State

Tenpin Bowling Australia Limited's Board and Staff would like to thank you all for your support and wish you and your families a memorable and enjoyable Christmas and holiday season.

Yours in Bowling  
Cara Honeychurch

Chief Executive Officer - Tenpin Bowling Australia

# RENEW NOW

## Have You Renewed Your Membership Yet?

Your 2013 Sports Registration can be purchased online now. The great news is that the price of your membership remains unchanged and there are no credit card fees! [Read more »](#)



## Cliff-hanger Final Decides 2012 AMF Australian Masters

Shouts of Aussie Aussie Aussie, Oi Oi Oi almost lifted the roof at AMF Rooty Hill RSL bowling centre as local hero Jason Belmonte stormed home to clinch the title of AMF AUSTRALIAN MASTERS title over American Sean Rash in what was billed as a battle of the titans.

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## I Love My Sport

If you have not seen the "[I Love My Sport](#)" presentation please take the time to watch this short 7 minute clip which touches on some of the benefits of TBA membership, but more importantly why the support of league and tournament bowlers is critical to the future of your sport.



## Hall of Fame Ceremony Honours Two Bowling Stalwarts

The induction of Sue Cassell from Shellharbour, NSW and TBA Director John Coxon from Port Pirie, SA was greeted with acclaim by a packed audience of fellow bowlers, officials

family and friends in a function that included tributes from other Hall of Fame members.

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### **Australian Adult Championship in Review**

TBA's 2012 Adult National Championships raised the bar to unprecedented heights in presentation, participation and media coverage and enjoyed record-breaking interest from players and spectators alike.

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### **Restricted Challenge and Restricted Cup**

The Restricted Challenge & Restricted Cup kicked off the 2012 Australian Adult Championship. Queensland Men's and Women's teams dominated the Restricted Teams Challenge this year, winning both divisions and taking the trophy for a third consecutive year.

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### **Seniors Challenge, Seniors and Classic Cups**

Week two of the Australian Adult Championship saw the Seniors (over 50 y.o.) division bowlers take to the lanes to participate in the Seniors Cup and the Seniors Team Challenge.

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### Thrilling Finish to 50th Walter Rachuig Tournament

Three days of fierce but friendly competition came to a noisy climax, with Western Australia emerging overall victors in this year's Rachuig tournament. [Read more »](#)

View all results [here](#)



### Sign Up Online - Promotion for Members

For the next couple of months, members who sign up online will be automatically entered into a draw for the chance to receive a prize pack of bowling ball, bag and other accessories. TBA has TWO promotional packs to give away for the first draw, which have been kindly donated by [Animal's Pro Shop](#) so be quick and double your chances of winning.

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### Kevin Blackmore Finishes 2nd in Super Seniors Division at Red Rock

Chris and Sharon Benson, David and Sarah Knowland, Robyn Flynn, Julie Hird, Kevin Blackmore and Vaughan White travelled to Red Rock Resort and Casino Lanes in Las Vegas recently to compete in the 2012 International Senior Open.

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### **QubicaAMF Bowling World Cup A Hard Act to Follow**

Congratulations to our two Aussies Ann-Maree Putney and Ben Coupland who finished in 15th and 24th place respectively at the Bowling World Cup in Poland.

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### **National Rankings Points Winners 2012**

Tenpin Bowling Australia is pleased to announce the winners of the National Rankings for 2012 in the open, womens, youth, senior and grand senior divisions.

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### **Perth to Host Premier Youth Bowling Championship**

The 2013 National Youth Cup, will pit the skills of Australia's top bowling talent against youth bowlers from Singapore and New Zealand. With over \$15,000 in prize money, the Championship features separate male, female and graded division competition in the Youth Cup, followed by a hotly contested Teams Challenge.

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### **Victorian Open Deaf Championships**

The Victorian Deaf Open Championships were held in September at Oz Tenpin Epping in Melbourne.

The event has a long and proud

history with 2012 being the 34th annual individual championships and the 30th Masters and Queens Championships.

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### **Aussie Teens Bag Medal Haul at Inaugural Teen Masters World Series**

Australia's five young representatives at the inaugural Teen Masters World Series brought back a healthy swag of six medals when they returned from Las Vegas.

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### **News from Queensland**

TBAQ held a Level 1 Course on 2nd December, and Judy Buehow of Moorooka in Brisbane, a hearing impaired bowler, attended to gain her accreditation with Tenpin Bowling Australia as a Level 1 Coach.

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### **News from South Australia**

Results from SA Youth Challenge

Junior Youth Circuit - Winners of the Junior Youth Circuit announced after the final event held at AMF Cross Road

300 games in Rachuig for Rob Chinner

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### News from Victoria

[VICTenpin Appoints New State Manager](#)

News from East Coast Championships

Entry Form available for 2013 TBAV State Championships

Results of Goldpin Junior Shield and Emerson Shield

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### News from the West

For Sam Cooley, it was a great way to finish off his youth career, with a runaway win at the 2012 Perth Youth Cup.

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### 300 Games

Check out the latest perfect scores from around the country.

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**The Tenpin Bowling Australia National Office will close on Monday 24th December and will re-open on Monday 7th January 2013.**

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