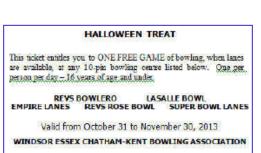
Windsor Essex Chatham-Kent Bowling Association Submitted by Catherine Wilbur

Dan Aqwa, a member of the Windsor Essex Chatham-Kent Bowling Association, at the age of 49, recently bowled his 61st perfect game.

Dan admitted that his latest perfect game was just as nerve-racking as the first one.

Dan was inducted into the Windsor Essex Chatham-Kent Bowling Association Hall of Fame in 2001. He was also inducted into the Ontario Provincial Tenpin Bowling Hall of Fame last year.



We have a special program called Halloween Treat Tickets that we run

for the month of November. This program has been in existence for over 20 years. Halloween Treat Tickets consist of small paper coupons, handed out to young people aged 16 and under. The child takes the coupon to one of specified bowling centres. Participating Bowling centres allow the child to bowl one free game of bowling per coupon with the centre covering the cost of lineage. The bowling

association prepares approximately 20,000 coupons on orange coloured paper. The local Association, prints, cuts, and batches coupons in packets of 100. Coupons are given out for local distribution through bowling centres, and board members. The intent behind this program is to promote the game of bowling. As a board member, I made them available to teachers, church youth groups, and handed them out at the door for Halloween.

Our local board was investigating different Fund Raising initiatives to help raise funds for the board. We run 50-50 draws at functions and we run brackets at tournaments. We were looking for other avenues to boost fund raising. The board teamed up with Pizza Hut to raise funds from a portion of the food proceeds brought in for a specific day. Pizza Hut made up flyers and the board promoted the event by handing out the flyers. When flyers were presented to Pizza Hut, 15% of the food bill was donated back to the local bowling association.

