



Jim was born in Elkhart and started bowling Junior leagues in 1969 at Oakland Lanes, where he learned to bowl from Pat Wilbur.

He bowled more than 16-years in Elkhart in numerous leagues and tournaments.

He was Secretary and/or Treasurer in several bowling leagues. Jim has been a bowling league Champion numerous times in his bowling career.

In 1988 he won the Elkhart City Tournament Scratch Team, Singles, Doubles, and All-Events, all in the same year.

In 1989 he won the Doubles Scratch with Doug Taft.

In 1990 he won the City Team Scratch title.

In 1984 he won the Truth Rolloff and set a nine game pinfall of 2130 with 3 consecutive 700's, with Barb Artley winning the women's division.

Jim won the prestigious Michiana Bowlers Master's Tournament in 1988 and has been a past Fort Wayne Masters winner.

In 1989 he was the Michiana bowlers Bowler of the Year and has 8 MBA titles to his resume.

He has numerous Mishawaka & South Bend City Tournament Titles. Jim has bowled in numerous State and national Tournaments.

He has 18 - 300 games and 8 - 800 series.