

Madison Women's Bowling Association

HALL OF FAME – 2003

HELEN IVERSON, is inducted posthumously into the Madison WBA Hall of Fame in the Superior Performance category in August 2003.

Helen was a member of MWBA for 33 years, had a career high 3-game series of 683 and a high game of 269. She carried a lifetime average of 172 and for a time maintained a 183 average.

During her years as a MWBA bowler, Helen competed in 33 of the association's championship tournaments; winning 4 championships and placing in the top 5 in another 8 finishes.

On the state level where she competed for 25 years, Helen placed first in the doubles event with her partner Tudy Winnie in the 1964 WWBA Championship Tournament. Here again, she placed second and third in other finishes.

Helen was a member of the Duraform Plastics Team and for many years the Blum's Trophies Team. Between 1969 and 1985, the Blum's Team found themselves 5-time winners of either the City high game or high series awards. In 1973, the Duraform Team also garnered first place in the city with a high team series.

From 1967 to 1973, Helen served on the MWBA Board of Directors where she served on and chaired many committees. She was proud of her membership in the national, state, and local 600 clubs and for a time served as the local 600 Club President.

When Helen wasn't on the lanes, she could be found behind the scenes assisting her husband Ed with the operation of Burr Oak Bowl.

For Helen, bowling was like a way of life. In the 50's, the 60's, and the 70's, she not only was one of Madison's premier bowlers but a person well liked by everyone.

The MWBA is pleased to honor Helen Iverson as an inductee into the MWBA Hall of Fame.