

Craig Trapp  
Topeka  
KSBA Hall of Fame  
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Craig started bowling at age of 7 at Meadow Lanes under the famous youth instructor Wayne Sanders and later bowled with Wayne as a team member in several leagues. Craig has won numerous titles as a prep and junior bowler in city and state competition. He joined the ABC adult leagues in the early 1970's and had his first 700 series (718) in 1976. His first honor score was a 300 game in 1978, at Gage Center Bowl while competition in a tournament against the late Dale Euwer. This was the 5<sup>th</sup> ever 300 game bowled at Gage Center and Craig eventually won the tournament.

Craig served on the Board of Directors for the TBA from 1990-1993 and has served as either President or Secretary of different classic leagues for many years in the Topeka area. In the 70's and 80's he traveled throughout the Midwest as member of the Budweiser team from Topeka, where they participated in many tournaments in Missouri, Oklahoma, Nebraska and Kansas. They won tournaments and lost tournaments but mostly learned a lot about bowling on different lane conditions, bowling centers and traded what they learned from this sport, between friends and teammates.

Craig has 7-800 series to his credit, 14-300 games, 1-299, 3-298 games and 6-290 games to his credit. He was Topeka City Top Ten Champion in 2003, (he qualified 8 times in this event), and a member of the 2<sup>nd</sup> place National 3-man High Series team score awarded in 2001 with a score of 2350. His high lifetime average is 228.