

KEITH EDWARDS

Men's Skill – 2008



Son of Hall of Fame bowler Jack Edwards, Keith and his brothers began hanging out in bowling centers at an early age and he honed his competitive edge watching and studying the match play events his Dad bowled in. It also taught him to go about the business of bowling without looking for a pat on the back. Coming out of the YABA Youth program and into adult leagues at age 17, Keith has been among the highest league average bowlers in the OKC area ever since. He has bowled Three 800 Series, the highest being 837, as well as Fourteen 300 Games and has had a 200+ average as far back as 1981-82 season. Keith's highest league average is 228. In July of 1988, he bowled only the 5th ever back to back 300 games in league play and finished with an 826 Series. Also that year, Keith won the Team USA State Amateur Championship averaging 250 for 12 games that included Two 300 Games, a 290 Game and an 811 Series. Other wins include: 1st Team Oklahoma State Tournament, 1st All Events Coca Cola Classic, 1st 12 Game Meridian Lane's Marathon and a Doubles win in Ft. Smith, Arkansas. He had many cashes in the weekend events at Richard Altman's Boulevard Quarterly Tournaments competing against the Southwest's best bowlers. He also finished 1st and 2nd back to back in the Gen Gap Doubles as well as 4th in the Hoinke Classic Team event. Whether it be a travel league, tournament or regular league, Keith's intensity and focus always shows up to bowl and win. Because of his bowling abilities and success, the Oklahoma City Bowling Council proudly inducts Keith Edwards into its Hall of Fame.