

"Superior Performance"



Jeffrey Alan Barton was born June 19, 1969 in Havre De Grace, Maryland to Arthur and the late Gloria Barton, growing up with brother, Ron and sister, Teresa (Reed) on his grandparents farm in Colora, Maryland. Living his entire life in the Rising Sun area, Jeff married his High School sweetheart, Teresa (Faus), in 1990 and they will celebrate their twenty-fourth anniversary in July.

In 1994, they had their first children, a set of twin girls, Cassie and Nicole, then a son in 1996, Will and another daughter Hannah in 2001. Jeff currently works for Maryland American Water Company where he has been employed for twenty one years.

Jeff's interest in sports had him playing in Junior League Football, Little League Baseball and wrestling on the Rising Sun High School Team where he lettered and placed Fourth in States his Junior year and Third in States his Senior year. Also his Senior year, he was County and District Champion.

Accompanying his parents to the lanes as a child when they bowled and his competitive nature, naturally led to Jeff's interest in bowling and he joined a league in 1985 at Ox Grove Lanes, becoming an ABC/USBC member at the age of sixteen.

It wasn't long before Jeff joined more leagues, including the Bill Snavley Scratch League as a roster bowler on the team Duffers Beach with Robert Marshall III, Al Bucchi, Whitey Tout, Jack Dubree, Doug Wilson and Maynard Piddington. Surrounded by these and other great and talented men, many of them Hall Of Famers over the past twenty-five years, Jeff has been fortunate to have been a part of numerous Snavley and other league titles.

All his time at the lanes paid off with Jeff posting a high book average of 222, and currently averages 229 at Blue Hen Lanes, Delaware. Bowling his first 300 April 1, 1993 at Harford Lanes in the Sunday Early Mixed League, Jeff went on to bowl twenty-one perfect games in six different centers across three different states in varying Leagues. Within those, 2 were bowled in MSBA Tournaments and 1 in the CHCBA Annual Tournament. In what most would consider an unusual occurrence, Jeff's father, Arthur

Barton, brother, Ronald Barton and his step-brother, Stevie Settle each have bowled 300's. In 1995-2005, Jeff became a member of the PBA Eastern Region and bowled in several Regional tournaments throughout the years. (Highest Regional finish-30th)

The Cecil Harford USBC Bowling Association is proud to induct Jeffrey Alan Barton to their Hall of Fame in the categories of Superior Performance.

Bowling accomplishments are:

Maryland State USBC Championship: 1997 -Team Scratch(Tim Moor, Bobby Marshall, John Walker. Alex Abraham) 1994 Scratch Singles-3 rd

Cecil Harford USBC Championship: 1996 -Team Scratch-3577(Tim Moor. Mike Poist. Steve Finely, Kevin Walker) 3577 (The high series for the CHUSBC Association Tournament at that time) Jeff bowled a team high series of 784. Team High Score for single game 1317 2002-Scratch Team-3480 (Tim Moor, Adam Barnard, Jim McGuigan, Kevin Walker) 2008-Scratch Team-3479 (Bryan Lindecamp, James Barnard, Adam Barnard & Kevin Walker 2002-Scratch Singles Champion-750 2002-Scratch All Events Champion -2149 2004-Doubles Scratch Champion-\445 with Andre Brown 2006-Runner Up Scratch All Events 2006-Runner Up Scratch Team 2006-]d Place Scratch Singles

PBA EASTERN REGIONAL PRO SPOT QUALIFER 1992-Champion-5 games/1189 fair Lanes Kings Point

Cecil Harford 700 Club -Member/Non member 1992-IST Place Doubles with Ron Barton

Harford Lane Invitational: 2003 Champion

Other Accomplishments: 4-800 Series. High of 825 earned the \993-94 CHCBA Merit Award 21-300 Games 4-299 Games 1-298 Games 5-11 in a Row Awards ties Association Record; Hundreds of 700's

ABC/USBC High League Average Awards-1993-1994, 1994-1995, 1996-1997,1997-1998,1998-1999,1999-2000, 2000-2001, 2003-2004 Competed in twelve USBC National Tournaments Finished 32nd in 2005 at the USBC National Tournament Team Event with Adam Barnard, Tim Moor, Cory Marshall, Bryan Lindecamp

Converted Big 4
Converted 7-10 split