

Circle Bowling News

Circle Bowling Team fourth season "road to State Play-off"

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On Thursday Circle travel to Winter Park Lanes to play Bishop Moore High School. The teams were going to bowl 2 games of 10-Pin and 3-games of Baker for a 5-point system. In the 1st game of 10-pin Circle struggled to find a line. Michel Campbell [2011] led the team with a solid 200 game. Michael Mathis [2013] added support with a 198 game, but the two couldn't hold off the strong finish of Bishop Moore and lost the game 842-830 in the final frame. The 2nd 10-Pin game Circle was able to find a better line and a solid 213 game from Michael Campbell lead the way. It was Jake Beavers [2012] strong finish with 4 strikes in a row and a 211 game that finished off Bishop Moore and Circle won 877-821. Both teams were 1-1 and moved to Baker. In the 3rd game Circle got 2 spares from Kenzie Winans [2011] and strikes from Jake Beavers, Michael Mathis, Christopher Mathis [2011] and Michael Campbell to pull out a narrow win 151-143. The 4th game Bishop Moore put together 3 strikes in a row and Circle could not answer and lost 160-133. With both teams having 2 wins the 5th game would be the tiebreaker and would determine the winner. Both teams could feel the pressure and struggled to make solid shots. Circle found themselves behind and needing 3 strikes in the 9th and 10th frames and needed help from Bishop Moore to open in the 9th frame. Christopher Mathis stepped up in the 9th and nailed the pocket for a strike. Bishop Moore opened in the 9th frame giving Circle a little light. Michael Campbell stepped up for his 10th frame and buried the ball right into the pocket for a strike. Bishop Moore got up and threw a strike in the 10th, which put the pressure back on Circle to answer. Michael Campbell stepped up for his 11th frame and released the ball straight towards the pocket. The ball hit the pocket flush but left a solid 10 pin. With that 10-pin standing went Circle's hope of winning the game and match. Bishop Moore held on and won 166-159.

Circle lost the match 3-2. Michael Campbell led Circle with a 413 series [206.5 avg.] and 75% marks in Baker. Circles varsity season record is 1-1.

Bowler	Series	Average	Spares	Strikes	% Marks	% Strings
Michael Campbell	413	206.5	4	2	75%	25%
Michael Mathis	368	184.0	1	2	50%	0%
Jake Beavers	360	180.0	2	2	66%	0%
Christopher Mathis	329	164.5	1	3	66%	0%
Kenzie Winans	237	118.5	1	0	16%	0%

The JV team saw action for the first time this season against Bishop Moore. The 1st game Adam Weber [2010] had 2 spares and AJ Vehec [2013] had a strike to lead Circle to a 112-109 win. The 2nd game Bishop Moore started out with 3 strikes in a row and pulled away to win 157-106. The 3rd game Adam Weber had a strike and Kami Winans [2012] and Sean Vehec [2011] had a spare, but couldn't hold off the hard charging Hornets and lost a heartbreaker 104-102. The 4th game Circle could only find a spare from Kami Winans and Sean Vehec and lost 111-95. In the 5th game Bishop Moore had already won the match so Circle was playing for pride and got back to back strikes from Adam Weber and Nat Lisko [2015] to start the game and a spare from Kami Winans to hold on and win 117-104.

Circle JV lost the match 3-2. Kami Winans led Circle with 50% marks in Baker. Circle JV record is 0-1.

Bowler	Spares	Strikes	% Marks	% Strings
Kami Winans	5	0	5	0%
Adam Weber	2	2	4	0%
Sean Vehec	3	0	3	0%
AJ Vehec	1	1	2	0%
Nat Lisko	0	1	1	100%
Shelby Gilson	0	0	0	0%

Both teams [Varsity and JV] will be home against Covenant on Tuesday 9-15-09 at 3:30 pm and home against Edgewater on Thursday 9-17-09 at 3:00 pm at Colonial Lanes.