

**Harimanok Farms Goes Back to the Win Column, Demolishes DCC Cargo 11-0, Wins Team of the Week, in the 9th Round of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Conference, DFBC 53<sup>rd</sup> All Filipino Bowling League Supported by BeFit-AKI Fitness!!!**

Harimanok Farms, mercilessly brutalized DCC Cargo 11-0, firing at will with strikes and spares left and right, winning the Team of the Week award but most importantly, going up again to no. 7 from no. 10. You may ask, why a team with such a talent laden line-up is having a roller coaster ride? Consider this: Andy Erena exploding with a high series of 676 from games of 245/225/206 or Liza Castro burning the lanes with 668 series (3<sup>rd</sup> game 253- winner Bowler of the Week), from games of 204/2011 and highlight game of 253 in the 3<sup>rd</sup> game, enough for her to win the Bowler of the Week award. Not to be outdone Abet Alba, who is now feeling at home with his new team, contributed a 641 series from solid 200+ games of 205/215/221. The Werpa couple Mel Aviles and Myra Aviles, likewise scored a very respectable 593 and 598 respectively. It is still a wonder, which Harimanok Team will show up in the next rounds, but Pres July is hoping that this team, that just won, will continue to show up till the finish line, otherwise it will always be a Jekyll and Hyde or a roller coaster results for the chicken farmers. On the DCC side, Carlos Failogna (614) and Daisy Rivera (612), fought valiantly but Team Captain Danny Casio, can only put up a measly 554, Merle Cada a 548 and Rejhs Zamora a 534, which was far inferior to the fiery games put up by the Farmers. DCC goes down to 16<sup>th</sup>.

The Covenant Team of Miss Maria Gil, is now inching its way back to the Magic 10, clobbering B&G 9-0, courtesy of the combined games of Jojo Acebron (2 games series of 467) and Luzel Martinez's (223) for a total series of 690 as these series score made all the difference in a low scoring duel between two teams. Marissa Manalo scattered a series of 604, Marlon Martinez lofted his way to a 577 series and Maureen Dujali scored a handicap maintaining series of 521. What really was the story in their win over the B&G squad is the 2 excellent games fired out by their resident Class O (down to Class A now) Jojo Acebron, 220 and 247 who has not played this good in a very long time. Idagdag pa ang laro ni Luzel (223) na talaga namang nakakabilib, kaya walang nagawa ang koponan ni Herbert Capili. Grace Abalos' 586 series was the highest for the losing side. The rest of the 4 players have a dismal average of 565 series in their losing effort. Not enough. If Covenant continues their winning run, that is if Jojo plays as well as he can, then a decent finish is not far fetched.

Pocket Sniper continues their winning streak at 7, this time stamping their mark against, the defending champion, Tweeners 9-0 and in doing so, dislodged Sherlock at no. 2. This is the longest streak of any team in this conference so far, and considering that we are just 9 rounds old, it's quite an achievement already. I'm just surprised that they are just at no. 2. Leo Lerma led his team with an impressive 663 on impressive games of 231/213/239. Impressive indeed. Doods Salazar followed suit with 656 banking on a highlight game of 245 in the 1<sup>st</sup> game. Surprise starter Eugene did not disappoint and shelled out 611, Richie Villarosa, though submitting a series below 600 is not so bad with a 583 and last but not the least, bringing up the rear is Lucy Ingente with a 571 series. It was not really a bad game for the the defending champs, what with Xanthie Fronda smoking hot with a 643 series and Jojo Mercado with a 623 series. Even Tess Victoria's 597 is not to be ashamed of, though Kapitana Kathleen Raymundo's 569 and Doc Ronnie Fabian's 550 left a lot to be desired, it was not at all that bad. It was just that they played against the streaking Snipers who are playing an inspired game and would not be denied.

Bowl-tech bullied new kids on the block, Unity Bowlers 9-1. 8 marks handicap deficit notwithstanding, the Bowl-tech squad would have none of it and immediately buckled down to work at the get-go. It was a typical harassment of a Senior to Freshman school scenario style, the bullies showing their might by a barrage of strikes led by Senior bully, Filo Escabel who put up a series of 695 on a highlight game of 244 right in the first game. Another bully, and the leader of them all, Class O Noel Bejar, instigated another beating, when he rendered a 662 on solid games of 208/222/232. Jo Nava whom you can still consider a Sophomore, but goes along well with the Seniors, also kicked them hard with a 619 series of her own. Raul Cariaga, also joined the fray with a series of 619. Only Mike Vargas who were gentle with the Unity Bowlers and just content to put up a kind score of 491 series. Even with a huge handicap each, not one from the Unity Bowlers reached 600 series. The closest was Glenda Sanchez's 591 and Ohnie Rosero's 590. Arman Ortiz's 581, Eddie Tan's 572 and combine scores of Eric Yoro's and Lee Sanchez's 526 were made mincemeat by the Bowltech squad. Bowl-tech goes back up to no. 9.

Another streaking team, Wild Card, on a 6 game roll, made Sherlock its victim no. 6 and continue to go up in the standings. They are now at no. 3 and with the confidence they are having right now, it is not far fetch to see them at the top of the standings. The win did not come in a silver platter though. It was closed all through-out that game 2 was decided only on the last frames of the last 2 players of each team. If not for the breaks going Wild Card way, it would have been Sherlock celebrating the win. Former and long-time Sherlock mainstay but now the Wild Card Team Captain, Larry Dolor led his new team with a series of 649 from games of 203/225/221. His wingman Chris Calgao, who is slowly proving himself to be a steady force, submits series of 638 on excellent games of 234/183/221. Salve Tesio, struggling a bit due to a one week lay-off gave a series of 568, muscleman and anchorman Kelly Odiong though a bit off with his 565 series was reliable in the clutch, taking care of the closing frames for Wild Card and playing the role of the anchor to the hilt. Jomar Naguit, using his new ball that he needed getting used to it was just ok with his 564. Arnold Asuncion led all Sherlock players with his 654 but did not

get enough support. Only Edgar Ramos' 585 is and Rodel Billones's 569, is nearby. Rex Galang's 529 and Lita labuguen's 503 are way off the mark.

Ant Sturmer scored 8-0, against an undermanned V for Victory, who came to the fight with only 4 players. On a 4 game winning streak of their own, Ant Sturmer is in a 3 way tie with iiee and Harimanok Farms with identical 52 points each, at 6<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> position. V for Victory never had a chance, with power lefty Ramil Tesoro, leading the way for his team. He powered his way to a 621 scratch series now averaging 200 plus, tops in the Class O group. Ronald Valdez, his able wingman took it easy with just 579, Cris Toledo and Reb Esma submitted a similar series of 572 and Team Captain Noel Buenavidez was content to draw a 550 series. On the losing side, Joanne Vargas enjoyed playing and dished out a 590 series, Mimi Malik also was happy with her 578, while Al De Ubago and team leader Butch Vargas exerted effort in submitting an identical 555 series.

Ball-istics defeated Xclusive 6-2 and solidified its hold of the pole position. They are the hottest team of the league, their opening day and 6<sup>th</sup> round loss was more than compensated with wins on the other 7 rounds and they are now on top of the world. These writer do not doubt that this team is capable of maintaining their position until the very end. Only a very strong opposition from upcoming opponents will hold them, if there is. Jonner Miranda who is now fully recovered from his hip injury assumed the leadership mantle in the absence of the Bowling Princess Uella Marcial. Jonner scattered 621 pinfalls on 3 games. Kapitana Elsie Marcial who has revived her bowling enthusiasm, enthusiastically delivered a 611 series. Whien Datinguino pushed for a 590, Abby Rabago a 570 series, but Lexter Roman somehow struggled with his lowly 525 series. The Xclusive quintet is nowhere in sight as only Philip Cabutihan scored more than 600 at 616 series. The rest scored an average of 546 series.




IIEE pounded Derdan's Striker's 7-2 and has become a legitimate threat to the leaders. They are now at no. 6 and if they continue winning, they can steal the thunder from their more illustrious opponents. Arnel Arias led the team, again, with 615 and was ably supported by Joven Hinampas (nang mahina lang) with 602. Gani "Ganpors" Porcina back from a long vacation rolled out a decent 591 series and Liza "Lawin" Lugtu was in full flight at 592. Ramil Aquino brought the rear with 565. Although 3 Striker's scored above 600: Diane Quiambao (614), Joel Umalsa (610) and Malou Fideles (608), it was not enough as the other 2 players were a measly 542 each.

Elsewhere:

Ballantine's survived a scare from Ex-Bowlers before finally winning to score 6-2. They are now inside he Magic 10 at no. 10.

Team Pilipinas, content to maintain their handicaps, scored just 6 points against themselves.

Weekly astig:

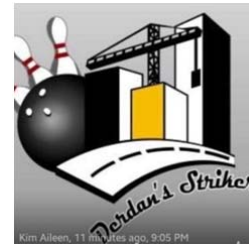
WEEKLY AWARDEES			
Accumulator - 2 Round/s		None	
	Team of the Week	12 harimanok FARM	3,176
	Bowler of the Week - Male	Jonner Miranda	250
	Bowler of the Week - Female	Liza Castro	253
	High Series of the Week - Male	Filo Escabel	695
	High Series of the Week - Female	Liza Castro	668
Special Event Winner/s			
WTA Winners	Game 1	Game 2	Game 3
Male Open + Handicap	Doods S / Andy E - 245 (240)	Jojo A - 247 (270)	Filo E - 248 (260)
Female Open + Handicap	Daisy R - 216 (50)	Daisy R - 228 (60)	Marivic A - 225 (60)

Thanks to our sponsors:

## Major Sponsor



## Support Sponsors



**Edgar Vale**  
Bowler of the Week



**Ganie Porcina**  
Best Uniform Award



**Mark Bumagat**  
Best Uniform Runner Up