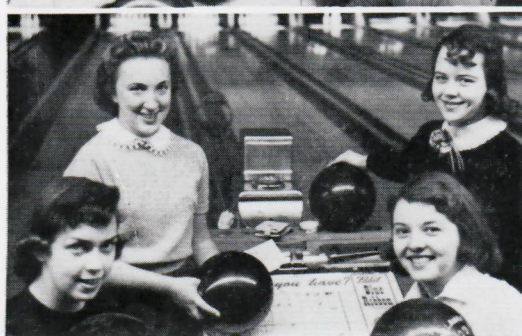
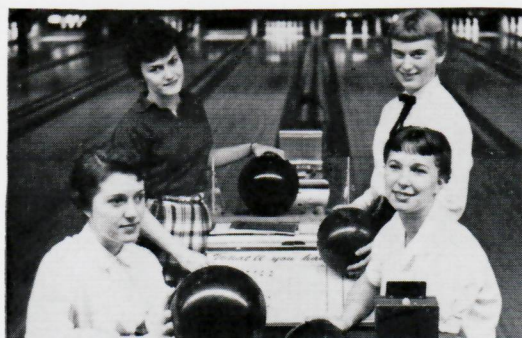


BOWLING 1956-57

The first place in the girls league was captured by the Fire Balls in the last week of play. Carol Wold, Nancy Swanson, Willy Munk, Bobby Jo Whitehorn, and Sue Goetz not only took first place and had high team series, but also placed in the national tournament. The Sharp Strikes, who are: Sue Enabnit, who has high girls series; Gretch Hildebrand, with high game for the girls; Ginny Gravel; and Penny Graven; dropped to second place in the Taft league, but remained first in the State and fourth in the Nation. Rita Perlman, Bonney Lebo, Jan Lewis, and Anna May Lundberg combined to make the Gutter Gals, the third place team.

In the boys league, honors for the first place trophy were taken by the Amateurs: Buck Levy; Dick Brockman; Warren Koeller; Ron Bergner; and Cal Rodway. Bill Pavlick, Wayne Walter, Chandler Vorhees, Lloyd Wevang, and Don Birgerson, better known as the Handicappers, ran away with second place in the last three games, and bowled the high team series. The Seniors; Jack Prassel, Herman Kornatz, Wayne Stewart, Ted Fijak, and Don Jarnow who holds second highest game and the three highest series, took third place. Paul Brigante of the Gutter Goofs bowled the high game.



Above, top to bottom; Fire Balls, Sharp Strikes, Gutter Gals.

Left, top to bottom: Mr. Puippo, sponsor; Gretch Hildebrand, high average; Sue Enabnit, high series; Don Jarnow, high series (left); Paul Brigante, high game; Amateurs; Handicappers (left); Seniors; some of the girls and boys.



BOWLING

The big black ball goes crashing into the pins and the Taft bowling team is in action again. Bowling at Taft has been and is one of the largest of our participant sports, in this and in past years. Here at Taft there are leagues for both boys and girls under the sponsorship of Mr. John Puippo. The Taft bowling team bowls once a week at the Rolaway Recreation center.

Each year a team from Taft goes to the city finals to bowl against the best teams in the city. This year the group from Taft finished in the second spot among the city league teams.

This year in the Taft leagues there were some of the best bowlers we have had in many years and the league races were very tight and everybody had a lot of fun.

