

## 2015 NH State Pepsi Championship Report

This year the Pepsi Championships was hosted by Strikers East in Raymond, many thanks to Mindy, Steve and the staff for a great day and competition. From the 102 registered, 98 youth descended upon Strikers. Bowling 6 games, 82 athletes competed in the U12, U15 and U20 divisions and 17 bowling 3 games in the U8 and U10 divisions.

Congratulations to our 1<sup>st</sup> place U8 and U10 gold medal and scholarship winners:

Ryan Knapp	U8B	Seacoast	257 Series	\$50.00
Erin Bamford	U8G	Seacoast	213 Series	\$25.00
Leigha McElroy	U8G	Seacoast	213 Series	\$25.00
Hayden Kushman	U10B	Seacoast	446 Series	\$75.00
Ciera Skye Smith	U10G	Seacoast	315 Series	\$37.50
Gillian Williams	U10G	Gr. Manchester	266 Series	\$37.50

Beginning this year the 1<sup>st</sup> Place winners in the U12 division will join the U15 and U20 qualifiers to compete nationally. Congratulations to the following scholarship and medal winners:

1 <sup>st</sup>	Bradley Baybutt	U12B	Gr. Manchester	1145 Series	Gold / \$100.00
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Jake Howell	U12B	Merrimack	1043 Series	Silver / \$75.00
1 <sup>st</sup>	Madison Gentes	U12G	Gr. Manchester	951 Series	Gold / \$100.00
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Amanda Williams	U12G	Gr. Manchester	777 Series	Silver / \$75.00
1 <sup>st</sup>	Ben Drogue*	U15B	Gr. Manchester	1256 Series	Gold / \$150.00
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Ryan Gentes*	U15B	Gr. Manchester	1199 Series	Silver / \$100.00
1 <sup>st</sup>	Rachel Bamford*	U15G	Seacoast	1051 Series	Gold / \$150.00
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Danielle Collins*	U15G	Merrimack	830 Series	Silver / \$100.00
1 <sup>st</sup>	Garrett Wilson	U20B	Gr. Manchester	1391 Series	Gold / \$300.00
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Ryan Trippiedi	U20B	Merrimack	1304 Series	Silver / \$200.00
1 <sup>st</sup>	Raina Stobbs	U20G	Merrimack	1073 Series	Gold / \$300.00
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Ashlee Bly	U20G	Claremont	1047 Series	Silver / \$100.00
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Taylor Melcher	U20G	Claremont	1047 Series	Silver / \$100.00

\*Since Rachel Bamford and Ben Drogue have previously earned national spots they will retain the 1<sup>st</sup> place Pepsi state scholarship but Danielle Collins and Ryan Gentes will take the NH State berths and will go to Chicago as well. New Hampshire will be represented by 8 athletes this year.

We are proud to award a total of \$2100.00 in scholarships this year. The complete standings can be viewed on our webpage at [www.nhstateusbc.com](http://www.nhstateusbc.com).

The Storm ball raffle raised \$326 to help get our athletes to Chicago. Jim March of Claremont was the big winner. We thank all who purchased tickets and participated in this very meaningful fundraiser.

Again, lets wish all our athletes who will represent New Hampshire at the Pepsi/Junior Gold good luck and good bowling this July 11<sup>th</sup> thru the 17<sup>th</sup> in Dupage County (Chicago area), Illinois. Follow the competition live on [bowl.com](http://bowl.com).

Respectfully Submitted,  
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