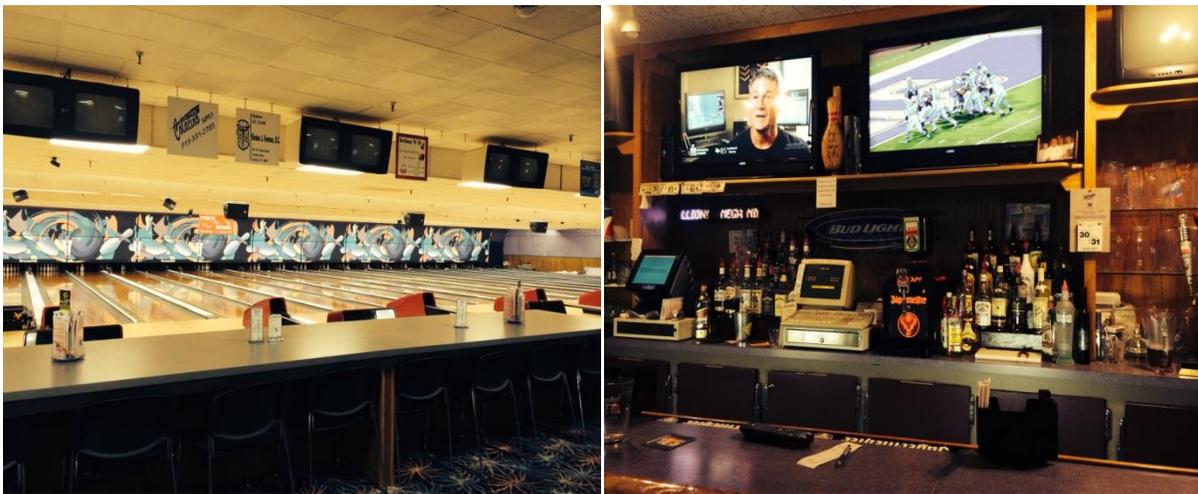November 2014 will mark 15 years of Doug and Chrissie Kent owning Doug Kent's Rose Bowl Lanes in Newark. This 36 lane bowling center offers a variety of youth & adult leagues, cosmic bowling, birthday parties, corporate parties, private lessons and fundraisers. There is also a full service bar and snack bar that serves more than your "typical" bowling center food and pro shop for all of your bowling needs. "Our main goal is to offer a fun, friendly, family environment for the Village of Newark."



The existing center was originally built by the Colacino family in the 1960's. Doug spent many days in the center, as his parents were league bowlers there. Those days spent in the bowling center are where his dream of becoming a professional bowler started. That dream became a reality and Doug joined the tour in 1991. At that time, he wasn't planning being a bowling center proprietor as the tour was pretty good to him. In the late 90's the future of the Professional Bowlers Tour was in question and he was looking ahead in case the tour folded. He was

given the opportunity to purchase the bowling center by the late Gene Colacino and felt he couldn't pass it up.   In November of 1999 Doug found himself touring full time and being a bowling center owner.  His now wife Chrissie, was also a lifelong member of the bowling community and was willing to stay home and run the bowling center while Doug continued his dream of professional bowling.



Doug and Chrissie began coaching the Varsity Bowling teams in 2010 and in that time Newark has won both League & Sectional titles.  Being able to give back to the sport they love through coaching has been a great experience for both. "Passing on the knowledge that we have gained through the years has been quite rewarding to see these kids grow and be successful bowlers."

Please visit Doug Kent's Rose Bowl Lanes at 725 W. Miller St (Wegmans Plaza) or call 315-331-2007.  You can also check out Doug Kent's Rose Bowl Lanes on Facebook and at www.dougkentsrosebowllanes.com