

Rolling Thunder knocks down Pin Assassins

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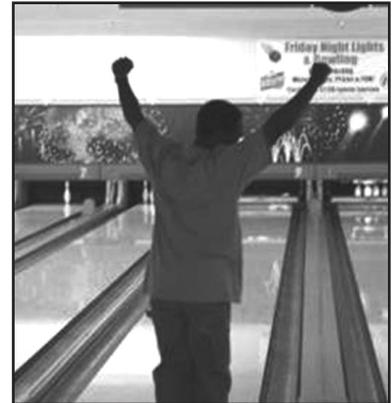
Six teams competed for bragging rights at the Defense Distribution Depot Puget Sound, Wash. (DDPW), Employee Appreciation Day bowling event held Aug. 15.

“The competition was fierce,” said CDR Bill Bailey, SC, USN, DDPW Commanding Officer. “I would expect nothing less from a group this dedicated.”

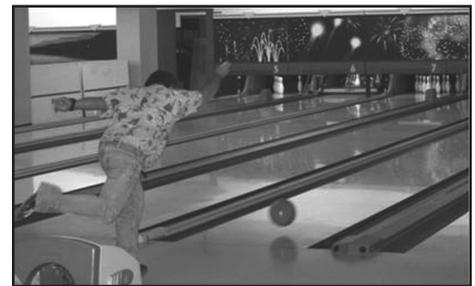
After a lunch sponsored by DDPW managers, employees competed for prizes and bragging rights at the event held at Naval Base Kitsap Bowling Facility.

In the final round bowling, CDR Bailey’s team, the Pin Assassins, took on DDPW Deputy Commander Susan Earle’s Rolling Thunder. Site Manager Don Gonia added to the Pin Assassin’s lead with five strikes in a row, but his team was finally overtaken by the roar of the Rolling Thunder.

Members of the Rolling Thunder winning team: DDPW Deputy Commander Susan Earle, CGA Team Lead Rory Pitts, Quality Assurance Evaluator Robert “Buck” Dowell, and Safety/Security Officer Steve Thomas.



James Greene (above) and James Burnes (below) compete in the DDPW Employee Appreciation Day bowling event.



DAPS: beyond the print shop

The Document Automation and Production Service, or DAPS, provided Defense Distribution Center (DDC) staff with an overview of the myriad of services available from DAPS and DAPS online Aug. 8, 2006.

DAPS is the document solutions provider for the Department of Defense (DOD), and the discussion led by Ed Ezekian and Pat Boyd, both of the DAPS Philadelphia region, demonstrated the organization’s problem-solving abilities.

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Pat Boyd leads a discussion of the services available from DAPS online.