

Start

Atlantic Ocean



Ball in Atlantic Ocean

Topsail Beach. Near St. John's

I stopped by the beach and dipped into the Atlantic Ocean to officially start the tour. Found this nice backdrop for the shot a little hard to work the camera and place items in the shot at the same time. So the car was parked by the sign entrance to the beach and the other is some crazy guy standing in the Atlantic. Oh yeah

that's me trying to look cool! It was a cool day. More to come in the next 100 days.
Bowling is for Life, Keep on Striking!



St. John's, Newfoundland



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St. John's, Newfoundland is the oldest city in Canada, and is the most easterly city in North America. Because of its geographical location, St. John's, Newfoundland is the first city to celebrate the beginning of each year at midnight on December 31st, and is the eastern endpoint of the Trans-Canada Highway.

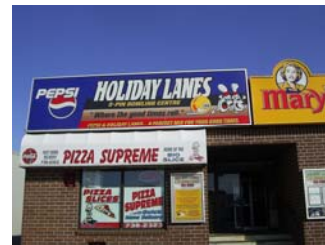
Holiday Lanes

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total	
192	230	242	664	

Here we go day one of the tour and what a great start. Holiday is a 12-lane string centre with Qubica scoring. I think it rocks, the staff is great and I had a grand time. Thanks to Petra for all her work. The mayor of St. John's, the president of C5PBA and many other distinguished people were on hand for the opening of my 100 days



tour. Youth bowler Dominique bowled with me for a couple of games and kicked my butt with scores of 252 and 237, way to go girl. Also Kudos to Colin Smith for a great 393 game, I think the tour is off to a fine start. Thanks to Molson's for sponsoring the bowling event at the lanes.





Mount Pearl, Newfoundland

Mount Pearl is a city on the Avalon Peninsula in Newfoundland and Labrador, Canada. 24,671 people live in Mount Pearl.

Pearlgate Lanes

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total	
191	185	159	535	



The YBC, (Youth Bowling Council) bantam gold medallists taught me a thing or two today at lanes. Pearlgate is a clean, 20 lane, string centre with computer scoring. Very friendly and up to date the lanes are really better than my scores suggest. I was

intimated, by the young bowlers, I got to play with. That's my story and I'm sticking to it. Had fun hope to come back some day.



Bay Roberts and Clarenville, Newfoundland



Bay Roberts. Newfoundland

European fishermen were visiting Bay Roberts as early as the 1500s. Fishermen from [Brittany and Normandy in what is now France](#) fished the waters off the coast of Bay Roberts in the early 1500s and named the harbour **Baie de Robert**. They established onshore fishing rooms where

they dried and salted (made) codfish. These fishermen came to the area because of its large harbour, and flat rock beaches that they used for curing fish.

Old Mill Lanes

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
164	187	154	505



Well I learned a lot on the drive down from St. John's. There are a lot of lakes in Newfoundland and the scenery is grand. The countryside is much different that I had imagined it to be. Caribou Lanes has 6 lanes computerized string machines. I am currently on a bad streak and bowling poorly. Thanks Mike for opening up for me.



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Clarenville, Newfoundland

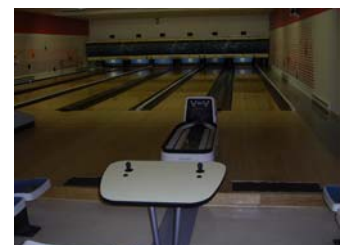
Clarenville can claim the distinction of being chosen as the first place for the laying of the Transatlantic Telephone Cable, which took place in June, 1955.

Caribou Lanes

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
175	196	237	608



So I bowled at a second centre today. Thanks Clare for opening the lanes. Caribou is a clean 6-lane centre with lots of room, Joystick computer system and a friendly atmosphere. Thoroughly enjoyed my time here and start to bowl a little better finally.



**Gander, Newfoundland**

In June of 1936, workers spilled off the train at Milepost 213 on the Newfoundland Railway. Still incredulous at the task they had been assigned, they set about clearing land for what would become the world's largest airport, boasting one square mile of tarmac. On January 11, 1938, Captain Douglas Fraser flew a single-engine biplane, Fox Moth VO-ADE, to the first landing at the completed 'Newfoundland Airport', now known around the world as Gander International.

Peyton Pins

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
180	158	179	517



Peyton Pins is a friendly 6-lane string centre. You have to keep your own score in this centre no computers. Bowled with Gerry, Harry and Dean. Why Dean it doesn't rhyme with Terry? Had a grand time should have been longer. Thanks to Margaret for having me.

**Lewisporte, Newfoundland**

Lewisporte is a town in the province of [Newfoundland and Labrador](#). It is on Burnt Bay. The town was named for Lewis Miller & Co. lumbering firm.

Winter Games Lanes

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
167	158	160	485



A 6-lane centre with Qubica Scoring, these lanes are owned by the town, and were donated for hosting the Winter Games. Nice Centre thanks to Kim and Dean for having me. Drop by if you're in town and say Terry sent you.

Grand Falls-Windsor, Newfoundland



Grand Falls - Windsor, Newfoundland

Grand Falls-Windsor, a unique and historically rich community, was incorporated on January 1, 1991 when the two former towns of Grand Falls and Windsor amalgamated. In 1768, Lieutenant John Cartwright ascended the Exploits River and named the " Grand Falls ". However, it wasn't until 1905 that the town of Grand Falls was established. Unlike most communities in Newfoundland in which settlement occurred gradually, Grand Falls came into existence almost overnight. Fear of war in Europe forced the British Harmsworth family to search for an alternate source of newsprint to feed their

publishing empire. In their search for a suitable location for the construction and operation of a pulp and paper mill, Harold Northcliffe and Mayson Beeton visited the Grand Falls .

Holiday Lanes Central

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
171	195	199	565



This is a 12 lane centre with Qubica scoring. Great people lots of action this centre was happening. The kids bowled well as did Gwen, Marg and Joey. We had cake and got out just before the Men's league came to play. It was a fun time thanks everyone.



Deer Lake, Newfoundland



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The Deer Lake area was settled by George Nichols in 1867, who came to cut pine. The railway came through the area in 1898, and a sawmill was established in 1900 and operated until 1905. A coal mine was opened in 1910 and lasted for only three months.

During World War I, the area was surveyed for shale oil deposits and approximately 388 kms was found but never developed.

Between 1922 and 1925, a hydroelectric station was built at Deer Lake by the Newfoundland Products Company and Sir W. G. Armstrong Whitworth and Company. The canal system used by the hydroelectric station helped to expand the woods operations in the area.

Since the 1920s, Deer Lake has grown into a major area for the lumbering industry, as well becoming a service oriented centre. It was incorporated as a town in 1950.

Humber River Lanes

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
187	215	201	603



Golf and bowling what more can a guy ask for. I hit the links today and then headed for the Lanes. Humber River Lanes are attached to Arena and Swimming Pool. The bright cheerful 6-lane string centre with Qubica scoring had a very modern atmosphere. I



was impressed with state of the lanes very clean and bright. My bowling mates Dalphne and Maryann ensured I bowled well and had a good time. Thanks ladies, also thanks to Eva and Glen for opening the centre. Now if I can only spot that Moose my Newfoundland trip will be a complete success.

Corner Brook, Newfoundland



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James Cook, the famous British cartographer and explorer was the first to survey and record the geography of the Bay of Islands. Throughout the

summer of 1767 he surveyed most of the area and copies of the maps he created are displayed at the Captain James Cook Monument in Corner Brook.

The area served as a meeting, marketing and distribution point for local fisherman, who fished the Strait of Belle Isle by summer and spent the winters working in Corner Brook's lumber woods. Permanent settlement came as a result of the island-wide railway system and the construction of the pulp and paper mill in the mid-1920s. During the war years of 1939-1945, both the pulp and paper industry and the fishery were booming and Corner Brook was prosperous. Soon after the end of World War II, a cement plant and a gypsum wallboard plant were established, creating new jobs in addition to those already available at the area's three fish processing plants, and at the paper mill.

Centre Bowl

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total	Corner Brook Centre Bowl
174	199	146	519	



Met a lot of National Champions in Corner Brook today. One of Canada's best in Terry Blake, and Erin Blake fresh out of the YBC program as well as a few others on their way to national championships, right Meagan! This 12 lane string machines with Brunswick scoring doesn't look like a typical bowling centre from the outside. As a



matter of fact I drove right by it a couple of times before I figured out where it was. What a lovely surprise to enter this building and discover a thriving bowling alley. There were lots of people on hand to make my day including the mayor and president bowling association. One last stop in Newfoundland tomorrow, Port aux Basques then I head back to the Mainland. Still looking for the elusive Moose, if you find one please let me see him/her before I set sail tomorrow.

Port aux Basques, Newfoundland



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As the main "Gateway to Newfoundland," Port aux Basques provides an essential ferry service to Newfoundland and mainland Canada. The first rocky outport on the south western tip of Newfoundland, the ferry's landing town, Channel-Port-aux-Basques is built on the rocky shores with traditional winding roads through the small wooden houses.

Very much still a fishing community, Port-aux-Basques is the terminal for the Nova Scotia to Newfoundland ferry operated by Marine Atlantic. This is the furthest point along the Trans Canada Highway from St. John's which is a long 904km across the rocky, forested interior of Newfoundland.

Bruce Arena Bowl

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
162	161	148	471



Bruce Arena is a recreation complex with curling rink, swimming pool and bowling centre. The centre is a very clean 6-lane string machines with Brunswick scoring. What a pleasant place to finish the Newfoundland section of the tour. Kudos to 9 yr old, Andrew Clarke for his 290 game, too bad his mom was out getting the pizza and didn't see it. Thanks a



lot to Elanor for showing me such a great. I didn't see my moose so I guess I'll have back to rock sometime the future. Thanks all

CFB Greenwood, Nova Scotia



Nestled in the heart of Nova Scotia's beautiful Annapolis Valley rests 14 Wing Greenwood, the largest air base on the East Coast. Aurora crews conduct sovereignty and surveillance missions over the Atlantic Ocean routinely, while search and rescue capabilities are maintained 365 days of the year.

In 1942, CFB Greenwood was established as **Royal Air Force Station** as part of the **British Commonwealth Air Training Plan** (BCATP).

The BCATP was a plan to expand all Commonwealth air forces. In keeping with this objective, Greenwood was used as a **training base** during WWII, and before the end of the war, produced operational forces.

Today, 14 Wing is home to [three operational Squadrons](#).

Greenwood Bowling Centre

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
207	232	196	635



Rock n Glow party time at the lanes. A last minute change of schedule and I started day 9 at CFB Greenwood. It was a rocking, good time, playing under the glow lights. This 12-lane string centre has no computers so I got a chance to use my math skills and scored my own game. Met Tim Martel who gave me

some history on the centre and introduced me to his father who opened the centre with three 390 games. Lots of fun here drop down by and check it out.



Shelburne, Nova Scotia



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Located 2.5 hours from Halifax airport, 1 hour and 15 minutes from Yarmouth airport and ferries, and 2 and a half hours from Digby Ferry to N.B., Shelburne is not far away from anywhere. We

have excellent paved highways to travel our famous Lighthouse Route.

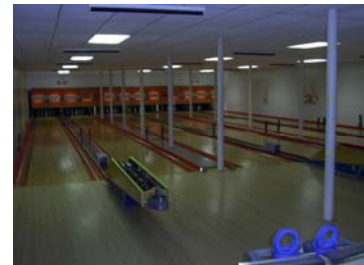
The scenery in Shelburne is breathtaking. Miles of forests surrounding crystal lakes and crashing ocean. The air is fresh and clear. The charm of the Loyalist days is still felt in our county but amongst the history, is everything one might need for modern living.

Southwestern Nova Scotia is one of the most cost effective places in North America to locate a business. The tax rate is very favourable, there is a large work force available, and the support businesses needed are plentiful. Many business people have relocated to Shelburne and run their businesses through the internet and teleconferencing.

Swansburg Bowling Lanes

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total	
188	235	206	629	

What a great place Shelburne is very colonial. This centre is considered the oldest 5-pin lanes in Nova Scotia. The 6-lane string no computers centre played well for me. I had great time playing a nice mixture of old and young bowlers, including a Special Olympic bowler Martin. Thanks for having me Nancy it was fun I hope to come back someday.



St Bernard, Nova Scotia



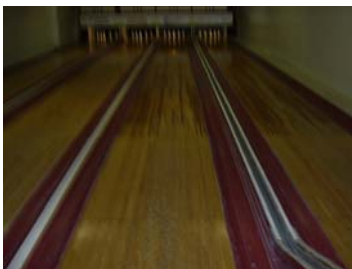
St Bernard, Nova Scotia

The first St. Bernard church was consecrated by Archbishop Walsh on June 20, 1853, and continued in service until the present church was completed and blessed in 1942. It was then torn down and a commemorative monument erected on the site. Then Pastor, Rev.

Edward LeBlanc. In 1912, Fr. LeBlanc was made Bishop of Saint John, N.B., the very first Acadian ever elevated to Episcopal rank. Built of Shelburne granite, the huge blocks were brought by rail to the Station, and then by ox-cart to the site. Determined not to incur debt, the work went through thirty-two weary years. Finally to Rev. Elie LeBlanc, who became Pastor in 1937, fell the privilege of finishing the noble task and of witnessing the blessing of this magnificent House of God by His Excellency Archbishop McNally, on September 24, 1942..

St Bernard Bowling Center

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
184	253	185	622



What a lovely drive down the coast to St. Bernard. This 4-lane string centre is operated with air compressors. I thought I had gone back in time as these type of lanes are far and few between. It was great fun bowling on old wood lanes with the old equipment. The resets were by far the most extraordinary I have seen in all my years bowling. It was a good

thing the lanes supplied a scorekeeper for me. Thanks Ashley for having me at your centre, it will be remembered for a long time.



Halifax, Nova Scotia



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Halifax, Nova Scotia was founded by British General Edward Cornwallis in 1749. The British created Halifax to act as a naval and army base to protect them from the French who had established the town of Louisbourg on the northern island of Nova Scotia. Halifax acted as a British naval base until 1906 when the Canadian government took it over.

Fairlanes Bowling Center

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
231	204	165	600




Six lanes of 5-pin bowling string machines were just put into the centre. I had the honour of being the first person to bowl on these lanes. It was such a special occasion it was filmed for Halifax breakfast Television to be aired on Tuesday 23 Sept. Check it out to see how Cyril from the TV station



bowled. We also had CBC Radio there interviewing for Sounds like Canada expected to air Friday 26th Sept. You will find a lot of fun things happening at this centre come on out and try your hand at the Canadian game 5-pin. It's brand new to the centre. Say hi to Doug he'll be happy to get you into a league and show you how it's done.

Summerside, Prince Edward Island



Summerside, PEI

Summerside is the second largest city in Prince Edward Island, Canada, and the principal municipality in the western part of the province.

Summerside was first settled in 1840 when a wharf was constructed and a road was built to St. Eleanors, which was then the shire town of Prince County. Joseph Pope soon built a shipyard at the wharf, and the town began to grow. Summerside became a seaport from which goods, such as potatoes, were shipped to the mainland. On April 1, 1877 Summerside was officially incorporated. It was officially incorporated as a city in 1995.

Credit Union Place Bowling Lanes

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
156	151	191	498




This 8 lane computerized centre is located in a large sports complex. It is a very new centre with Brunswick scoring and equipment. Allan was on hand with cake for my arrival and I bowled with one of teams on their first night of league bowling. Once again I enjoyed meeting new people and a few I haven't seen for years. Thanks all for a good time.

Alberton, Prince Edward Island



Alberton, PEI

The town was long settled by the Mi'kmaq Nation. Europeans first ventured near Alberton in 1534 when French explorer Jacques Cartier recorded making landfall at nearby Cape Kildare during his journey of discovery in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. Acadians settled on the island in small numbers through the 17th and 18th centuries but only moved in greater numbers to the western part of *Ile-Saint-Jean* and specifically north of present-day Alberton to the Tignish area following their expulsion by British military forces in the late 1750s.

Alberton later began to be settled in the 1780s after Lewis made plans for a small trading town called "Lewis Town". It was established in June 1788 and was first populated by local Acadians who had escaped expulsion three decades before British settlements. Scottish and Devonshire settlers were brought in by Lewis to settle his township.

A local shipbuilding industry and lumber trade brought prosperity to the town throughout the 1800s, although this went into decline as more forested areas were lost to agriculture, on account of the excellent soils in the area.

The community underwent several name and location changes, and was named Alberton on June 27, 1862..

Alberton Bowling Center

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total	
152	183	152	487	



After a leisurely drive down the coastline, I came to Alberton Bowling Centre. What a lovely day it was and another community owned bowling centre. Six lanes with Pro Score machines it was not yet open for the bowling season. Les let me in and set me up for 4 games my fourth was unbelievable (287). On the way home I had my first real wildlife sighting as a nice PEI Fox ran across the road and into the ditch. Thanks Les it was a great day.

Tignish, Prince Edward Island

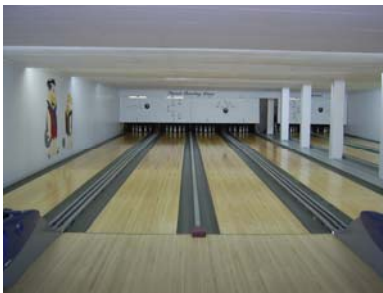


Tignish, PEI

“Home is where your heart is” and nowhere is there a heart beating stronger with hometown pride than in the community of Tignish. Settled in 1799 by eight Acadian families and joined in 1811 by two Irish families, the community retains its French/Irish influence and has since become a successful fishing community in the Prince County area of Western PEI, Canada, with a population of 833 citizens.

Parish Bowling Center

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
153	248	242	643



Another day of Golf and Bowling couldn't ask for a much better day (well the wind was a little strong). The six-lane string centre is owned by the Tignish Parish, and sports my bowling buddies Fred and Barney on the walls. No computers so you learn how to count, I luckily had a scorekeeper for my games. Thanks to Rosemarie for opening the lanes and keeping me company.

Montague, Prince Edward Island



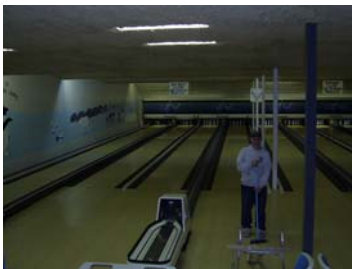
Montague, PEI

Montague the Beautiful, as the name suggests, is one of the prettiest towns on the Island. Graced with a tranquil river, lovely tree-lined streets and stately homes, it is a wonderful environment for residents and visitors alike. Montague's location in the heart of Kings County also makes it a regional centre of business and commerce, an excellent place for investment.

The town itself is located along the Montague River in what used to be known as Township Lots 52 and 59. It lies approximately six miles upstream from Cardigan Bay, allowing for easy access by water to the Northumberland Strait and the Atlantic Ocean. The river bisects the town from east to west, providing excellent small port access for transport, fishing and recreation, as well as enhancing the town's scenic beauty.

Iceland Bowling Lanes

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
202	162	175	539

It was a sad day at lanes today. This 8-lane centre with synthetic lanes is apparently closing after this season. The murals on the walls of this lane are great, reminded me of home. If you're in the area drop by the bowling centre to throw a few and let Benji know that all his hard work has



not gone unappreciated. Thanks for opening the lanes up for me Benji

Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island



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The City of Charlottetown is a flourishing community of over 32,000 people located on the south shore of Prince Edward Island. Charlottetown is the capital city of Prince Edward Island, and is called the "Birthplace of Confederation" after the historic 1864 Charlottetown Conference which led to

Confederation.

Murphy Community Bowling Centre

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
147	187	213	547



A rainy day to end my time in PEI, it is such a shame to leave this lovely island on such a dreary day. Murphy's is a lovely 14-lane centre with Pro Score computers. I had a grand time bowling for Sue and Karen who supplied a cake. Many thanks to Andre for having me at the lanes



CFB Gagetown, New Brunswick



Officially opened in 1958, CFB Gagetown, at 1100 square kilometres, is one of the largest military bases in Canada. Located 20 kms from the City of Fredericton, New Brunswick's provincial capital, we are adjacent to the Town of Oromocto with who we share a close and very unique relationship.

The combined Town of Oromocto/CFB Gagetown population is approximately ten thousand, of which 70 percent are military personnel and their dependants. The base itself employs approximately 4000 military members and 700 civilians. Being the largest Public Sector employer in the province, CFB Gagetown is a very significant contributor to the economy of surrounding communities and of the province.

CFB Gagetown Lanes

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
209	166	210	585



I was met at the lanes by Charlie Brown, who has recently, taken over the operation of the lanes. This 6-lane centre has no computers and is the process of rebuilding leagues and participation at the lanes. The local talent came out and bowled with me. Charlie, Gary and Brian (Brian throw over 700) show the talent in this centre is just raring to go and I expect to see some bowlers from Gagetown to be at future nationals.

Gatineau, Quebec

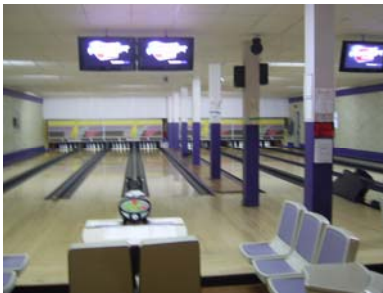


Gatineau, Quebec

Gatineau Quebec - 1975 to 2002. Prior to 2002, there were five cities on the Quebec side of the Ottawa River: Hull, Gatineau, Aylmer, Buckingham, and Masson-Angers. The former City of Gatineau was the largest of these municipalities, both in area and population. The former City of Gatineau was itself the product of an amalgamation on January 1, 1975, when the municipalities of Gatineau, Pointe-Gatineau, Touraine, Templeton, Templeton-Ouest and Templeton-Est were merged in an effort to improve municipal services.

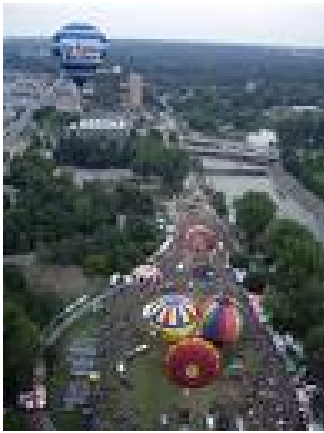
Salle De Quilles Danis

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
230	164	158	552



Welcome to La Belle Province. After many phone calls and directional advise I finally got to the Bowling Centre, many thanks to Daniel for showing me the way. This 8-lane centre has Qubica scoring and looks mighty friendly. Indeed I had a good time as Maurice taught me how to bowl. Thanks to Christine and the Monday night league for having me.






Gatineau, Quebec

Two important tourist attractions located in Gatineau are the Canadian Museum of Civilization and the Casino du Lac Leamy. At the beginning of September, on Labour Day weekend, Gatineau hosts an annual hot air balloon festival which fills the skies with colourful gas-fired passenger balloons.

Salle de Quille Paris

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
187	216	144	547




Today I was at a 12-lane centre with BST scoring computers. The synthetic lanes were fast but my competition was tougher. Natalie showed me a thing or two on the lanes. I want to thank Stephane for letting me throw at this centre. I may be scoring poorly but I'm having a great time getting there.

Gatineau, Quebec



A number of federal and provincial government offices are located in Gatineau, due to its proximity to the national capital, and its status as the main town of the Outaouais region of Quebec.

A policy of the federal government to distribute federal jobs on both sides of the Ottawa River led to the construction of several massive office towers to house federal civil servants in

Gatineau; the largest of these are Place du Portage and Place du Centre, occupying part of what had been the downtown core of [Hull](#).

Salle De Quilles Allard

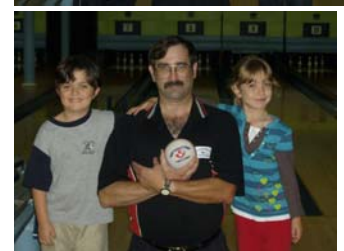
Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
199	204	266	669



Salle de Quilles Allard is a friendly family owned 12-lane centre with Qubica scoring. I had a fantastic time at this centre. My bowling got better each game still the hosts Lynn and Rene did not give me a chance. The

friendly competition had the owners showing me how to bowl with games over 250 and 300.

These young bowlers Olivier-F Allard-Duguay and Sofiane Lamarche also gave me a good game. I recommend heading to this centre for a good time I know I had a great time. Thanks Daniel, Lynn and Rene for making it happen.





Ottawa, Ontario

From a rough and ready lumber town, Canada's capital has grown into a dynamic, modern city, the heart of one the great urban regions of the country.

Ottawa's story, from the day it was incorporated on January 1, 1855, in many ways parallels that of the country as a whole. It is a story of brains and brawn, of enterprise and luck, of hardship and courage.

It all started with Bytown, a small settlement named for Colonel John By, the engineer who oversaw the construction of the Rideau Canal between 1826 and 1832. The canal, much of which was dug by hand, is the nucleus around which the city grew. It remains one of Ottawa's main attractions - in summer as a waterway for pleasure craft, and in winter as the world's longest outdoor skating rink.

It is the mighty Ottawa River, however, that gave the city its first industry. Used for centuries as a highway into the heart of the continent, first by natives and then by voyageurs, in the 19th century the Ottawa River found a new vocation in lumbering.

Walkley Bowl

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
199	219	277	693



Here I am in our nation's capital and it's in the midst of a federal election. No politicians came out to see me bowl, but the Ottawa Five Pin Association was out in force with cake. My vote goes to the Ottawa 5-Pin Association. This is the largest centre I've been to so far, 30



lanes with computer scoring, a lovely lounge and a great staff. My bowling was better than usual so I had a great time. Thanks Dave for having me at the centre.



Petawawa, Ontario

'Different Yet the Same', the Petawawa of yesteryear like the Petawawa of today, was founded on the strength of its natural resources, its strategic military role and the vibrancy and energy of its residents. The Township of Petawawa was incorporated in 1865, and the Village of Petawawa was incorporated in 1961.

Valley Bowl

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
197	160	153	510



Valley Bowl in Petawawa has 21 lanes numbered right to left with no computers. It was strange seeing lane 1 on my right and not my left. The cause for this was the addition of 5 extra lanes to the left of the original 16 lanes. A quote from Rodney Dangerfield, "I don't get no respect", as my gracious host Roy throw a huge 778 to



my poor 510. Thanks to the grade 7 students for the banner, it was great work, I should have taken a picture of it to post here

Hawkesbury, Ontario



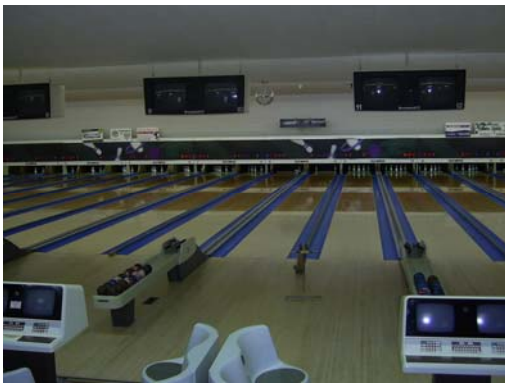
Hawkesbury, Ontario

The settlements of Hawkesbury (alias Stoke Hawkesbury) and Hawkesbury Upton probably date from Saxon times, although Hawkesbury, the site of the church, was the more important.

The original parish of Hawkesbury represented a large and important estate in the hundred of Grumbald's Ash; it was given to Pershore Abbey early in the medieval period and then passed into secular hands in 1545 after the dissolution of that monastery.

Olympia Lanes

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
149	183	264	596

Olympia Bowl has 18 lanes with computer scoring. They are soon going to change the type of scoring machines in use. The centre is a large and open house with a friendly staff. On the way home I stopped on the side of the road to watch an Owl perched on top a tree. I was searching for my camera when it took off so I did not get a picture. Maybe next time.

Cornwall, Ontario



Cornwall, Ontario

The City of Cornwall is steeped in a rich and diverse history. Originally named New Johnstown, the name was changed to Cornwall in honour of Prince George, the Duke of Cornwall. The City was later incorporated as a town in 1834 and became a city in 1945.

Cornwall was first settled in 1784 by United Empire Loyalists consisting of the officers and families of the First Battalion King's Royal Regiment of New York and a contingent of the 84th Royal Highland Emigrants. This group of disbanded soldiers and Loyalist refugees, led by Lieutenant-Colonel Sir John Johnson, came to the scenic and fertile site, intent on building a new life.

For years, these Loyalists had fought on behalf of Britain in Northern New York and Vermont during the American Revolutionary War. These people came to settle and prosper on the lands which the Crown had granted them in reward for their loyal service during the war.

Owing to its strategic location, Cornwall served as a garrison town, as well as a communications and supply post during the War of 1812. At nearby Crysler's farm, the Loyalists successfully repelled American troops in one of the most famous battles of the War.

Olympia Bowl

Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total
171	235	174	580



Cornwall is home to a clean friendly centre, with lots of space for spectators and bowlers. This is a fine looking 24-lane centre with Brunswick computers. Great time bowling here, the centre has lots of potential. I expect great things to happen at this centre. I hope you can all drop by for a few games.

