

LEON A. PURYEAR MEMORIAL AWARD
Sponsor Appreciation Award

The San Antonio Observer Newspaper has been a sponsor for our team for several years. It is the oldest African American newspaper in San Antonio having just celebrated its 30 year anniversary. The Observer is a source of continuity and tradition in San Antonio and is a staple for many in our league. Member David Thomas states that “since I’ve been reading the Observer, I have learned more about the community. It provides me with information about local events that I was not aware of. It is an honor to wear their name on our bowling jerseys”. Many of our league bowlers have expressed their gratitude in having an opportunity to engage in a weekly African American paper that highlights the cultural, social, and newsworthy events of the community. The Observer keeps many of its readers current with the history of our city and its culture. Our nominee focuses on issues that matter to their readers and provides stories that affect our daily lives. The Observer provides copies of its paper to league members on a weekly basis. While this community paper provides a platform for local businesses, community and civic leaders, the community is informed of local, state, and national government and holds its officials accountable. The Observer often celebrates accomplishments of individuals who might not otherwise be recognized. Our team is fortunate to have them as our sponsor and would like to take this opportunity to thank the Observer for its continued support. We highly recommend our nominee for the Leon A. Puryear Memorial Award.

Thank you,

Jacquelyn Ali
Cynthia Hearn
Hamilton Randle
David Thomas
Myles Womack