

Victoria Lee Jones

Youth Star of Tomorrow



Victoria Lee Jones is the 18 year old daughter of David and Brenda Jones of Baltimore. Victoria started bowling in 2002 at age 9 and spent that summer learning to bowl from her older brother David Jr. She has been a sanctioned league bowler ever since. Victoria has bowled the past 9 years in numerous leagues at several different centers. She just finished this season at Brunswick Perry Hall as well as Central Maryland Youth Travel league & Friday Night Sport Shot League at AMF Country Club lanes.

Victoria graduated from Western High School in Baltimore City this past June where she was in the top 5% in a class of over 200 students. Victoria was a member of the National Honor Society for the past 3 years and was on the Honor Roll for her entire 12 year school career. Victoria was also a starting pitcher on the Girls Varsity softball team for 3 years where she was named “Rookie of the Year” in 2009 & “Most Valuable Player” in 2010 & 2011. In 2011 she received from Western High School the “Eva G Scott Sportsmanship” award as well as receiving a Science Award from the school’s Science Dept. Victoria also placed 2nd in the Morgan State University Science Fair for a Physics project that was entitled “The Physics of Bowling”.

Victoria has competed in numerous local, regional & state tournaments. She was the 2009 Maryland State Pepsi Girls Scratch Division Champion at White Oak Lanes in Cumberland. She finished 4th in the 2010 Pepsi tournament and in 2011 she finished 2nd after shooting a 1401 set in the 6 game qualifying block leading up to the stepladder where she finished 2nd. Victoria also finished 1st at the 2009, 2010 & 2011 Pepsi Regional where in 2011 she shot 3 game series of 787.

In December 2010 Victoria won the Girls division of the High School Seniors Tournament at Terrace Lanes in Frederick. She was the 2011 All Events Scratch Girls Champion for the Central Maryland Youth Tournament as well as a 1st place in teams in 2011 & 2010. Also in 2010 Victoria won the Top Ten Invitational High Average Tournament at Cherokee Lanes in Salisbury. Over the course of her bowling career Victoria has won several “Triple Crown Awards” as well as numerous “High Game, High Set and High Average” awards.

Victoria has also competed Nationally the past 3 years at the USBC Junior Gold Tournaments. In 2009 Victoria finished 177 out of 600 girls. After a disappointing showing in 2010 where she place 350 out of 521 Victoria bounced back in 2011 to finish 106 out of 578 girls and missed the cut by only 40 pins.

Victoria has averaged between 185 & 195 over the past 3 seasons where she has shot numerous 700 sets over that time frame. She has shot one 300 game but it was not recognize by USBC because it was shot in a pre-bowl setting.

This fall Victoria will be attending the University of Maryland Eastern Shore as a freshman where she will be majoring in Aerospace Engineering and she will also be working with Coach Sharon Brummell and the defending NCAA & ITC Girls Bowling Champion “Lady Hawks”. Victoria is very thankful for the opportunity she has been given and eager to learn from her new coaches and teammates.

