

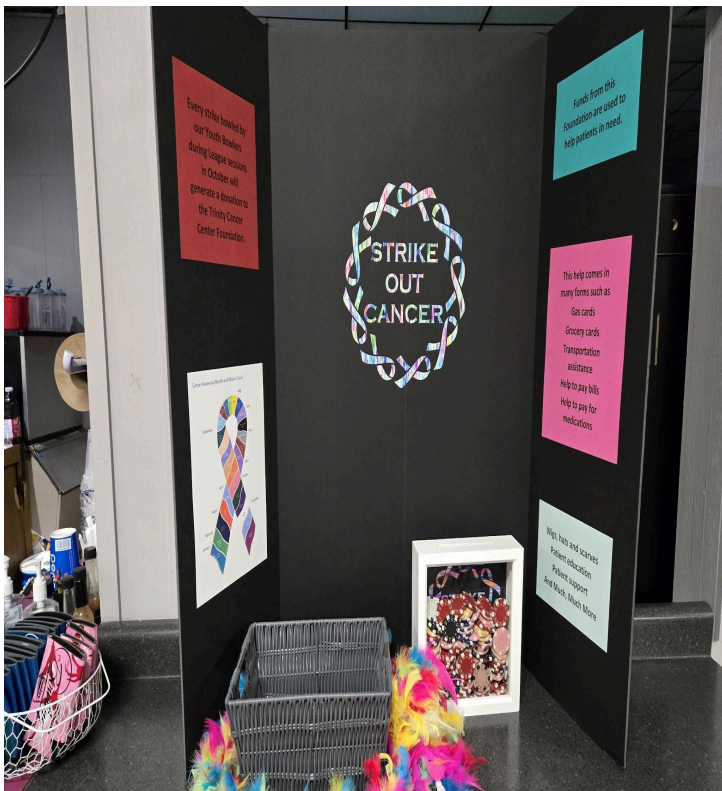
## IOWA'S FIRST USBC CERTIFIED STRING CENTER

DeWitt Lanes became the first USBC certified String Center in Iowa when they replaced their 70 year old AMF 82-30 machines with QUBICA Edge Strings.

DeWitt Lanes are owned and operated by the Ketelsen Family - Bill, Jolene, and Seth. The Ketelsen Family is well known in the local and state bowling community. Jolene is the Iowa State USBC Youth Co-ordinator. Bill serves as the youth District 6 Supervisor and Seth is the First Vice-president of the Iowa State USBC as well as the State Co-ordinator for the Pepsi Tournament.

Seth reports their league bowlers are surprised at how much quieter the center is during league bowling while noticing very little difference in carry - other than the usual lack of carry of new pins.

The Ketelsens invite you to stop in and take a look if you are in the DeWitt area!



## Helping Cancer Patients

The Fort Dodge Youth Bowling Association raised nearly \$800 to benefit the Trinity Cancer Center Foundation of Fort Dodge.

During the month of October every strike thrown by youth bowlers during their league sessions earns them a "poker chip." Local sponsors have agreed to redeem the earned "poker chips" at a given cash value..

At the end of October, Youth Co-ordinator Sarah Walker collects the earned chips and "cashes" them in with the local sponsors.

The funds raised are used to help patients in need with gas or grocery gift cards, to provide transportation assistance, to help pay for needed medications, or assist in purchasing wigs, hats, or scarves.

A BIG THANK YOU to the Fort Dodge youth for helping cancer patients in need!