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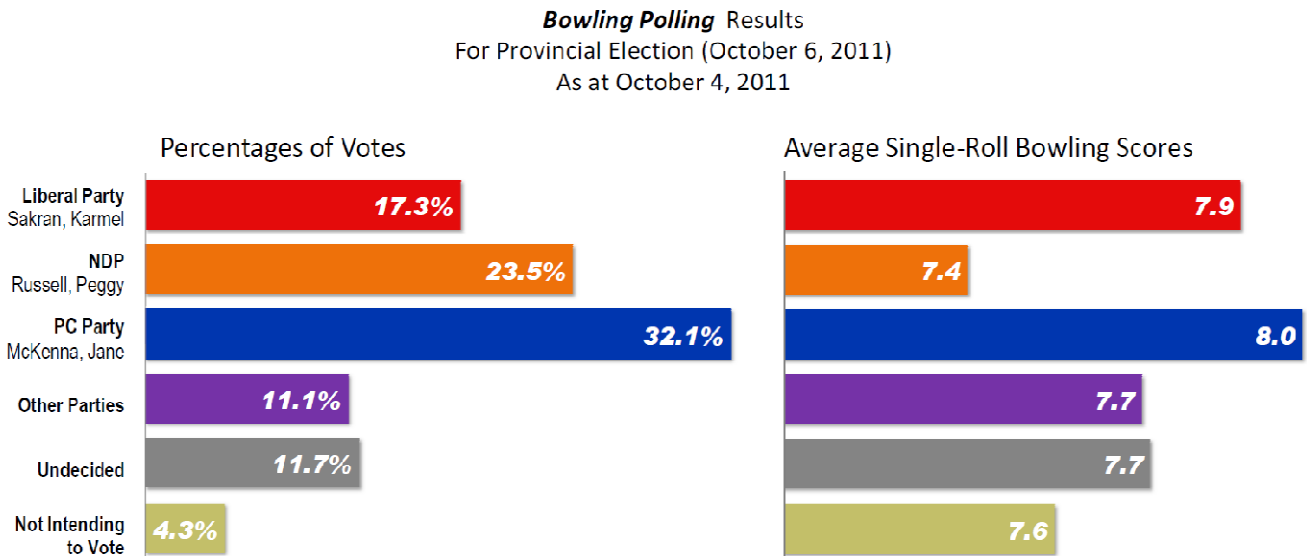
McKenna, Russell and Sakran Compete at the Lanes

Burlington, ON (October 5, 2011) - The election buzz is definitely in the air at Burlington Bowl as the provincial election nears.

Local candidates Jane McKenna (PC Party), Peggy Russell (New Democratic Party) and Karmel Sakran (Liberal Party) accepted the bowling centre's invitation to appear and campaign.

A **Bowling Polling** event has added a fun twist to bowling and the upcoming election. An election lane features the campaign signs of each candidate with a booth and ballot box nearby. The voters roll one ball on the election lane. Along with the single-roll bowling scores, the voters strike a mark for the party of their choice on the anonymous ballots.

The latest voting results highlighting the percentages of votes and the average single-roll bowling scores for the parties are outlined in the graph below.



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According to percentages of votes, McKenna is leading by 8.6%, and the race for second between Russell and Sakran is separated by 6.2% with 11.7% of the voters still undecided. On the bowling side, Team McKenna supporters reign supreme while Team Russell supporters need to spend a bit more time practicing on the lanes.

The **Bowling Polling** results are posted daily at the bowling centre and online at www.BurlingtonBowl.com.

Media coverage of this event by radio station Y108 FM and by online news site insideHALTON.com (Burlington Post online) can be heard and viewed respectively at www.BurlingtonBowl.com.

This unique ***Bowling Polling*** event was created by Burlington Bowl to:

- facilitate face-to-face discourse between the public and candidates about policies and platforms that affect our lives;
- add fun and interest to the election campaign; and
- encourage constituents to vote in the October 6, 2011 election (since the voter turnout in the last provincial election was the worst ever with just over 52%).

“Bowling is one of the most popular participation sports in Ontario,” said Filippo Corradi, President of Bowl Ontario and General Manager of Burlington Bowl Inc. “The buzz that started in Burlington has now spread across Ontario. The residents of London and Stoney Creek are also meeting their candidates at the local bowling centres.”

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Bowl Ontario is a not for profit association representing over 100 bowling centres across Southern Ontario. It is managed by an elected Board of Directors. In addition to monitoring trends and legislation affecting the industry, Bowl Ontario provides its members with various programs and services.

Burlington Bowl is a landmark entertainment centre, favourite gathering place and party destination serving the Halton and Hamilton Regions. The centre features 48 lanes, a full-service licensed restaurant, a fully stocked pro shop and a games area. Open 365 days a year, the centre provides great value to thousands of public bowlers, over 1,000 league bowlers and numerous birthday parties, company, team, school, group and fundraising events. For more information, please visit www.BurlingtonBowl.com or call us at 905-681-2727.

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