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**DOMINICAN REPUBLIC AND AUSTRALIA ARE
QUIBICAAMF BOWLING WORLD CUP CHAMPIONS**

Aumi Guerra, Dominican Republic and Jason Belmonte are the 2011 QuibicaAMF Bowling World Cup Champions.

The 47th event conducted at Let's Go Bowling, Northcliff, Johannesburg, South Africa concluded today. 70 women and 81 men from 82 countries competed.

The competition was 20 games of qualifying and the field was cut to 24 men and women who bowled a further eight games. After the 24 games another cut was made to eight men and women who bowled a round robin match play competition plus a final position match to determine the three men and women for the semi and finals. The semi and final winners are determined by the player who wins two games. All matches in both the men and women's division went to three games before a winner was declared.

In the women's division, #2, Diandra Asbaty, USA, defeated the #3, Sandra Andersson, Sweden in three matches: 267 – 207, 219 - 247, 279 – 243. Asbaty was the 2006 women's champions.

Asbaty, then met #1, Aumi Guerra, Dominican Republic, the defending champions Guerra was successful in three matches : 266 - 201, 214 – 227, 202 – 199, Guerra is the first back to back champion since Australia's Jeannette Baker won in 1982 and 1983. Guerra is coached by Canadian Craig Woodhouse of St. Catharines, Ontario.

In the men's division, Belmonte, #2 defeated #3, Mykhaylo Kalika, Ukraine: 237 – 203, 248 - 266, 266 – 185. He met #1, Tommy Jones, USA in final and was successful 259 - 279 – 216, 259 – 236. This is Belmonte's third attempt at the championship. He was the leader in 2004 and 2007 and was defeated both years. He becomes Australia's first male champion.

Canada with nine champions is second in the world for the most Bowling World Cup wins. USA has 17. Canadian champions are: Graydon 'Blondie' Robinson, Toronto, Ontario, 1969, Ray Mitchell, White Rock, British Columbia, 1972, Cathy Townsend, Montreal, Quebec, 1975, Rea Rennox, Toronto, ON, 1977, Jean Gordon, Vancouver, BC., 1980, Kerrie Ryan-Ciach, Mississauga, ON., 2003, Michael Schmidt, Winnipeg, Manitoba 2005 and 2010 and Caroline Lagrange, Montreal, QC in 2009.

Jennifer Park, Nanaimo, British Columbia and Michael Schmidt, Winnipeg, Manitoba finished 12th and 13th.

Complete results are available at www.qubicaamf.com.

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