

ORLANDO, -- What's it like to be the son of a famous bowling personage? It's great – at least that's what two sons of famous dads expressed at International Bowl Expo here at the Orlando Convention Center.

"I really respect all that he has done and I admire his work habits," said Kelson Boje, the 17-year-old son of Jeff Boje, former BPAA president and current president of the United States Bowling Congress.

Kelson, who has another year of high school, hopes to attend the University of Florida after graduation. He has worked in his Dad's centers "all my life," admits he would like to have more time with his Dad but feels his father is working to benefit more people and it's worth it to see that accomplished.

Marc Ciniello is another 17-year-old with a famous bowling dad. His father, Pat, owns six centers in Southwest Florida.

"It's interesting," he explains. "When you are 12 to 15 you just figure you're going to step in and go right to work but then you start to realize that you have to work hard to get where he is at."

Marc plans to attend Florida Gulf Coast university and work towards a degree in business. He also hopes to bowl with the university's club team.

"I love bowling and I want to be able to make the sport more relevant to my generation," he says. "I want people to realize it is a sport and to enjoy it as a sport."

Sounds like bowling future is in good hands if these two sons of leaders are any example.

By Mike Hennessy

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