

**32nd ANNUAL SMCBA
USBC SENIOR OPEN
CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT
CERTIFIED BY: USBC**



**TOURNAMENT IS OPEN TO ALL FLORIDA STATE BOWLERS
(ALL BOWLERS MUST PROVIDE ACCURATE AVERAGES)
SENIOR BOWLERS 50 YRS AND OLDER**

**Bowlero Gulfgate Lanes 7221 S Tamiami Trail, SRQ 34231
941-921-4447*Location Change***

Squad Times: Please circle event time:

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3rd, 2024, SQUADS AT 11:00AM & 2:00 PM

**CLOSING DATE MIDNIGHT - THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2024;
RE-ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED UP TO (1) ONE HOUR PRIOR TO THE LAST SQUAD**
(**If bowler participated in first squad in tournament)**

SINGLES TOURNAMENT

2 Divisions

SGLS	Division A 176 & Over	Division B 175 & Under	Entry Fee	
			Prize Fund (Returned 100%)	\$ 15.00
			Bowling Fee	\$ 15.00
			Expense Fee	\$ 5.00
			Total	\$ 35.00

Optional 6 game All Events (Handicap only) \$5.00

****If entering Virtual Doubles also****

PLEASE CAREFULLY READ THE TOURNAMENT RULES; ENTRY MUST INCLUDED BOWLER DATE OF BIRTH:

1. Operation:

All USBC rules & regulations will govern this tournament unless specifically waived below. The tournament management has the right to add or delete a squad; however, no squad may be added after 1:30 PM Nov. 3, 2024.

2. Eligibility:

All entrants must be at least 50 years old and a current sanctioned member of USBC. USBC cards must be presented at Check-In. If unable to show his/her individual membership card, \$27 Certification fee will be collected.

3. Entering Averages:

All entrants must use their highest 2023-2024 USBC Winter average, if no winter then Summer of 2024 of 21 games or more, if neither a current 21 game average will be accepted as of date of tournament (must show proof). All others will bowl scratch. Bowlers not in the SMC USBC Area Must Bring Proof us His/her USBC Average. Bowlers with only a sport league average must use their converted average. The tournament management reserves the right to re-adjust a bowler's average upward prior to their participation in the Tournament. Failure to use the proper average shall disqualify scores if submitted average is lower than their actual average. If it is higher, prize winnings will be based on submitted average. USBC Rules 319A 1 & 3 Apply, B & C will apply to all entrants. USBC Rules 319A-2 (Ten pin rule), 319D are Waived. USBC Rule 319E is in effect, All Bowlers must report any Adjusted or Re-Rated Averages within the Last 10 Yrs.

4. Handicap:

All prizes will be on a handicap basis. The handicap shall be computed on an individual basis of 90% of the difference of an Entrant's average and 240 scratch provided they have bowled a minimum of 21 games.

5. Division or Classes:

The Annual Senior Open Tournament is a divisional tournament consisting of Singles and Virtual Doubles competition. An Optional Handicap All Events competition is also offered (6 games). All entrants will be placed in either the A or B Division depending on average.

Singles and Doubles:

All entrants with an average of 176 & over shall compete in Division A; All entrants with an average of 175 & below shall compete in Division B. Doubles Team Division will be determined by combined team combined averages. Doubles partners may consist of any combination of men and women (i.e., two men, two women or one man and one Woman). Multiple entries are permitted in the Singles and Virtual Doubles, however single entrants may only cash once and Virtual Doubles Bowlers may only cash once with same partner. Note: Only 1 PBA member per Doubles entry.

All Events:

All Events entries are optional and shall not be transferable. It is a divisional event based on bowler's average and the Handicap totals of six games (2 events). All entrants with an average of 176 & over shall compete in Division A; All entrants with an average 175 & below shall compete in Division B. The handicap totals of an entrant in this event shall consist of his or her first effort in each of both events (Singles and Doubles).

6. **Multiple Participation:**

Multiple entries are permitted in Singles and Virtual Doubles. Also, multiple Virtual Doubles entries are allowed per squad. Reentries are permitted on second squad however "cashing in" is as defined above.

7. **Bowler's Responsibility:**

All entrants must list their USBC 2023-2024 average in the appropriate place on the entry form. (see rule 3)

8. **Fees/Awards:**

Fees will not be refunded after the entry form and fees have been received and squad times assigned. All prize monies will be returned 100% on a ratio of at least one (1) prize for each six (6) entries in each event. In the event of a tie for the championship in any event, prize monies will be equally divided and duplicate awards presented (plaques will be presented to all First-place handicap winners).

9. **Substitutions:**

All substitutions must be reported to the Tournament Office at least 45 minutes prior to scheduled squad times.

SINGLES NOV 3rd @ 11:00 AM OR NOV 3rd @ 2:00 PM (circle one)

FULL NAME OF BOWLER IN LINE UP ORDER FIRST NAME FIRST	DATE OF BIRTH	NAT ID # NUMBER	HIGHEST USBC AVG	PER PERSON COST	6 GAME ALL EVENTS
NAME _____				\$35	\$5
ADDRESS _____					
CITY _____ ZIP _____					
TOTAL COST					

VIRTUAL DOUBLES NOV 3rd @ 11:00 AM OR NOV 3rd @ 2:00 PM

VIRTUAL DOUBLES-ENTER ON SITE			
2 Divisions			
Division A	Division B	Entry Fee Per Team	
DBLS 352 & Over	351 & Under	Prize Fund (Returned 100%)	\$ 25.00
		Expense Fee	\$ 5.00
		Total	\$ 30.00

In the capacity of Captain I hereby enter the above named bowlers in the events indicated and agree to abide by the rules and Regulations of the United States Bowling Congress and this tournament.

Captains Signature _____ Email Address _____
(must be included, confirmations will be emailed)

Captains Address _____

City _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

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Entry # _____

Date _____

Doubles _____

Singles _____

All Events _____

Amount Pd. _____

Return Completed Entry with Check Payable to: SMCBA

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