

WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT

SARASOTA-MANATEE COUNTY

USBC

“1” Weekend Only !!!!!

Certified by the United States Bowling Congress
PRIZE FUND RETURNED 100%

SPONSORED BY:
SMC USBC

AMF BRADENTON

4208 Cortez Rd. West
 Bradenton, Florida 34210
 March 27th, 2010 (2 Squads)
 March 28, 2010 (1 Squad Only)
ENTRIES CLOSE MIDNIGHT, March 24th, 2010

ENTRY FEE-\$20 PER PERSON, PER EVENT **DIVISION-CLASSES**
 (Team, Singles and Doubles Events)

Prize Fee	\$ 10.00	<u>Divisions</u>	<u>Class A</u>	<u>Class B</u>	<u>Class C</u>
Bowling Fee	\$ 7.00	Teams	760 & Over	759 & Under	Not Avail.
Expense Fee	\$ 3.00	Doubles	326 & Over	283 – 325	282 & Under
Total	\$ 20.00	Singles	163 & Over	142 – 162	141 & Under
All Events (Optional)					
Handicap	\$ 5.00				

**Dress Code: Bowlers must comply with the dress code or they cannot bowl in this tournament.
 ALSO BOWLERS READ & UNDERSTAND RULE #11 – NO EXCEPTIONS**

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR:
TERRY WOOD
941-704-5259

Return completed entry form with fees
 (Checks payable) to:
SMCBA
P. O. BOX 986
TALLEVAST, FL 34270-0986

GET YOUR ENTRIES IN EARLY FOR PREFERRED TIMES-NO EXTENSIONS

IF YOU ENTER DOUBLES...YOU MUST ENTER SINGLES EVENT.....

SATURDAY THERE WILL BE 2 SQUADS, SUNDAY THERE IS ONLY 1 SQUAD

TOURNAMENT RULES

1. **Eligibility:** All Women members of the SMC USBC are eligible to enter provided they have been an SMC USBC member 30 days prior to their scheduled tournament bowling.
2. **Handicap:** All prizes shall be on a handicap basis. The handicap shall be computed on an individual basis of 90% of the difference of an entrant's highest SMC USBC average as reported in the 2008-2009 Yearbook and 220 scratch average. YABA averages will not be accepted. Qualifying averages of 21 or more games are determined in the following order: 2008-2009 Yearbook average, current mid season average (Jan. 1st 2010) and or last summer's 2009 average. Other verified averages may be used at the discretion of the tournament director. Bowlers who do not meet the above criteria will enter with a 220 scratch average. **Bowlers who have a sport league average must use their readjusted average if higher than their standard league average.**
3. **Divisions and Classes:** The SMC USBC Annual Women's Championship is a single division tournament with three classes (A or B or C). A & B Divisions only in Team with a added C Division for Doubles and Singles.
 - Team:** All teams entered shall be placed in either class A or B as determined by the total average of the team entry. Teams with a total average of 760 or over shall compete in class A, while teams of 759 or less shall compete in class B.
 - Doubles:** Placement in either the class A or B or C doubles will be based on the total average of the doubles entry. Doubles with a total average of 326 or over shall compete in class A, Doubles with a total average of 283 - 325 shall compete in class B, Doubles with a total average of 282 & Under shall compete in Class C.
 - Singles:** Placement in either the class A or B or C singles will be based on the average of the singles entry. Singles with an average of 163 or more shall compete in class A, Singles with an average of 142 - 162 shall compete in class B, Singles with a average of 141 & Under will compete in class C.
 - All Events:** All Events entries are optional and shall not be transferable. All entries shall compete in a single class regardless of average.
 - Bowler's Responsibilities:** Each bowler is responsible to verify her average, whether submitted by herself, the team captains or others. Failure to use the proper average or make corrections prior to the start of the second game shall result in disqualification of scores, if the submitted average is lower then the actual average. If submitted average is higher, all prize winnings will be based on it. All bowlers must use his/her average that corresponds to their bowling style (i.e. Entrants bowling right handed must use their right handed average and handicap, while entrants bowling left handed must use their left handed average and handicap). The tournament committee has set 72 hours as a time limit for appealing any handicap or scoring errors. **Each entrant shall check in at least 30 minutes prior to their scheduled squad time. Team members and doubles partners shall check in together.**
4. **Multiple Participation:** Entrants may participate more then once in the team event of this tournament only under the following conditions.
 - a. Team line-ups of more than three (3) individuals who have entered together more then once in this event will not be accepted.
 - b. When a bowler is a member of two (2) or more teams entered in this tournament, his/her first score bowled in the team event shall be applied to his/her all events total (scratch and handicap).
5. **Awards:** Awards and USBC Chevrons will be awarded to the handicap leaders in each class
6. **PBA/PWBA Members:** Team line-ups consisting of more than two members who hold membership in the PBA/PWBA will not be accepted. Two PBA/PWBA members may not enter as doubles partners.
7. **Re-rating:** The tournament manager or an authorized representative may adjust an entrant's average upward prior to bowling. Such an adjustment may be appealed to USBC within 15 days of the date of bowling or prior to the distribution of prizes, whichever comes first. In accordance with USBC rule # 319d, a bowler who has received a prize of \$300.00 or more in a tournament in the past 12 months must report her score, position, and the amount won to the tournament director at the time of entry for possible re-rating. Failure to comply shall be cause to forfeit tournament entry fee and prize winnings. If an entrant's average in tournament participation has exceeded his league average by the amount set forth in USBC rule 319e, she must submit herself to the tournament director for rerating in accordance with rule 319e. (Refer to the USBC rulebook for details). Failure to comply can result in disqualification and possible suspension from membership in the United States Bowling Congress.
8. **Substitutions:** **All substitutions must be reported to the tournament office at least 45 minutes prior to scheduled squad times.**
9. **Dress Code:** All bowlers must wear a shirt with sleeves. Slacks, Shorts, Skirts & Jeans in neat clean appearance will be allowed. The following apparel is **NOT PERMITTED** sweats, tank tops, halter-tops or T-Shirts with inappropriate writing on them.
10. **Ten Pin Rule:** Rule number 319a-2 is waived for this tournament.
11. **ALL WINNINGS OF ANY SMCUSBC TOURNAMENT or BRACKET PAYS of \$600 or more in 1 calender year, Said bowler will receive a 1099 form, from the Local Association, YOU MUST PROVIDE A SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER to OFFICE MANAGER..... or forfeit all PRIZE MONIES EARNED.....NO EXCEPTIONS.....**

**SARASOTA MANATEE COUNTY
UNITED STATES BOWLING CONGRESS
ANNUAL WOMEN'S TOURNAMENT**

TEAM EVENT

Date Choice _____ 1st _____ 2nd

Time Choice _____ 1st _____ 2nd

**TEAM EVENT
MAR 27th & 28th, 2010**

Saturday Squads: 12:00PM, 4:00PM
Sunday Squad: 12:00PM (ONLY SQUAD)

**NO GUARANTEE ON DATES OR TIMES
UNLESS RESERVED**

*****NOTICE: DO NOT CIRCLE OR BLOCK OUT TIMES OR DATES.
LIST YOUR CHOICES IN APPROPRIATE BOX AT TOP OF ENTRY.**

TEAM NAME LEAGUE NAME WINTER SUMMER BOWLING CENTER
(Circle One)

Full name of bowler in line up order First Name First	National ID #	Yearbook Average	All Events (Circle one or both)	Per Person Cost
Bowler's Full Name _____ 1 Home Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____			_____ Handicap-\$5	\$20
Bowler's Full Name _____ 2 Home Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____			_____ Handicap-\$5	\$20
Bowler's Full Name _____ 3 Home Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____			_____ Handicap-\$5	\$20
Bowler's Full Name _____ 4 Home Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____			_____ Handicap-\$5	\$20
Bowler's Full Name _____ 5 Home Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____			_____ Handicap-\$5	\$20
Bowler's Full Name _____ A Home Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____			_____ Handicap-\$5	\$20
Total Cost				

TEAM CAPTAIN: This form must be fully completed to legalize entry of your team. Type or print and furnish all data requested. Name of fifth bowler must be listed above even though doubles and singles entry is on another entry. Average Verification: The team captain from current yearbook must verify the above averages or they will not be accepted. Above Averages are correct _____

Team Captain Signature

Singles/Doubles EventDate Choice _____ 1st _____ 2ndTime Choice _____ 1st _____ 2nd**Annual Women's
Championship Tournament
Singles and Doubles**

Do not write in this space

Entry # _____

Date _____

Amount Pd _____

Team _____

Doubles _____

Singles _____

All Events Scratch _____

All Events Handicap _____

March 28th & 29th, 2009**Saturday Squads 12:00 PM & 4:00PM****Sunday Squad 12:00 PM (ONLY SQUAD ON SUNDAY)****For D & S Only, Both sides of entry must be completed.**

Doubles entries must be complete —Two, Four or Six persons. If your fifth person is paired with a person from another team, enter both people on this entry form OR both on the entry form of the other team Do Not Split Pair On Each Entry Form.	National ID#	Per Person Singles	Per Team Doubles
1-1 Lead Off		\$20	\$40
1-2 Anchor		\$20	
2-1 Lead Off		\$20	\$40
2-2 Anchor		\$20	
3-1 Lead Off		\$20	\$40
3-2 Anchor		\$20	
TOTAL COST			

No split entry – must have 2, 4 or 6 persons listed

Name of other Team

To the Tournament Director:

As team captain, I hereby enter the named bowlers in the Sarasota Manatee County Bowling Association Annual Tournament, in the events indicated and will agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The United States Bowling Congress and this Tournament.

Individual bowler is responsible for making certain his/her average is correct

Signature of Captain_____
Mailing Address City_____
Zip Code Area-code & Phone number**EMAIL ADDRESS – CONFIRMATIONS WILL BE EMAILED****Please list names of Hall of Fame Members,
entered in this tournament.****INSTRUCTIONS**

All entries must be in by midnight, March 24th, 2010. No extensions of the closing date. All fees subscribed to by tournament sponsors (if any), will be added to the tournament prize fund and returned 100%. A minimum of one prize will be awarded for each 6 entries in each event. Award costs comes from the tournament expense fee. All entrants must bowl when scheduled and no entry fee will be refunded once the schedule has been posted. Entry blanks must be properly made out. You are requested to read all pertinent rules and instructions prior to completing this form. Entry blanks not prepared properly will be returned without recourse to original application date. Members of the Board of Directors of the Sarasota Manatee County USBC will be happy to assist in the preparation of this application should you need assistance.