

# Utah State USBC Bowling Association



## 88th Annual Championship Tournament

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### Team Event

#### Davis Lanes

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### Singles & Doubles

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THE BOWLING INNOVATION COMPANY

Certified by United States Bowling Congress

**March 3-4, 10-11, 17-18, 24-25, 31 & April 1, 7-8, 2012**

*(Should it become necessary, the tournament manager reserves the right to schedule additional dates and squad times)*

**TEAM \$100.00 - DOUBLES & SINGLES \$40.00 PER PERSON - OPTIONAL SENIORS SINGLES \$10.00 PER PERSON**

Please Type or Print: TEAM NAME ABSOLUTELY ESSENTIAL	Captain:		Phone:	
	Address:			
TEAM NAME:	City:	State:	Zip:	

To be filled in for entrants. List BOTH last season's high average (21 games or more) and current season average as of December 31, 2011  
**DO NOT USE SUMMER LEAGUE AVERAGES**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** Team captains must show a 2011-2012 USBC membership card for every member on roster. In Doubles & Singles, each bowler must show own card.

	<b>TEAM</b> - List Team Members Names	USBC Card #	2010-2011 Book Ave.	Current Avg. as of Dec. 31, 2011	Sports League Average
1.					
2.					
3.					
4.					
5.					

**BOWLERS WILL BE SCHEDULED AS ENTRIES ARE RECEIVED.  
ASSIGNMENT WILL BE FIRST COME FIRST SCHEDULED.  
DEADLINE TUESDAY, JANUARY 31, 2012**

#### TIME PREFERENCES

Team Captains Signature:	1st Choice: Date		Time	
	2nd Choice: Date		Time	

	<b>SINGLES &amp; DOUBLES</b>	City	USBC Card #	2010-2011 Book Ave.	Current Avg. as of Dec. 31, 2011	Optional Seniors Paid	Age of Senior
1.							
2.							
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IN DOUBLES, BOTH NAMES MUST BE ENTERED. THE NAME OF ONE & PARTNER WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. BOWLERS MUST PARTICIPATE IN BOTH DOUBLES & SINGLES EVENTS

#### TIME PREFERENCES

1st Choice: Date		Time	
2nd Choice: Date		Time	

**OPTIONAL SENIORS SINGLES POT \$10.00 EACH. TWO DIVISIONS, 55 TO 69. 70 AND OVER. MUST BE 55 OR OLDER BY LAST SQUAD**

**ALL EVENTS ARE OPTIONAL - BOWLERS MAY ENTER BOTH - SCRATCH (\$6.00) - HANDICAP (\$4.00)**

	Scratch	Handicap		Scratch	Handicap
1.			4.		
2.			5.		
3.			6.		

**ENTRIES CLOSE AT MIDNIGHT, TUESDAY, JANUARY 31, 2012. MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: UTAH STATE USBC BOWLING ASSOCIATION & MAIL TO: TOM CHILDS, 224 SO. 3RD ST., TOOELE, UT 84074 - FAX 435-882-4212 - 1-877-271-3500 - UTAHSTATEBOWLING@MSN.COM**

Team Event		Singles & Doubles			
Sat., Mar. 3	Oil - 11:00 am	Sat., Mar. 3	Oil - 8:00 am	Oil -2:00 pm	
Sun., Mar. 4	Oil - 11:00 am	Sun., Mar. 4	Oil - 8:00 am	Oil -2:00 pm	4:30 pm Oil - 8:00 pm
Sat., Mar. 10	Oil - 11:00 am	Sat., Mar. 10	Oil - 8:00 am	Oil -2:00 pm	
Sun., Mar. 11	Oil - 11:00 am	Sun., Mar. 11	Oil - 8:00 am	Oil -2:00 pm	4:30 pm Oil - 8:00 pm
Sat., Mar. 17	Oil - 11:00 am	Sat., Mar. 17	Oil - 8:00 am	Oil -2:00 pm	
Sun., Mar. 18	Oil - 11:00 am	Sun., Mar. 18	Oil - 8:00 am	Oil -2:00 pm	4:30 pm Oil - 8:00 pm
Sat., Mar. 24	Oil - 11:00 am	Sat., Mar. 24	Oil - 8:00 am	Oil -2:00 pm	
Sun., Mar. 25	Oil - 11:00 am	Sun., Mar. 25	Oil - 8:00 am	Oil -2:00 pm	4:30 pm Oil - 8:00 pm
Sat., Mar. 31	Oil - 11:00 am Oil - 5:00 pm	Sat., Mar. 31	Oil - 8:00 am	Oil -2:00 pm	
Sun., April 1	Oil - 11:00 am	Sun., April 1	Oil - 8:00 am	Oil -2:00 pm	4:30 pm Oil - 8:00 pm
Sat., April 7	Oil - 11:00 am Oil - 5:00 pm	Sat., April 7	Oil - 8:00 am	Oil -2:00 pm	
Sun., April 8	Oil - 11:00 am	Sun., April 8	Oil - 8:00 am	Oil -2:00 pm	4:30 pm Oil - 8:00 pm

#### REMITTANCE

Team:	\$
Singles & Doubles:	\$
Opt. Seniors Singles:	\$
All Events:	\$
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$</b>

**MONEY MUST ACCOMPANY ALL ENTRIES INCLUDING "ALL EVENTS"**

**Returned Check Charge \$25.00**

# Tournament Rules

Carefully read the information given below.

## ALL BOWLERS SHOULD REPORT ONE-HALF HOUR BEFORE SQUAD TIME

1. All bonified members of the United States Bowling Congress chartered local associations within the State of Utah, who have been members for at least 30 days prior to the starting date of the ANNUAL STATE BOWLING CHAMPIONSHIPS TOURNAMENT shall be eligible to enter the State Tournament. Non-UNITED STATES BOWLING CONGRESS MEMBERS WHO ARE RESIDENTS of the State of Utah will be eligible for participation upon application for associate membership and payment of appropriate dues (\$21.00). A resident is defined as one who makes their permanent home in the State of Utah. All participants are held responsible for the rule violations and are subject to USBC rules and regulations governing Tournament competition.
2. No entry will be refunded. All prize fees will be returned 100 percent within each event collected (USBC Rule 309).

3. Bowlers eligible under Rule #1 above may participate only once in the SINGLES and DOUBLES EVENTS. The SENIORS SINGLES EVENT IS OPTIONAL. They may participate in the TEAM EVENT as a member of more than one team only under the following conditions:

- (A) The bowler must have at least 21 games, as of December 31, 2011 with each team and/or league in which they bowl. **NO SUMMER LEAGUE AVERAGES.**
- (A1) Example: If you are bowling on a five person team and you bowl in a mixed league, you may pick three or four bowlers that are not bowling on a team and form a legal team to enter the tournament.
- (B) No bowler can compete with more than one team from the same league.
- (C) Not more than three players can compete together more than once in the team event.
- (D) No more than two card carrying professional bowlers may bowl on a five person team and one on a doubles team.

#### 4. DRESS CODE

**Full length trousers or slacks in good repair "non ragged, frayed or full of holes", shirts with sleeves, no tank tops, no hats, male or female (unless Tournament Manager grants a medical exemption).**

**NO EXCEPTIONS**

5. Team captains will be held responsible for making sure any substitutions is in keeping with tournament rules.
6. All State Titles will be awarded on actual pinfall, and recognized by trophies; however, to the same score handicap will be added in competing for cash prizes USBC Championship chevrons will be awarded to scratch and handicap champions in each event.
7. ALL EVENTS TOTAL. Actual pinfall only, in competing for state title and Masters Tournament Award.
  - (A) All entrants in this tournament who bowl in all three events are eligible for Masters Tournament Award.
  - (B) Expense for Masters Tournament includes air fare and Masters entry fee.
  - (C) Only winner or runner-up are eligible for participation in Masters Tournament (Masters Tournament Rules).
  - (D) All events entries will be accepted prior to bowling first event.
  - (E) The first team score will count towards bowlers all events score.
8. Handicap per game to consist of 80 percent of the difference between the highest established average (as specified in Section A) of Rule 8 and 220, with the following additional rules applying:
  - (A) Individual averages must be based on a minimum of 21 games in a USBC league, **summer league averages will not be used.** Entrants will use highest USBC league average based on a minimum of 21 games for the 2010-2011 season. If the current 21 game average as of December 31, 2011 is 10 or more pins above 2010-2011 season average, current average must be used. If no average last year, use the highest current USBC average, 21 games or more as of December 31, 2011. All others bowl scratch, except that a bowler with previous book averages may apply for a re-rated average based on previous book averages and other information provided by the participant. A bowler will not automatically be given his/her last book average. No assigned average shall be less than 170. Application for a re-rated average is the responsibility of the bowler. All applications must be made at least one week prior to the entry deadline. List both seasons high average (21 or more games) at time of entry. USBC Rules 319 A thru E applies.
  - (B) The average of any entrant in this tournament is subject to re-rating if either of the following has happened during the 12 months immediately preceding the tournament.
    - (1) If a bowler has qualified for a prize of \$600.00 or more in any event of a tournament, bowler must report all such prizes plus scores and position standings. In accordance with USBC Rule Book.
    - (2) Re-rating requirements of USBC Rule 319E shall apply. Any entrant averaging less than 210 affected by this rule, shall be re-rated in accordance with its terms prior to bowling. Failure to report to the tournament management for such purpose will result in disqualification. (If subject to re-rating rules, obtain form from the desk, complete and return to secretary with entry).
    - (3) Sports league averages will be re-rated in accordance with the USBC rule book.
  - (C) It shall be each bowler's responsibility to verify the accuracy of bowlers average in handicap of classified tournaments, whether originally submitted by the bowler, or team captains of others. Failure to use the proper average shall disqualify score if submitted average is lower than actual average. Prize winnings will be based on the submitted average if it is higher than the actual average.
9. Unmarried, grade school and high school students under the age of 18 must have written consent of a parent or guardian before participating in any USBC league or tournament where any participant is awarded cash, bonds, gift certificates or merchandise prizes. Such written consent must be on file with the league secretary or tournament manager at least one week before participation when the youth is unaccompanied by a parent or guardian. If the youth is accompanied by his/her parent or legal guardian the form must be submitted prior to his/her participation. Failure to file the consent form will cause the player to be ineligible and subject games bowled to forfeiture or disqualification. Said written consent must be on a form approved by USBC. USBC Rule 13 - Parental Consent
10. Entrance fee (including bowling and tournament expenses): Team - \$100.00; Doubles - \$40.00 (per team); Singles - \$20.00 (per bowler); Optional Senior Singles - \$10.00 and ALL EVENTS (optional) - \$6.00 Scratch - \$4.00 Handicap. The prize list will be posted before the tournament begins, and it will provide at least one cash prize for each ten entries. In ALL EVENTS at least one cash prize for each 20 entries.
11. If equipment failure on a pair of lanes would delay the progress of the game/series, tournament officials can authorize the completion of a game/series on another pair of certified lanes. The interrupted game/series must be resumed from the point of interruption. A tournament official may authorize participants on the pair to practice prior to resuming the game/series. USBC Rule 321 - Interrupted Game / Series
12. Up to \$0.50 expense money per event is designated to support the Utah State Hall of Fame.
13. Bowler with the highest all events total pin fall (or runner-up) will receive paid entry fee into the USBC Masters Tournament plus round trip airfare.

#### ENTRY FEES WILL BE DISTRIBUTED AS FOLLOWS:

Team Event	Bowling Costs	\$45.00	Tournament Expenses	\$15.00	Prize Fund	\$40.00
Doubles Event	Bowling Costs	\$18.00	Tournament Expenses	\$6.00	Prize Fund	\$16.00
Singles Event	Bowling Costs	\$9.00	Tournament Expenses	\$3.00	Prize Fund	\$8.00
Senior Singles	Bowling Costs	NONE	Tournament Expenses	\$1.00	Prize Fund	\$9.00
All Events Scratch	Bowling Costs	NONE	Tournament Expenses	\$0.25	Prize Fund	\$5.75
All Events Handicap	Bowling Costs	NONE	Tournament Expenses	\$0.25	Prize Fund	\$3.75

*A TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE WILL BE IN EACH BOWLING ESTABLISHMENT AT LEAST ONE WEEK BEFORE THE START OF THE TOURNAMENT*