

YOUTH/ADULT DOUBLES TOURNAMENT



May 11-12, 2024

ABC West Lanes

6454 Carlisle Pike, Mechanicsburg PA

Squad Times – Noon and 3:00 pm

Each Bowler will bowl 3 games on 1 pair of lanes

Entry Fee: \$50 per team

4 Divisions:

Adult/Teen (13-18)

Adult/Youth (12 & Younger)

Parent/Teen (13-18)

Parent/Youth (12 & Younger)

Guaranteed for all 4 Divisions – 1st Place - \$400*

1:6 payout

*Prize Paid in SMART Scholarship to Teen/Youth Player

BOWL ALL 4 SQUADS

REGISTER ONLINE STARTING MARCH 1, 2024



PABOWLING.COM/ADULTYOUTH

Rules and Regulations

1. Eligibility

- a. This tournament will be USBC certified and will be governed by the rule and regulations of USBC. (Rules availability at bowl.com)
- b. Youth participants must hold a current USBC Youth membership. Adult participants must have a current USBC adult membership.
- c. Parent/Teen and Parent/Youth must be parents, step-parents, grandparents, step-grandparents, great grandparents, step-grandparents or court appointed legal guardians bowling with a son or daughter. All other classifications will bowl in the Adult/Teen Adult/Youth division. Stepparents shall include domestic partners (in recognized domestic partnerships) of the child's parent.
- d. Age – Youth ages 12 years or younger as of August 1, 2023, and Teen ages 13 and older but who has not reached their 18th birthday as of August 1, 2023.

2. Averages

- a. Entrants shall use their highest previous season (2022-23) average of 21 games or more. If no 2022-23 average, then you may use your 2021-22 season average. If no 2022-23 or 2021-22 average, then entrants may use their current average of 21 games or more as of April 1, 2024. All others shall bowl scratch (220). **Proof of average must be presented at check in.**
- b. The ten (10) pin rule has been waived for this tournament (USBC Rule 319 a/3)
- c. Any bowler that fails to report their highest average will result in automatic disqualification from the tournament in accordance with USBC rules.
- d. The Tournament Director has the right to re-rate a bowler at any time. The adjust must be accomplished before the entrant bowls and if the adjusted average is not accepted by the bowler, the entry fee shall be refunded (USBC Rule 319c). All entrants who have ever been re-rated, refused a re-rate or been disqualified in a tournament must report this at every level of the tournament for a possible re-rate.

3. Handicap

- a. Handicap will be 100% of 440, based on a team basis. All entering averages must be USBC Certified, or the bowler must bowl scratch (220).

4. Entry Fee and Entry

- a. Entry fee (\$50) must accompany each entry filed. Online entries open March 1, 2024, paper entries also accepted, but online is preferred. Entry deadline is one hour prior to last squad. Walk-ins will be accepted based on lane availability.
- b. The BPAP Tournament Director has the right to accept or reject any entry.
- c. No refunds will be given after April 15, 2024.

5. Multiple Participation

- a. Multiple participation is permitted provided they are not bowling on the same squad. To place more than once in the prize list for position standings, at least one player in the lineup must be different Adult/Youth.

6. Prizes

- a. All prizes money will be awarded in the form of SMART Scholarships to the Teen/Youth participant. Adult participants will not be awarded any prize money.
- b. The prize ratio is 1 in 6. With a guaranteed 1st place of \$400 in all 4 divisions.
- c. Prize money for any positions tied with handicap shall be split evenly.

7. Other

- a. This Tournament will only be conducted in a BPAA/BPAP member establishment.
- b. Alcohol may be consumed by adults over 21, but **NOT DOWN BY THE BOWLING AREA or NEAR THE LANES**. Tournament staff reserve the right to determine what defines near the lanes.
- c. Participation in any tournament sponsored, conducted, or held by or on behalf of BPAP is open, upon the same terms and conditions, to all bowlers who do, or have done, any league tournament, advertised exhibition or any other type bowling (a) in a BPAP member establishment (b) in a non-BPAP established, (c) whether such bowler is or is not a member of any bowler's membership organization. Any owner or employee of any bowling establishment may participate if otherwise eligible. Rules and regulations conducted by the Bowling Proprietors Association of Pennsylvania, Inc.
- d. All matters not covered by these Rules and Regulations will be determined by the on-site tournament director. All decision will be final unless an appeal is made in accordance with USBC Rule 329.
- e. Lanes are randomly assigned and cannot be changed.
- f. Please arrive 30-45 minutes before your scheduled bowling time. If you arrive 15-minutes or less from your start time, we cannot guarantee you will bowl.