

SQUAD TIMES

Saturday 9:00 AM, 12:00 PM, 3:30 PM, 6:30 PM
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SQUAD DATES

JUNE 11 & 12, 18 & 19, 25 & 26
JULY 2 & 3, 16 & 17, 23 & 24

PENNSYLVANIA STATE USBC MIXED TOURNAMENT RULES

1. All entries and competition in this tournament must be in accordance with the rules and regulations of the United States Bowling Congress and the PA USBC. Each entrant must be a member of a USBC Association served by PA State USBC
2. Appropriate USBC membership must be verified prior to bowling. Participants not in possession of a USBC card must purchase a valid membership prior to competing, or will be subject to disqualification
3. Tournament will consist of Team (2 men & 2 women) and Doubles (1 man & 1 woman) and optional 6 game All Events.
4. **MULTIPLE PARTICIPATION:** Bowlers may participate more than once in team and doubles provided at least two (2) members on a team and one (1) member on a doubles entry are changed. A bowler's first appearance (including substitutions) in each event shall count towards all events score for prizes.
5. No more than two participants on a team may be a member of a professional organization on or after January 1, 2022 and through the date of participation. Likewise, no more than one participant in this fashion may compete on a doubles team
6. A reimbursable entry (for 2 events - team, doubles events will be given to a sponsor of 8 or more entries who:
 - . Schedules the entries on 1 squad or weekend, and
 - . Enters the team members in team and doubles
 - . Paid at the conclusion of the tournament
7. Substitutions may be used when necessary as long as such substitute meets all rules of eligibility. No substitute will be accepted for all events participation when any one event, or portion of any event has been bowled by the original entrant or substitute. Substitutes must bowl in the same position as the original bowler and must be the same sex. Failure of the sub or team captain to sign substitution affidavit shall void any prize winning disputes.
 - a. A substitute will not be required to reimburse the original entrant with the entry fee paid nor shall the substitute be expected to give the original bowler any prize money or awards they may have won.
 - b. Verification of substitutes average must be furnished
 - c. Substitutes shall be submitted to the tournament director at least one (1) hour prior to scheduled time of bowling
8. Full fees must accompany each entry. Advance reservations will be held only until April 15. Order of receipt of entry fees will govern assignment of dates and squad times.

ALL entries must be in the hands of the tournament director prior to July 24 at 5 PM

WALK IN ENTRIES ACCEPTED UNDER THE FOLLOWING

 - . **Submission 30 minutes prior to squad**
 - . Complete entry with full payment
9. Bowlers from **the host association and associations** within a 50 mile radius will be scheduled based on squad and lane availability except in emergencies.
10. **AVERAGES:** Entrants shall use their highest USBC previous season's winter league average, 21 games or more. If no winter league average, entrants may use their highest summer league average, 21 games or more. If no winter or summer league average for the previous season, entrants may use their highest average for the "current season". 21 games or more as of May 1. **ALL OTHERS BOWL SCRATCH.** If at the time of bowling entrants current seasons average of 21 games or more is 10 pins or more higher than the previous seasons average of 21 games or more, the highest average must be used (USBC rule 319 A-2)
11. Contestants shall bowl in order as submitted on the entry. All bowlers shall check in 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO SQUAD
12. Teams may be paired on the same lanes if they so request and submit entries together
13. Handicap is 100% of 2640 scratch for team; 1320 scratch for doubles and 660 scratch for the optional no bowl singles.
14. Prize ratio for team & doubles will be at least 1 in 5, and for all events 1 in 8. No bowl singles award ratio will be 1 in 5. Prize allocation in each event will be 75% to handicap and 25% to scratch. Prize fees will be returned 100%
15. Prize winnings for previous 12 months must be reported if they are \$600.00 in any event. USBC Rule 319A-2, 319A-3, 319C, and 319D applies to all entrants regardless of average.
16. **NO PRACTICE ON ANY SCHEDULED TOURNAMENT LANES THAT DAY.**
17. Lane assignments for each event of this tournament shall be scheduled by the tournament management.
18. Awards of same type and quality will be awarded to scratch champion and handicap winners in each event.
19. In the event of a tie for first place in any event co-champions shall be declared.
20. All decisions of the tournament manager / on-site tournament manager are final unless an appeal is made in accordance with USBC Rule 329.
21. Individual overpayments of \$5.00 or less will not be refunded.
22. Dress code: Entrants are required to wear suitable attire. Non suitable attire includes - halter tops, bare midriffs, gym attire, spaghetti strap tops, short shorts, short skirts/skorts, any shirts with offensive language/images.
23. Improper conduct or failure to comply with the above rules shall result in disqualification of scores
24. Recommended COVID guidelines will be followed

NO BOWL SINGLES

1. Rules 1 thru 22 shall apply with the following exceptions.
2. Team Event scores will be used for No Bowl Singles.
3. You may re-enter as many times as you bowl team event, and only place once in the highest final prize list position.
4. Singles event shall not be considered towards all events.

NO BOWLING - JULY 9 & 10, 2022

PARENTAL CONSENT RULE

Unmarried, grade and high school students under the age of 18 must have written consent of a parent or guardian before participating in this tournament. Such consent must be on file at least one week before participation, unless accompanied by a parent or guardian. Consent form must be filed prior to bowling.

REMIT TOTAL FEES BY MONEY ORDER

OR BANK CHECK PAYABLE TO PA STATE USBC

*** NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED WITHOUT FULL ENTRY FEE ***

There will be a \$35.00 charge for any returned check

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