

DIVISIONS

**OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM
FOR THE
61TH ANNUAL
CITY TOURNAMENT**

**WASHINGTON, D.C. AREA
WOMEN'S BOWLING ASSOCIATION**

TEAM, SINGLES AND DOUBLES IN ONE CENTER

BOWL AMERICA GAITHERSBURG
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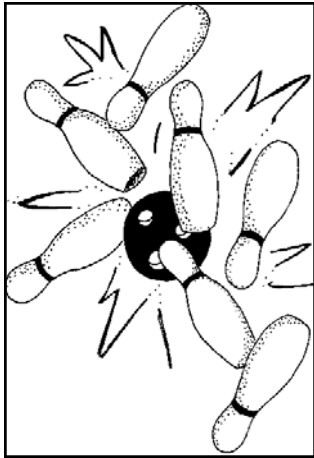
**4-MEMBER TEAM EVENT
MULTIPLE ENTRY ALL THREE EVENTS
OPTIONAL ALL EVENTS
OPTIONAL SCRATCH SINGLES**

**TOURNAMENT DATES
MARCH 4-5, 11-12 & 18-19, 2006**

**ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST BE SANCTIONED
THROUGH USBC AND HAVE A WDCAWBA
BOOK AVERAGE**

**MAIL COMPLETED FORM TO;
WDCAWBA TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR
9315 LARGO DR WEST, SUITE 110
LARGO, MD 20774**

**ALL ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED
ON OR BEFORE FEBRUARY 10TH
WALK-INS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED**



MARCH 2006						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

TEAM EVENT

SAT, MARCH 4	12 NOON & 3:30PM
SUN, MARCH 12	10:00AM & 1:30 PM
SUN, MARCH 19	10:00AM & 1:30 PM

SINGLES/DOUBLES EVENT

SUN, MARCH 5	10:00AM, & 2:00PM
SAT, MARCH 11	10:00AM, & 2:00PM
SAT, MARCH 18	10:00AM, & 2:00PM

OPENING CEREMONIES MARCH 4TH AT 11:00AM

PLEASE READ THE TOURNAMENT RULES

ELIGIBILITY: All entrants must be sanctioned through USBC. Entrants sanctioned through an association other than WDCAWBA, must have paid the necessary multiple membership fees through this association in order to participate. USBC Rules and Regulations will apply. Students 18 years of age and under must submit a completed parental consent form at least one week before bowling unless accompanied by a parent/guardian who submits the form before the student starts to bowl.

AVERAGES: Entrants shall use the following average:

- Her highest WDCAWBA-sanctioned 2004-2005 winter average of 21 games or more (as a regular or as a substitute).
- If she has no 2004-2005 league average as described above, a summer 2005 WDCAWBA-sanctioned league average of 21 games or more may be used.
- If neither (1) or (2) applies, a bowler may use her highest current WDCAWBA-sanctioned league average of 21 games or more as of Dec. 1, 2005.
- If none of the above applies, a bowler may use her highest current WDCAWBA-sanctioned league average of 12 or more games as of the day she bowls in the tournament, subject to the tournament director's approval.

If entrant has no verifiable average, as described above, a 210 average will be assigned. USBC Rule 319a (current average 10 pins higher than last year); Rule 319d (report prize winnings) and 319e (re-rate) are waived.

DIVISIONS: This tournament will have Three divisions as shown below:

Event	Division 1	Division 2	Division 3
Singles	180 and above	141 to 179	140 and below
Doubles	360 and over	281 to 359	280 and below
Team	720 and above	564 to 719	563 and below

To calculate your division, add the averages of all event players together

WDCAWBA 2006 CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT ENTRY FORM

<u>TEAM EVENT</u>	
LIST PREFERRED:	DATE & TIME:
1ST CHOICE _____	_____
2ND CHOICE _____	_____

<u>SINGLES/DOUBLES EVENT</u>	
LIST PREFERRED:	DATE & TIME:
1ST CHOICE _____	_____
2ND CHOICE _____	_____

<u>OFFICE USE ONLY</u>	
ENTRY NUMBER _____	RECEIVED _____
TEAM SCHEDULED _____	
S & D SCHEDULED _____	
ALL SQUADS FILLED ON A FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED BASIS.	

TEAM EVENT: Print full names and addresses in the order in which your team will bowl. The team lineup may not be changed.

TEAM NAME: _____

BOWLER'S NAME / NATIONAL ID # (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE)	COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS	ALL EVENTS <u>ONLY PAY ONCE</u>	2004-2005 BOOK AVG.	OFFICE USE ONLY
1. _____ ID # _____	_____			
2. _____ ID # _____	_____			
3. _____ ID # _____	_____			
4. _____ ID # _____	_____			

SINGLES/DOUBLES EVENT: Print full names and addresses in the order in which your doubles team will bowl. The team lineup may not be changed. Check the box marked "Scratch Singles" for every member who has paid the event fee. Each Singles entry must also bowl Doubles Event and vice versa.

BOWLER'S NAME / NATIONAL ID # (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE)	COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS (IF NOT SHOWN ABOVE)	OPTIONAL SCR. SINGLES <u>ONLY PAY ONCE</u>	2004-2005 BOOK AVG.	OFFICE USE ONLY
1. _____ ID # _____	_____			
2. _____ ID # _____	_____			
1. _____ ID # _____	_____			
2. _____ ID # _____	_____			

Team captains Must Sign Below

I do hereby certify that all averages listed here are correct according to the rules of this tournament.

Signature: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State _____ Zip _____

Home phone: _____

Work phone: _____

I AM SUBMITTING 4 OR MORE ENTRIES TO QUALIFY FOR "SUZY BOWLER".

ENTRY FEES	AMOUNT PAID
\$ 100.00 (TEAM OF 4 WOMEN) (\$25.00 EACH)	\$ _____
\$ 50.00 (DOUBLES TEAM) (\$25.00 EACH)	\$ _____
\$ 25.00 (SINGLES ENTRY) (\$25.00 EACH)	\$ _____
\$ 3.00 (IND. ALL EVENTS) (OPTIONAL)*	\$ _____
\$ 20.00 (OPTIONAL SCRATCH SINGLES)*	\$ _____
<u>*ONLY PAY ONE TIME.</u>	
TOTAL ENCLOSED	\$ _____
Personal checks, money orders or cash are acceptable We cannot accept ccard as payment of tournament fees	

MAKE CHECKS/MONEY ORDERS PAYABLE TO WDCAWBA —SEND THIS FORM WITH YOUR FEES

ENTRY FEE: Full payment of all entries must be submitted with the Entry Form. Fees are as follows:

	FEE	EXPENSES	PRIZE FUND
Team Event	\$25.00 per person	\$ 11.00	\$14.00
Singles Event	\$25.00 per person	\$ 11.00	\$14.00
Doubles Event	\$25.00 per person	\$ 11.00	\$14.00
All Events	\$3.00 per person		\$ 3.00
Scratch Singles	\$20.00 per person	\$ 1.00	\$19.00

EXPENSES INCLUDE LINEAGE FEES (\$3.50 per game). Entries shall not be accepted after the published closing date of the tournament unless they are postmarked the next business day after the closing date. The Tournament Director reserves the right to extend the closing date.

HANDICAP: The handicap shall be 100% of the difference between the individual's average and 220 Scratch, based on three games.

CHECK-IN: Individuals must check in and present their USBC sanction cards no later than 30 minutes before their scheduled squad time for Team Event. Singles/Doubles entrants must check in no later than 30 minutes before scheduled squad time. Substitutes should be reported at least one hour prior to scheduled squad time, if possible.

MULTIPLE PARTICIPATION: An entrant may participate in the Team Event three (3) times; however, not more than two players on one team may bowl together more than once. The Singles/Doubles Event may be entered three (3) times, however for each doubles event you must change partners. **NOTICE: EACH SINGLES ENTRY MUST ALSO BOWL DOUBLES EVENT.**

LINE-UP: The line-up shall stay the same as listed on the Entry Form and may not be changed unless approved by the Tournament Director. The Singles Event will be bowled first. A bowler who arrives after tournament competition has started will be allowed to bowl and her score will count beginning in the frame in which she entered the game. No score will be given for frames missed.

SUBSTITUTES: Substitutes are permitted provided they meet eligibility and average requirements. Emergency substitutions, once an event is in progress, will be permitted only in Team and Doubles Events. If no substitute is available, only the actual frames bowled will be counted. A bowler's entry fee and rights to any prize money for any event is transferable to a substitute and shall not be reimbursed to the original member in the line-up. Once a substitute has entered an event, the original entrant may not bowl in that event. The All Events fee is not transferable unless the substitute replaces the original entrant in all three events.

SCHEDULE: Entries will be scheduled in the order received and according to request, where possible. **PLEASE BE SURE TO LIST BOTH FIRST AND SECOND CHOICES FOR SQUAD TIMES.** No changes will be made after squad times have been confirmed, except for an emergency. Any scheduled squad with an insufficient number of Teams or Singles/Doubles entrants may be rescheduled at the discretion of the Tournament Director. If rescheduling is necessary, team captains will be notified.

SCORING: Automatic scorers shall be official during the progress of the game and scores will be entered onto the official score sheet by the bowler/scorekeeper. Any errors must be reported immediately.

VIRTUAL EVENTS: All Events handicap will be based on the first score bowled in singles, doubles and team events. Optional Scratch will be based on the highest singles set bowled. **ONLY PAY FOR THESE EVENTS ONE TIME.**

DISQUALIFICATION: A team using an unsanctioned bowler will be disqualified. The deadline for reporting a higher average is before the completion of the first game of any event. A disqualified individual or team forfeits all entry fees and the rights to any prize money.

GENERAL: Checks returned for “insufficient funds” will incur a penalty of \$25.00 plus bank fees, which must be paid before the team will be permitted to compete in the tournament. The Tournament Director reserves the right to refuse to accept a check if check-writer previously had a check returned to the association for “insufficient funds”.

- Any appeal or protest must be in writing and submitted within thirty (30) days after the game has been bowled.
- No eating, drinking or smoking (if allowed) will be permitted in the settee area.
- No unreasonable or excessive delay in the progress of any game is permitted and, in order to preserve the time limitations of each squad, a tournament official reserves the right to enter a score of zero for each frame missed.
- **Bowlers must be suitably attired. Leggings, spandex shorts and halter tops are NOT PERMITTED**
- Co-Champions will be declared if there is a first-place tie in any event. The prize money will be combined and divided equally and duplicate awards will be presented. When ties for other than first place occur, the prize money will be combined and divided equally among position winners. At least one out of every ten entries will receive prize money in all handicap events and scratch singles event. Checks and final listing of those who cashed will be sent to the Team Captains within forty-five (45) days of the tournament’s last scheduled squad and the Team Captains must distribute said checks to team members within fifteen (15) days of receipt.
- Premature termination of the Tournament due to emergency situations, labor difficulties or other reasons beyond the control of WDCAWBA shall cause the prize list to be prorated in accordance with the number of entrants who have bowled in each of the respective events up to the time the tournament is terminated.
- Any issues or questions not covered herein shall be directed to and decided upon by the Tournament Committee



WHO WILL BE “SUZY BOWLER 2006”?

Each year, the Washington DC Area Women’s Bowling Association sponsors a contest to select a Suzy Bowler for the next bowling season. The winner from this year’s contest will reign until next year’s City Tournament. In order to be selected, she must:

- Organize and submit four (4) or more tournament team entries.
- Be willing to attend both the Nov. and April WDCAWBA Membership meetings.
- Agree to attend the BVL Kickoff in early November.
- Participate in the crowning of next season’s Suzy Bowler at the opening ceremonies of the 2007 City Tournament.

The newly crowned Suzy Bowler will receive a certificate proclaiming her “Suzy Bowler of the Year”. She will also receive a bowling ball, bag, shoes and a paid entry into the 2007 City Tournament. All members of the WDCAWBA (except members of the Board of Directors) are eligible for this honor. Please be sure to check the box provided on the entry form if you wish to participate in this program.