Nation's Capital Area USBC Association

70th ANNUAL WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT

PRESENTED BY:

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5130 Duke Street, Unit 5 • Alexandria VA 22304 • 703/751-4255



TEAM • SINGLES & DOUBLES

BOWL AMERICA SHIRLEY

6450 Edsall Road • Alexandria VA 22312 • 703/354-3300

FRIDAY • SATURDAY • SUNDAY June 19–20–21 • 26–27–28, 2015

-ENTRIES CLOSE JUNE 0, 2015

ENTRY DEADLINE EXTENDED TO JUNE 15, 2015 OPTIONAL SCRATCH and SENIOR (50+) CATEGORIES

Scratch Singles Event &
Senior (50+) Singles Event

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PRIZES RETURNED: 1 in every 6 entries

SEND ALL ENTRIES AND INQUIRIES TO:

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Tournament Rules

- 1. **ELIGIBILITY:** Only female members of the Nation's Capital Area USBC Association (NCAUSBCA) are eligible to participate in this tournament. Non-members living within the jurisdiction of this association who are not members of another association may enter by paying an affiliate membership fee of \$21.00. 2014-2015 USBC members that are currently living within the jurisdiction but do not have a NCAUSBCA membership may enter by paying the co-association and state fee of \$11.00 with the application. Bowlers must present 2014-2015 USBC memberships cards and confirm lineup as shown on the entry form at least 30 minutes prior to the start of each scheduled event.
- **2. PARTICIPATION:** Bowlers entered in the Doubles event must also enter the Singles event. Likewise, all Singles event entrants must also bowl in the Doubles event. Doubles will be bowled immediately following the Singles event. Bowlers will bowl all six (6) games on the same pair of lanes.
 - a. Bowlers may enter Singles and Doubles two (2) times, as long as Doubles partners change.
 - **b.** Bowlers may only cash once in Singles.
 - c. Bowlers may enter the Team event three (3) times, as long as two (2) members of the team change.
 - **d.** First scores bowled in each event will count towards All Events total.
 - **e.** Women ages 50 and above (born on or before June 19, 1965) are eligible to enter the optional Senior Singles event and/or Senior All Events.
 - **f.** Bowlers may elect to compete in the optional scratch events using scores bowled in the regular events.
- **3. AVERAGES:** Entrants shall use the following averages:
 - a. Highest NCAUSBCA 2013-2014 book average of at least 21 games.
 - **b.** If there is no NCAUSBCA 2013-2014 book average, a 2014 NCAUSBCA summer league average of at least 21 games may be used if on file in the NCAUSBCA office.
 - **c.** If neither "3a" or "3b" applies, a bowler may use her highest current or ending 2014-2015 NCAUSBCA average of at least 21 games listed on the latest or final league sheet distributed the week of Friday, June 12, 2015 through Thursday, June 18, 2015 (excluding scores bowled that week).
 - d. If "3a, 3b, or 3c" does not apply, a NCAUSBCA 2012-2013 book average may be used.
 - e. If none of the above applies, the entrant must bowl with a scratch average of 220.

4. BOWLER'S RESPONSIBILITY:

- **a.** Each bowler must verify the accuracy of her average.
- **b.** Failure to use the correct average will:
 - i. Disqualify scores if submitted average is lower than the correct average.
 - ii. Prize winnings will be based on submitted average if it is higher than the actual average.
- c. The "10-Pin" Rule for averages will apply (USBC 319a[2] and 319c).
- **d.** Entrants must report any previous tournament prize winnings in the last year of \$600.00 or more **(USBC 319d)**.
- **e.** If entrant has won \$600.00 or more, she must submit all tournament scores with the official entry form **(USBC 319e)**.
- **5. HANDICAP:** The handicap used is 100% of the difference between the individual's average and 220.
- **6. LINEUP:** The bowling lineup shall be the same as entered on the entry form. This may not be changed. A tardy bowler may enter the game at any point, but she will receive a zero (0) score for each frame missed **(USBC 322a)**.
 - **a.** The team captain has the privilege of substituting other bowlers for those originally entered. Once a substitute has started competition, the original entrant may not replace the substitute.
 - **b.** The names of all participants must be listed on the entry form.

- **7. ENTRY FEE:** Fees will be \$30.00 per person, per event (\$9.75 Bowling Fee, \$16.25 Prize Fund, and \$4.00 Expense Fee). All optional events include a \$1.00 Expense Fee. No entry money will be refunded if tournament and USBC rules and requirements are not followed.
- **8. SUBSTITUTES:** Substitutes are permitted, provided they meet the eligibility requirements. Emergency substitutions will be permitted only for Team and Doubles events. If no substitute is available, only the actual frames bowled will be scored. A bowler's entry fee and rights to any prize money for any event is transferred to the substitute and shall not be reimbursed to the original bowler in the lineup. Once a substitute has entered an event, the original entrant may not bowl in that event. The All Events fee is only transferable to a substitute when she substitutes for all three events for the same bowler.
- **9. PRIZE DISTRIBUTION:** All prize money will be returned 100%. The prize ratio for each event will be one (1) prize for every six (6) entries.
 - **a.** Co-champions will be declared if there is a tie for first place in any event. The prize money will be combined and divided equally, and duplicate awards will be presented. For all other ties, prize money will be combined and divided equally among position winners.
 - **b.** Checks and final prize list will be distributed to the team captains within thirty (30) days of the tournament's last scheduled squad unless an extension has been granted. Team captains must distribute tournament checks to team members within fifteen (15) days from receipt.
 - c. All tournament checks become VOID ninety (90) days after issuance.
- **10. SCHEDULE:** Entries will be scheduled in the order received. Please select two (2) choices for squad date and time. No changes will be made after squad date(s) and time(s) have been confirmed, except for an emergency. Any scheduled squad with an insufficient number of entrants may be rescheduled at the discretion of the Tournament Director. If rescheduling occurs, team captains will be notified.

11. GENERAL:

- **a.** Checks returned for "insufficient funds" will incur a \$35.00 administrative fee, plus the amount of the submitted check all of which must be paid before the team will be permitted to compete in the tournament.
- **b.** Scores lost due to malfunction of automatic scoring system shall be re-bowled.
- **c.** USBC Rule 328 will apply. (A bowler must use the same hand to deliver the bowling ball throughout the tournament.)
- **d.** USBC Rule 329 will be followed. (A protest or appeal involving eligibility or playing rules must be filed with the Tournament Committee, NCAUSBCA, or USBC no later than seventy-two [72] hours after the completion of the tournament. The protest or appeal must be in writing with the grounds for the protest or appeal briefly stated.)
- **e.** No unreasonable or excessive delay in the progress of any game is permitted. In order to preserve the time limitations of each squad, a tournament official reserves the right to enter a score of zero (0) for each framed missed.
- **f.** "Walk-ins" are not allowed.
- g. Bowlers must wear suitable attire: No leggings, spandex shorts, or halter tops!
- **h.** The Tournament Committee reserves the right to request a tournament bowler complete an IRS Form 1099 before receiving bracket winnings.
- **i.** Any issues or questions not covered herein shall be directed to and decided upon by the Tournament Committee.

12. SQUAD SPONSOR:

- a. Enter twelve (12) teams into the tournament and receive \$100.00.
 - i. Teams do not have to bowl on same squads.
 - ii. Squad sponsors are open to men, women, or youths.