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Nation's Capital Area USBC Association
VERN BURKE – Spring *Virtual* Youth Scholarship Tournament

APRIL 2021

At your center, during your league
NEW – enter once per league – then:
Submit your highest league series bowled
anytime within the month of April

Standard / Sport / Challenge Divisions **$15.00** per bowler
Standard 2 Game Division **$10.00** per bowler
(*Optional Scratch Add-on $10.00*)
Bumper Division **$5.00** per bowler

Guaranteed 1st Place - $250 – STD/SPT/CHL Handicap Div 1 – Div 4
Guaranteed 1st Place - $150 – Standard 2 Game Division
Guaranteed 1st Place - $100 – Bumper Division

NEW States Added!!
Bowler must be current USBC Youth-certified in a league within
Virginia, Maryland, District of Columbia, Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey or North Carolina.
Entries must be mailed/emailed **on/before April 17th.**

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NAME _____ AVERAGE: _____ (*as of April 1st*)

BOWLER ID # **(Required)** _____ High School Graduation Year*_____

Required for scholarship

EMAIL ADDRESS_____(used for tournament communications only!)

Coach's Name:_____ Email:_____

Your BOWLING CENTER: | Your LEAGUE NAME:

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LANE CONDITIONS (*select one – your league conditions*)	**DIVISIONS** (*circle one*)	**FORMAT**
_____ **$15** (**STD**) Standard _____ **$15** (**SPT**) Sport _____ **$15** (**CHL**) Challenge	**Div 1** – Avg (180 & above) **Div 2** – Avg (150-179) **Div 3** – Avg (110-149) **Div 4** – Avg (109 & below)	Format – 3 games Handicap – 100% of 230
_____ **$10** (**S2G**) Standard 2 Game (non-bumper)	**Div G2** – Avg (ALL – 2 game)	Format – 2 games Handicap – 100% of 150
_____ **$ 5** (**BMP**) Bumper – 2 Game	**Div B** – Avg (ALL – Bumper)	Format – 2 games Handicap – 100% of 120
(**Optional Add-on**) _____ **$10** Scratch Add-on *	*(BMP) Bumper not eligible (Separated by average divisions)	Scratch scores

__$_____ **~~ Total Amount Paid this entry ~~**

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Bowler's ID number is REQUIRED.

1. USBC Tournament rules and regulations will govern this tournament.

2. The tournament is open to all certified USBC youth members that bowl in leagues within the states of Virginia, Maryland, the District of Columbia, Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey or North Carolina. Standard 2 Game bowlers must be certified and bowl in a certified 2 game league. Bumper bowlers must be certified and bowl in a certified Bumper league.

3. **Format**: Scores used for this "virtual" tournament will be from the bowler's regular scheduled league session between the dates of April 1, 2021 through April 30, 2021. Bowlers will send in their highest series scores from their league bowled during those dates.
    - **No Pre or Post bowled scores are to be used.**
    - For Standard/Sport/Challenge: Scores consisting of a 3 game series are to be submitted for bowlers in Div 1 - Div 4.
        A. If the league bowls more than 3 games, only the first 3 games will be used toward the tournament scores.
    - For Standard 2 Game: Scores consisting of a 2 game series are to be submitted.
        A. If the league bowls more than 2 games, then bowler should not register for this lane condition/division.
    - For Bumper: Scores consisting of a 2 game series are to be submitted.
        A. If the league bowls more than 2 games, only the first 2 games will be used toward the tournament scores.
    - The (*optional*) Scratch Add-on will use the scratch scores of the 3 game series under Div 1-4 or the 2 game series for Div G2.

4. **Lane Conditions**: The lane condition selected on the entry must match the lane condition for which the league where scores are to be bowled is certified under.

5. **Tournament Average**:
    - Bowlers must have an established average in their league with a minimum of 12 games bowled.
        o   Entering averages will be from the league standing sheet as of April 1st (does not include games bowled on or after that date)
        o   A copy of the standing sheet must be submitted with the entry submission or with the scores bowled for verification.
    - For those without 12 games, the entering averages will be determined from www.bowl.com and based on the highest Fall/Winter average from the 2019-2020 season with a minimum of 12 games. If no Fall/Winter average, then Summer averages will be considered with a minimum of 12 games.
    - If none of the preceding apply, a tournament average of 200 will be assigned. Exceptions: Standard 2 Game bowlers - an average of 150 will be assigned; Bumper bowlers - an average of 120 will be assigned.
    ➢   Falsification of average will result in disqualification of the bowler.

6. The Tournament handicap will be: 100% of 230 for Divisions 1-4; 100% of 150 for Standard 2 Game; 100% of 120 for Bumper Division .

7. The tournament will be divided into 4 divisions, a Standard 2 Game division (with one optional Add-on) and 1 Bumper division –
    Div 1 – Avg (180 & above);   **Div 2** – Avg (150-179);   **Div 3** – Avg (110-149);   **Div 4** – Avg (109 & below);
    Div 2G – 2 Game; (optional) Scratch Add-on Option – (separated by Divisional averages);   **Div B** – Bumper

8. Only one entry per bowler per league. Bowlers may submit multiple entries provided that each entry is from separate leagues of which the bowler is currently certified and additional fees are included. Separate completed entry forms must be submitted. One set of scores cannot be applied to more than one entry. Bowlers may only place once in each division. The highest series score will be used to determine placement.

9. **Entries**, to include all fees, must be submitted prior to April 17th.
    - Mailed entries must have a postmark date on or prior to April 17th.
    - Entries may be emailed with entry fees submitted separately.
        o   Mailed fees must be postmarked on or prior to April 17th. Payment must include the bowler name(s).
        o   Entry fees can be submitted via PayPal and must include the bowler name(s).
            ▪   PayPal information: "frelke@verizon.net" or "paypal.me/DEBFrelke"

10. **Entry fees**: Fees are per bowler, per league. All fees paid will be fully applied to the Scholarship fee.
    Standard / Sport / Challenge - $15.00.   Standard 2 Game - $10.00. Scratch Add-on - $10.00.   Bumper - $5.00.

11. *Coaches can provide a listing of their youth participants provided that all entry information is included and that all fees are submitted on/prior to April 17th. *Individual completed entry forms would not be required if all information is included on the coach's list.

12. Once an entry has been submitted, no changes will be made. Coaches may request a bowler substitution if the entered bowler was unable to bowl any eligible scores within the month. Coaches must advise the tournament asap and prior to score submissions. Exceptions in the case of emergencies, inclement weather, and other reasons will be decided by the Tournament Committee.

13. Scores and league standing sheets must be received within 2 weeks following the close of the tournament, by May 15th.
    - Acceptable scores submission formats are: Recap sheet / Computer Print out / Standing sheet if individual games are listed
    - Coaches are asked to confirm the scores, by signature or initial, of league scores being submitted to the tournament.

14. All awards will be scholarships, which will be administered by SMART #9559. Scholarships will be presented at a minimum 1 for every 6 entries in each division. Scholarship fees will be returned 100%.
    ➢   An additional $5 per entry will be added to the Scholarship fee from the association unassigned scholarship funds.

15. *There will be a $25.00 fee for all returned checks.

~ ~ ~ ~ **Remember to submit scores and standing sheet within 2 weeks** ~ ~ ~ ~

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