



42nd ANNUAL
MOHAWK VALLEY USBC YOUTH
CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT
TEAM ENTRY
DEDICATED TO ERNIE DERMINIO
A USBC CERTIFIED TOURNAMENT



ENTRY FEES

Per Bowler - \$ 10.00

Per Team - \$ 40.00

SQUAD DATES & TIMES

Sat. Jan. 19, 2008 Noon & 3:00 PM

Sat. Jan. 20, 2008 Noon & 3:00 PM

Sun. Jan. 27, 2008 Noon & 3:00 PM

LOCATION

STATE BOWL

17 East State St.

Ilion, NY 13357

(315) 894-4862

ENTRIES & RESERVATIONS CLOSE JANUARY 5, 2008
BOWLERS MUST CHECK IN 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO SQUAD TIME

PRINT ALL INFORMATION NO PENCIL ENTRIES BOWLING ORDER IS FINAL					
TEAM NAME:			HOME LANES:		
TEAM CAPTAIN:			TEAM DIVISION(see rule 2):		
M or F	D.O.B.	NAME (List in bowling order)	PHONE #	AVG 12-22-07	OFFICIAL USE ONLY
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COACHES MUST SUBMIT STANDING SHEETS TO VERIFY AVERAGE (see rule 3d)
APPROPRIATE ATTIRE REQUIRED! NO HATS, SHORTS OR OFFENSIVES!

COACH VERIFICATION

I hereby certify that :

1. All information on this entry is correct, including ages and averages
2. Bowlers were given the official rules
3. All bowlers are certified and meet all eligibility requirements.

COACH SIGNATURE

DATE

COACH NAME (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

PAYMENT MUST ACCOMPANY ENTRY

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO :

MOHAWK VALLEY USBC YOUTH

MAIL ENTRIES TO TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR

TERRY WOLCOTT
36 BENTON CIRCLE
UTICA, NY 13501

MVUSBC YOUTH TOURNAMENT RULES

1. GENERAL RULES

- a. This tournament will be conducted under USBC tournament rules. Printed rule books are available upon request. Rules & reference are also available online at bowlingrulebook.com.
- b. This tournament is only open to currently certified Mohawk Valley USBC Youth bowlers.
- c. **HANDICAP FOR THE TOURNAMENT IS 90% OF 220.** Team handicap is calculated using team total.
- d. Team event is composed of any combination of four (4) members. Doubles & Singles event is composed of any combination of two (2) members. **Doubles & Singles cannot be separated** (6 games bowled total).
- e. **MULTIPLE ENTRIES ARE NOT ALLOWED FOR DOUBLES & SINGLES EVENT.**
- f. **MULTIPLE ENTRIES ARE ALLOWED FOR THE TEAM EVENT** as follows (1) at least two bowlers must be different to compose a new entry: (2) All events will use the score from the first team event bowled: (3) availability and squad selection is at the discretion of the tournament director: (4) teams that cannot be accommodated will be notified and refunds will be given only for entries that are denied.
- g. Bowlers who enter both the team and Doubles & Singles events will automatically be entered into the Bonus All Events division in which the scores from all nine (9) games bowled are combined.
- h. Juniors and Majors who qualify for the Bonus Event will also be entered into a scratch all events.
- i. **JANUARY 5, 2008 IS THE CLOSING DATE FOR ALL ENTRIES.** All **COMPLETED** applications must be submitted with a **CHECK OR MONEY ORDER** by this date. Incomplete or unpaid entries **WILL BE RETURNED.**
- j. **Walk-ins will be accepted dependant upon lane availability with an additional \$ 2.00 per bowler fee.**

CHECK OR MONEY ORDERS ONLY – NO CASH – NO REFUNDS FOR CONFIRMED ENTRIES

2. DIVISIONS

- a. Age divisions will be as follows, based upon the bowler's age as of August 1, 2006:
(1) **BANTAMS up to 8 years** (2) **PREPS 9 – 11 years** (3) **JUNIORS 12-14 years** (4) **MAJORS 15 – 21 years**
- b. Any Team or Doubles entries with mixed ages **MUST BOWL** in the highest age division.

3. AVERAGES

- a. If nine (9) USBC certified games have been bowled by **Dec. 22, 2007**, the bowlers official USBC average as of that date will be used for the tournament. If not, the highest certified USBC average **RECORDED BY THE ASSOCIATION MANAGER**, from last year will be used.
- b. If no official USBC average has been established, than the bowler must bowl scratch.
- c. A copy of the league standing sheet must be submitted to the Tournament Director by the closing date so averages can be verified for all bowlers. **IF THE STANDING SHEET IS NOT SUBMITTED, THE BOWLERS WILL BOWL SCRATCH.**

4. TARDY ABSENT OR SUBSTITUTE BOWLERS:

- a. Tardy bowlers must begin in the frame being bowled at the time of arrival. Previous frames get a score of zero.
- b. In the event that a bowler cannot finish a game that is already in progress due to legitimate complications, 10 of their average is to be used as the score for each unfinished frame in the game.
- c. If there are no substitutes available for an absent bowler, the Tournament Director may allow a blind score of 90 % of the original bowlers average to be used after reviewing the details of the circumstance.
- d. All changes must be requested at least **30 minutes prior** to squad time and require review for approval
- e. Substitutions are limited to: **ONE (1) SUBSTITUTE PER DOUBLES & SINGLES ENTRY or TWO (2) PER TEAM ENTRY.** Substitutes (or coaches) must provide proof of certification and average.

5. IMPORTANT NOTES FOR COACHES, PARENTS AND BOWLERS:

- a. Coaches or a responsible adult, must accompany bowlers while competing in the tournament.
- b. Bowlers must check-in with the tournament officials at least **30 minutes prior** to squad time.
- c. No food or drink is allowed in the bowling areas. Alcoholic beverages are to be restricted to the bar area.
- d. **NO FORM OF COACHING IS ALLOWED DURING THE COMPETITION.**
- e. First, Second and Third place winners will be officially notified and formally invited to receive their awards at the banquet on March 11, 2007 at the Ramada Inn in New Hartford..
- f. Tentative and Official results will be posted on mvusbcyouth.tripod.com as soon as possible.
- g. **ANY QURSTIONS MAY BE SUBMITTED BY E-MAIL TO: youthbowling@adelphia.net.**