

## 80<sup>th</sup> Annual York-Adams USBC Women's Championship Tournament

CERTIFIED BY THE UNITED STATES BOWLING CONGRESS Certification Number: 06231

# Saturday, January 27, 2024 Sunday, January 28, 2024

Singles, Doubles, optional All-Events

ALL TOURNAMENT EVENTS HELD AT:

## **EDGEWOOD BOWL**

1880 EMMITSBURG ROAD, GETTYSBURG, PA - 717-337-1818

## **SQUADS TIMES**

### 10:00 AM and 2:00 PM BOTH DAYS

PICK ANY TIME TO BOWL, ANY EVENT

**Pre-Registration is Prefered** - Walks-ins are accepted

Walks-ins are acceptable based on lane availability, please arrive at least 1/2 hour before squad time.

Entries Close January 28, 2024 at 1:30 PM.

ENTRY FEES:

PRIZE BOWLING EXPENSE TOTAL SINGLES \$13.00 \$14.75 <u>\$ 2.25</u> \$30.00 per person DOUBLES \$26.00 \$29.50 <u>\$ 4.50</u> \$60.00 per team

Optional 6 game All-Events \$5.00 (must be signed up before bowling your first event).

Forward entries to the following address:

or email your entry and pay the day you bowl to:

Richard Sanders 120 W Crest View LN Gettysburg, PA 17325 rsanders52@comcast.net



#### **TOURNAMENT RULES**

<u>RULE 1 - ELIGIBILITY</u> - All current female member in good standing of the York-Adams USBC are eligible to participate. Female USBC members who are not current members of the York-Adams USBC may purchase local membership for \$7 (local dues) prior to competition. Non USBC members may purchase membership for \$22.00.

**<u>RULE 2 - AVERAGES</u>** - Entrants must use their highest 2022-2023 USBC certified season average, 21 or more games as found on Bowl.com. Each bowler is responsible for the accuracy of her average. Failure to use the proper average shall disqualify score(s) if submitted average is lower than actual average. Prize winnings shall be based on the submitted average if it is higher than the actual average. (USBC Rule 319a)

- a. If no 2022-2023 season average, use highest certified USBC average, 21 or more games, as of the time of bowling. Please submit proper verification, individual record sheet, or letter signed by league secretary.
- b. Summer league averages, 21 or more games, are permitted, provided bowler has no 2022-2023 season average or 21 or more games as of the time of bowling.
- c. All others bowl scratch.

If at the time of bowling in the first event in the tournament, a bowler has a certified current average, 21 or more games, which is ten or more pins higher than their entering average, current average must be used. (USBC Rule 319a/2). Bowlers who fail to report and use current average before the completion of the first game of bowling, will be disqualified, as well as their partner, and entry fees and prize winnings shall be forfeited. All entrants are cautioned to be aware of the re-rating requirements as detailed in USBC rule 319c and average adjustment requirements of USBC Rule 319e.

**<u>RULE 3 - SUBSTITUTES</u>** - A substitute will be permitted for the individual entry after opening of the tournament, if supported by proper affidavit, and at the discretion of the Tournament Committee. The Tournament Committee has the supreme power as to those substitutes who are submitted by the captain or her legalized representative and, if accepted, each substitute shall bowl under her full name. A substitute whose name and average is not shown on the entry form, and who can meet eligibility requirements, shall use average in the same order as listed in Tournament Rule 2. (USBC Rule 324)

RULE 4 - HANDICAP - All entrants will be handicapped by 90% of the difference between their entering average and 220 for singles and 440 for doubles.

**<u>RULE 5 - PRIZE LIST</u>** - All prize money will be returned 100% (Handicap 75%, Scratch 25%). Prize ratio will be at least 1:7 for each event. Cash prizes will be awarded in both HANDICAP and SCRATCH DIVISIONS based on this ratio. Entrants are eligible to cash only once (handicap or scratch), collecting the highest prize for which qualified, in case of same amount, scratch award will be awarded. A bowler may only cash in either handicap or scratch in each event, whichever prize is higher.

**<u>RULE 6 - BOWLERS RESPONSIBILITY</u>** - Each individual whose name appears on the entry form shall be solely responsible for the accuracy of all information on the entry form. Any information, which is submitted incorrectly, may result in disqualification of the entire entry and forfeiture of all prize, bowling and expense fees. **ENTRANTS MUST BOWL IN THE ORDER SHOWN ON ORIGINAL ENTRY.** (USBC Rule 324a)

## **<u>RULE 7 - MULTIPLE PARTICIPATION</u>** - (USBC Rule 315) MULTIPLE PARTICIPATION IN EACH EVENT IS PERMITTED, WITH THE RESTRICTIONS LISTED BELOW. ENTRANTS MAY CHOOSE TO BOWL JUST DOUBLES OR JUST SINGLES.

- DOUBLES EVENT In no case shall the same two players on a doubles team be permitted to place more than once in the prize list for position standings.
- SINGLES EVENT In no case shall the same individual be permitted to place more than once in the prize list for position standings.

**RULE 8 - ALL-EVENT** - All-Event is optional. All-Event is a combined score of your first bowled doubles and singles event, including handicaps (6 games). *Entrants must sign up before bowling their first event.* Entry fee for All-Events is \$5.00 per bowler.

#### RULE 9 - GENERAL RULES -

- Walk-in entries are permitted. However preregistration is preferred. All fees must be paid prior to bowling. Entry closing date is January 28, 2024 at 1:30 PM.
- In the event of ties for first place in any event, there will be no roll off. Co-champions will be declared. Prize monies for tie positions shall be equally divided among co-champions. If there are ties for any other positions, qualified winners shall equally divide the prize monies for which they are tied. A bowler may only cash in either handicap or scratch in each event, whichever prize is higher.
- Bowlers must sign score sheet verifying scores. Errors must be reported within 48 hours after the close tournament.
- USBC RULE 319, reporting prior tournament prize winnings, does not apply.
- Lane assignment is at the discretion of the tournament management. All teams and individuals must bowl on assigned lanes or forfeit entry fees. No entry money will be refunded after entries close and prize list is completed.
- Bowlers competing within the tournament, may not participate in any other type of bowling during the competition. Example: Participating in their own league, another tournament or open play.
- All individuals are asked to check-in at least 30 minutes prior to squad starting time. Walk-ins are asked to report at least 30 minutes prior to time of bowling for registration.
- All entrants are subject to approval by the Tournament Committee.
- Remit Total Entry Fees by Check or Money Order, payable to the York-Adams USBC. No entries accepted without full entry fees. There will be a \$20.00 charge for returned checks.



#### 80<sup>th</sup> Annual York-Adams USBC Women's Championship Tournament DOUBLES ENTRY FORM

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Please print clearly or type, fill in all information requested: Name, Address, City, State, etc. Submit form and enclose check for full amount made payable to: **York-Adams USBC.** 

#### Please print bowlers' names in the order they will bowl.

Only need to complete address and phone number once per bowler.

#	Bowler Name	Address City, State, Zip	 	Evening Phone Daytime Phone	 Entering Average
1			 		
2			 		
1			 		
2			 		

**DOUBLES** 

#### 80<sup>th</sup> Annual York-Adams USBC Women's Championship Tournament SINGLES ENTRY FORM

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Please print clearly or type, fill in all information requested: Name, Address, City, State, etc. Submit form and enclose check for full amount made payable to: **York-Adams USBC.** 

DO NOT WRITE IN THESE SPACES ENTRY NUMBER DATE RECEIVED DATE ENTERED AMOUNT RECEIVED CASH/CHECK #

				\$20.00	Squad Choice Please enter two choices!		
Please print bowlers' names in the order they will bowl. Only need to complete address and phone number once per bowler.		SINGLES	\$30.00 per	Choice 1 Date/Time	Choice 2 Date/Time		
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#	Bowler Name Automatic Name Bowler Name	Address City, State, Zip			Evening Phone Daytime Phone		Entering Average
1							
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See other side of Entry Form for optional All Events.

DO NOT WRITE IN THESE SPACES				
ENTRY NUMBER				
DATE RECEIVED				
DATE ENTERED				
AMOUNT RECEIVED				
CASH/CHECK #				

Choice 1

Date/Time

\$60.00

per

team

Squad Choice Please enter two choices!

Choice 2

Date/Time

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#	Bowler Name	PAID
1		
1		
1		
1		

