85th Annual York-Adams USBC Open Championships Tournament

CERTIFIED BY THE UNITED STATES BOWLING CONGRESS - Certification Number: 04687

OCTOBER 5/6, 12/13, 2024

Singles, Doubles, 4 Bowler Team, optional All-Events

ALL TOURNAMENT EVENTS HELD AT:

SOUTH HANOVER LANES

1767 BALTIMORE PIKE, HANOVER, PA 17331   717-637-2672

SQUADS TIMES FOR EACH EVENT:

PICK ANY TIME TO BOWL, ANY EVENT

SATURDAY & SUNDAY 10:00 AM & 2:00 PM

Walks-ins accepted

based on lane availability, must arrive at least 1/2 hour before squad time.

Entries Close OCTOBER 13, 2024 at 1:30 PM.

AVAILABLE THIS YEAR

HANDICAP AND SCRATCH

BRACKETS

and

SCRATCH

POT GAMES

All brackets and pot games will be available during each squad providing there are sufficient entries.

ENTRY FEES:	SINGLES	DOUBLES	TEAM
PRIZE	$13.75	$27.50	$ 55.00
BOWLING	$14.00	$28.00	$ 56.00
EXPENSE	$ 2.25	$ 4.50	$ 9.00
TOTAL	$30.00	$60.00	$120.00

Optional 9 Game All-Events $5.00 (must be signed up before bowling your first event).

Up to $1,000.00 Added Prize Money

by the York-Adams USBC (this money is not part of your sanction fee). Added money is based on the number of entries.

Entry Forms available at all York-Adams USBC Bowling Centers and the website: yausbc.com

Forward entries to the following address:
Richard Sanders
York-Adams USBC
120 W Crest View LN,
Gettysburg, PA 17325

York-Adams USBC Tournament Committee
Douglas Kriete, Sr. - Chair - TD
Andrew Carl - Vice Chair
Richard Sanders - Association Manager

TOURNAMENT RULES

RULE 1 - ELIGIBILITY - Any current member in good standing of the York-Adams USBC is eligible to participate. USBC members who are not current members of the York-Adams USBC may purchase local membership for $7.00 prior to competition. Non-members may purchase membership for $22.00.

RULE 2 - AVERAGES - Entrants must use their highest 2023-2024 USBC certified season average, 21 or more games. Each bowler is responsible for the accuracy of his or 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 2023-2024 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 2023-2024 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. Re-rated averages must be reported.

RULE 3 - SUBSTITUTES - 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 his legalized representative and, if accepted, each substitute shall bowl under his 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 240 for singles; 480 for doubles; and 960 for team.

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

RULE 6 - BOWLERS RESPONSIBILITY - 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)

RULE 7 - MULTIPLE PARTICIPATION - (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.

    • **TEAM EVENT -** In no case shall the same 4 bowler team place more than once in the prize list for position standings. In order to place more than once in the prize list for positions standings at least two players of the team lineup must be different.

    • **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 team, doubles and singles event, including handicaps (9 games). Entrants *must* sign up before bowling their first event. Optional entry fee for All-Events is $5.00 per bowler.

RULE 9 - BRACKETS/HIGH GAME POT - Option handicap and scratch brackets and/or scratch pot games will be held during each squad providing there are sufficient amount of entries.

RULE 10 - GENERAL RULES –

    • Walk-in entries will be permitted up to 30 minutes prior to squad time, no exceptions. Any entries turned in within a half hour before the squad start time WILL BE put into the next squad, or any upcoming squad if so desired. All fees must be paid prior to bowling. Entry close October, 13th 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.

    • 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 (YAUSBC). No entries accepted without full entry fees. There will be a $20.00 charge for returned checks.**

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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 (YAUSBC).**
Send entry to: Richard Sanders, 120 W Crest View Lane, Gettysburg, PA 17325

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

DOUBLES	$60.00 per team	Squad Choice Please enter two choices!	
		Choice 1 Date/Time	Choice 2 Date/Time

#	Bowler Name / USBC Membership #	Address / City, State, Zip	Evening Phone / Daytime Phone	Birth Date / Gender M / F	Entering Average
1				M F	
2				M F	
1				M F	
2				M F	

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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 (YAUSBC).**
Send entry to: Richard Sanders, 120 W Crest View Lane, Gettysburg, PA 17325

If the bowler's Information is the same as above, just enter the bowler's name and enter SAME.

SINGLES	$30.00 per bowler	Squad Choice Please enter two choices!	
		Choice 1 Date/Time	Choice 2 Date/Time

#	Bowler Name / USBC Membership #	Address / City, State, Zip	Evening Phone / Daytime Phone	Birth Date / Gender M / F	Entering Average
1				M F	
1				M F	
1				M F	
1				M F	

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TEAM 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 (YAUSBC).**

Send entry to: Richard Sanders, 120 W Crest View Lane, Gettysburg, PA 17325

Team Name:
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Please print bowlers' names in the order they will bowl.

If the bowler's Information is the same as above, just enter the bowler's name and enter SAME.

TEAM	$120.00 per team

Squad Choice — Please enter two choices!

Choice 1 Date/Time	Choice 2 Date/Time

#	Bowler Name / USBC Membership #	Address / City, State, Zip	Evening Phone / Daytime Phone	Birth Date / Gender M / F	Entering Average
1				M F	
2				M F	
3				M F	
4				M F	

Team Captain's Email Address: _____

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OPTIONAL ALL-EVENTS - $5.00 PER BOWLER

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#	Bowler Name	PAID
1		
1		
1		
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