

The 111th INDY USBC Open Tournament

\$35

*Early Bird
Special**

**if Paid by the Entry
Deadline
January 3rd*

**Multiple Entries
Permitted**

**Walk-ins
Cash Only**

Check in 20 minutes
prior to squad time

**At Least a 1:5
Payout Ratio!**

Entry Fee

\$45

Per Person / Per Event

Optional

\$5 ALL EVENTS Fee

*The ALL EVENTS fee must be paid
PRIOR to bowling in ANY event*

Expo Bowl

5261 Elmwood Ave; Indianapolis 46203
317-858-0388

Squad Dates & Times (# Lanes Available per Squad)

Saturday, Jan 12	9:00am (10) or 1:00pm (16)
Sunday, Jan 13	10:00am (24) or 2:00pm (24)
Saturday, Jan 19	9:00am (10) or 1:00pm (40)
Sunday, Jan 20	10:00am (16) or 2:00pm (24)
Saturday, Jan 26	9:00am (10) or 1:00pm (40)
Sunday, Jan 27	10:00am (40) or 2:00pm (40)

Space May Be Limited
Pre-Register to Guarantee Spot

ENTRY DEADLINE:

Entries must be received by or post marked
midnight on Thursday, January 3rd



\$2 BRACKETS \$5

Tournament Manager: Corky Koch (317) 351-0252
Tournament Directors: Charles Rott and Robert Martin

Open Tournament Rules

Please Read Carefully & Share With Your Team Members

1. Tournament is open to all certified adult members of the Indy USBC Association who have bowled at least 9 games in the current season.
2. This tournament will consist of a five-person Team event, a Singles/Doubles event, and an optional 9-game All Events event. Participants will bowl 3 games in each event. Doubles will be bowled first, then Singles.
3. **TOURNAMENT ENTRY FEE** will be \$45 per person, per event (team, doubles and doubles) for all entries received **after** the Entry Deadline. **A \$35 Early Bird Special per event will be given provided the entry & payment are received before the Entry Deadline.** Early Bird entry fee includes \$20 prize fund and \$15 tournament expenses. All entries must be accompanied with total fees with checks made payable to "Indy USBC – Open Tournament".
4. **OPTIONAL ALL EVENTS:** Cost of optional All Events is \$5. Prizes will be paid in each division and will be determined by the division the entrant qualifies for in their SINGLES EVENT. All Events fees must be paid prior to the bowler competing in **ANY** event of the tournament. The first score bowled in any event will be used for the individual's all events total.
5. **HANDICAP** is based on 90% of 210 for Singles and optional All Events. Doubles and Team events are based on a combined average of the team members.
6. **AVERAGES:** Entrants must use their HIGHEST USBC winter or summer league yearbook average as of the end of the previous season - minimum 21 games. If an entrant does not have a previous year's average, they will use their highest current USBC league average at the time of the tournament competition - minimum of 21 games. Sport averages will only be converted and used if it is the only average available. **A LEAGUE STANDING SHEET IS REQUIRED AT CHECK-IN. ANYONE WITHOUT A VERIFIED AVERAGE AS OF THE TIME THEY COMPETE IN THE TOURNAMENT WILL BOWL SCRATCH.** Bowlers may elect to bowl in a higher division but must notify the tournament staff prior to bowling to have captain sheet(s) adjusted. **Rules 319 a2 (10-pin rule), b (prize winnings), c, d, & e (entering average adjustment) DO NOT APPLY.**
7. Each bowler is responsible for verifying the accuracy of the average being used. Average corrections must be made by the end of the first game. Incorrect averages are subjected to rerating or disqualification per Tournament Manager's discretion.
8. **MULTIPLE PARTICIPATION** is permitted providing not more than three (3) players on the same team compete together more than once. Each team is limited to no more than two (2) professional (PBA) card members. Doubles partners are limited to 1 PBA member and partners must change partners for each squad bowled. Singles event can also be entered multiple times, however, only one cash prize will be awarded.
9. **SUBSTITUTIONS** are allowed. Provided the Tournament Manager is advised of the substitution at least 30 minutes prior to the start of competition. The new bowler will take the place of the bowler they are replacing on the roster. When the average of the substitute changes the classification of an entry, such entry shall be reclassified accordingly. A substitute will not be required to reimburse the entry fee paid, nor shall they be expected to give the original entrant any prize money or award they may win. **A SUBSTITUTE WITHOUT A VERIFIED AVERAGE PRIOR TO PARTICIPATING IN THE TOURNAMENT WILL BOWL SCRATCH.**
10. Any player or team arriving after tournament play has started will receive zero for the frames missed.
11. Team captains and singles/doubles participants must check in at least **30 minutes** prior to the scheduled bowling time.
12. **WALK-INS** accepted – **CASH ONLY** and must arrive at least 20 minutes prior to the scheduled bowling time.
13. Entries received after the entry deadline date of Thursday, January 3rd will be considered walk-in and must pay any remaining entry balance in **CASH**.
14. Any scoring errors must be called to the attention of a tournament official immediately or within 24 hours of being bowled. Protests affecting eligibility or playing rules must be submitted/confirmed in writing to the Tournament Manager within 72 hours and before the tournament prize payments are made.
15. The entrants whose names appear hereon or their authorized replacement hereby agree that the Indy USBC Association, its officers and agents shall be liable only to the extent of returning entry fees, if and when these entries shall be, through delay, unexpected yet necessary schedule changes, or premature termination of the tournament which may be brought about by war, national emergency, or emergencies of causes relating thereto or resulting from fires, strikes, lockouts, labor difficulties or other causes beyond the control of the Indy USBC Association.
16. Any rules not covered herein will be covered by USBC playing rules and specifications until the end of the 2018-2019 bowling season.

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Team Event

Team Captain: _____

Phone #: _____

Email: _____

Team Name: _____

TEAM CLASSIFICATIONS

Combined Avg 1050 & Above	"A" Div	Actual
Combined Avg 1049 – 950	"B" Div	Hdcp
Combined Avg 949 & Below	"C" Div	Hdcp

Handicap based on total Team average

AE		BOWLER'S NAME	BOWLER'S ID	BOOK AVG
	1			
	2			
	3			
	4			
	5			

Check Desired Date / Squad Time

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|------------------|--------------------------|----------|--------------------------|---------|
| Saturday, Jan 12 | <input type="checkbox"/> | 9:00 am | <input type="checkbox"/> | 1:00 pm |
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| Saturday, Jan 19 | <input type="checkbox"/> | 9:00 am | <input type="checkbox"/> | 1:00 pm |
| Sunday, Jan 20 | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10:00 am | <input type="checkbox"/> | 2:00 pm |
| Saturday, Jan 26 | <input type="checkbox"/> | 9:00 am | <input type="checkbox"/> | 1:00 pm |
| Sunday, Jan 27 | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10:00 am | <input type="checkbox"/> | 2:00 pm |

Squad Availability will be on a First Come, First Serve basis

All Events Fee must be paid BEFORE any event is bowled

Mail Checks/Entries Payable To:
 "INDY USBC" - Open Tournament
 6433 E Washington St., Ste. 191
 Indianapolis, IN 46219

***Early Bird Special Before Jan 3rd**

*Entry \$175 (\$35/bowler)

After Jan 3rd

Regular Team Entry \$225 (45/bowler)

Optional All Events \$5/bowler Qty ____

BELOW FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

TEAM FEES <i>EBS \$175/Team</i>	TEAM FEES \$225/Team	ALL EVENTS OPTN - \$5/Bowler	TOTAL

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Doubles/Singles

DOUBLES CLASSIFICATIONS

Combined Avg 420 & Above "A" Division Actual
 Combined Avg 419 – 380 "B" Division Hdcp
 Combined Avg 379 & Under "C" Division Hdcp

SINGLES CLASSIFICATIONS

Avg 210 & Above "A" Division Actual
 Avg 209 – 180 "B" Division Hdcp
 Avg 179 & Under "C" Division Hdcp

*Handicap Based
 on Total Doubles
 Team Average*

AE		BOWLER'S NAME	BOWLER'S ID	BOOK AVG
	1			
	2			
	1			
	2			
	1			
	2			

Squad Availability Is First Come, First Serve Basis

Doubles/Singles will be Bowled Consecutively

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 BEFORE any event is bowled**

*** Early Bird Special Before Jan 3rd**

- *Singles \$35/bowler
 *Doubles Entry \$70 (\$35/bowler)

After Jan 3rd

- Regular Singles Entry \$45/bowler)
 Regular Doubles Entry \$90/bowler)
 Optional All Events \$5/bowler Qty ____

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SINGLES FEES <i>EBS-\$35/Bowler</i>	DOUBLES FEES <i>EBS-\$70/Dbls Tm</i>	SINGLES FEES \$45/Bowler	DOUBLES FEES \$90/Dbls Team	A/E OPTN FEE \$5/Bowler	TOTAL