

**CONNECTICUT STATE USBCA
SCHOLARSHIPS TO BE AWARDED
(SEE RULE 15)**



***3rd Annual CT State Youth
Championship Tournament***

March 6, 7, 14, 2010

to be held at:

Wallingford Bowl

980 North Colony Road

Wallingford, CT 06492

(203) 949-1100

Jr Gold Qualifier run in conjunction with this Tournament

Directions:

From I 91 take to exit 13 (US rt 5 Wharton Brook Connector).

Turn Right on So. Colony Rd (rt 5) Lanes 1 mile up on right.

Entry Fee

**BOWLING FEE \$6.00
AWARDS FEE \$9.00
EXPENSE FEE \$2.00
TOTAL ENTRY \$17.00**

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR

**LOU WEBER
21 JOHN BEACH ROAD
NEWTOWN, CT 06470
(203)270-6636**

WEB SITE: <http://www.ctstateusbcassociation.org>

Register early to ensure lane availability

Walk-ins and re-entries are permitted if lanes are available

Tournament Rules

1. All entrants must be CT State USBC league members. No unattached membership will be available at the tournament site.
2. This tournament is a handicap tournament with a scratch division in accordance with rule#18. The handicap will be 100% of 220. Scratch bowlers must declare their intention to bowl scratch on their entry form. All undeclared division entries will be placed in the appropriate handicap division.
3. Entering average is your Highest Current Average with at least 9 games as of February 13, 2010 per USBC Rule 318. (Average sheet is mandatory) If no current average is available use the following:
 - A. Highest USBC Certified Average posted during the 2008/2009 season with 21 games or more.
 - B. Highest 2009 summer average with 21 games or more (Average sheet mandatory)
 - C. No verifiable average the bowler would then bowl scratch.
4. USBC Rules and Regulations will cover any rules not covered herein. The tournament director shall rule on all other matters. This event is USBC Youth Certified.
5. Entries - multiple entries will be permitted. Only one trophy will be awarded with the same partner. A bowler may enter as a team member on a maximum of two (2) teams, providing that not more than two (2) of the same members are participating on each team. (First Team score counts towards All Events.) No bowler shall be permitted to enter or bowl more than once in the singles even unless they are entering the scratch and handicap division. Bowlers may enter doubles a maximum of two (2) times with different partners. (First doubles score counts towards All Events.)
6. All Walk-Ins and substitutes must report one (1) hour earlier than squad time.
7. All bowlers will bowl three (3) games in each event. A bowler must bowl team, doubles and singles to qualify for ALL-Events. First event scores count towards all-event.
8. If in either team or doubles event, a duly scheduled entrant is unable to bowl, the tournament director will have the right to substitute a bowler, providing the substitute meets all other requirements. The bowler must be able to provide his or her average in accordance with rule #3. Replacements and substitution will be in accordance with USBC tournament rules and regulations.
9. All registered entrants must report 30 minutes before scheduled time of bowling to official in charge of lane assignments.
10. In case of disability after a game is started, a substitute will be allowed, if one is available and the combined scores to count. Handicap shall be based on the higher of the two games.
11. Bowlers are responsible for entering the proper average, age, and present their USBC membership card at sign in. See rule 3 entering average. Falsification will result in disqualification of the bowler and or team.
12. No refunds of entry fee will be made after entry has been processed and squad time assigned. Entry fee must accompany entry and entry fees for bad checks and any charges must be paid in cash, bank check or money order prior to bowling. All checks should be made payable to: CT State USBC. Cash is required for all walk-in bowlers.
13. Entrants shall not be permitted to leave the bowling settee area without permission of a tournament official.
14. Awards fee will be returned 100%. Award (s) will be awarded on a ratio of one for every ten (10) entries or major fraction thereof in each event for each division. In the event there are less than 6 (6) entries in any division, entrants may be moved to another division at the discretion of the tournament director. Only one All-Event award will be given to an individual; however, in the event an individual wins both, the handicap & scratch All-Event award will be engraved to show both honors. First event score counts towards All-Events. Champion magnets will be awarded to first place in each division. Scratch Division will bowl as a separate declared division.
15. A total of six (6) scholarships will be awarded. Scholarships will be awarded in the handicap division and scratch division to the Overall All-Event Champion, both male and female, both scratch and handicap. Handicap Male & Female \$500 and \$250 Scratch. Scratch Tournament division \$500 Male \$500 Female. To be eligible, a bowler must be a current CT State USBC member. Active is determined by bowling a minimum of 21 games. Should the overall champion not be eligible, the scholarship will be awarded to the runnerup. The USBC SMART program will administer all moneys (Acct#8685)
16. In the event of ties for first place, co-champions will be declared and duplicate awards will be given. In the event of ties for the Scholarship, a roll-off will be scheduled, with date, time and place to be determined by the tournament director, within 2 weeks of the posting of the final results. For all others positions, the awards fund allocated for two successive positions will be combined and duplicate awards will be given.
17. Divisions shall be based on the average as stated in Rule #3) The Team event will have one (1) boys handicap division. one boys scratch division one (1) girls handicap division one (1) girls scratch division one (1) mixed division handicap. There will be no scratch team event unless a minimum of 6 scratch teams in a given sign up.

<i>Division</i>	<i>Team average</i>	<i>Doubles average</i>	<i>Singles Average</i>
BOYS SCRATCH			
BOYS A HANDICAP	700 & over	350 & over	175 & over
BOYS B HANDICAP	540-699	270-349	135-174
BOYS C HANDICAP	400-539	200-269	100-134
BOYS D HANDICAP	399 & under	199 & under	99 & under
GIRLS SCRATCH			
GIRLS E HANDICAP	700 & over	350 & over	175 & over
GIRLS F HANDICAP	540-699	270-349	135-174
GIRLS G HANDICAP	400-539	200-269	100-134
GIRLS H HANDICAP	399 & under	199 & under	99 & under
MIXED SCRATCH			
MIXED I HANDICAP	700 & over	350 & over	175 & over
MIXED J HANDICAP	540-699	270-349	135-174
MIXED K HANDICAP	400-539	200-269	100-134
MIXED L HANDICAP	399 & under	199 & under	99 & under

18. Any appeal or protest regarding scores shall be made in writing and be submitted to the tournament director not later than 24 hours after the game has been played, briefly stating grounds for appeal or protest.
19. Any other appeal or protest shall be made in writing, briefly stating grounds of appeal or protest and be submitted to the tournament director not later than 72 hours after the tournament has been completed.
20. Competitors shall provide their own bowling shirt with a butterfly collar or mock collar. Mock collar must be one inch up on the neck. All shirts must have finished sleeves. Females may wear a sleeveless shirt with a butterfly collar only if the sleeves are finished. The USBC Youth Shirt is recommended. Appropriate shorts will be permitted. (No gym shorts, short short's or basketball type shorts will be permitted). No head covering or sunglasses can be worn while practicing or competing (hats, caps, bandanas, ect.) Headphones can only be used in the settee area and cannot be used while bowling. All clothing worn should be appropriate for all ages. The tournament manager must approve any/all exceptions prior to the event.
21. A separate entry form will be available to enter the Jr. Gold qualifier. The Jr. Gold event will be run in conjunction with this tournament as a separate event with an additional entry fee.
22. In the event not enough bowlers enter the scratch events, the tournament director will combine the division with the highest handicap division in the appropriate segment (boys, girls and mixed) Scratch all events score will be counted from these declared bowler towards there scratch all event scores. If less than ten bowlers declare the scratch division scholarships funds will be increased in the handicap divisions to \$500 instead of the stated \$250.

NOTE: A VOLUNTEER SCOREKEEPER AND MONITOR MAY BE REQUIRED FOR EACH PAIR OF LANES

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EARLY ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED

FEBRUARY 27, 2010

Mail to: Lou Weber, 21 John Beach Road, Newtown, CT 06470

INDICATE 1ST CHOICE FOR EACH EVENT

TEAM ENTRY FEE: \$68.00 PER TEAM • \$17.00 PER PERSON

TEAM NAME: _____ BOWLING CENTER: _____

3/6/10 12:00 Noon _____ 3/7/10 @ 9:30 A.M. _____ 3/14/10 @ 9:30 A.M. _____

NAME (Please Print)	SEX	8/1/09 Age	CURRENT AVG. 2/13/10	DIV.

DOUBLES ENTRY FEE: \$34.00/ TEAM • \$17.00 PER PERSON

3/6/10 3:00 P.M. _____ 3/7/10 @ 12:00 NOON _____ 3/14/10 @ 12:00 NOON _____

NAME (Please Print)	SEX	8/1/09 Age	CURRENT AVG. 2/13/10	DIV.

SINGLES ENTRY FEE: \$17.00 PER PERSON

3/6/10 5:30 P.M. _____ 3/7/10 @ 2:30 P.M. _____ 3/14/10 @ 2:30 P.M. _____

NAME (Please Print)	SEX	8/1/09 Age	CURRENT AVG. 2/13/10	DIV.

ALL MEMBERS & AVERAGES WILL BE VERIFIED BY TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR. MEMBERSHIP CARDS MUST BE PRESENTED AT TOURNAMENT CHECK-IN. SCRATCH DIVISION BOWLERS MUST DECLARE PRIOR INTENTIONS.

MANDATORY AVERAGE SHEET

Dear Coach: A league standing sheet as of February 13, 2010 must be provided to the Tournament Director with this entry form. (See Rule #3)

Please be sure to fill out the certification form requested below in full and sign. This information is necessary in order to advise squad time changes if requested time is not available and for the mailing of all confirmations and results. It will be your responsibility to notify bowlers of any and all squad times.

Please print all information:

I certify that all bowlers entered in the 2009-2010 CT State USBC Association Youth Tournament are sanctioned league members and that all averages, as listed on the front side of the application, are true and correct.

Name of Coach: _____

Address: _____ City, State, Zip _____

Phone: _____ Bowling Center: _____ Association: _____

Signature: _____

If you are not signing for all bowlers, please list below those who are members of your league. Please be sure to have all bowlers signed for.

Mail entries, standing sheets and checks (made payable to CT State USBCA) and send to Louis Weber, 21 John Beach Road, Newtown, CT 06470.

<u>Name</u>	<u>ID #</u>	<u>Average As Of 2/13/10</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
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