

GREATER BALTIMORE USBC BOWLING ASSOCIATION
2009 ANNUAL CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT

Feb 28th & March 1st and March 7th & 8th

Team squad: 11:30 a.m. Singles & Doubles Squads: 8:30 a.m. & 2:30 p.m.

SQUAD PRIZES: Individual High Game with 100% Handicap based on 220.

First Place \$60 Second Place \$30

Score with handicap may exceed 300

ENTRY FEE - \$25.00 per person, per event

\$5 additional per person for All Events entry

(\$13.00 prize fund + \$12 expenses)

DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES: FEBRUARY 24, 2009 (post marked by midnight)

*******RE-ENTRIES WILL BE ALLOWED - SEE RULE 16 *******

Tournament Entry Form

Please indicate squad choices:

1st Choice Team: _____ 1st Choice Singles/Doubles _____
 2nd Choice Team: _____ 2nd Choice Singles/Doubles _____

Team Lineup (please print)	USBC ID#	AVG	Team	All Events	Total
1)			\$ 25	\$ 5	
2)			\$ 25	\$ 5	
3)			\$ 25	\$ 5	
4)			\$ 25	\$ 5	
5)			\$ 25	\$ 5	

Singles/Doubles Lineup:

1)			\$ 50	\$ 5	
2)			\$ 50	\$ 5	
1)			\$ 50	\$ 5	
2)			\$ 50	\$ 5	
1)			\$ 50	\$ 5	
2)			\$ 50	\$ 5	

Team Captain's Signature: _____

Captain's Printed Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Evening Phone: _____ Day Phone: _____

Make checks/money order payable to GBUSBCBA for total amount due on entry.

Mail to: 1101 B. Merritt Blvd., Baltimore, MD 21222

Tournament Rules

- 1) Bowlers are eligible to participate in this tournament if they have paid their 2008-09 USBC Membership dues thru the GBUSBCBA or if they paid their 2008-09 USBC Membership dues thru another association AND paid their 2008-09 GBUSBCBA co-association membership dues to the GBUSBCBA. A membership card cannot be purchased at the tournament site.
- 2) Entrants shall use their highest GBUSBCBA Yearbook average for the 2007-08 season. If no GBUSBCBA Yearbook average for the 2007-08 season, entrant shall use their highest current seasons' GBUSBCBA average for at least 21 games as on January 1, 2009. Otherwise, entrant shall use average of 220. If using the current seasons' GBUSBCBA average, a written verification of this average, signed by the league secretary, must be provided to the Tournament Director.
- 3) Handicap shall be based on 90% of 220, no maximum handicap.
- 4) Unlimited multiple participation is permitted. USBC Rule 315 applies.
- 5) No more than two PBA Members shall be permitted to bowl on a five person team while no more than one PBA member shall be permitted to bowl on a doubles team. A violation of this rule will result in disqualification.
- 6) ENTRANTS MUST ENTER BOTH SINGLES AND DOUBLES when entering minor events.
- 7) SINGLES shall be bowled first in minor events.
- 8) Prize fund shall be returned 100%. Prize ratio shall be at least 1 in 10 for each event.
- 9) Pacers shall not be allowed.
- 10) In accordance with USBC Rule 319d, entrant must report all prizes which they have qualified for within the last 12 months to tournament management prior to bowling.
- 11) Team captain shall check in their team and present USBC Membership Cards for all of their team members at least 30 minutes prior to time they are scheduled to bowl.
- 12) The Tournament Director shall decide any questions not specifically covered by these rules.
- 13) USBC rules applicable to sanctioned tournaments apply when not specifically covered by these rules.
- 14) USBC Rule 319a(2), ten pin up rule, will not apply.
- 15) 1099 Tax Forms will be issued to each bowler who receives \$600 or more in prize funds.
- 16) If a bowler has entered an event by the closing date for entries, they can enter that event again based on lane availability.

Tournament Contact: Charlie Lockridge 410-285-4222	Hosted by: AMF Ritchie 6608 Ritchie Hwy.
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