



WESTCHESTER COUNTY USBC ASSOCIATION
JUNIOR BOWLING TOUR

USBC Certified

ONE SQUAD ONLY

CORTLANDT LANES

STARTING TIME:

February 25, 2024

Route 202, Peekskill, NY • 914-737-4550

10:30 A.M.

Limited to the first 76 Teams

ADULT/JUNIOR TOURNAMENT

SCRATCH AND HANDICAP DIVISIONS

Eligibility: Junior bowler must be a certified Westchester County USBC Association Member.
Adults must be certified members of USBC.

ENTRY FEE: \$75.00 PER TEAM PREPAID.
\$80.00 PER TEAM FOR WALK ONS. (SPACE PERMITTING)

TOURNAMENT RULES

1. **FORMAT:** Handicap Division: Teams will bowl 5 games across 10 lanes in the qualifying round. 85% of the difference in the teams average and 400 will be added to each game. 40% of the field will advance to the semi-final round and will bowl 3 Baker Style match games.* All totals will be carried forward from the qualifying round, and a 30 pin bonus will be added for each match play victory. The top 5 bowlers at the end of the 8 games will then bowl in the stepladder finals. 85% of the difference in the teams averages will be the handicap in the finals.
Scratch Division: Entrants will bowl 5 games across 10 lanes in the qualifying round. 40% of the field will advance to the semi-final round and will bowl an additional 3 Baker Style match games.* All totals will be carried forward from the qualifying round, and a 30 pin bonus will be added for each match play victory. The top 5 teams at the end of the 8 games will then bowl in the stepladder finals.
2. This tournament will begin with the qualifying round at 10:30 AM. All teams should be ready to check in 45 minutes prior to the scheduled starting time. Those entrants not ready to check in 45 minutes prior to scheduled starting time may lose their reserved spot in the tournament.
3. The entry fee for this special tournament shall be \$75.00 pre-paid. Entry fee breakdown: \$55.00 bowling fees, \$10.00 trophy expense, and \$10.00 tournament expenses. (Trophy expense returned 100%)
NO ENTRY FEE CAN BE RETURNED. (Walk-on Fees will be added to the prize fund).
4. Trophies will be awarded to all finalists in each division. A Trophy will also be awarded for the highest scratch game (in the qualifying round) for the Junior bowler from either the scratch and/or handicap divisions.
5. The tournament is limited in the number of entries that can be accommodated. Entries will be accepted on a first come, first served basis. **NO** telephone reservations can be accepted. Teams whose entries are received after the tournament has been filled will be notified. Walk-in entries will be accepted if space permits.
6. All rules not specifically covered will be governed by the rules of the USBC. The tournament director reserves all rights.
7. For adult participants: USBC rule 319E will apply to all participants; USBC Rule 319D will not apply; USBC Rule 319A will apply.
8. **ADULT ENTERING AVERAGE RULES:** Adults entering shall use their current certified league average (minimum of 21 games) as of entering date, or last year's final book average, which ever is higher. If adult has neither of the above qualifications the adult may enter at scratch (200).
9. **Special Format Rules:** Adult must bowl first in the qualifying. In the *semi-final rounds and in the stepladder finals the adult will bowl the 1,2,5,7, & 9th frames; the junior will bowl the 2,4,6,8, & 10th frames. (Handicap division only: handicap will be half of the 85% of the difference of the teams' averages.)

2023-2024 JUNIOR BOWLING TOUR ENTERING AVERAGE RULE:

1. Juniors must enter at their highest average in any junior league or their final WCJBT (minimum 12 games) from the 2023-2024 season.
2. Or his/her highest average in their current league (minimum 12 games).
3. Or the bowler’s Westchester County Juniors Bowling Tour current average based on 12 games for the 2023-2024 season (WHICH EVER IS HIGHER - - - Please note re-rating rules).

2023-2024 JUNIOR BOWLING TOUR AVERAGE RE-RATING RULES:

Bowlers who have bowled less than 12 games in the 2023-2024 WCJBT season will be re-rated according to the following procedure:

- A) Bowlers with less than 5 games in WCJBT competition will not be re-rated.
- B) Bowlers with 5 games, but less than 12 games in WCJBT competition will take the average of his/her entering average, which will be used if it is higher than the bowler’s entering average.

EXAMPLE:

Entering Average	140
Current WCJBT Average	<u>160</u>
Total	300
Bowler’s re-rated average (300 divided by 2)	150

- C) Bowlers with 12 games or more in WCJBT competition will use his/her current WCJBT average or his/her average, **whichever is higher**.

NOTE: The Junior Bowlers Tour Average Re-Rating Rule is designed to keep all bowlers as competitive as possible. All bowlers are continuously re-rated that may deemed necessary by the tournament director.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY JUNIOR BOWLING TOUR POINT SYSTEM: will apply to this special tournament (please see regular form for point application). Available at tournament desk.

Teams are to complete the entire entry blank below before mailing.

All entries are to be mailed with full entry fee to:

Westchester County Junior Bowling Tour
 c/o Angelo Corradino, Director
 9 Tanager Road
 Brewster, N.Y. 10509

All checks are to be made payable to: Westchester County USBC Youth



For further information, call: (845) 363-1374 • Email: Acorr300@hotmail.com

ENTRY BLANK

Please place an X in the appropriate division:

Handicap Division _____ Scratch Division _____

Adult:

Name _____ Phone# _____
 Entering Average _____ League From: _____
 Bowling Center _____ Secretary Name _____
 USBC Certification Number _____

Junior:

Name _____ Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
 Phone _____ Age as of August 1st, 2023 _____
 Entering Average _____ Bowling Center _____
 Name of Junior League _____ USBC Membership # _____
 Email _____

Entry Fee: Paid In Advance \$75.00 per team prepaid
 Paid At Tournament\$80.00 per team walk-on (space permitting)

There will be no verification of entry unless the tournament is filled in which case the bowler will be notified. It is recommended that entries be mailed at least two weeks prior to the date of tournament entered.

All checks and money orders are to be made payable to: **Westchester County USBC**

A bounced check will incur a \$35.00 fee