



36th ANNUAL MARYLAND STATE SENIOR SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT

USBC Certified
All Prize Fees Returned 100%
Prize Ratio at least 1 in 8

Annapolis Bowl
2057 General's Highway
Annapolis, MD 21401
(410) 266-0700

Bowling Fee: \$18.00
Prize Fund: 20.00
Expenses: 7.00
Total Entry Fee: \$45.00

OCTOBER 14, 15, and 16, 2016

ENTRIES CLOSE MIDNIGHT October 10, 2016
GROUP ENTRIES SHOULD BE RESERVED BY SEPTEMBER 15, 2016

Singles are classified by age and Handicapped on the basis of 90% of 220 - no maximum

**Paid Entry for Winners in Divisions A+ (A+ and A++ combined), A, B, C, D and E to
USBC NATIONAL SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS**

FORMAT IS 6 GAMES IN ONE SQUAD

Divisions

A++ 80 & Over	A+ 75 - 79	A 70 - 74	B 65 - 69	C 60 - 64	D 55 - 59	E 50 - 54
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SQUAD TIMES	Friday – Oct 14 10:00am	Saturday – Oct 15 10:00am & 4:00pm	Sunday – Oct 16 10:00am
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MALE First Choice: _____ Second Choice: _____ (list date and time)
FEMALE If requested squad time is not available, tournament director will assign another time

DATE OF BIRTH _____ National ID # _____
REQUIRED REQUIRED

AVERAGE

New Address _____ 2015 – 2016 Highest certified League Average _____ See Rule #9
Ck Here _____ *If using current average, check here and bring verification at time of bowling _____

Name _____ Phone # _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Make Check Payable to: MDUSBC
Mail Entry and Check to:
Maryland State USBC
117 Bayscape Drive
Perryville, MD 21903
(410) 459-2023

Email (print clearly) _____
Local Membership _____

Questions to: Tournament Manager
John Vananzo
(410) 808-2690
www.mdusbc.org

2016 SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP RULES

1. The purpose of the 36th Annual Senior Singles Tournament is to determine the Maryland State Senior Champion in each age group.

2. All entrants must be at least 50 years of age. Entrants will be placed in divisions according to their age as of date of participation. Entrants may only bowl once.

3. The Maryland State United States Bowling Congress Senior Singles Championship Tournament is open to all USBC certified members of one of the following Local Maryland USBC Associations:

- Baltimore Women's USBC WBA
- Cecil Harford USBC Association (formerly Harford County WBA)
- Eastern Shore USBC Association
- Greater Baltimore USBC BA
- Mid-Maryland USBC Association
- Western Maryland USBC Association

4. Entrants who are not a member of the MDUSBC can purchase an Associate membership for \$21.00 by the closing date of the tournament. Failure to meet these criteria shall be cause for disqualification and forfeiture of all entry fees and any prize or awards.

5. A shirt will be provided for the bowler in each division who represents Maryland at the USBC National Senior Championships in 2017.

6. If a tie exists for the championship of a division, co-champions shall be declared. For purposes of determining advancement to the USBC National Senior Championships, the player with the highest scratch game will advance. If a tie still exists, the second highest scratch game will be used, etc.

7. All prize fees collected in a division will be returned 100% to the participants in that division.

8. Prize fund will be paid at a ratio of at least 1:8, handicap ONLY.

9. Average Requirement.

- Entrant shall use their highest certified average established in any USBC certified league from the 2015-2016 **WINTER** season based on 21 games or more.

- USBC rule 319a-1 (summer average) will apply only if no previous season certified winter average is available.

- USBC Rule 319a-2 (10 pin up) will not apply.

- If entrant has no previous season winter or summer certified USBC average, they must use their highest current USBC certified average for 12 games or more from any Association per USBC Rule 319a-1. In addition, entrant must furnish a league standing sheet with average verification as of the start of bowling.

- If eligibility requirements are met and entrant doesn't meet the average requirements, they will bowl scratch.

10. Entrants must present their current USBC membership card or temporary receipt at the time of check in.

11. Entry fee may be refunded at the discretion of the tournament manager. Replacement in division will be allowed.

12. PARTICIPANTS MAY ENTER ONLY ONE TIME. Participants will bowl 6 games in one squad on two pairs of lanes.

13. Any protest must comply with USBC rule 329.

14. Errors in scoring must be reported within 48 hours.

15. Rule 319d (Prize Winnings) and 319e (Average Adjustments) will be waived.

Email _____

Sign _____

Date: _____

NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT FULL ENTRY FEE