

**1st Annual Ed Calcote Memorial Scholarship
Tournament and Premiere Junior Gold
Qualifying Event
Sponsored by
Texas State USBC Youth Leaders Association**

**FORUM BOWL
2001 S. GREAT SOUTHWEST PARKWAY
GRAND PRAIRIE, TX 75050
(972) 647-2275**

March 10 & 11, 2018

**** This tournament is held on the same weekend as the Texas State Pepsi **
** Championship Finals. Be sure to schedule and bowl both tournaments. ****

Entry Fees: \$35.00 (Scratch and Handicap 126 Up), or \$30 (Handicap 125 Below) (Pre-Entry Cashiers Check or Money Order Payable to <u>TSUSBC</u>)	USBC CERTIFIED OPEN TO ALL USBC YOUTH MEMBERS	Squad Times Saturday, March 10 9:00 AM, 2:30 PM Sunday, March 11 9:00 AM, 2:30 PM
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Optional Premiere Junior Gold Event – U12, U15 & U20 Divisions!!! U12 Fee \$25, U15 Fee \$37.50, U20 Fee \$50.00 (6 Game Blocks) Advancement Ratio 1:4!!! – Bowlers May Enter Qualifier Only Once!

The Texas St. USBC Assoc. Is Adding \$10 Per Entry, Up To \$3000, To The Scholarship Fund For This Tournament!

**Beverly McLendon Memorial Scholarships
\$50 Scholarship To Top Boy & Girl Finisher Also Attending
TSUSBC Youth Leader Meeting – Evening March 10 at Cityview Lanes!**

All entries postmarked by February 26, 2018 will be placed in a drawing for a \$50.00 scholarship.

Mail Entries to: George Chewens – 2308 Randolph Dr, Wichita Falls, Texas 76306

Entries close 45 minutes before squad time. **DATE & TIME: 1st choice** _____

Early entry is recommended.

Walk-ins accepted subject to lane availability. **DATE & TIME: 2nd choice** _____

Name: _____

Address: _____ **City:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Telephone: _____ **Graduation Year:** _____ **USBC ID#:** _____

E-mail: _____

Please print the e-mail address LEGIBLY – e-mail required if entry confirmation desired

Gender: Boy ___ **Girl** ___ **Supply Birth**
Date _____ **Average:** _____

(must supply proof of average in Handicap Divisions! – see Tournament Rule 4)

Choose One Division: _____ **Scratch No Avg. verification Required (Entry Fee \$35) Eligible for Jr. Gold**

_____ **Handicap 126 Average & Above (Entry Fee \$35) Avg. verification required Eligible for Jr. Gold See rule 4 and 11**

_____ **Handicap 125 Average & Below (Entry Fee \$30) Avg. verification required (Handicap 125 and Below not eligible for Junior Gold)**

Junior Gold (optional): U12 (Birthday 8/1/05 or later) _____ U15 (Birthday 8/1/02 to 7/31/05) _____ or U20 (Birthday 8/1/97 to 7/31/02) (Additional Entry Fee \$25 for U12, \$37.50 for U15, or \$50 for U20)

TOURNAMENT RULES

- 1: The 1st Annual Ed Calcote Memorial Tournament sponsored by the Texas State Youth Leaders will be held on March 10-11, 2018 at Forum Bowl, 2001 S. Great Southwest Parkway, Grand Prairie, TX 75050. Squad times will be 9:00 AM and 2:30 PM on Saturday March 10, 2018 and 9:00 AM and 2:30 PM on Sunday March 11, 2018.
- 2: Entrants must be a current USBC Certified youth bowler.
- 3: This tournament will be bowled on a Sport Shot compliant lane condition.
- 4: **ALL BOWLERS MUST SUPPLY PROOF OF AVERAGE!!!** Entrants must use the USBC Certified average as follows (this rule differs from the Pepsi Tournament):
 - A. Highest 2017-2018 season average as of January 1, 2018, minimum 15 games.
 - B. If no A. use the highest average as of date of participation, minimum 15 games.
 - C. If no A. or B. entrants will use their highest 2016-2017 book average of 21 games, including summer leagues.
 - D. If no A., B., or C. entrants must bowl scratch.
- 5: Entry closing date is 45 minutes before squad time. To ensure participation, entrant should mail the entry by February 26, 2018. Entries received after that date will be accepted on a lane available basis only. All entries postmarked by February 26, 2018 will be placed in a drawing for a \$50.00 scholarship.
- 6: Bowlers may participate in multiple squads or multiple divisions, but can place only once (the highest placement) in the tournament prize list. Each entry requires a separate entry form.
- 7: There will be six (6) divisions: Scratch Boys and Girls, Handicap average 125 and under Boys and Girls, and Handicap average 126 and over Boys and Girls.
- 8: Handicap for the handicap divisions will be based on 100% of the difference between the bowler's average and 220 per game.
- 9: The entry fees for the Scholarship Tournament are \$30 for the Handicap 125 and Below Division (4 game block) or \$35.00 for the Scratch and 126 and Above Handicap Divisions (6 game block). Entry fee breakdown: Lineage is \$11.00 (125 and Under Handicap) or \$16.50 (Scratch and 126 and Up Handicap); Scholarship is \$16.50; and expenses \$2.00. Mail CASHIERS CHECKS or MONEY ORDERS (**NO PERSONAL CHECKS**) PAYABLE TO THE **TSUSBC**. Scholarships will be awarded on a ratio of at least 1 for every 10 entries. Scholarship fee will be returned 100% to the bowlers in the form of scholarships. All Scholarships will be held by the USBC SMART Program in the TSYL account #9087
- 10: A. Entrants in the 125 and Under Handicap Division of the Scholarship Tournament will bowl four (4) games, moving one (1) pair after 2 games (lanes 1-2 swap with 3-4 and so forth). The three highest games will count toward the bowlers' series with the low game not counting.
B. Entrants in the Scratch and 126 and Up Handicap Divisions of the Scholarship Tournament will bowl six (6) games, moving one pair after 3 games (lanes 11-12 swap with 13-14 and so forth). The five highest games will count toward the bowlers' series with the low game not counting.
- 11: The Junior Gold event is optional and participants must also bowl in the Scholarship Tournament. The additional entry fees for the Junior Gold event are \$25.00 for U12, \$37.50 for U15 or \$50.00 for U20. Entrant must show proof of Junior Gold membership or purchase membership (U12 \$10.00; U15, U20 \$30.00) at the tournament. The optional Junior Gold portion will use the six (6) game scratch score. Bowlers participating in the 125 and Under Handicap Division of the Scholarship Tournament are not eligible for participation in the Junior Gold event as they are only bowling four games. The qualifiers span both days of the tournament. Bowlers may only enter the Junior Gold event once, regardless of the number of squads bowled in the Scholarship tournament. The high place boy and girl Junior Gold entrant in each division (subject to 4 girls and 4 boys minimum for separate divisions) will receive an entry into the 2018 National Junior Gold Championships. Other entries will be awarded on a ratio of 1 in 4. U12 and U15 entrants **MUST** bowl in the U12 and U15 divisions at JG Nationals – to bowl up, bowler must fill out the appropriate waiver form and compete in the higher division. JG EARP rules apply. Highest scratch score boy and girl from each division across both days will receive expense subsidy. See complete JG rules at tournament.
- 12: Only bowlers, tournament officials and center employees shall be permitted in the settee area.
- 13.: **PROPER ATTIRE MUST BE WORN.** Participants can wear long pants/jeans **NO SHORTS OR SKIRTS**. Bowling shirts are preferred but all shirts must have sleeves and be long enough to tuck in. No alcohol, gaming, tobacco, sexual or profane advertisements will be allowed on any attire or equipment. No holes in pants or shirts. No hats or caps in bowler's area. Decisions on attire will be made by a tournament official.
- 14: The State Youth Leaders Board of Directors shall determine all matters not covered by these rules. This tournament will be certified by the USBC and all USBC rules will apply.

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