

PLEASE READ TOURNAMENT RULES

1. Entry forms must be complete and paid in full. Please check texasbowling.com for fill-in entry and paying with a credit card. Entry fee is \$60.00 (prize fund \$28.00, Lineage and expenses \$32.00). Once confirmation is sent, there will be no refunds but substitutes will be allowed.
2. Entry is open to all Texas USBC adult members, certified with the State of Texas. Participants without proof of membership will be subject to purchasing a USBC membership on site.
3. **AVERAGE RULING A:** Entrants shall use their highest USBC certified average of 21 games or more from the 2022-2023 season as listed on bowl.com. Use the highest from summer, fall, or composite on bowl.com. (Standing sheet must be included if average is not on bowl.com).
AVERAGE RULING B: If no ruling A, the bowler will use their highest 21 game average from the 2023-2024 season as listed on bowl.com. (Standing sheet must be included if not on bowl.com yet).
AVERAGE RULING C: If no ruling A or B, the bowler will use their highest 15 game or more average at time of participating. **NOT time of entry.** Current standing sheet must be provided to the tournament director the day of participation.
AVERAGE RULING D: if no A, B, or C, the bowler will use a 220 average.
4. USBC Rule 319a 1, 3, 4 and 5 shall apply. USBC Rule 319 a-c (10 pin rule) will apply. USBC Rule 319 c (average adjustment) and 319 d (reporting prior winnings) shall apply.
5. **DIVISIONS:** a. Mixed b. Male c. Female **HANDICAP:** will be 90% of 440
6. Teams will bowl 3 games each person. This will be a multiple participation tournament. At least one player must be changed in order to cash more than once in the prize list. A late fee of \$10.00 per person will apply if entry is received after July 13, 2024 for every bowler who was not previously entered this year's tournament.
7. All prize fees will be returned 100% to participants in the tournament at a 1 in 8 ratio.
8. Dress Code: Participants are required to wear suitable attire when participating in the TSUSBC Doubles Tournament: no tank tops, mid-driffs, or offensive clothing with curse words or pictures. Tournament Director will have final decision on attire.
9. In the event of a mechanical failure, it is agreed bowlers affected shall be moved to the next available pair of lanes.
10. The Tournament Committee of the TSUSBC shall have the power to hear and act on all protests arising from or under conduction of the rules of the TSUSBC Doubles Tournament. The committee shall also decide any questions not covered by the tournament rules.
11. All protests concerning eligibility or general playing rules must be confirmed in writing to the tournament director before tournament prize payments are made. Errors in scoring must be reported to the tournament director within 48 hours.