

Greater Birmingham USBC
14th Annual Mixed Couples Championship Tournament

CERTIFIED BY
UNITED STATES BOWLING CONGRESS

To be held at:

SUPER BOWL

4416 Pinson Valley Parkway, Birmingham, AL 35215

(205)854-9159

SATURDAY SQUADS:
DECEMBER 7 & 14, 2019
9:00AM, 12 Noon, & 3:00PM

SUNDAY SQUADS:
DECEMBER 8 & 15, 2019
11:00AM, & 2:00PM

MULTIPLE PARTICIPATION ALLOWED



Lanes will be dressed
prior to each squad.



ENTRY DEADLINE

ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED BY NOVEMBER 22, 2019
AND RECEIVED BY NOVEMBER 23, 2019

ENTRY FEE \$26 PER PERSON PER EVENT	
PRIZE FEE (RETURNED 100%)	\$11.00
BOWLING FEE	\$12.00
EXPENSE FEE	\$3.00
TOTAL ENTRY	\$26.00
OPTIONAL SCR	\$5.00



MAIL ENTRIES TO:
Casandra McArthur
ASSOCIATION MANAGER
308 22nd ST SW
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35211
(205) 540-1876

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO GBUSBC

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USBC#	Bowler Name	Doubles		Total
		Hdcp \$26	Scr \$5	
1				
2				
1				
2				
1				
2				

Doubles Choice:

Date	Time
1	
2	
3	

LANES WILL BE OILED PRIOR TO EACH SQUAD

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Submitted by: _____

Email: _____

Confirmations will be sent via email.

Mail entries to: Casandra MacArthur 308 22nd Street SW, Birmingham, AL 35211
 gbusbcmgr@gmail.com

TOURNAMENT RULES

- 1) A participant in this tournament must be a member of GBUSBC for the 2019-20 season.
- 2) A valid couples team shall consist of one male and one female bowler. The same 2 bowlers may bowl together more than once, but only their highest score will be allowed to cash.
- 3) Handicap will be based on 90% of 230.
- 4) Participants will use their composite USBC average (as posted on BOWL.com) from the summer and winter 2018-2019 season. Those without a 2018-2019 USBC composite average, will use their current GBUSBC average of at least 21 games as of the first day of the tournament. All others will bowl scratch. Any entry failing to comply with the above rules, shall forfeit all claims to any prize money and/or return of their entry fee. THE TOURNAMENT MANAGER HAS THE RIGHT TO RE-RATE ANY BOWLER AT ANY TIME.
- 5) Rules 319a/3 (average verification), 319e (15 pin tournament averages) and 319d (reporting of prior prize winnings of \$300 or greater per event in any previous tournament) will be enforced. The 10-pin rule is not in effect. Bowlers who have been disqualified or re-rated in a tournament (whether they accepted the average or not), must report that information at check-in prior to their first squad. Failure to comply with any of these rules shall be cause to forfeit entry fee and prize winnings.
- 6) The total fee will be \$26.00 per bowler. The optional scratch fee will be \$5.00 per bowler. The prize fund will be dispersed 100%. Prizes will be awarded on a ratio of at least one (1) out of six (6) entries.
- 7) Proper fees must accompany entry or it will not be accepted. Checks covering entry fees shall be made payable to GBUSBC. A \$35.00 Fee will be charged for any NSF check and must be paid in cash prior to bowling your first event.
- 8) All entries must be submitted to the association manager in person or via the address on front, postmarked on or before November 22, 2019, and received by November 23, 2019.
- 9) Official scores will be taken from computer printout per USBC Rule 327a. Unofficial standings will be posted at the end of each day.
- 10) Premature termination of the tournament brought about by war, national emergency or emergency causes relating thereto or therefrom, fire, natural disaster and any other reason beyond the control of the GBUSBC shall cause, to the extent required thereby, any advertised prizes, guaranteed or otherwise, to be prorated in accordance with the number of entrants who have bowled in each of the respective events up to the time of such termination.
- 11) In accordance with USBC rule 18 the use of abrasives, liquid cleaning substances or cleaning agents or have any foreign materials on the ball including but not limited to powder, rosin, marker or paint during tournament play, will result in disqualification and may also result in suspension of membership.
- 12) In accordance with USBC Rule 12, the application of any foreign substances on any part of the approach that detracts from the possibility of other players having normal conditions is prohibited. This includes, but is not limited to such substances as talcum powder, pumice and resin on shoes, and soft rubber soles and/or heels that rub off on the approach.
- 13) Non-participants, including children, will not be allowed in the bowlers' area.
- 14) Dress Code: Hats will not be allowed during play. Lady's skirts/skorts/shorts must be no more than 3 inches above the knee. Men may wear khaki, dress or blue jean shorts as well as jeans or dress slacks (no short shorts fellas).
- 15) Additional squads may be added during the course of the tournament, however, no squad may be added after final squad scheduled for 2:00 PM, December 15, 2019.
- 16) All USBC rules regarding tournament play shall govern this tournament.



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