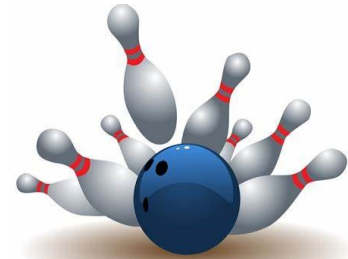


15TH ANNUAL GREATER BIRMINGHAM USBC OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT

Certified By United States Bowling Congress

To Be Held At:



1429 Montgomery Hwy
Vestavia Hills, AL 35216

January 8th & 9th—January 15th & 16, 2022

\$2,000.00 ADDED TO PRIZE FUND

GBUSBC will also furnish a free team entry into the next Alabama State Open Tournament to the winners of Scratch and Handicap Team Event (see rule 18)

Online Registration Now Available

Go To: gbusbca.net to register

4 person Team



ENTRY FEE \$32 PER PERSON PER EVENT	
PRIZE FEE (RETURNED 100%)	\$15.00
BOWLING FEE	\$12.50
EXPENSE FEE	\$ 4.50
TOTAL ENTRY	\$32.00
OPTIONAL SCR PER EVENT	\$ 5.00
OPTIONAL ALL EVENTS H/SCR	\$ 5.00

Multiple Participation in
Teams and Doubles

Highest Team and Doubles Scores
count toward All-Events

Mail Entries To:
Casandra McArthur, Assoc Manager
308 22nd St SW
Birmingham, AL 35211

Lanes will be oiled prior to each team squad

Brackets &
50/50 Side Pots

For Online Registration, Entry Forms and Standings, Please Visit Our Website at www.gbusbca.net

Tournament Rules

1. A participant in this tournament must be a member of GBUSBC for the current season.
2. Multiple participation in team event is permitted provide no more than two (2) players compete together more than once. Multiple participation in doubles is permitted. The same two (2) doubles partners cannot cash more than once together. An individual may participate only once in Singles. A participant will not be required to bowl in both singles and doubles when entering either of these events. The highest score bowled in team and doubles will count toward the individual All Event scores.
3. Handicap will be based on 90% of 230.
4. Participants will use their composite average (as posted on bowl.com) from the summer and winter 2020-2021 season. Those without a 2020-2021 composite average, will use their current composite 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.
5. Rules 319a/3 (average verification), 319e (15 pin tournament average) and 319d (reporting of prior prize winnings of \$300.00 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 Entry fee will be \$32.00 per bowler per event for team, singles and doubles. The optional scratch fee will be \$5.00 per bowler per event for team, singles and doubles. The optional handicap and scratch all-events fee will be \$5.00 each. The prize fund will be dispersed 100% per bowler per event. All prizes will be awarded on a ratio of at least one (1) prize for each eight (8) entries.
7. No change in the team line up will be permitted unless substitution is involved. If substitution is required, the only changes made will be that of the individuals involved and these changes shall be made prior to scheduled time to bowl.
8. 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.
9. All entries must be submitted via Online Registration or Mail-In, post marked on or before 12/17/21 and received by 12/18/21.
10. Official scores will be taken from computer printout per USBC rule 318a. Composite average will be furnished and verified by the Association Manager.
11. Non-participants including children will not be allowed in the bowlers area.
12. 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.
13. In accordance with USBC rule 18 the use of abrasives, liquid cleaning substances or cleaning agents or have any foreign materials on the ball's surface including but not limited to powder, resin, marker or paint during tournament play will result in disqualification and may also result in suspension of membership.
14. **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.**
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 January 16, 2022.**
16. **Dress Code: No hats allowed during play. Shorts, skirts and skorts must be no more than 3 inches above the knee. Men may wear jeans, dress pants, dress or denim shorts. No gym shorts allowed.**
17. **All other USBC rules regarding tournament play shall govern this tournament.**
18. **GBUSBC will furnish a free team entry into the next Alabama State Open Tournament to the winners of scratch and handicap team events. The teams must enter the State Tournament and then present the tournament confirmation statement to be reimbursed. In order to qualify for this prize, a team must have the same composition as the original team which won their respective City Tournament event.**

15th Annual Open Championship Tournament 2022

TEAMS

Date Choice Time Choice

1. _____ 1. _____

2. _____ 2. _____

Saturday- January 8th & 15th:

10 am, 2 pm & 6 pm

Sunday January 9th & 16th

10 am, 2 pm

DOUBLES

Date Choice Time Choice

1. _____ 1. _____

2. _____ 2. _____

Saturday –January 8th & 15th

10 am, 12 pm, 2 pm, 4 pm & 6 pm

Sunday-January 9th & 16th

10 am, 12 pm & 2 pm

SINGLES

Date Choice Time Choice

1. _____ 1. _____

2. _____ 2. _____

Saturday-January 8th & 15th

10 am, 12 pm, 2 pm, 4 pm & 6 pm

Sunday –January 9th & 16th

10 am, 12 pm, 2 pm

TEAM NAME: _____

Team Event

<i>Bowler's Name (Last, First)</i>	<i>USBC #</i>	<i>Mailing Address</i>	<i>City,State,Zip</i>	<i>2020-2021 Composite Book Ave</i>
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				

LANES WILL BE OILED PRIOR TO EACH TEAM SQUAD

Singles/Doubles

	<i>Bowler's Name (Last, First)</i>	<i>USBC#</i>	<i>2020-2021 Composite Book Ave</i>	TEAM		DOUBLES		SINGLES		ALL EVENTS		<i>Total</i>
				<i>HCP</i>	<i>SCR</i>	<i>HCP</i>	<i>SCR</i>	<i>HCP</i>	<i>SCR</i>	<i>HCP</i>	<i>SCR</i>	
1				\$32	\$5	\$32	\$5	\$32	\$5	\$5	\$5	
2												
1												
2												

TEAM CAPTAIN: PLEASE INCLUDE EMAIL ADDRESS

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home/Cell # _____

E-Mail _____

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: GBUSBC

**Mail entries to: Casandra McArthur, Association Manager;
308 22nd St SW, Birmingham, AL 35211**

Or Register Online at: gbusbca.net

Phone: (205) 540-1876 Email: gbusbcmgr@gmail.com



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