



THE NATIONAL BOWLING ASSOCIATION WESTERN REGIONAL SENATES ANNUAL WESTERN REGIONAL TOURNAMENT SENIORS



TEAM EVENTS

**Irvine Lanes
3415 Michelson Dr.
Irvine, CA 92612
(949) 786-9625**

LOS ANGELES, CA

**ONE WEEKEND
FRIDAY—SATURDAY—SUNDAY
NOVEMBER 1 – 3, 2013**

SINGLES DOUBLES EVENTS

**Fountain Bowl
17110 Brookhurst St.
Fountain Valley, CA
(714) 963-7888**

**1st PLACE HANDICAP
\$2,500.00
(ESTIMATED)
TEAM EVENT**

**1st PLACE SINGLES HANDICAP
\$300 MEN \$300 WOMEN
(ESTIMATED)**

**1st PLACE DOUBLES HANDICAP
\$600 MEN \$600 WOMEN
(ESTIMATED)**

ENTRY FEE: \$35.00 PER PERSON PER EVENT

\$4,500.00

(ESTIMATED)
(CASH AWARDS—SPECIAL AWARDS)

**Any 3-1 or 2-2 Combination Teams
PRIZE FUND RETURNED 100%**

**ALL EVENTS OPTIONAL
HANDICAP & SCRATCH DIVISIONS
ENTRY FEE: \$5.00 PER DIVISION
MAY ENTER BOTH DIVISIONS**

ENTRY FEE BREAKDOWN

	TEAM	DOUBLES	SINGLES
PRIZE FUND	\$63.00	\$31.50	\$15.75
BOWLING & EXPENSES	77.00	38.50	19.25
	<u>\$140.00</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>	<u>\$35.00</u>

Estimated Prizes Based on 200 Teams
200 Doubles and 400 Singles

80% Handicap in each event from 220
scratch. PRIZE RATIO: there will be at least
one (1) prize for every ten (10) entries.

CERTIFIED COMPETITION BY TNBA AND USBC

**MAIL ENTRIES IN EARLY FOR BETTER SCHEDULING
NO ENTRIES AT TOURNAMENT SITES
FOR TEAM & SINGLES & DOUBLES**

NO MIXED DOUBLES ON THIS FORM
No All Events at Tournament site

**MIXED TEAM
ONLY**

Make Certified Check or Money Order Payable to: **TNBA Western Regional Tournament**
Mail To: **The National Bowling Association - WRT, P.O. Box 2582, Fontana, CA 92334**
Phone: (909) 684-8905 * Fax: (909) 350-2154 * email: tnbawest@sbcglobal.net

**NO PERSONAL CHECKS WILL BE ACCEPTED
FINAL ENTRIES CLOSE MIDNIGHT OCTOBER 1, 2013
No Changes By Phone, Please**

**Minimum
AGE
55**

**ENTRY BLANKS MUST BE COMPLETELY AND PROPERLY FILLED OUT OR
WILL BE RETURNED TO THE APPLICANT**

TEAM EVENT— SENIORS

TEAM NAME _____

SENATE REPRESENTED _____

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT ALL INFORMATION

Membership cards must be shown on site

***MIXED TEAMS ONLY (ANY 3-1 OR 2-2 COMBINATION)**

MUST BE FILLED OUT TNBA#	M W	NAME INDICATES (M) MEN (W) WOMEN	FULL ADDRESS	ZIP CODE	2012-2013 HIGHEST AVERAGE	USBC #	DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE
1							
2							
3							
4							

I/We hereby certify to the correctness of the above entries, make application to enter the Tournament and agree to abide by all the Tournament Rules and Regulations.

(Signature of Captain) _____ Address _____ Phone No. _____
(Print Captains Name) _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____ email _____

ENTRY MUST BE VERIFIED ➡

I hereby verify the above entry Date _____

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USBC, City Association Secretary's Signature and Official Stamp

USBC RULE 319E NOW APPLIES TO ALL BOWLERS AVERAGING 220 OR LESS!

USE FOR TOURNAMENT WINNINGS—REPORTING \$600 OR MORE IN ANY EVENT — PAST 12 MONTHS—MAY USE ADDITIONAL SHEETS

BOWLER'S NAME	ACTUAL SCORE	WINNINGS	TOURNAMENT NAME	POSITION

INDICATE 3 CHOICES

CHOICE	DATE	TIME
1ST		
2ND		
3RD		
Any Available Time		

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3

Noon (Mixed Teams only*)
8:00 am Noon
8:00 am Noon

4:00 pm 9:00 pm
5:00 pm

Mixed teams can be bowled during any available squad time.

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE

Date Rec'd _____

Amt Rec'd _____

Entry No. _____

TEAM \$140.00

NO ENTRIES AT THE TOURNAMENT SITE

DOUBLES & SINGLES - SENIORS

CHECK ALL EVENTS ONLY ONCE—WHERE MONEY ACCOMPANIES ENTRY

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8:00am

8:00am

8:00pm

Noon

Noon

5:00pm

5:00pm (optional)

9:00pm (optional)

S/D

AE BOWLERS USE
OPTIONAL

- | | | |
|----|----------|------------------|
| 1. | \$140.00 | \$10.00=\$150.00 |
| 2. | \$280.00 | \$20.00=\$300.00 |
| 3. | \$420.00 | \$30.00=\$450.00 |
| 4. | \$560.00 | \$40.00=\$600.00 |

All Events
\$5.00/\$10.00
Per Person
Optional

Total Paid

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE

Date Rec'd _____

Amt Rec'd _____

D _____ S _____

AE _____

TOTAL _____

Comments: _____

Tournament Rules and Regulations

(Rules and Regulations apply to all Senior entrants)

1. ENTRIES CLOSE OCTOBER 1, 2013. ALL ENTRIES MUST SHOW TEAM NAME, FULL NAMES OF EACH BOWLER, AND USBC NUMBERS. ALSO DOUBLES –SINGLES ENTRY MUST BE COMPLETED IN FULL, NO ENTRIES AT TOURNAMENT SITES.
2. Open to all TNBA, USBC members 55 years of age or older in the Western Region.
3. Unattached bowlers may participate by purchasing a USBC Associate Membership card (\$21). **Non-TNBA members may qualify for entry by paying \$25.00 unattached membership fee.**
4. The Total Entry Fee must accompany the entry form, and all certified checks and money orders made payable to: TNBA Western Regional Tournament. DO NOT remit cash. No entry money will be returned for any reason after the closing date.
5. Preferred dates will be granted when possible. When lanes are filled on requested dates, **The Nearest Open Date Will Be Given.** Entries will be scheduled on first come, first served basis.
6. Prize fee will be returned 100%. There will be at least one (1) prize for every 10 entries. All events prize ratio one out of every twenty. Bowlers may cash in both Handicap and Scratch prizes.
7. Teams will be paired according to pin average or prior reservation. In the doubles and singles the lane will be assigned by the tournament director.
8. Bowlers must use their highest average based on a minimum of 21 games for the 2012-2013 season. If no average for the last season use highest current sanctioned average for 21 or more games as of October 31, 2013 verified by league sheet. All others bowl scratch. Do not use Summer League averages. Ten pin rule is waived for this event.
9. **USBC Rule 319A-2 will apply. PBA members of any division are NOT permitted to bowl in this tournament. Former PBA members who have not held a card for the past two (2) years are eligible to bowl in TNBA tournaments.**
10. The handicap shall be 80% using 220 scratch. Bowlers will certify their scores as being correct at the completion of each game. Handicap is on an individual basis.
11. (a) Any three-one or two-two combination may be used for mixed team. Not more than two (3) players on the same team may re-enter; one (1) player must be dropped and one (1) new one picked up.
(b) When a bowler competes more than once, his/her first appearance in each event shall count toward his/her all events score. All events are optional with a handicap and scratch division; bowlers may enter both. However bowlers averaging over 219 may not enter Handicap All Events. (c) Multiple entry will be permitted in the team; Mixed. (d) Anyone working in the host bowling center may not bowl in this tournament.
12. Entrants cannot enter doubles and not singles or enter singles and not doubles. You must enter both events. **Multiple entry will be permitted for singles and doubles.** You may cash only once in doubles with same partner. **NO MIXED DOUBLES ON THIS ENTRY.**
13. ANY BOWLER MISREPRESENTING HIS OR HER AVERAGE TO GAIN MORE PINS SHALL FORFEIT ENTRY FEE AND ALL RIGHTS TO PRIZE MONEY (Handicap only). MAKE SURE YOUR HIGHEST AVERAGE ACCORDING TO RULES IS CORRECT BEFORE ENTERING. HAVE AVERAGES VERIFIED BEFORE SUBMITTING ENTRY.
14. All winners will be checked with proper affidavits before awarding any prizes. Bowlers who place on the prize list must have average verified by the USBC city association secretary or printout from Bowl.com. Failure to do so will result in disqualification and the next bowler will move up. **THIS RULE WILL BE ENFORCED.** All winners must have current TNBA memberships prior to bowling. Failure to do so will result in disqualification.
15. In the event of a tie, when the names of the re-entered bowlers appear on both teams, the teams shall be declared co-champions.

Failure to use the proper average shall disqualify score if submitted average is lower than the actual average thereby resulting in a lower classification or more handicap. Prize winnings shall be based on the submitted average if it is higher than the actual average.

Any protest pertaining to the prize fund results must be received and postmarked within ten (10) days after the distribution of the tournament results.

17. All bowlers must check the USBC Rule 319E "AVERAGE ADJUSTMENT". These rules apply to all participants.
18. Bowlers who have qualified for a prize of \$600.00 or more in any event in a tournament within the previous 12 months must report actual score, position and amount won for possible re-rating. Any entrant having been re-rated or subject to re-rate by another tournament must report their re-rated average to the tournament director, failure to do so will result in disqualification. USBC Rule 319E will apply.
19. Team Captains must report to the Tournament Director's office at least one hour before the scheduled time to bowl.
Any replacement must be reported 30 minutes before starting time and cleared by the Tournament Director before bowling and the handicap may be altered accordingly.
20. (a) When a team captain secures a replacement, once the replacement has started to bowl, the replacement must finish the event being bowled. (b) The tournament committee reserves the right to accept or reject the substitute offered by the team captain. (c) Teams or individuals who fail to appear on the lanes prepared to bowl as scheduled shall forfeit their entry, subject to the discretion of the tournament committee. (d) Bowlers arriving late for shift will get zero pins for frames missed. No make-up frames. (e) Bowlers will certify their scores as being correct at the completion of each game.
(f) Provisional ball or frame will be used in situations where a foul or legality of pin fall can not be immediately resolved. (g) Errors in scoring must be reported to the Tournament Director's office within 72 hours after games are rolled.
21. No unreasonable delay in the progress of any game shall be allowed. Should any bowler or team participating in the tournament refuse to proceed with the game after being directed to do so by the proper authorities, such game or series shall be declared forfeited. Any bowler not ready to bowl when his or her turn comes shall be given a ZERO (0) for that frame.
22. Team captains must have all team members present their TNBA and USBC cards at the tournament site.
23. If a breakdown occurs for ten minutes, the tournament committee reserves the right to move bowlers to another pair of lanes to avoid shift delay.
24. The tournament committee shall prepare the prize list after the entries are closed and the same shall be posted at the lanes where the tournament is being conducted.
25. Unmarried grade and high school students under 18 years of age must have parental approval in accordance with the USBC Rule 13 before bowling.
26. Tournament committee reserves the right to disqualify any bowler not in compliance with the rules of the tournament.
27. Proper attire is required. No head gear (hat, cap, etc.). Tournament reserves the right to final decision on proper attire.
28. This tournament will be operated under the rules of TNBA and USBC.
29. Any bowler failing to verify his/her averages by November 30, 2012 will be DISQUALIFIED. No exceptions or excuses.
30. Any bowler winning \$600+ will be issued an IRS W-9 **BEFORE** any prize winnings are paid to that bowler.

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