



# Bucks County USBC



Presents

## 37<sup>th</sup> Annual SENIORS HANDICAP SINGLES TOURNAMENT

### May 17, 18 & 19, 2024

For advanced reservations:

**Online & Mail-in entries close – May 10 , 2024**

**Walk-in & re-entries accepted but limited to Lane Availability – On First come basis.**

*The winner of each Division will receive a free entry into next year's tournament.*

BCUSBC will donate to the prize fund.

**Morrisville Lanes**  
625 Nolan Ave.  
Morrisville, Pa 19067  
215-295-5526

**Mail entries to: BCUSBC**  
4705 Convent Place  
Philadelphia, Pa 19114  
or sign up online.

<b>DATES</b>		
Friday May 17, 2024	1 pm	
Saturday May 18, 2024	10 am & 1:30 pm	
Sunday May 19, 2024	10 am & 1:30 pm	
Entry Fees	Prize Fund	\$17.00
	Bowling Fee	\$12.00
	Expenses	\$ 1.00
<b>TOTAL ENTRY FEE</b>		<b>\$30.00</b>
HANDICAP 100% of 220 ** <i>First Place Plaques</i> -		
* Prize Fund – distribution based on number of entries.		

**FORMAT: Tournament for Seniors 50 + Male & Female Division- Divisions based on average:**

**Men:** Division A = 190 and up      Division B = 189 and under  
**Women:** Division A = 170 and up      Division B = 169 and under

**Optional Scratch:**  
You must be registered in the handicap event to be eligible.

**\*Online Tournament Registration** at [www.bucksbowling.com](http://www.bucksbowling.com)  
**\*Proper Dress Required** -  
**\*Tournament Results:** After verification, all results will be posted on: [www.bucksbowling.com](http://www.bucksbowling.com) and Facebook

### SINGLES APPLICATION – ONLY ONE ENTRY PER FORM

PRINT FIRST NAME & LAST NAME (NO NICKNAMES)	AVERAGE See rule # 5	USBC MEMBERSHIP #	ENTRY FEE \$30	OPT. SCRATCH FEE @\$20.
			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>You must be registered in the handicap event to be eligible for the Optional Scratch entry. *Handicap only \$30 - Hdcp + scratch \$50</b>		Total Amt Pd: _____	Handicap: \$30.00	Scratch: \$20.00

*PREFERRED DATE & TIME (First choice Guaranteed unless notified by the Committee)*

**1<sup>st</sup> CHOICE** \_\_\_\_\_

**2<sup>nd</sup> CHOICE** \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE READ:** - I have personally verified the above average and agree to forfeit all claims for prize money in case of misrepresentation.

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

*(Prize checks will be mailed to the address listed)*

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to bowl with: \_\_\_\_\_

**Tournament Director: Janet Tucker – Tournament Manager: Erick Ziegler – 215-498-1959**

Do not write in these spaces	Date Rec'd	Amt Paid	Date & Time	CK'd	HDCP	Div.	Entry #	Lane #

## 2024 SENIORS TOURNAMENT RULES

1. **ENTRY:** No entry shall be accepted unless properly completed, including first and last names of team members, and their correct averages. Any rules or regulations concerning the conduct of this tournament not specified herein shall be governed by the rules of the United States Bowling Congress.
2. **PRIZE FEES:** All prize fees shall be utilized for prize awards only and shall be distributed 100% to the winning participants with no exceptions as shown in Rule 15.
3. **CLOSING DATE:** N/A
4. **ENTRY QUALIFICATIONS:** This is a Bucks County Association Tournament and is open to all current USBC nationally sanctioned members. If certification is not through the Bucks County USBC, a \$10.00 local membership fee will be charged. Entrants must be 50 years of age by May 17, 2024.
5. **AVERAGES:** Entrants shall use their highest USBC Certified League average, based on a minimum of 21 games, for the previous season. If no previous season average, the highest 21 or more game sanctioned summer league average may be used, if there is no average for the previous season or summer, use the highest current average, of 21 games or more. All others will be scratch (220 average). **10 pin rule does apply.** Bowlers with no previous season Average must bring proof of current Average.
6. **HANDICAPS:** 100% from 220. All averages over 220 will bowl scratch.
7. **DIVISIONS:** Will be based on average: **Men:** Division A = 190 and up; Division B = 189 and under; **Women:** Division A = 170 and up; Division B = 169 and under.
8. **AVERAGE ERRORS:** It shall be the responsibility of each bowler to verify the accuracy of their average in this tournament, whether originally submitted by the bowler, or others. Failure to use proper average or to make the correction prior to the completion of the first game of the series shall disqualify the scores if the submitted average is lower than the actual average.

Note: Unverifiable averages will receive a 220-scratch entry.
9. **TOURNAMENT DATES:** This tournament will begin Friday May 17, 2024 and end on Sunday, May 19, 2024.
10. **LANE ASSIGNMENTS:** All lane assignments will be scheduled by the Tournament Management.
11. **NOTIFICATION:** YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED BY EMAIL ONLY IF YOU DON'T GET YOUR FIRST CHOICE. ENTRANTS MUST REPORT 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO THE SCHEDULED STARTING TIME. STARTING TIMES: *STARTING TIME MUST BE STRICTLY ADHERED TO. LATE BOWLERS WILL RECEIVE ZERO FOR EACH FRAME MISSED AND WILL BE ALLOWED TO COMPLETE THE GAME.*
12. **PRIZE LIST:** Awards for the prize list shall be determined based on the number of entries. Ratio payout 1 in 4
13. **PRIZE WINNINGS:** Prize winnings for the previous 12 months must be reported if they are \$600.00 or more. Bowlers shall be familiar with and abide by USBC Rule 319e regarding re-rating requirements.
14. **LOST SCORES:** In the event a tournament game or frame(s) within a game is irretrievably lost, the game or frame(s) may be re-bowled as provided by the Tournament Management.
15. **PERSONAL CONDUCT:** IMPROPER CONDUCT DURING THE COURSE OF YOUR COMPETITION SHALL BE JUST CAUSE FOR DISQUALIFICATION OF SCORES FOR THAT EVENT.
16. **Returned checks may be subject to a return check fee of up to \$35.00.**
17. **Tournament officials are not responsible for incomplete or improperly filled out applications.**
18. **Multiple Participation:** Re-entries will be allowed. Such entries may only cash once.
19. Tournament Management reserves all rights.

Online Registration available at [www.bucksbowling.com](http://www.bucksbowling.com)

or

Remittance must accompany each entry.

Mail remittance and All Entries to: BCUSBC

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Philadelphia, Pa 19114

Checks payable to BCUSBC.