

MIXED DOUBLES HANDICAP TOURNAMENT



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THIS QR CODE IS FOR THE MIXED DOUBLES TOURNAMENT ONLY!

[Link to site](#)

February 21 - 22, 2026

For advanced reservations: Mail-in entries close – February 14, 2026
Walk-in & re-entries accepted but limited to Lane Availability – On First come basis.

\$500 Minimum Guaranteed 1st Place Prize

One Class – Mixed Doubles - 90% Handicap of 440

BCUSBC is donating \$1,000 –

Payout to be at least 1 in 6.

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1475 W. Street Rd

Warminster, Pa 18974

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Proof of USBC membership must be presented at check in. Complete rules on back

TOURNAMENT SQUAD SCHEDULE

Sat. Feb. 21, 2026 - Time: 1pm & 4:30pm

Sun. Feb. 22 2026 - Time: 1pm

ENTRIES FEES

PER TEAM

Prize Fund	\$38.00
Bowling Fees	\$30.00
<u>Expenses</u>	<u>\$2.00</u>
Total	\$70.00

Tournament Director: Brian Strong– Tournament Manager: Erick Ziegler – 215-498-1959

A TEAM WILL CONSIST OF ONE MAN AND ONE-WOMAN. ONLY ONE DOUBLES TEAM PER ENTRY PER APPLICATION

Print First & Last Names	High Average Prev. Season	League Name & Association	USBC Membership #

Advance entries will be notified only if first choice of squad time is not available.

Registration must be done at least 30 minutes prior to squad start time.

Preferred Date & Time: **First choice** _____ **Second choice** _____

Please read: I, as team captain, understand that the submission of an incorrect average could result in disqualification and forfeiture of all claims for prize money.

Email Address: _____

Signature of Captain: _____ Telephone: _____

Address: _____

(Checks will be mailed to listed address)

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Dress Required - *No tank tops, *No cut-off shorts, **Tournament Results:** After verification, all results are posted on:

www.bucksbowling.com and Facebook.

BUCKS COUNTY USBC MIXED DOUBLES TOURNAMENT - 2026 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 13.
3. **ENTRY QUALIFICATIONS:** This is a Bucks County USBC Tournament and is open to current USBC nationally sanctioned members. Non-Bucks County bowlers will be charged a \$10 membership fee.
4. **AVERAGES:** Bowlers shall use their highest 21 game average based on the following order:
 - a. 24/25 Winter Season, if none, then
 - b. 24/25 Summer Season, if none, then
 - c. 25/26 Current Avg with Standing sheet, Min 21 games
 - d. If no average, bowlers bowl Scratch 220
 - e. Sport Averages will be converted to standard
 - f. **10 pin rule does apply.**
5. **HANDICAPS:** Each event shall be based on 90% of the difference between entering average and 440. There shall be no limit. Teams with an average of 440 or more will bowl scratch.
6. **GENERAL RULES:** Re-entries will be allowed with the same partner. Such entries may only cash once.
Multiple Entries: Re-entry with a different partner will be allowed and all scores will be eligible for prizes.
7. **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, their team captain, 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.
8. **No squad blocking allowed.**
9. **TOURNAMENT DATES:** This tournament will begin on Saturday, Feb. 21, 2026 and ends on Sunday, Feb. 22, 2026
10. **SUBSTITUTIONS:** Substitutions are subject to approval by the Tournament Committee and must be made no later than 45 minutes before squad time.
11. **LANE ASSIGNMENTS:** All lane assignments will be scheduled by the Tournament Management.
12. **NOTIFICATION:** TEAM CAPTAINS WILL BE NOTIFIED BY EMAIL ONLY IF YOU DON'T GET YOUR FIRST CHOICE. ENTRANTS MUST REPORT 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO SCHEDULE THE STARTING TIME. THE TEAM CAPTAIN SHALL BE THE TEAM'S AGENT, AND ALL PRIZE CHECKS WILL BE MAILED TO THE CAPTAIN. STARTING TIMES: ***LATE BOWLERS WILL RECEIVE ZERO FOR EACH FRAME MISSED AND WILL BE ALLOWED TO COMPLETE GAME.***
13. **PRIZE LIST:** Awards and USBC Championship Plaques shall be presented to winners. The prize list shall be determined by the Handicap. Payout to be at least 1 in 6
14. **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.
15. **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.
16. **PERSONAL CONDUCT:** IMPROPER CONDUCT DURING THE COURSE OF YOUR COMPETITION- ***Any destruction of any house equipment ** i.e., kicking ball returns or furniture, hitting consoles or tables SHALL BE JUST CAUSE FOR DISQUALIFICATION OF SCORES FOR THAT EVENT.***
18. All bowlers are responsible for having their applications properly completed to reflect their entry into the events they want. Tournament officials are not responsible for incomplete or improperly filled out applications.
20. All bowlers should verify their entries prior to bowling. ***Once the bowler throws their first ball of the tournament, their application is final.***
21. **RETURNED CHECKS:** may be subject to a return check fee of up to \$35.00.
22. **TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS** are not responsible for incomplete or improperly filled out applications.

Tournament Management reserves all rights.

ADVANCE ENTRIES WILL BE NOTIFIED ONLY IF 1ST CHOICE OF SQUAD TIME IS NOT AVAILABLE.

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The winner of the Team Event will receive a free entry into next year's tournament.

THIS FORM MAY BE REPRODUCED