

70th ANNUAL DENTON COUNTY OPEN TOURNAMENT

Presented by Denton County USBC, Inc.

March 19-20, 2022 - Bowlero Denton Entries close March 10, 2022

Entry forms for entries paying by personal check, cashier's check, money order or sponsor's check MUST have the check attached. Entry forms indicating payment via Zelle will be accepted.

The email address for Zelle and entry blanks is dcusbctournaments@yahoo.com. Payments processed via Zelle should note the Tournament Name, Date, and the paying Team Member name.

Squad Dates & Times		
TEAM		
Sat.	Mar 19	11:00 a.m.
Sun.	Mar 20	11:00 a.m.

	Date
Team	
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Please make checks payable and mail with entry form to:

Denton County USBC, Inc.
5032 Stanley Dr.
The Colony, TX 75056

DOUBLES & SINGLES		
Sat.	Mar 19	2:30 p.m.
Sun.	Mar 20	2:30 p.m.

CHECKS ONLY - NO CASH

Team	_____	x \$160 = \$
Doubles	_____	x \$120 = \$
Singles	_____	x \$40 = \$
All Events Scratch	_____	x \$10 = \$
All Events Handicap	_____	x \$10 = \$
Total =		_____

Handicap		
Team	90% from 920	
Doubles	90% from 460	
Singles	90% from 230	

Prize Fund	\$28.00
Lineage	\$10.00
Expense	\$2.00
Per event	\$40.00

Team Lineup	USBC ID#	Average
1		
2		
3		
4		
Team Avg>> (See Rule 4)		

Team Information	
Team Name	
Team Captain	
Address	
City	Zip
Phone	
Email	

<u>4-Member Teams</u>
All Men
All Women
Men & Women
(Any Combination)

Doubles & Singles Lineup	USBC ID#	Average	All Events	All Events
			Handicap	Scratch
1a			YES NO	YES NO
2a			YES NO	YES NO
1b			YES NO	YES NO
2b			YES NO	YES NO

PLEASE CHECK IN 1/2 HOUR BEFORE SQUAD TIMES.

PLEASE HAVE CURRENT 2021-2022 USBC

CERTIFICATION CARDS AT CHECK IN

ALL PRIZE MONEY WILL BE SENT TO TEAM CAPTAINS.

PLEASE ATTACH AVERAGE VERIFICATION FOR ANY BOWLER USING A CURRENT AVERAGE

70th ANNUAL DENTON COUNTY OPEN TOURNAMENT RULES

1. Tournament is certified by USBC Nationals and open to all current adult members of the Denton County USBC.
Tournament dates: March 19-20, 2022 Entry closing date: Thursday, March 10, 2022
Entries can be turned in to Tom Turner (Association Manager) or any member of the Denton County USBC Board on or before **March 10, 2022**, or can be postmarked no later than **March 11, 2022**.
LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED WITH A \$40 LATE FEE PER ENTRY FORM RECEIVED.
Walk-In Entries will be accepted, providing lanes are available, with a \$40 late fee until 30 Minutes prior to squad time.
2. **Handicap: Team (90% from 920) Doubles (90% from 460) Singles (90% from 230)**
3. **MULTIPLE ENTRIES:** AN ENTRANT MAY PARTICIPATE MORE THAN ONCE IN EACH EVENT; HOWEVER, to cash in multiple events, 2 members per team must be different. You may only cash once with the same Doubles partner and you may only cash once in Singles. Your highest series in each event will count towards optional All Events.
4. **Entering average (IN PRIORITY LISTED):**
 - a. Highest 2020 - 2021 Denton County book average
 - b. Highest 2020 - 2021 average of 21 games or more from Bowl.com (fall or summer)
 - c. Highest current average of at least 21 games as of one week before tournament closing date. (March 3, 2022)
 - d. If none of the above rules apply, entrant will bowl with a scratch average of 230.

*** If certified in another Association, participants must pay Denton County USBC Local Association Dues of \$10.00.

BOWLERS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR VERIFYING THEIR OWN AVERAGES WHETHER SUBMITTED BY THE BOWLER, TEAM CAPTAIN OR OTHERS (SEE RULE 319A-3). INCORRECT AVERAGES ARE SUBJECT TO DISQUALIFICATION. Rule 319a (2), 319d and 319e are waived.

USBC Rule 319c does apply: Average Adjustments (Re-rating).
5. Prize money to be paid 100%; Prize ratio (approximate) each division: 1 in 7 entries in Team, Doubles and Singles, 1 in 15 entries in All Events. Trophies/awards will be given (in addition to prize money) for first place only in Team, Doubles, and Singles Events (not in All Events). Co-champions will be declared when there is a tie for championship (first place) of any event and duplicate awards will be presented. Prize money will be distributed within 30 days after close of tournament.
TEAM CAPTAINS MUST DISTRIBUTE WITHIN 30 DAYS FROM RECEIPT
6. No entry forms will be accepted without entry fee attached. Fees to be paid by personal check, cashier's check, money order, sponsor's check or Zelle – **CASH WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED**. Return check fee: \$25.00
7. Substitutes will take the position of the replaced bowler and no rearranging of the lineup will be made. Substitutions should be reported to the Association Manager as soon as possible, preferably one hour before squad time.
8. Lanes will be scheduled by the tournament committee and will not be changed except for an emergency.
9. PRACTICE: 10 minutes
10. Any player or team arriving after the game has started will be allowed to bowl and the score will count in the frame then being bowled. **ZERO SCORE WILL BE GIVEN FOR FRAMES MISSED.**
11. All bowlers should check in 30 minutes before squad time. Membership cards must be presented at check in time by all participants unless membership has already been verified by Association Manager.
12. **NO CHILDREN WILL BE ALLOWED IN BOWLING AREA DURING COMPETITION.**
13. **NO UNAUTHORIZED BRACKETS ALLOWED. Denton County USBC will provide brackets.**
14. Members are requested to consider suitable attire when participating in this tournament.
15. USBC Tournament Rules shall govern this tournament in addition to the rules adopted by the Denton County USBC Tournament Rules Committee which will decide any questions not covered by these Tournament Rules.

The entrants whose names appear hereon or their authorized replacements hereby agree that the Denton County USBC, its officers and agents shall be liable only to the extent of returning entry fees if and when those entrants shall be prevented from bowling any event in the tournament through premature termination of the tournament, which may be brought about by war, national emergency or emergencies or causes relating thereto or resulting there from fires, strikes, lockouts, labor difficulties or other causes beyond the control of the Denton County USBC, Inc.

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