

Tallahassee USBC Association- 8th Annual Holiday Classic Singles Bowling Event

1. This tournament is open to all USBC member bowlers (Adult & Youth) and is a handicap singles tournament. There is an optional scratch prize fund. Entrants must compete in the handicap division to enter the scratch option.
2. The tournament will be held at **Galimore Lanes, Martin Luther Boulevard, Florida A&M University, Tallahassee, Florida 32307**. There will be two shifts on Saturday, December 7, 2013 at 1 PM and 4 PM and one shift on Sunday, December 8, 2013 at 1 PM with an optional 2nd shift if deemed by the Tournament Manager.
3. **On-site registration will begin one hour prior to shift times and must be paid by cash or money order.** Mail pre-registration entries to the TUSBCA Association Manager: Lisa Tajdari, 2430 Buttonbush Court, Tallahassee, FL 32308. Checks will be accepted prior to November 28 2013. Make checks payable to the Tallahassee USBC Association. **Do not send cash in the mail.**
4. Bowling fees will be \$25.00 per entry/per shift (\$8.00 bowling, \$1.00 expenses and \$16 prize fund). The scratch option is \$10.00. (\$10.00 Prize Fund). Prize funds will be returned 100 percent.
5. Bowlers will roll a 3-game series on one pair of lanes. **Multiple entries are allowed. Bowlers will only cash once in each division (handicap and scratch).**
6. All bowlers must have a 2013-2014 USBC membership card. If you have yet to purchase one this can be obtained for \$18.00 prior to bowling (National USBC plus local association dues).
7. Entrants will use their highest 2012-2013 certified League yearbook average posted at the end of winter and based on 21 games or more for Adults and 12 games or more for Youth. Entrants with only a sport average will use their sport average adjusted according to USBC Rule 202a on Page 72 of the USBC 2013-14 playing rules. Entrants with a sport averages higher than their regular league average will use their sport average unadjusted. Entrants without a 2012-2013 yearbook average will use their highest 2011-2012 Winter League average. Entrants without either may use their highest 2013-2014 league average with 21 games or more as of December 1, 2013. Entrants using 2013-2014 League averages are requested to bring average verification from their league secretary. Entrants with none of the above; but having a 2013 Summer average of 21 games or more may use the summer average. Entrants without any of the above averages will bowl scratch.
8. Handicap will be based on 90 percent of 220.
9. USBC Rules 319a-3 (bowler responsibility for reporting and verifying average) and 319c (Tournament Manager authority to rerate bowlers prior to competition) will apply.
10. USBC Rules 319a-2 (ten-pin rule), 319d (reporting of tournament winnings over \$600) and 319e (reporting of tournament averages 15 pins above entering averages) are waived.
11. Computer print-outs will be the official score. All score corrections should be done under the supervision of a tournament official.
12. The Tournament Manager reserves the right to decide all questions and disputes arising in this tournament. The decisions will be final, subject to appeal to USBC per Rule 329.
13. A prize ratio of 1 to 6 or major portion thereof will be used. The Prize Fund will be returned 100 percent.
14. When ties occur, the prize money will be combined and divided equally among tied position winners.

