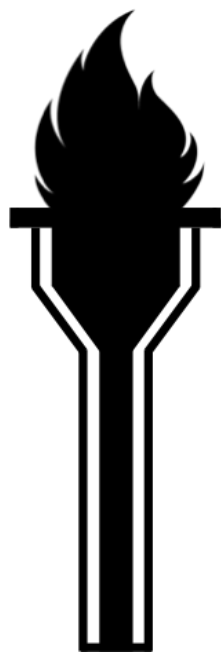


US YOUTH GAMES

★ | BOWLING | ★
5.20.17 1:00 PM | TOURNAMENT | 5.21.17 10:00 AM

Scratch
Tournament
and
\$30 Entry



Singles
Competition
with
4 Divisions



\$100 SCHOLARSHIP

MAIL ENTRIES TO:
8360 Serene Lake Road
McCalla, AL 35111

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Rose Wilson: (205) 477-5869
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Vestavia Bowl

1429 Montgomery Highway Vestavia, AL 35216

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

NAME _____ ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

EMAIL _____ USBC SANCTION # _____

CURRENT AVERAGE _____ 2016-2017 AVERAGE _____



Competition Rules

1. The bowling competition shall be governed by the rules of the USBC (United States Bowling Congress) for ten-pin bowling, unless otherwise stated in these rules and regulations.
2. The Tournament Director shall make all final decisions concerning disputes and conduct of the Tournament.
3. Eligible bowlers must be current USBC Youth Bowlers as of May 20, 2017.
4. The competition will be divided into four coed average divisions, as follows:
 - Division 1: 120 and Under
 - Division 2: 121–150
 - Division 3: 151–179
 - Division 4: 180 and Over
5. Bowlers will use their highest 2016-2017 certified USBC book average or USBC sanctioned league average of twelve games or more as of May 20, 2017, **whichever is higher**. If a bowler does not have either of the above averages, the bowler will compete in Division 4.
6. The tournament will be held at **Vestavia Bowl** and will consist of 3 rounds of **scratch** competition (see below).
7. Bowlers must arrive no later than 30 minutes prior to the start of each round of competition.
8. The Qualifying Round will be held at **1:00 PM on Saturday, May 20, 2017**. The Qualifying Round will consist of six games with bowlers moving one pair of lanes to the right after each game. The **top six** bowlers from each division will advance to the Semi-Final Round.
9. The Semi-Final Round will be held at **10:00 AM on Sunday, May 21, 2017**. The Semi-Final Round will consist of six games of match play competition, including five matches between each semi-finalist and one position round match. A 30 pin bonus is awarded to the winner of each match with a 15 pin bonus awarded for a tie. Scores from the Qualifying Round will carry over into the Semi-Final Round. The **top three** bowlers from each division will advance to the Final Round.
10. The Final Round will immediately follow the Semi-Final Round on Sunday, May 21, 2017. The Final Round will be a stepladder roll-off with seeds determined by final positions in the Semi-Final Round.
11. Ties for any position determining if a bowler will continue in the competition will be broken by a ninth and tenth frame roll-off.
12. A \$100 scholarship is guaranteed to each division champion, provided there are at least eight bowlers within that division. Otherwise, the winner will receive a \$50 scholarship. Additional scholarships may be awarded according to the number of entries per division.
13. Flash photography is **prohibited** during the Tournament competition so as not to distract bowlers.
14. No food, beverages or smoking will be allowed in the playing area.
15. Bowler's accessories, such as: rosin, powder or any other substances may not be used in the settee area. Such substances may, however, be utilized behind the playing area, so as not to interfere with others competing in this Tournament. Substances may not be applied to the sole of bowling shoes. At no time will silicone be permitted. All bowlers must abide by house rules regarding substances.
16. Conduct derogatory to that of a sportsman in this Tournament **will not be tolerated**. Any infraction as to attitude, vulgarity or the like, by any participant or guest, will be brought to the attention of the Tournament Director for action.
17. Applications **must** include average verification and entry fee (check or cash). Complete applications must be postmarked by the **deadline of May 6, 2017**. Applications postmarked after May 6, 2017 will still be accepted provided a **\$5 late fee** is paid prior to the competition. Walk-In entries will be accepted **until one hour prior** to the beginning of competition. Walk-In entries will also be charged the \$5 late fee. All checks should be made payable to the **US Youth Games**.