



Nebraska USBC Youth presents the

Jr. King & Queen Tournament

April 1, 2023 at Strike & Spare, 1408 N Adams St., Lexington, NE

PAYMENT DUE WHEN SUBMITTED!! Entry without payment will be returned!!!

Make checks payable to Nebraska Jr. King & Queen Tournament.

\$50.00 ENTRY FEE (\$19.00 lineage \$25.00 prize fund \$6.00 expenses)

ENTRIES CLOSE **March 31, 2022**

(See rules for details)

NEW
USBC JR. GOLD
QUALIFIER

TOURNAMENT FORMAT

Scratch Tournament

Top 8 in each
division receive
awards

Bowl 6 Qualifying games. Field cut to top 8 in each division and then bowl 1 match game. (Seeded draw for opponent)
Field cut to top 4 in each division then bowl 1 match game. (Seeded draw for opponent). Field cut to Final 2. Participants will bowl
head to head with best 2 out of 3 wins. In event of any tie, a 1 ball roll off will be used to determine winner.

Entry information

**** Dress Code Enforced – See Rule #8 ****

_____ USBC # _____ USBC Average _____
Bowlers Name (Please Print) Date of Birth

_____ Phone # _____ Yr. Graduate _____
Address City, State, Zip

_____ Parent(s) Name(s) _____
Email

SQUAD BEGINS AT 10:00am

JR.GOLD Yes or No

Please check in 30 minutes prior to squad time.

Mail Entries to:

Gordon Thiessen
3002 I Avenue
Kearney, NE 68847

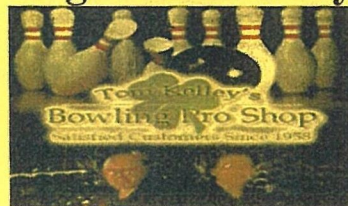
Email: neusbc.jrkingqueen@gmail.com

Tournament Rules

1. Date and Location: **April 1, 2023, Strike & Spare, Lexington, Nebraska**
2. Must be a current sanctioned member of Nebraska USBC Youth. Must be 14 or older. Must be between grades 9 – 12. This is a Competitive Scratch Tournament.
3. Entry Fee is \$50.00 per person **Please pay in advance!!** Lineage \$19.00 Awards \$25.00 Expenses \$6.00. 100% of prize fund will be paid back in scholarships.
4. **Junior Gold qualifier will be \$25 per bowler. The advancement ratio is 1:5 for boys and 1:4 for girls. If there aren't enough girls to make their own division, they will be combined with the boys and the advancement will be 1:5. The Junior Gold qualifier will be conducted during the 6-game qualifying portion of the tournament. The High Scratch score per division will advance. In the event of a tie, a 1 game roll off may be required until tie is broke.**
5. Entries will be accepted on a first received, first serve basis. Tournament limited to 24 boys and 24 girls. Please check in at least 30 minutes prior to start time.
6. Average will be your highest ending average from the 2019-2020 season. Averages used for honor awards or individual awards.
7. Tournament format:
 - a. Bowl 6 Qualifying games, moving right after each game.
 - b. Field cut to top 8 in each division and then bowl 1 match game. (Seeded draw for opponent).
 - c. Field cut to top 4 in each division then bowl 1 match game. (Seeded draw for opponent).
 - d. Field cut to Final 2, Participants will bowl head to head with best 2 out of 3 wins.
 - e. In event of any tie, a 1 ball roll off will be used to determine winner.
8. **Dress Code: All participants must wear a collared shirt, pants that are neat, clean and in good condition. Bowlers will be required to change if attire is deemed inappropriate by Tournament Director, Tournament Director's decision will be final.**
9. All players, coaches and spectators are expected to behave in a positive manner. Abusive behavior and/or gestures will not be tolerated and may result in a player or person being ejected from the tournament and asked to leave the building.
10. Players and the tournament officials only will be allowed in the bowling area. All other spectators must remain behind the bowling area. (PLEASE NO FLASH PICTURES DURING COMPETITION).
11. Please advise a tournament official for any scoring changes.
12. Tournament will have two divisions: Boys Division and Girls Division.
13. Awards will be provided as follows based on final placement after the roll offs:
Each Division:
1st Place Scholarship & Embroidered Bowling Bag
2nd thru 8th Place Scholarships
Additional prizes may be added later.
14. Scholarships awarded will be using SMART account #10657. Winners of Scholarships will need to fill out the SMART form before leaving the tournament.
15. Any rule not covered here will be settled in accordance to USBC playing rules.
16. Any changes announced prior to beginning competition will take precedence.

Nebraska Jr. King and Queen Tournament Committee
Anneke Green –Chairperson
Gordon Thiessen –Tournament Director
Torri Merten
Phil Tablazon

Bags Donated By



2023 NEBRASKA USBC YOUTH STATE TOURNAMENT

Wild Bills Fun Center
1100 S. Jeffers St., North Platte, NE

ENTRY FEE

Bowling & Tax \$9.00
 Awards \$6.50
Expenses: \$5.50
Total (per event) \$21.00
 Optional Scratch Singles \$10.00

DATES

March 25-26, April 1-2, 2023
 Saturday times: 10:00 AM, 12:30 PM, 3:30 PM
 Sunday times: 10:00AM, 12:30 PM, 3:30 PM
 Oiled between 12:30 & 3:30 both days if needed.
 6:00 PM will only be added if other squads are full

ENTRIES CLOSE – March 18, 2023

For Office Use Only				
team	doubles	singles	all events	total
Master team number -				
squad	mo	day	time	lane

PAYMENT DUE WHEN SUBMITTED!!! Entry without payment will be returned!!!

Entries will be scheduled on first come, first served basis.

SUBMIT ENTRIES TO: Anneke Green, 1716 Q Street, Ord, NE 68862 (308) 750-1502 neyouthstate@gmail.com

Average Breakdown by Divisions					Send Confirmation to:	
	Team	Singles	Doubles	Mixed	Name:	
Div.		Boys & Girls	Boys & Girls	Boys & Girls	Address	
A	684 • up	171 -up	341 - up	341 - up	City, State & Zip	
B	600 - 683	150-169	300 -340	300 -340	Phone Number	
C	480 - 599	120-149	240-299	240-299	E-Mail Address	
D	479 & Under	119 & under	239 & under	239 & under		

PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION IN ORDER ENTRANTS WILL BOWL

TEAM NAME _____

	Team Entrants - Name as on USBC card	Bowlers ID #	Sex M/F	Date of Birth	A/E	AVG	Address/City/Zip
	First Name	Last Name					
1							
2							
3							
4							

Doubles & Singles - List full pairs only

All Events is: Team, Doubles and HDCP Singles.

	Doubles & Singles Entrants - Name as on USBC card	Bowlers ID #	Sex M/F	Date of Birth	Dbls	Sgls	Src Sgls	Avg
	First Name	Last Name				hdcp	Add on	
1								
2								
1								
2								

Coaches Information: to verify averages
 Name _____
 Address _____
 City, State, Zio _____
 Phone number _____
 E-Mail Address _____
 Signature: _____

******YOU MUST LIST SEPARATE TIMES FOR DOUBLES & SINGLES******

Times: Team	1st Choice	2nd Choice
Doubles	_____	_____
Singles	_____	_____

USBC MEMBERSHIP CARDS WILL BE CHECKED!!! All bowlers **MUST** check in **30 MINUTES** before time to bowl.
 If you have a substitution, **PLEASE** report **45 MINUTES** before time to bowl to allow time for change.

NEBRASKA USBC YOUTH STATE TOURNAMENT RULES

Please read rules carefully!

1. Every Entrant must be a NE USBC Youth certified bowler. NE High School Bowling Association averages will count (send verification).
2. Youth members must be 18 years or younger as of August 1st of the current bowling season (See USBC rule 400)
3. The USBC rules state that there will be no smoking, playing on electronics, etc., while participating in the State Tournament. Apparel advertising tobacco, alcohol, drugs or any obscene sayings will not be allowed. **No spaghetti straps shirts, midriff shirts or shorts shorter than mid - thigh. No Hats!! Parents are responsible for their child's appearance and conduct during tournament play.**
4. ENTERING AVERAGE RULE: in order of the following options.
BUMPER LEAGUE AVERAGES DO NOT COUNT.
 - A. Highest previous December 31 average with at least 12 games (send verification).
 - B. If no 12+ game average as of December 31, bowler may enter using their highest average for 12 games or more as of March 1 (Please bring verification)
 - C. If neither of the above, bowler may use their highest previous certified summer league average of 12 or more games.
 - D. If none of the above, the bowler will enter with an average of 215.**COACHES ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CORRECT LISTINGS OF ALL AVERAGES.** Failure to include the highest average may result in disqualification of the bowler. Coaches/Bowlers are responsible for providing league standing sheet(s) (including travel leagues) for all leagues bowler participates in. **A COPY OF ALL STANDING SHEETS, AS OF DECEMBER 31, OF THE PREVIOUS YEAR MUST ACCOMPANY ENTRY.**
5. Bowlers' averages meeting criteria in Rules 3 A, B or C must be signed and verified **by the coach before** sending in the entry. All averages are verified with association average books and or USBC.
6. All scores, including All Events, will be figured with handicap. Handicap will be 90% of 215.
7. Three games will be bowled per event. Boys and girls may combine for the doubles and the team events.
8. **A bowler is eligible for all events by bowling all three handicap events. The appropriate box must be marked on the form. This event is at no additional charge to the bowler.**
9. Bowlers may compete twice in the doubles event only, but only once with the same person. The **first** doubles bowled is the score that will count for all events.
10. Teams will consist of four bowlers. Bowlers may bowl twice in the team event as long as no more than 2 of the bowlers on the team also bowl together on another team. The first team score bowled is the score that will count for all events.
11. ~~Substitutions will be permitted in doubles and teams only. Replacements will be allowed in all events and singles only if replacing a bowler in all three events. No Substitutions will be allowed once bowling is in progress, unless needed due to illness, injury or emergency.~~
12. All entries must be accompanied by payment in full. In the case of a returned check, a \$30.00 returned check charge must be paid prior to bowling. There will be no refund of entry fees once entries close.
13. Optional add on - \$10. Your scratch singles score will be used. Boys and girls will be separate, and awards will be given to the top 3. By doing the add on, you will only have to bowl singles once to be considered for both singles handicap and singles scratch awards. However, you must bowl singles handicap to be eligible to pay the extra \$10.00 for scratch.
14. The entire awards fund will be used for awards. Awards will be given out to the **top 3 in each division entries**. The following special awards will be given: High Scratch All Events per division, High Scratch Game and Series, one each to a girl and a boy. A participant is entitled to both scratch and handicap awards if he/she earns them. Duplicate awards will be given in the event of a tie.
15. Scholarships will be awarded for the highest individual handicap series in each division and to the boy and girl with the high scratch game and scratch series. Only one scholarship may be won per bowler using the following order: handicapped series, scratch series, scratch game. Scholarship funds are held in a SMART account under the management of USBC. (#10657)
16. All players, coaches and spectators are expected to behave in a positive manner. Abusive behavior and/or gestures will not be tolerated and may result in a player or person being ejected from the tournament and asked to leave the building. No refunds
17. **MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: NE USBC. There will be NO phone reservations.**
18. Rules not covered in the tournament rules will be covered by USBC Rules.

Pastime Lanes
1400 West 18th St.
Hastings, NE 68901



2023 JUNIOR GOLD
CHAMPIONSHIPS
July 14 - 22, 2023
Indianapolis, IN

PLEASE COMPLETE ALL INFORMATION

PLEASE CIRCLE

U8 - Birthdate 8/1/2014 or Later U12 - Birthdate 8/1/2010 - 7/31/2012 Male
U10 - Birthday 8/1/2012 - 7/31/20014 U15 - Birthdate 8/1/2007 - 7/31/2010 Female
U18 - Birthdate 8/1/2004 - 7/31/2007

Bowler USBC ID Number _____
Name _____ Birthdate _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Telephone _____ Graduation Year _____ Gold Qualified for 2021? Y N
Home League _____ Home Bowling Center _____

U8 & U10 - \$25.00 (3 Games) U12, U15 & U18 - \$40.00 (6 Games)

Payment must accompany completed registration form.

LIMITED LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED - SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY.

ENTRY DUE FEBRUARY 17, 2023. LATE FEE OF \$5.00 WILL APPLY.

SQUAD TIMES

U12, U15 & U18 Squad	Saturday, March 11th & 18th	9:30 AM	2:00 PM
U12, U15 & U18 Squad	Sunday, March 12th & 19th	10:00 AM	
U8/U10 Squad	Saturday, March 11th	9:30 AM	Sunday, March 19th 10:00 AM

Choice of Date & Time:

First Choice: _____ Second Choice: _____

Send Confirmation To (PLEASE PRINT):

(Name) (E-Mail Address) (Phone)

(Address) (City) (State) (Zip)

Make Checks Payable To: NEBRASKA USBC - Youth Pepsi Tournament

NO REFUNDS

Please Note: A \$30.00 fee will be charged for any insufficient funds checks.

MAIL ENTRIES TO: Torri Merten, 12943 Ellison Ave., Omaha, NE 68164

Questions - Call, E-Mail or Text - NEPepsiBowl@gmail.com or 402-672-8945

Pepsi Youth Championships ~ Nebraska State Tournament Rules

1. This tournament is certified by the United States Bowling Congress #05802 and shall be governed by USBC rules. Participants must be a member of the USBC youth division.
2. This is an open entry tournament. Entry is open to all USBC Youth members competing in a certified USBC league within the State of Nebraska and USBC Collegiate Youth certified athletes residing and / or on a team in Nebraska.
3. State competition will take place at **Pastime Lanes**, 1400 West 18th Street, Hastings, NE 68901. Squads will be held on **March 11th, 12th, 18th & 19th**. Additional dates may be added to the event related to weather.
4. Squad Times: Saturday 9:30 AM 2:00 PM
 Sunday 10:00 AM
5. Entries close **February 17, 2023**. Entries postmarked after **February 17, 2023** will be accepted as space allows. Please call for space availability before sending in a late entry. A **\$5.00 Late Entry Fee** will be applied. No phone, text or Facebook reservations will be accepted.
6. Divisions are based on the participants age. Competition shall be conducted in the following divisions:

U8 Boys Scratch and U8 Girls Scratch	Bowlers whose birthdate is 8/1/2014 or Later
U10 Boys Scratch and U10 Girls Scratch	Bowlers whose birthdate is 8/1/2012 thru 7/31/2014
U12 Boys Scratch and U12 Girls Scratch	Bowlers whose birthdate is 8/1/2010 thru 7/31/2012
U15 Boys Scratch and U15 Girls Scratch	Bowlers whose birthdate is 8/1/2007 thru 7/31/2010
U18 Boys Scratch and U18 Girls Scratch	Bowlers whose birthdate is 8/1/2004 thru 7/31/2007

7. The tournament format shall be: Divisions U8 and U10 will bowl three games at the state level, total pinfall will determine final standings. Divisions U12, U15 and U18 will bowl six games, moving to another pair of lanes after each two games, total pinfall will determine final standings. Lane movement is subject to change based on current COVID-19 restrictions and local health mandates. Tournament director will announce final lane movement sequence prior to tournament start.

8. **Entry Fees:**

<u>U8 and U10</u>		<u>U12, U15, and U18</u>		
Lineage	\$10.00	Lineage	\$20.00	
Expenses	\$ 4.00	Expenses	\$ 4.00	
Awards	\$ 5.00	Awards	\$ 6.00	
Scholarships	<u>\$ 6.00</u>	Scholarships	<u>\$10.00</u>	
Total	\$25.00	Total	\$40.00	<u>NO REFUNDS</u>

****PLEASE NOTE:** A \$30.00 fee will be charged for any insufficient funds checks.

9. Awards and scholarships fees will be returned 100% to the bowlers. Scholarship money will be held in SMART account #8532. Scholarships will be awarded to the top three places in every division.

a. U8/U10	First Place: \$75	Second Place: \$50	Third Place: \$25
b. U12	First Place: \$250	Second Place: \$150	Third Place: \$100
c. U15/U18	First Place: \$300	Second Place: \$200	Third Place: \$150
10. In the event of a tie, duplicate awards will be provided.
11. All bowlers must wear suitable attire. Bowlers must wear collared shirts or bowling jerseys and slacks, dress shorts or skorts. No gym shorts or tops, no yoga or compression pants, no jeans or leggings, no t-shirts, or attire with alcohol, tobacco or inappropriate wording or figures will be allowed. The tournament director has the discretion to ask the bowler to change. No hats or caps allowed.
12. No cigarettes, E-Cigs or vaping will be allowed in the bowling center during tournament play.

13. Alcohol must remain the bar and cannot be consumed in the bowling area or tournament viewing areas.
12. Missed frames shall be credited with a zero. Frames may not be made-up. A bowler not present to bowl when it's their turn to bowl will be credited with a zero for that frame.
13. Competitors shall be allowed fifteen minutes of practice on their starting lanes.
14. All divisions will be bowling scratch on an unnamed challenge or sports pattern. Challenge or sports pattern name and details will be released upon completion of all squads of the tournament.
15. Only bowlers and tournament officials shall be permitted in the settee area.
16. Claims for errors in scoring or general playing rules must be made to the tournament director no later than the start of the next block or 30 minutes after the completion of competition. Questionable errors shall be decided upon by the tournament director. All other protests must be confirmed in writing within 72 hours of the infraction. Under this rule, each protest must be specific in itself.
17. The first-place winner of the U12, U15, and U18 divisions for both boys and girls will advance to the 2022 Junior Gold Championships, July 14 - 22, 2023 in Indianapolis, IN. Winners must be USBC Junior Gold members to advance. Bowlers without a current Junior Gold Membership must purchase a Junior Gold Membership prior to May 31, 2023. These athletes will compete for additional scholarships available to all athletes at the championships, as well as other prizes and awards. All US Citizens are vying for a spot on the USBC Junior Team USA 2023 to represent the United States in national and international competition. If the U12, U15, or U18 Division Winner is unwilling or unable to become a Junior Gold Member they will not advance to the Junior Gold Championships. However, the athlete will still retain the state scholarship, but the berth to the Junior Gold Championships will be awarded to the next eligible athlete. Winners in the U12, U15, and U18 divisions receive no financial support. Winners are not confirmed as international finalists until they receive a confirmation letter or email from USBC. ~~Advancers will be required to be accompanied by a parent, guardian or coach.~~
18. U8 and U10 boys and girls division winners do not advance beyond state competition.
19. All matters not covered by these rules and regulations shall be determined by the Nebraska State Pepsi USBC Youth Tournament Committee. The National Pepsi Youth Tournament Committee reserves the right to accept or reject any participant.
20. Failure to abide by any rules and regulations will lead to disqualification from this event.
21. All bowlers must see and understand these rules.

If you have any questions, please call, text or email:

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