

4th Annual Greater Kansas City Open Handicap Bowling Tournament

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Certified by the USBC and open to all adult USBC members.

2018 Estimated Prize Fund Based on a Full Field: Over \$75,000

2018 Estimated Brackets Payout Based on a Full Field: Over \$150,000

2018 Dates

September 8-9, 15-16, 22-23

*USBC rules 319 A&E will be strictly enforced. Read rules 4, 5, 6, & 9 carefully.

All reserved entries must be postmarked by July 31, 2018. Entries postmarked after July 31, 2018 will be charged a \$20.00 administrative late fee per entry. **NO PERSONAL CHECKS - NO EXCEPTIONS** Make cashier's check or money order payable to **KANSAS CITY TOURNAMENTS.**

Entry Fee: \$25.00 per person per event (T, S, D)

Prize Fund: \$12.50 **Prize fund returned**

100%

Bowling: \$7.50

Expenses: \$5.00

Handicap/Scratch All Events: \$5.00 each

6 Game Combined Handicap/Scratch: \$10.00 each (\$8.00 prize, \$2.00 expenses)

Administrative Use Only			
Date Received	Entry		
Singles & Doubles			
Date	Time	Squad	Lane
Team			
Date	Time	Squad	Lane
Received	Owed	Long _____	
		Short _____	

PRINT LEGIBLY OR TYPE

If your doubles partner is on another team, please send in both entries at the same time.
Pay for both on same entry.

Team Name: _____

Team Captain: _____

Captain Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Phone Number: () _____

Team Line Up Must Bowl as Entered	Bowler's Average (Highest 2018)	Singles and Doubles Must Bowl as Entered	Highest 2018 Book Average	USBC ID # Match to S/D	All Events Handicap	All Events Scratch	6 Game Handicap	6 Game Scratch
1.		1.						
2.		2.						
3.		1.						
4.		2.						
Team Total : \$100.00		Singles and Doubles Total: \$50.00 per person		Match all of this information to Singles & Doubles lineup \$5.00 Handicap/Scratch All Events Each		\$10.00 Handicap/Scratch 6 Game Each		

MAIL ENTRIES TO:
Kansas City Tournaments
705B SE Melody Lane, #127
Lee's Summit, MO 64063
(816) 739-6144
E-Mail: mike@kansascitytournaments.com

I certify the above averages are correct and I have read all rules on back of entry. Do not send in the entry without signature.

Averages are verified using Bowl.com.
If your average is not verifiable on this website, you must bring verification. If you do not have a verified average, you must bowl scratch. See rule #4.

Captain's Signature

Tournament Rules

1. United States Bowling Congress (USBC) Rules and Regulations will govern the Tournament.
2. All participants are required to be a member in good standing of the USBC and to have in their possession a current USBC membership card. Those without USBC membership cards for the current season may pay an associate membership fee of \$21.00 or a tournament participation fee of \$5.00. Only two (2) professional bowlers per team or one (1) per doubles will be allowed.
3. Prizes in Team, Doubles, Singles, 6 Game Combined and All Events will be determined on a handicap basis. All other events will be scratch.
4. Handicap - 75% - 220 Scratch - Per Team Unit. Use highest adult USBC sanctioned league average of at least 21 games or more for the 2017-2018 season. Those who do not have a last year's average will use 2018 Summer league average. If average cannot be verified, averages will be accepted with a signed league sheet by the league secretary with at least 21 games of the current bowling season. All others will bowl scratch. If average is not verifiable on Bowl.com, you will bowl scratch unless you provide verification. (NOTE: Sport bowling league averages must be adjusted according to USBC Rule 205. Failure to comply will result in disqualification if adjusted average would be higher than average used.) Ten pin rule will not apply. PBA Members will bowl scratch even if average is below 220. Handicap will be computed from a minimum average - Team - 520, Doubles - 260, and Singles - 130.
5. It shall be each bowler's responsibility to verify the accuracy of their average, whether originally submitted by the bowler, the team captain, or others. Failure to use the proper average or to make a correction up to completion of the first game of a series shall disqualify score if submitted average is lower than actual average or base prize winnings on submitted average if it is higher.
6. USBC Rule 319-A-B-C-E (excluding 319-A-2) applies to all bowlers. Failure to comply shall cause forfeiture of all entry fees, scores, and prize money if the average is higher than the one submitted on entry form.
7. There will be one cash prize awarded for each eight entries in the Team, Doubles, Singles, All Events Handicap, All Events Scratch, 6 Game Combined, and Handicap 6 Game Combined events.
8. In the event of ties, the prize money for the positions affected will be equally divided. In the event of a first place tie, the above procedure will be followed and in addition, duplicate awards will be given and co-champions declared.
9. No entry application will be accepted unless accompanied by entry fee. No entry fees can be returned after closing dates for entries.
10. Substitutions and changes must be made one hour before scheduled time to bowl. Please E-Mail or phone changes at least 48 hours prior to bowling.
11. ENTRANTS MAY BOWL ONLY ONCE IN EACH EVENT. Bowlers must enter both the Singles event and Doubles event if entered in either.
12. Carbon copies of score sheets will be available immediately after bowling from the scorekeepers. Original score sheets are official and any obvious errors are subject to change and correction by the Secretary. All protests must be made in writing prior to payment of prizes. The prize list and standings will be subject to change until 48 hours after the last squad has bowled. Any appeal from the Secretary's decision or changes must be made to the Rules Committee in person with all data.
13. Bowlers need not report previous tournament winnings.
14. In case of mechanical failure, contestants may be moved to the next available pair of lanes.
15. Offensive language or destruction of bowling alley equipment will not be tolerated. Tournament officials can disqualify any bowler for either reason.
16. No practice by tournament bowlers will be allowed after the lanes are oiled for the first squad of the day.

Preference of Bowling DATES & TIMES

- September 8-9
- September 15-16
- September 22-23

	Team Times	Singles & Doubles Times
Saturday	1:00pm	1:00pm or 5:00pm
Sunday	9:00am or 1:00pm	9:00am or 1:00pm

Additional squads may be added during the course of the tournament as deemed necessary by tournament management, but no squad shall be added after the last advertised squad. Circle first choice of date, then time, mark an X by second choice.

Remarks:

If the preference times are filled, your entry will be scheduled at the best remaining time based on your remarks above. If no remarks are made, we will schedule at the nearest time to your requested time and notify you immediately.

Team Event
Summit Lanes
803 SW Oldham Parkway
Lee's Summit, MO 64081
(816) 524-3322

Singles & Doubles Event
Lunar Bowl
2001 NW State Route 7
Blue Springs, MO 64014
(816) 220-7722