



# IOWA STATE USBC 2023 OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT

Des Moines, Iowa

TEAM	DOUBLES & SINGLES
Gameday Lanes	Bowlerama Lanes
3800 Merle Hay Rd.	1313 E Diehl Ave.
Des Moines, IA 50301	Des Moines, IA 50315
515-630-0122	515-285-2811

TEAM - DOUBLES - SINGLES - ALL EVENTS (optional)  
Prize Ratio 1:5 Team, Doubles, Singles - Prize Ratio 1:20 All Events

### 3 DIVISIONS

DIVISIONS	OPEN (SCRATCH)	STANDARD (90% HANDICAP)	BOOSTER (90% HANDICAP)
TEAM (5 person)	1046 team average & up	901 - 1045 team average	900 team average and below
DOUBLES (2 person)	419 average & up	361 - 418 average	360 average and below
SINGLES/ALL EVENTS	210 and up	181 -209 average	180 average and below

**Divisions:** Bowlers will bowl in divisions according to their average. Multiple entry is allowed in Team and Doubles; first score will count for All Events. All bowlers must be USBC certified and member of the Iowa State USBC.

**Average Certification:** The captain certifies that the averages of the bowlers (computed on each bowler's highest USBC certified league average at the end of the previous season) listed on the entry form for this tournament are correct.

**Note:** The Association Manager/Tournament Director reserves the right to add additional squads if necessary, but not beyond the final date of the tournament. Tournament Director may refuse entry to those who do not meet membership requirements.

RESERVED Entries Due Date.....November 1, 2022

FINAL ENTRY CLOSING DATE.....December 1, 2022

### TOURNAMENT DATES

FEB	MARCH	APRIL
4 & 5	4 & 5	1 & 2
11 & 12	11 & 12	15 & 16
18 & 19	18 & 19	22 & 23
25 & 26	25 & 26	29 & 30

### SQUAD TIMES

TEAM (16 lanes) (16 lanes)	SATURDAY	11:00 AM	3:00 PM
	SUNDAY	9:00 AM	1:00 PM
DBLS (28 lanes) (28 lanes)	SATURDAY	11:00 AM	4:00 PM
	SUNDAY	8:00 AM	1:00 PM

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ENTRY FEE PER BOWLER: TEAM \$25.00, DOUBLES, \$25.00, SINGLES \$25.00, ALL EVENTS (OPTIONAL) \$5.00

ALL dishonored checks or re-deposit fees will be charged \$50.00 per transaction. Failure to make restitution will result in the cancellation of the entire entry. This is the responsibility of the team captain.

Contact/Captain:	<b>RESERVED WEEKEND - DATE &amp; TIME</b>
Contact/Captain USBC #:	<b>TEAM SQUAD:</b>
Mailing Address:	<b>DOUBLES SQUAD:</b>
City/State/Zip + 4	For entry without a reservation, please list three choices of weekends
Phone(s):	1.
Email Address:	2.
Local Association:	3.

Confirmations will be emailed. Prize checks will be mailed to the Contact.

**ANY LINEUP CHANGES MUST BE DONE 24 HOURS AHEAD OF SCHEDULED FIRST EVENT TIME - NO EXCEPTIONS!!**

<b>TEAM NAME</b>	Cross lanes with: (team name to bowl with)	
<b>USBC NUMBER</b>	5-PERSON TEAM EVENT Please type or print neatly. Please list full name as listed on USBC card/bowl.com.	2021-2022 HIGHEST USBC AVERAGE 21 games minimum
	1.	
	2.	
	3.	
	4.	
	5.	

<b>USBC NUMBER</b> (if not listed above)	<b>DOUBLES/SINGLES EVENT</b> Doubles and Singles must bowl in order listed below. All Singles must bowl Doubles; no half pairs accepted. <b>NO INDIVIDUAL SINGLES ACCEPTED.</b> Indicate AE by "X" in box by bowler's name	Hall of Fame or 50 Year Tournament Bowler (HF or # of years)	<b>ALL EVENTS (optional) \$5.00 (X)</b>	2021-2022 HIGHEST USBC AVERAGE (if not listed above)
	1.			
	2.			
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If fifth bowler is paired with bowler from another team, give name of other team here \_\_\_\_\_

Submit completed entry form and full fees to:
Iowa State USBC
Douglas Dammann, Tournament Manager
105 S. Walnut St.
Wyoming, IA 52362
Phone: 563-488-3488
Email: <a href="mailto:association.manager@iowabowl.com">association.manager@iowabowl.com</a>
If using Point & Pay, fax or scan/email entry form same day to above listed email or fax.

<b>PAYMENT SUMMARY</b>	<b>#</b>			
TEAM		@	\$125.00	\$
DOUBLES		@	\$ 50.00	\$
SINGLES		@	\$ 25.00	\$
ALL EVENTS		@	\$ 5.00	\$
TOTAL				

Point & Pay Transaction #
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ONE CHECK PER GROUP OF ENTRIES PLEASE! If one entry, ONE check. Thank you!

\*\*\*\*\*OFFICE USE ONLY\*\*\*\*\*

TEAM	SAT SUN	DATE	TIME	SQ #	ENTRY #
D/S	SAT SUN	DATE	TIME	SQ #	
TEAM	DBLS	SGLS	AE	\$\$	

**RESERVATION - 2024 OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT - DAVENPORT, IOWA**  
**FILL OUT AND MAIL TO TOURNAMENT MANAGER OR CALL 563-488-3488**

Tournament starts February 3, 2024 and ends April 28, 2024 (no bowling Easter weekend, March 30-31, 2024). Please list three choices of preferred weekends.

1<sup>st</sup> choice\_\_\_\_\_2<sup>nd</sup> choice\_\_\_\_\_3<sup>rd</sup> choice\_\_\_\_\_

How many TEAM reservations\_\_\_\_\_ Reservation Contact Person/Captain  
 (print neatly or type, include ALL information)

How many DOUBLES reservations\_\_\_\_\_ Local Association\_\_\_\_\_

Mail to: Douglas Dammann, Assn. Mgr. Mailing Address\_\_\_\_\_  
 Iowa State USBC City/State/Zip+4\_\_\_\_\_  
 105 S. Walnut St. Email Address\_\_\_\_\_  
 Wyoming, IA 52362 Phone(s)\_\_\_\_\_

Scan/email: [association.manager@iowabowl.com](mailto:association.manager@iowabowl.com)

**DATES - RESERVATIONS FOR 2024 - DAVENPORT, IOWA**

FEBRUARY	3 & 4	10 & 11	17 & 18	24 & 25
MARCH	2 & 3	9 & 10	16 & 17	23 & 24
APRIL	6 & 7	13 & 14	20 & 21	27 & 28

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**TEAMS WANTING TO BOWL TOGETHER ON THE SAME LANES  
 MUST BE SENT IN TOGETHER AND INDICATED AS SUCH  
 IN THE CROSS LANES SPACE ON THE ENTRY FORM!**

**ALL BOWLERS:** No clothing with obscene pictures or lettering allowed.  
**FEMALE BOWLERS:** No short shorts allowed.

Any Iowa State USBC board member or a representative thereof will enforce this dress code rule.

To the Association Manager of the Iowa State USBC, acting for those whose name appear on this entry blank, I hereby enter those listed here on in the events of the 2023 Iowa State USBC Open Tournament and all agree to abide by all tournament and playing rules and regulations prescribed by the USBC, including all provisions set forth on this entry blank. The entrants whose names appear hereon or their authorized substitutes, hereby agree that the Iowa State USBC, its officers and agents, shall be liable only to the extent of returning entry fees if and when this team shall be prevented from bowling any event in this tournament through delay, unexpected necessary schedule change, or premature termination of the tournament, which may be brought about by fires, strikes, lockouts, labor difficulties or other causes beyond the control of the Iowa State USBC.

Event	Prize Fee	Bowling Fee	Expense Fee	Total Fee
Team	\$50.00	\$60.00	\$15.00	\$125.00
Doubles	\$20.00	\$24.00	\$6.00	\$50.00
Singles	\$10.00	\$12.00	\$3.00	\$25.00

#### GENERAL

All required information (full name, USBC #, averages) must be furnished.

Standard and Booster Divisions are handicapped. All Booster prize fees shall remain in the Booster Division and Standard Division prize money remains in Standard Division. Standard or Booster teams shall not be eligible to cash in Open Division.

No team or individual shall be entitled to a refund after entry blank and fees have been received and definite dates assigned.

#### ELIGIBILITY

The Iowa State USBC shall accept entries in the Iowa State Open Tournament only from teams and individuals bowling under their jurisdiction. In addition, a non-resident who is eligible for the state tournament in their state of residency must be a member of an association in the state of Iowa prior to bowling. Unmarried grad and high school students who have not attained age of eighteen (1) must have written consent of their parents or guardian in order to participate in this state tournament competition, unless the student is accompanied by their parent or legal guardian, in which case the parental consent form may be filed up to the time the student starts to bowl.

Multiple participation is allowed in Team and Doubles. 3 (three) bowlers must change in the Team event and 1 (one) bowler must change in the Doubles event. Entry in Singles is allowed once. The penalty for an infraction of this rule is expulsion from organized bowling, disqualification of the team and forfeiture of entry fees and prize money.

#### AVERAGES

Highest USBC certified league average including adjusted sport averages at the end of the previous season must be submitted, USBC Rule 319a-3 shall apply. Falsification of average will be subject to disqualification.

- Entrants will use highest USBC certified league average based on a minimum of 21 games, including summer average and adjusted sport average, for the previous season.
- If no average last season, use highest current USBC certified average, 21 games or more, as of January 1.
- If no average using 1 & 2, bowler may bowl with a 12-game minimum average as of the date of participation in the tournament.
- All others will bowl scratch. Scratch shall be **230**.

**The following applies to the Booster and Standard Divisions:**

USBC Rule 319-a-2, 319-d/319-e will not apply.

Any bowler who reports a lower average than required shall forfeit tournament entry fees and prize winnings or base prize winnings on submitted average if it is higher.

#### IMPORTANT TOURNAMENT RULES

##### SUBSTITUTIONS

When a substitution is made in any event, the division will be adjusted accordingly.

Any lineup changes must be done 24 hours ahead of scheduled FIRST EVENT time - Team or Doubles - NO EXCEPTIONS!!!!

Both members of a Doubles team must bowl in the order listed on the entry blank, on the same pair of lanes and at the same time. If unable to bowl at scheduled time, a request must be made with the Assn. Mgr. of the Iowa State USBC at least 24 hours before the scheduled time of bowling.

Substitution for an original A.E. entrant will be permitted, providing an affidavit is signed prior to participation by the original All Events entrant or substitute in either the Team, Doubles or Singles events.

Prize fee for the sixth bowler will be accepted up to the closing date of entries if unrestricted A.E. eligibility is desired.

State association championship plaques will be awarded to each champion in Team, Doubles, Singles and All Events.

##### PRACTICE TIME LIMITS

Prior to start of these events: Team 10 minutes of practice; Doubles 6 minutes of practice; Singles no practice.

##### STATE DUES

All entrants must be a member of the USBC, a local bowling association and have paid Iowa State USBC dues.

##### ENTRIES CLOSE DECEMBER 1

All entries postmarked the first post office business day following the entry closing date shall be accepted. Full remittance (prize, bowling and expense fees) in check or money order or Point & Pay remittance must accompany entry blank.

##### PRIZE DISTRIBUTION

The prize list shall be prepared on the basis on one prize to every five entries in Team, Doubles and Singles, All Events, one prize to every twenty entries.

##### PENALTY FOR RULES VIOLATION

Any person who bowls under an assumed name, bowls under the name of an entrant scheduled in the tournament but fails to attend, or who is under suspension, or any team which employs a person herein described, both the person individually and the team collectively shall forfeit their entry fee and any and all rights to claim or hold any trophy or prize awarded in such tournament. Such person or persons involved are also subject to suspension.

##### ANNUAL MEETING

Saturday/Sunday, June 24-25, 2023

Stoney Creek Hotel & Conference Center, Johnston, IA

##### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

Iowa State USBC

Douglas Dammann, Association Manager

105 Walnut St.

Wyoming, IA 52362

563-488-3488

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