# **Utah Youth Challenge Tournament - 2024**

### Hosted by: Bonwood Bowl, Valley Lanes and Miracle Bowl

# Saturday July 27, 2024 - Sunday July 28, 2024

Block 1: 7/27/23 9:00 am Bonwood Bowl 2500 S. Main Street, South Salt Lake City, Utah

Block 2: 7/27/23 1:00 pm Valley Lanes 3951 W. 5400 So., Taylorsville, Utah

Block 3: 7/28/23 9:30 am Miracle Bowl 1585 State St., Orem, Utah

There will be a different Challenge shot for each block.

Check in begins at 8:00 am on Saturday July 27th



## Junior Gold Qualifier available for Green Bay, WI July 2025

Divisions: Uinta Division: 175 and Higher Scratch

Wasatch Division: 140 – 174 Handicap 90% of 185 Oquirrh Division: 139 and under Handicap 90% of 150



Averages used will be the 2023-2024 Composite listed on Bowl.com. If there is an average not listed, it will be calculated manually.

Enter online at Tournamentbowl.com or submit paper entry through email. Entry QR Code



Email, call or text questions/entries to Mindee Kunkel at Mindeefnp@gmail.com or 801-503-4005

Name:								
Date of Birth:				_	Gender:	Male		Female
Address:								
Phone:				Parent Email:				
USBC ID: Youth Email:								
For Office Use:								
USBC Card: Yes	No	\$		_				
Jr. Gold Membership:	Yes	No	\$	Tournament Division:				
Tournament Cost:	\$70.00							
Junior Gold Qualifier:	\$50.00 / \$40.00/ \$25.0			)	Division:	U12	U15	U18
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Tournament shall be conducted in accordance with the United States Bowling Congress (USBC) rules and regulations in addition to rules adopted by the tournament organizers. Tournament Director/Officials have final decisions regarding anything not covered by these rules.

1. Dates: July 27-28, 2024

- 2. Times: Block 1: Saturday July 27th @ 9:00 am (Bonwood), Block 2: Saturday July 27th @ 2:00 pm (Valley Lanes), Block 3: Sunday July 28th at 9:30 am (Miracle Bowl)
- 3. Format: Each bowler will complete a 4-game block at each of the 3 bowling centers, 12 games total. Bowlers must participate in all 3 blocks to be eligible for the finals.

The tournament will be divided into 3 divisions as listed below. At the end of 3 blocks, the top 4 bowlers (if less than 15 entries in the division) from each division will participate in a stepladder final. If there are 15 or more entries in a division, the top 5 bowlers will advance. In the event of a tie for fourth or fifth place, the bowler with the highest 4 game block will advance. There will be a different Challenge shot for each block. The lanes will not be re-oiled for the stepladder finals.

- 4. Average: Entering average will be the 2023-2024 composite average as reported on Bowl.com. The composite average will include any winter leagues that have not been reported.
- 5. Divisions: There will be 3 divisions:

a. Uinta Division: 175 and Higher, Scratch
b. Wasatch Division: 140-174, Handicap 90% of 185.
c. Oquirrh Division: 139 and under, Handicap 90% of 150.

Any bowler with an average of 174 or under may chose to participate in the Uinta division, if they would prefer. If a bowler enters with an average of 135 or higher, they may move to the Wasatch Division.

- 6. Cost: \$70.00 \$48.00 for lineage, \$22.00 for prize fund Payment for entry will be accepted by cash, Venmo or Credit Card. A \$2.00 service fee will be charged with each credit card transaction.
- Awards: Prizes will be awarded with a ratio of at least 1:6. Prizes paid out in all divisions will be in the form of Scholarships to the SMART Fund.
- 8. Eligibility: This tournament is open to all Youth bowlers with a current USBC card, who participated in youth bowling during the 2023-2024 year. Those who have participated in an Adult league or tournament prior to this tournament are ineligible to participate.
- 9. Junior Gold Qualifier: There will be a Junior Gold Qualifier during this tournament. Please see the Qualifier Rules separately from this entry.
- 10. Equipment: All equipment must be in compliance with the USBC rules that are in effect as of August 1, 2023. This specifically pertains to the rules regarding elimination of balance holes and use of holes for gripping purposes only. Refer to USBC Equipment Specifications and Certifications Manual for further information, details and requirements.
- 11. Check In: Pre-registered entrants are requested to check in 30 minutes before squad starting time. Walk-in entrants must register and check in 1 hour prior to squad starting time.
- 12. Protest: Any protest affecting eligibility or general playing rules must be confirmed in writing to the tournament manager within 72 hours of tournament close. Errors in scoring must be reported at the time the error is entered. Unexpected situations will be handled by the tournament management.
- 13. Dress Code: The Dress Code Will Be Strictly Enforced. All participants may wear casual slacks, trousers, jeans, skorts and shorts. Shorts and skorts length must go beyond the fingertips when your arms are at rest along your sides. Participants must wear a shirt with sleeves; preferably a collared shirt. Unacceptable attire includes, but not limited to: Hats, tank tops, halter tops, bare midriffs, spaghetti strap tops, etc, workout attire, lounge pants, bib overalls, jeans that are torn (skin showing), not clean or in poor condition. Attire with inappropriate, questionable, or offensive language or graphics. There are NO exceptions.
- 14. Conduct: Bowlers are responsible for their conduct. Tournament officials have the right to disqualify any bowler whose conduct is derogatory or detrimental to the best interests of the tournament. No unreasonable delay in the progress of any game is permitted. (USBC rule 11) Absolutely NO alcohol consumption during the youth tournament within any of the assigned lanes (including the buffer). Only assigned bowlers and tournament officials will be permitted in the bowling area during competition (including the buffer).
- **15. Electronic Devices:** Electronic devices will be permitted in the settee area as long as they are not causing a distraction to other bowlers, disturbance or a delay in the pace of bowling. Any youth found in violation will be required to put their electronic device away.
- 16. Liability: The entrants whose names appear thereon or their authorized replacements hereby agree that the organizers of this tournament and Utah State USBC, its officers or agents shall be liable only to the extent of returning entry fee, if and when these entrants shall be prevented from bowling any event in the tournament through delay, unexpected yet necessary schedule change or premature termination of the tournament, which may be brought about by war, national emergency or emergencies of cause relating thereto or resulting there from, fire, strikes, lockouts, labor difficulties or other causes beyond its control.
- 17. The tournament directors reserve the right to address changes, concerns or happenings not addressed in these rules, as they deem appropriate for the tournament.