

1st Annual Eastern Lanes Youth Sweeper

When: October 23, 2019

Check-In: 5:00 PM-5:45 PM

Bowling: 6:00 PM

Where: Eastern Lanes, 6943 Coles Rd, Middletown, Ohio 45044

Entry Fee: \$20 (\$9 for lineage, \$10 for prize fund, and \$1 for general expenses)

Rules:

1. Only USBC sanctioned youth bowlers that are the age of 20 or younger are permitted to bowl.
2. All prize money won will be awarded into the youth bowler's SMART Scholarship account.
3. All bowlers must be checked in and paid by the end of practice. No bowlers are permitted to sign up once competition starts.
4. Dress code: Entrants are expected to wear suitable attire. Use good judgement when selecting appropriate attire. Examples of **prohibited** attire include but are not limited to: short shorts, pants hanging showing underwear and/or body parts, headgear/headwear for non-medical reasons, attire with alcohol or cigarette advertisements, sleeveless shirts/tank tops. Bowlers will be required to change if attire is deemed inappropriate by the Tournament Director.
5. Inappropriate language or gestures or gambling will not be permitted.
6. Tobacco products, e-cigarettes, or alcohol will not be allowed by the athletes or guests during the duration of the tournament.
7. Competitors shall be allowed ten (10) minutes of practice prior to their starting time on their assigned lanes only. There will be no bowling by tournament bowlers on the tournament lanes prior to the start of the tournament on the scheduled tournament day
8. Bowlers arriving late shall begin play with the frame being bowled. Frames missed shall be credited with a zero. Frames missed cannot be made up.
9. Only bowlers and tournament officials shall be permitted in the bowling area during competition. If a parent or coach has a question, they may come to the Tournament Director
10. Claims for errors in scoring or general playing rules must be made to the Tournament Director no later than 30 minutes after the completion of the tournament. All other protests must be confirmed in writing to the Tournament Director within 72 hours of the infraction
11. Scholarships will be awarded at a ratio of one (1) out of every four (4) entries. SMART Scholarship #_____

12. This tournament will be sanctioned through the USBC.
13. Entering average will be the previous season USBC youth league average, minimum 12 games.
 - a. If no book or bowl.com average the highest current USBC youth league average, minimum of 12 games will be used. A standing sheet showing your USBC Youth average or a signed average verification by a responsible league official or association manager at the bottom of the Entry form will be proof of average.
14. USBC Rule 18: "Bowling balls cannot be cleaned with liquid substances or cleaning agents or have any foreign materials on the ball including but not limited to powder, rosin, marker, or paint."

Handicap: Handicap will be 90% of 230

Lane Pattern: Eastern Lanes House Shot

Format: All bowlers will bowl 3 qualifying games then cut to the top 16 bowlers. The top 16 bowlers will be placed in a single-elimination bracket. All bowlers who advance will bowl 1 game total handicap pin-fall head-to-head style matches, with the winner advancing. This format will continue until we find a winner. Ties will be decided by a 9th and 10th frame roll off, using 20% of the bowler's handicap

Tournament Director: Dustin Warmoth (dustin.warmoth60@gmail.com) (513) 607-1485

Please either mail this entry to Eastern Lanes (6943 Coles Rd c/o Youth Sweeper, Middletown, Ohio 45044) or email to Dustin Warmoth (dustin.warmoth60@gmail.com). Please pay with cash or check **ONLY**. Make checks payable to Eastern Lanes

Bowler Name: _____

Bowler's USBC #: _____

Bowler Email: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent Email: _____

Parent Phone: _____

