



Greater Coeur d'Alene USBC Association

Youth Annual Tournament

Tournament Rules

1. USBC rules and regulations will govern this tournament.
2. Entry is limited to USBC certified youth members only. Fees per bowler are \$17 per event plus \$5 optional fee for all events.
3. Coaches/Instructors or Proprietors must submit standing sheets as of the current/ final league standings. (Standing sheets are needed to verify averages and in the event of substitutions.)
4. The highest booked certified league average of 2023-2024, minimum of 21 games, will be used, unless the current average of 21 games or more is 10 pins or higher (Rule 319a). If there is no booked average from last year, then the current certified league average, minimum of 9 games, will be used. Bowlers without the minimum 9 games must bowl scratch (in Division A).
5. Any falsification of average or eligibility will result in disqualification of the bowler.
6. Entries must be delivered to the Association Manager at least **30 minutes prior** to each event. Any checks will need to be made to GREATER CDA USBC. Entries must be paid in full. **NO REFUNDS.**
7. Teams will consist of any four members. Mixed teams and doubles are allowed.
8. Handicap divisions will have handicap set at 100% of 200.
9. Competition will consist of 3 games in each event.
10. Scholarships will be awarded for 1st place Handicap All-Events to a boy and girl in each division and to the high scratch All-Events boy and girl. In case of a tie in the All-Events, duplicate scholarships will be given. Other spots will be awarded based on the number of entries in each division. All awards and scholarship fees will be returned 100%. Scholarship funds will be forwarded to SMART- Account for deposit and final distribution. Refer USBC Rule 309.
11. Youth participants will not wear apparel or use bowling equipment depicting alcohol, tobacco, gambling, an illegal substance or inappropriate language/ gestures during competition. **No hats, short shorts or skirts, or clothing with holes.** Bowlers could wear nice dark jeans or slacks or knee length shorts, polo or similar bowling shirts.
12. USBC Code of Conduct will be strictly enforced. **No electronics/headphones** will be allowed in the bowling area. No one will be allowed in the bowling area except bowlers, scorers, and approved tournament officials. Food and drinks are allowed only in the center approved areas. Anyone failing to comply will be subject to disqualification.
13. Bowlers must check-in at least 30 minutes prior to squad time.
14. The tournament director reserves the right to settle all disputes unless an appeal is made in accordance with USBC Rule 329. The tournament director reserves the right to accept or reject any participant in accordance with USBC Rule 303.

Send Entries : Jackie Montgomery

(Retain a copy for your records.)