

## Salem Bowl Spring Scholarship Tournament Rules

This event is a youth scratch singles competition. Entry fee is \$50 (\$15 lane fees, \$35 scholarship). Junior Gold qualifying entry is an additional \$40.

Registration will open on March 15 and close at 5 p.m. on April 10. Pre-registration is required. Walk-ins will not be allowed. Entries may be made on [tournamentbowl.com](http://tournamentbowl.com) or by emailing [salemyouthbowling@gmail.com](mailto:salemyouthbowling@gmail.com).

- All USBC rules for competition and Junior Gold qualifying events will be in place ([www.bowl.com/rules](http://www.bowl.com/rules)).
- Bowlers will bowl six games of scratch competition on a sport oil pattern, moving one pair between games. Total pin fall at the end of six games will determine scholarships and Junior Gold spots awarded. Scholarships will be administered through the USBC Smart Program. Junior Gold spots will be awarded based on a 1:5 ratio. The tournament director reserves the right to combine divisions.
- Bowlers must be in the U15 or U18 divisions (born between 8/1/02 and 7/31/08) with a valid USBC Junior Gold membership prior to the date of the event in order to complete for a Junior Gold spot. Junior Gold memberships may be purchased online at [https://www.bowl.com/Junior\\_Gold/Junior\\_Gold\\_Home/Membership/](https://www.bowl.com/Junior_Gold/Junior_Gold_Home/Membership/).
- Bowlers will not be allowed to use electronic devices on the approaches at any time. Cell phones and other communication devices should not be used in the bowler's seating area unless keeping scores on a bowling app.
- Bowlers should be present at all times and ready to bowl. Coaching is allowed between frames as long as it does not disrupt the pace of play.
- Only bowlers and scorekeepers are allowed in the bowling area during tournament play. All score corrections must be approved before they are made and must be done in the frame they occurred.
- Appropriate bowling attire is required, including collared shirts (zip-front mock-collar bowling jerseys also acceptable), slacks, dress pants, khakis, dress shorts, skorts or skirts. No jeans, t-shirts, hoodies, leggings, sweat shirts, or sweat pants. Bowler and spectator attire should not contain profanity, tobacco, alcohol, or drug references. If you have questions about attire, please contact the event director or bowling facility.
- Profanity or abusive language or behavior by any individual will not be tolerated.
- Bowling etiquette should be used at all times.
- There will be a limit of one spectator per bowler.
- Bowlers and spectators are required to wear a mask or cloth face covering that covers both the nose and mouth. Bowlers may lower their mask only when they are on the approach and ready to bowl. Masks must be raised back in place.
- Lane assignments will be determined based on number of competitors using appropriate USBC recommendations and in adherence to local, county, and state public health guidelines. All efforts will be made to keep family members together. Lanes and bowler seating areas will be sanitized between games.
- If there is a tie for the Jr Gold Spot there will be a one game roll-off on a neutral pair.